

Free reading Child soldier when boys and girls are used in war (2023)

as one american teen proves his worth to his father and dedication to his country by joining the army s paratroopers a fifteen year old german boy is working hard as a member of the hitler youth in preparation for his big moment on the battlefields of world war ii two boys one german and one american are eager to join their respective armies during world war ii and their paths cross at the battle of the bulge japan spring 1951 phillips an adolescent national guardsman and driver for able battery co captain wylie is caught in a power struggle between first sergeant radick wylie s boss in civilian life and lieutenant briscoe an rotc officer harsh training obsolete equipment and mistakes aggravated by personal hatreds lead to accidents fights sexual intrigues deaths and a bizarre shooting incident that brings on a military inquiry in which phillips is a key witness combat in korea looms for phillips and his teenage comrades he is fearful but wants to be a good soldier he s aided by private green a slick draftee from new york and sergeant agee a ww ii retread later in korea the boys are bloodied in battle and undergo severe strains as casualties mount phillips receives his baptism of fire in a chinese attack where he must kill to survive and save human decency for another time and place a boy who grew up in the slums of late nineteenth century chicago runs away joins the cavalry and fights with general custer in the battle of little big horn hundreds of novels have been written about young men coming of age in war and millions of young men have in fact come of age in combat this is the story of one of them as told by his daughter based on the daily letters he wrote to his family in 1944 and 1945 after ten months of stateside training nineteen year old joe ted bud miller shipped out from new york harbor in november 1944 and served with the 63rd infantry in france and germany although he fought with his unit at the colmar pocket and earned a bronze star for his role in pushing through the siegfried line his letters focus less on the details of battle than on the many aspects of his life in the military food px movies biographies of friends and platoon mates training activities travelogues and the behavior good and bad of officers bud s journalistic skills show in his letters and fill his reports with a wealth of objective detail as well as articulate reflections on his feelings about his experiences katherine i miller a communication scholar brings to her father s letters which form the centerpiece of the book her scholarly training in analyzing issues such as the development of masculinity in historical context the formation of adult identity and the psychological effects of war further insights gained from additional personal and family archives interviews with surviving family members official paperwork the unit history of the 63rd infantry division 254th regiment unit newspapers pictorial histories maps and accounts by other unit members aided her in crafting this interpretive biography the book also serves as a window onto more general questions of how individuals navigate complicated turning points thrown at them by external events and internal struggles as they move from youth to adulthood the mid nineteen fifties saw the introduction of junior regiments within the british army boys as young as fifteen could make a life changing decision and with their parents consent undertake theoretical and practical tests to leave home and become a junior soldier almost every regiment in the army had a junior regiment attached to them the marines at deal in kent the junior infantry at shorncliffe also in kent the para s the royal signals the gunners and so on and so on in the winter of 1970 i was approaching school leaving age with no idea

what to do with my future until i stopped briefly to talk to a boy in a uniform on an army recruiting stand and i went home hooked at the age of fifteen and five months i left home to become a junior leader for two years in the royal engineers the sappers at old park barracks dover kent i passed out from dover to adult service in august 1973 to join a royal engineers field squadron in germany baor the british army of the rhine and on that day i felt ten feet tall this book is dedicated to all kids of all junior regiments who took that gigantic step and won through it wasn't easy in fact at times it was damn hard going i'm sure more than a few kids at times would have broken down in tears especially through the first thirteen weeks but your room mates were in the same boat so you worked together and you got through all the crap these junior regiments no longer exist in the form they did in the fifties sixties seventies or eighties they have been replaced by the afc the army foundation collage an amalgamation of regiments and corps training together no doubt the style and method of training has also changed this may in some case be not such a bad thing however this book takes us back to the early seventies and my personnel story as a junior soldier a junior sapper rebels invade a small town in africa young boys from the town are forced to take up the cause as well becoming fighters themselves reproduction of the original our soldier boy by george manville fenn this work has been selected by scholars as being culturally important and is part of the knowledge base of civilization as we know it this work was reproduced from the original artifact and remains as true to the original work as possible therefore you will see the original copyright references library stamps as most of these works have been housed in our most important libraries around the world and other notations in the work this work is in the public domain in the united states of america and possibly other nations within the united states you may freely copy and distribute this work as no entity individual or corporate has a copyright on the body of the work as a reproduction of a historical artifact this work may contain missing or blurred pages poor pictures errant marks etc scholars believe and we concur that this work is important enough to be preserved reproduced and made generally available to the public we appreciate your support of the preservation process and thank you for being an important part of keeping this knowledge alive and relevant at the outbreak of the first world war boys as young as thirteen were caught up in the overwhelming tide of patriotism and in huge numbers cheerfully enlisted for active service many were to serve in the bloodiest battles of the war such as ex miner dick trafford who took part in the battle of the loos and frank lindley who seeking to avenge his dead brother went over the top on the first day of the battle of the somme both were just sixteen in boy soldiers of the great war richard van emden tells their stories of sacrifice and heroism for the first time whether in trouble or in love a girl can always count on a soldier soldier boys consists of four novellas that celebrate courage honor and appeal of military men in deirdre savoy's fleet week a sexy songstress falls head over heels for a sexy younger marine in angela weaver's flyboy a woman tests her nerve and falls into the arms of handsome air force pilot in edwina martin arnold's recruiting dora a feisty mom takes on a charming navy recruiter in j m jeffries going commando a tv star gets lost in the desert and rock's the kasbah with a studly army ranger in a time of crisis we start grasping for straws on what to do some seek wise counsel while others go gung ho to take on a role of a hero and attempt to handle the situation themselves caught in a losing fight for survival these brave soldiers who were giving their all for what they believed in found a fate of one that might have belonged to a third world country with morals that could be counted on one finger to stand up for what was right and take the fight to the enemy even if it was a fight they did not volunteer for but went anyway because they knew it was their

