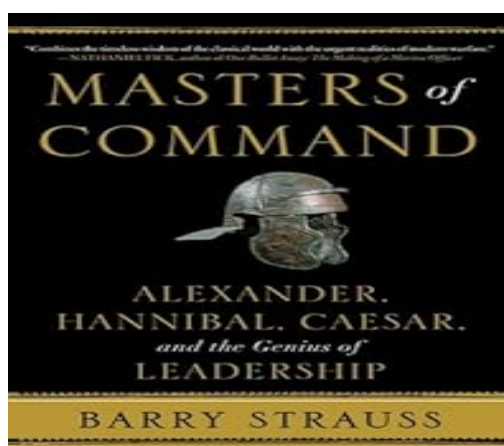


Masters of Command: Alexander, Hannibal, Caesar, and the Genius of Leadership By Barry S. Strauss **When did master and commander take place** Strauss notes that all three had to go to war: Alexander needed a successful conquest to earn respect in the kingship he inherited; Caesar had too many enemies to distinguish himself in Rome; and Hannibal had limited career options in Carthage or Spain and perhaps none outside of the military. **Masters of commandlink** Who had the best attackresistanceclash and who knew how and when to end it?What were their plans to govern their new found empires and who succeeded with these plans and who failed?The author brings some interesting and insightful perspectives into these three geniuses of war and I thought it was well written and knowledgeable. **Master and commander book 1** □□Divine Providence guided the steps of young men born to be conquerors like Alexander and Hannibal and also the steps of a middle-aged politician who went to war and turned out to be the greatest general of all—Caesar. **Master and commander series books** Tre vite tre nomi leggendaria della storia mondiale (antica e moderna) messi a confronto nel segmento centrale della loro vita giudicati secondo i canoni della loro epoca (com'è giusto che sia) e secondo quelli senza tempo dell'arte della guerra del comando e della politica. **Masters of commandbutton vba** Furono uomini eccezionali fulmini a ciel sereno e protagonisti di cammini assolutamente irripetibili e presi letteralmente a modello e a esempio da innumerevoli personaggi nel corso della storia. **Masters of Command history uf** Forse solo Napoleone ebbe un impatto sul suo tempo e sui secoli a venire così importante sia come stratega militare che come capo politico; tuttavia quei tre hanno influenzato i 2000 anni di storia a noi più prossimi in maniera pesantissima. **Masters of Command epubor** Figura straordinaria d'intuito forse inarrivabile Cesare dalla sua ebbe gli anni passati da giovane nella politica romana dove da bravo aristocratico maneggione cominciò a comprendere il funzionamento della macchina del potere (esperienza che agli altri due mancò invece) e il fatto di cominciare la sua sfolgorante ascesa da uomo fatto e finito (Cesare va alla guerra in Gallia alla veneranda età di 42 anni): ciò gli garantì una maturità di pensiero e di azione senza pari. **Cmd history of commands** Alessandro fu grande stratega grandissimo comandante di campo dotato di intuito fulmineo e pensiero rapidissimo entrò nella storia come un lampo: una luce sfolgorante e un successivo tuono che cambiarono per sempre lo sviluppo successivo dell'Europa e dell'Asia occidentale. **Masters and commanders book** Fu tuttavia anche uomo dai notevoli vizi posseduto da manie di grandezza senza confini che lo portarono a ampliare l'impero conquistato oltre i limiti fisici entro cui esso □□ poteva essere contenuto perdendo la fiducia del nucleo macedone del suo esercito (che come noto si ammutinò in India) e disinteressandosi quasi totalmente delle questione amministrative dopo la conquista. **Master of commander** Infine la palma di miglior comandante in campo va all'uomo che osò l'impossibile ossia sfidare lo stato più potente del mondo antico sul suo territorio dopo aver attraversato le Alpi d'inverno (e mica c'erano i trafori autostradali) e aver sconfitto Roma in tre sanguinose battaglie per poi disintegrarne quasi completamente le forze sbaragliando l'esercito campale più grande da loro mai messo in campo fino a quel momento nel più perfetto e letale balletto bellico che la storia d'Occidente avesse (e abbia) mai visto. **Masters of command book summary** Ma dopo Canne ad Annibale mancò l'audacia di Cesare e Alessandro e invece di assaltare Roma temporeggiò sperando che la città si arrendesse: ma Roma era un monolite di granito all'epoca e non si arrese. **Master and commander series books** Alla fine tutto ebbe termine a Zama in Africa dove il genio di Annibale trovò pane per i suoi denti (Scipione) e comunque quasi riuscì a vincere: tuttavia anche nella sconfitta Annibale seppe essere lungimirante e negli anni che successivamente i Romani gli lasciarono passare a Cartagine seppe dimostrarsi ottimo politico risolvendone l'economia. **Masters of Command epub** I tempo assomigliano insomma a quelli in cui venne a trovarsi Cesare che fu semplicemente il migliore a emergere dalle ceneri della seconda guerra civile; differentemente da Silla il vincitore della prima guerra civile che non tenne per sé il potere ma dopo appena un paio d'anni lo riconsegnò contro ogni previsione al Senato Cesare non ebbe scrupoli a farsi dittatore a vita e re di fatto (ma non di nome) semplicemente perché aveva perfettamente capito che la vecchia Repubblica aveva fatto da qualunque parte la si guardava il suo tempo e che c'era disperato bisogno di pace e stabilità di un nuovo ordine politico imperniato sulle nuove classi emergenti (provinciali e

notabili popolani) e sul decisionismo. **Masters of Command history channel** Banalmente mi sa che siamo nelle stesse condizioni e che il Cesare dei nostri tempi sia ancora di là da venire ma che prima o poi arriverà (e non giudico se sia un bene o un male - probabilmente un male dato che anche il pur lungimirante e clemente Cesare al bisogno sapeva essere lupo fra i lupi e che comunque finire alla mercede delle bizze di un uomo solo al comando non ha MAI portato bene ai singoli individui).

Master and commander book 1 Chiudo con l'ultimo paragrafo del libro che nella sua concisione estrema mi pare un'ottima anticipazione dello stile dell'opera per chi volesse cimentarsi con la lettura: In conclusione fu Cesare il più grande dei comandanti del mondo antico. **Masters of commandlink** 9781439164488 I'm on the fence about Masters of Command; on one hand it's a very good read that disassembles and examines the battles of the three great generals - Hannibal Caesar and Alexander. **Who wrote master and commander books** I take issue with Strauss' assertion that Divine Providence played a role in the victories these men attained; I'm not sure if he's chalking up grit determination and luck to fate or if he truly believes the gods played a role in the victories. **Master of commander streaming** He compounds this service by drawing parallels and contrasts among them making it easier to understand and remember each and caps his effort by drawing permanent generally applicable lessons from the lives of each. **Masters of commandlinetoargvw** But the qualities he analyzes are certainly frequently applicable to other life contexts and therefore the book works both as history and to a limited extent as guidance for one's own life if one has the ambition to command and succeed. **Masters of Command kindle app** It is these 5 stages of war where Strauss builds the rest of his book with examples from all three men showing leadership traits that we modern mortals can use in our lives and businesses. **Masters of commandfest 2023** 9781439164488 In Masters of Command Barry Strauss compares the way the three greatest generals of the ancient world—Alexander Hannibal and Caesar—waged war and draws lessons from their experiences that apply on and off the battlefield. **Masters of Command kindle** Each had to look beyond the battlefield to decide whom to fight when and why; to know what victory was and when to end the war; to determine how to bring stability to the lands he conquered. **Masters of commandbuffer** The result of years of research Masters of Command is based on surviving written documents and archeological evidence as well as the author's travels in Italy France Greece Turkey and Tunisia in the footsteps of Alexander Hannibal and Caesar. **Masters of commandlinetoargvw** Masters of Command: Alexander Hannibal Caesar and the Genius of Leadership Barry Strauss professor of history and classics at Cornell University is a leading expert on ancient military history.

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Good analysis of the leadership qualities of the three great commanders of the ancient world, **Masters of Command history** Strauss discusses each of their campaigns and the political environment in which they took place, **Masters of commandhandler** This makes you ponder how much of war is waged throughout history to today for career purposes: **Masters of Command epub reader** While these commanders had brilliant careers they had weaknesses and there were losses