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the public we appreciate your support of the preservation process and thank you for being an important part of keeping this knowledge alive and relevant an ala best book for young adults firsthand accounts of the experiences of boys sixteen and younger who fought in the civil war with photos included winner of the golden kite award for nonfiction making extensive use of the actual words culled from diaries journals memoirs and letters of boys who served in the union and confederate armies as fighting soldiers as well as drummers buglers and telegraphers murphy describes the beginnings of the civil war and goes on to delineate the military role of the underage soldiers and their life in the camps and field bivouacs also included is a description of the boys return home and the effects upon them of their wartime experiences an excellent selection of more than 45 sepia toned contemporary photographs augment the text of this informative moving work school library journal starred review this wrenching look at our nation s bloodiest conflict through the eyes of its youthful participants serves up history both heartbreaking and enlightening publishers weekly this well researched and readable account provides fresh insight into the human cost of a pivotal event in united states history the horn book starred review jeff faces one difficulty after another as he serves as a drummer boy in the confederate army all while wrestling with personal issues of faith and meeting christians in unexpected ways meanwhile leah is receiving the unexpected attention from a young escaped union prisoner the soldier boy s discovery is the fourth of a ten book series that tells the story of two close families find themselves on different sides of the civil war after the fall of fort sumter in april 1861 thirteen year old leah becomes a helper in the union army with her father who hopes to distribute bibles to the troops fourteen year old jeff becomes a drummer boy in the confederate army and struggles with faith while experiencing personal hardship and tragedy the series follows leah jeff family and friends as they experience hope and god s grace through four years of war normal0falsefalsefalseen usx nonex none winner of two communicator awards for cover overall and cover design 2013 they called them soldier boys offers an in depth study of soldiers of the texas national guard s seventh texas infantry regiment in world war i through their recruitment training journey to france combat and their return home gregory w ball focuses on the fourteen counties in north northwest and west texas where officers recruited the regiment s soldiers in the summer of 1917 and how those counties compared with the rest of the state in terms of political social and economic attitudes in september 1917 the soldier boys trained at camp bowie near fort worth texas until the war department combined the seventh texas with the first oklahoma infantry to form the 142d infantry regiment of the 36th division in early october 1918 the 142d infantry including more than 600 original members of the seventh texas was assigned to the french fourth army in the champagne region and went into combat for the first time on october 6 ball explores the combat experiences of those texas soldiers in detail up through the armistice of november 11 1918 in episode 1 of the ray martin fronted sbs series look me in the eye two south sudanese migrants now resident in brisbane sat across from each other and looked into each other s eyes one of them ayik was once a ten year old boy soldier training in the junior forces of the spla and like many of the young boys hating it he regularly ran away sometimes to refugee camps but was found dragged back and brutally punished by then fourteen year old anyang the man now sitting opposite him after a tumultuous life in africa ayik brings that trauma with him to australia and at various times gets in trouble with the law over violence alcohol and drugs he is misdiagnosed as schizophrenic and is wrongly medicated for years one day at a brisbane church he looks across and sees his childhood torturer and is filled with hate they do not interact then but