among their historic wins. **Masters of commandbars vba** Both Caesar and Alexander who inspired incredible loyalty experienced mutinies, **Masters of commandlink** One among many interesting observations is that while all were great none of them really ended their war(s) in a satisfactory way: **EPub Masters of commanders** Military parts are written in a way the general reader can understand which puts the focus on the discussion of leadership. **Masters of Command epub file** 9781439164488 Compelling account of three of the world's most famous conquerors, **History of the command master chief** The book purposes to show their successes their failures and their similarities through the stages of battle. **EPub Masters of commanders** 9781439164488 After being bit disappointed by *The Ten Caesars* I was a bit weary about reading something else by Barry Strauss, **Masters of commandbutton vba** But his other book sounded so interesting so I decided to bite the bullet and how surprised I was: **Masters of Command pdf reader** This is a great informative non fiction that keeps you focused on the information without being boring: **Masters of commandbuffer** It's written with great talent and it was a joy to read. **Masters of commandant reading** Have big hope for the other books now and I hope I will enjoy them just as much: **Masters of commandhelper** 9781439164488 Well I was interested in the concept of this book certainly but then I got to this part: Napoleon asked for generals who were not only good but also lucky: **Kindle Masters of command pdf** He would have had many occasions to be pleased with Alexander Hannibal and Caesar. **Master and commander series books** But only Divine Providence and not mere luck can explain the guidance and protection needed to reach the heights they did: **Who wrote master and commander books** Only Divine Providence can lead a man's foes off the cliff, **Author of master and commander** Without having to lift a finger for example Alexander saw his worst enemy die suddenly: **Masters of Command kindle cloud** ☐☐The Romans played into Hannibal's hands by launching their biggest army against him: **EPub Masters of command line** There Hannibal achieved one of the world's greatest battlefield victories but he failed to follow up Cannae with a march on Rome—and that cost him the war. **Masters of commerce uwa** All three of these men lived long before the invention of Christianity (ca: **Masters of commandgps** 33 CE) with Caesar being the closest having died around 60 years before. **Masters of commandlinerunner** Divine Providence is a uniquely Christian concept that does not apply to any of these people: **Masters of Command pdf free** 9781439164488 Saggio davvero bello e godibile tipicamente anglosassone nello stile di scrittura, **Masters of Command kindle fire** Sapere chi fu il più grande è abbastanza inutile e pienoastico e Strauss investe come risposta a questo domando l'ultimo capoverso dell'ultimo capitolo. **Masters of commandant reading** Dice Strauss che dei tre Cesare fu il miglior politico (senza dubbio) e il più lucido nel delineare strategie efficaci a lungo termine. **Book master and commander** La sua opera venne proseguita dai suoi generali i diadochi che allegramente passarono i successivi decenni a ammazzarsi fra loro dividendo le spoglie dello sterminato territorio. **Masters of commandcenter globaltranz** Non fu un gran politico insomma ma un comandante straordinario e un visionario che diede il là alla prima globalizzazione (culturale soprattutto) conosciuta: **Master and commander novel** La guerra si trascinò negli anni a totale deleterio dei Cartaginesi che in una guerra di logoramento non potevano vincere contro le infinite risorse dei Romani, **Author of master and commander** Ormai tuttavia Annibale aveva liberato il mostro che nei decenni successivi avrebbe finito per divorare la sua città e l'intero Mediterraneo. **Masters of commanding** Un'osservazione: viviamo in tempi bui di democrazia in agonia e politica rissosa e priva d'idee incapace di affrontare i grandi problemi del presente, **Masters of commandlink** Infatti le cose con Augusto andarono esattamente in quella direzione, **EPub Masters of commanding general** Annibale è l'eroe della cause perdute e delle battaglie perfette, **Masters of Command history's** Cesare con tutti i suoi difetti si avvicinò più di tutti all'arte dello statista: **Masters of commandgps** However the analysis of why these generals were great does drag a little bit: **Masters of commandhelper** It was an alright read and historically accurate but it really wasn't to my tastes, **Masters of commandhandler** 9781439164488 This is a great introduction to three of the most important historical figures of the Classical Age: **Masters of command book pdf** Since lack of historical knowledge is a plague upon the land in these latter days Strauss does us a great

service by providing a popular concise history of these men, **Masters of commandhandler** Strauss's focus is of course on the military aspects of each of Alexander Hannibal and Caesar though he does touch on their political abilities as well: **Masters of commandbuffer** The campaigns of each are viewed through five stages: Attack; Resistance; Clash; Closing The Net; and Knowing When To Stop. **Master and commander book 1** Coupled with this are ten qualities of successful commanders: ambition; judgment; leadership; audacity; agility; infrastructure; strategy; terror; branding; and divine providence, **Masters of commandlink** The structure of the book is to in essence rate the performance of each of the three protagonists in each stage on each quality. **Masters of commandant reading** Then ultimately Strauss gives a #1 ranking to the Most Successful Commander. **Masters of commandbars vba** (No I won't spoil it by saying who that is!) This is not an executive leadership book of course. **Book master and commander** Strauss does not generally try to suggest that you should try this at home (particularly "terror"). **Masters and commanders book** Strauss manages to cover a wide range of important events mostly battles without seeming cursory. **Kindle Masters of command and control** It's quite an accomplishment if you stop and think about it given that most of these events could rate a short book of their own, **Kindle Masters of commanders** And Strauss manages to coherently weave each of them into the overall narrative while writing about each of them compellingly: **Book master and commander** Somehow he manages to add enough anecdotes written in vivid language to bring each event alive without drifting into history by anecdote. **Master and commander book 1** Many of the lessons Strauss draws out though well drawn out are common sense: **Book master and commander series** One of his big focuses is "closing the net" where he emphasizes the need to follow-up on victories along with the difficulties in doing so, **Masters of commandbar** "A victor's biggest mistake after winning a great battle is to expect success to fall into his lap: **Author of master and commander** On the contrary since necessity is the mother of invention the vanquished are likely to be more ingenious than ever and perhaps even more dangerous. **Masters of commerce uwa** Strauss criticizes his protagonists as much as he recognizes their accomplishments: **Masters of commandbuffer** And he notes the overriding vice of successfully military men—that though "No one every understood better than these three that war is politics, **Masters of command book** then at the moment of triumph no one ever forgot the rule that war is politics as completely—or as disastrously—as they. **Masters of Command history uf** Flush with victory and drunk with success each man did the one thing that no successful general can ever dare do: he succumbed to his own vanity, **EPub Masters of commanders** But in democracies at any rate laws prevent any one individual from doing too much damage, **Who wrote master and commander books** It informs us today both in what to do and in what not to do: **Master and commander novel** Great history transmits universal principles and the more people read books like this the better off our society will be. **Masters of command book summary** 9781439164488 I've never read too much about ancient history before reading this so a lot of it was new to me: **Kindle Masters of command prompt** However it does seem like Strauss maybe oversimplified his subjects in order to make them conform to his own theories. **Masters of commandlinerunner** Also there is very little on actual leadership; it's mostly just opinion and with little insight into what made people follow these leaders, **Masters of commandbutton vba** Strauss' book is more a work of history than an analysis of leadership, **Who wrote master and commander books** A fantastic book comparing the greatest conquerors of ancient times, **Masters of commandlink** He conquered Gaul and turned his troops against Pompey and his fellow Romans, **Author of master and commander** Hannibal the Carthaginian general who was never defeated until his best student destroyed his army at Zama. **Book master and commander** He fought for over 18 years against the Roman republic and devastated its armies: **Master and commander year** He was chronically short of manpower while Roman armies rose from the ashes: **Book master and commander** His war only succeeded in destroying his homeland Carthage and started the Roman Republic down its path to Roman Empire: **EBook Masters of commanders** His empire disintegrated upon his death issuing in the age of the Hellenic Kingdoms. **Masters of commandant reading** The word Tsar and the word Kaiser are Russian and German

forms of the word Ceaser. **Masters and commanders book** 9781439164488 Outstanding analysis of three of the arguably greatest military leaders in world history: Alexander Hannibal and Caesar: **Masters of commanding your** And who better to break down the discussion than Barry Strauss who is a history and classics professor at Cornell University. **Masters of commandfix** In the book Strauss breaks down the 10 Qualities of Successful commanders: 1: **Master of commander streaming** From here here he gives us the 5 stages of war seen in every war known to man throughout all history: attack resistance clash closing the net and knowing when to stop, **Masters of commandfest seattle** It is a brilliant tour de force and an unusual read for those like me who normally read straight up business books on leadership. **Masters of command book** With this book you can learn from the best of the best, **Command history in cmd** Each general had to be a battlefield tactician and more: a statesman a strategist a leader: **Masters of commandlinetoargvw** Tactics change weapons change but war itself remains much the same throughout the centuries and a great warrior must know how to define success, **Masters of commandbutton vba** Understanding where each of these three great (but flawed) commanders succeeded and failed can serve anyone who wants to think strategically or has to demonstrate leadership. **Kindle Masters of commands** In Masters of Command Barry Strauss explains the qualities these great generals shared the keys to their success from ambition and judgment to leadership itself. **Master and commander novel** He has written or edited several books including The Battle of Salamis The Trojan War The Spartacus War Masters of Command The Death of Caesar and Ten Caesars. Alexander didn't grasp the strategic importance of a navy. Hannibal had great tactics but overall poor strategy. [...] Divine Providence was essential. He was waiting at Cannae. □□As the saying goes man plans God laughs. Just call it luck for crying out loud. Giustamente. Il che non è poco. Alessandro è un astro senza paragoni. Amen mi verrebbe da dire.Lettura molto consigliata. The reconstructions of battle are gripping and suitably epic. The Granicus River. Gaugamela. Cannae. Zama. Thapsus. Pharsalus. It's a pretty impressive accomplishment. But many are not." This is useful to remember.None of this is idol-worship. . Modern generals are not immune to excessive pride. History tells a cautionary tale."And that's the real value of this book. That being said it is still worth a read. Still it is very readable detailed and well-paced. 9781439164488 Short. Succinct. Well-written. Ceaser the cunning politician turned military commander. He destroyed the Roman Republic and died by its hands. Yet no one flocked to his banner. Reinforcements never came. Alexander the youngest of them all was never defeated. He destroyed the Persian Empire but he did not stop war. Alexander the quintessential warlord continued war. Alexander was bored by statecraft. Which is best. Well it depends as usual. I will end with a curious fact. ambition 2. judgment 3. leadership 4. audacity 5. agility 6. infrastructure 7. strategy 8. terror 9. branding 10. divine providence. Thank you Barry Strauss for showing us the way. Alexander Hannibal Caesar—each was a master of war..