on their next encounter a few years later ayik speaks with anyang and says if they were still in africa he would kill him thankfully a number of forces including the law and parenthood and a better psychiatrist eventually set ayik on the straight and narrow he is studying working as an actor and volunteering at his local pcyc an incredibly honest book showing that recovering from torture and war is a process of lifelong learning choices and challenges our boys is an engaging and often poignant firsthand account of the american civil war told from the perspective of a union soldier who served in the army of the potomac alonzo f hill s memoirs provide detailed and vivid descriptions of the battles campaigns and daily life of a soldier in this pivotal conflict the book also offers valuable insights into the social and cultural context of the war including issues of race class and gender our boys is a classic of civil war literature and an important historical document that provides readers with a unique and compelling perspective on this transformative moment in american history this work has been selected by scholars as being culturally important and is part of the knowledge base of civilization as we know it this work is in the public domain in the united states of america and possibly other nations within the united states you may freely copy and distribute this work as no entity individual or corporate has a copyright on the body of the work scholars believe and we concur that this work is important enough to be preserved reproduced and made generally available to the public we appreciate your support of the preservation process and thank you for being an important part of keeping this knowledge alive and relevant over the decades jack matthews collected memoirs and personal correspondence by actual u s civil war soldiers eventually this interest led him to write a group of stories from the vantage point of teenage soldiers the stories are less about specific civil war battles or the horrors of war than about ordinary adventures and heartbreaks of young soldiers one soldier constantly composes new epitaphs for himself much to the irritation of his comrades a wounded soldier finds himself abandoned by his regiment and accidentally strikes up a friendship with a soldier from the other side one soldier starts seeing ghostly visions of his dead brother and wants to know why in the opening story a courier is sent by headquarters to deliver an urgent and tragic message only to learn that the local commander has forbidden him to deliver it in the final story two soldiers have to hunt down and stop a hidden sharpshooter nicknamed old mortality and in so doing have to face and understand their fears told in an accessible humorous and even old fashioned way these stories have a philosophical bent and give readers a sense of how 19th century young americans must have pondered their world this 8th story collection published posthumously is the first jack matthews story collection to be published in 23 years this special ebook edition is illustrated by barbiel matthews sanders the author s daughter and includes two introductory essays by personville editor robert nagle the author s website ghostlypopulations com also contains a study guide for teachers and an annotated bibliography of civil war fiction prepared especially for this ebook when he realizes that the bone his little brother martin dug up in the back garden is not just a dog s bone but belongs to a hand drew begins to feel he is at the start of an adventure until the bones seem to move from place to place and he starts receiving spooky messages on 28 june 1915 young james martin sailed from melbourne aboard the troopship berrima bound ultimately for gallipoli he was just fourteen years old soldier boy is jim s extraordinary true story the story of a young and enthusiastic school boy who became australia s youngest known anzac four months after leaving his home country he would be numbered among the dead just one of so many soldier boys who travelled halfway around the world for the chance of adventure this is however just as much the story of jim s mother amelia martin it is the heartbreaking tale of

the mother who had to let him go of his family who lost a son a brother an uncle a friend it is about amelia s boy who like so many others just wanted to be in on the action in the most candid description of army life ever produced castro hassan vividly capture what soldiers think say and do in their ground breaking book boys in the barracks presented from the perspective of the soldier boys in the barracks will shock anger and challenge many perceptions of army life here is a sample of soldiers views contained in this innovative work describing army life from a military cultural perspective on why soldiers join it s kind of a family thing i couldn t really say on army standards i don t understand why everything has to be dressed right dressed i mean it s not like we are at war or anything on discipline i guarantee you after a couple of sessions behind the tree line he d straighten his shit out on promotion i don t like waiting five or six years to get promoted to do a job that i m already doing if i am doing the job then the army needs to pay me on garrison duties it s either maintenance on a vehicle or literally doing tedious tasks that i find pointless like sweeping and pulling weeds moving one thing to another area and then moving it back because someone didn t like it there on boredom it s a whole lot of hurry up and wait and standby to standby on the barracks they harp on having clean barracks but you can only polish a turd so much on nco leadership a good nco leads and not bosses someone that s going to be right there next to me doing the same shit i m doing on smoking and drinking i ve got the worst habits out of everybody here i smoke dip vape and drink everyone s got their habit and that includes alcohol we ve got under aged dudes drinking in the barracks on being on profile i can say i got a broken neck they ll say you just weak on mental health stigma people will judge you now i feel people think i m weak on why soldiers stay there s nothing easier than being in the army especially if you don t do crap all day on why soldiers leave i hate everything about the army biggest mistake i ve ever made was joining the soldier boy or tom somers in the army a story of the great rebellion by oliver optic chapter i the battle of pinchbrook fort sumter has surrendered mother shouted thomas somers as he rushed into the room where his mother was quietly reading her bible it was sunday and the exciting news had been circulated about the usually quiet village of pinchbrook harbor men s lips were compressed and their teeth shut tight together they were indignant for traitors had fired upon the flag of the united states men women and children were roused by the indignity offered to the national emblem the cannon balls that struck the walls of sumter seemed at the same time to strike the souls of the whole population of the north and never was there such a great awakening since the pilgrim fathers first planted their feet upon the rock of plymouth fort sumter has surrendered shouted the indignant young patriot again as his mother looked up from the blessed volume you don t say so exclaimed mrs somers as she closed the bible and removed her spectacles yes mother the infernal rebels hammered away at the fort for two days and at last we had to give in there ll be terrible times afore long replied the old lady shaking her head with prophetic earnestness the president has called for seventy five thousand volunteers and i tell you there ll be music before long continued the youth so excited that he paced the room with rapid strides we are delighted to publish this classic book as part of our extensive classic library collection many of the books in our collection have been out of print for decades and therefore have not been accessible to the general public the aim of our publishing program is to facilitate rapid access to this vast reservoir of literature and our view is that this is a significant literary work which deserves to be brought back into print after many decades the contents of the vast majority of titles in the classic library have been scanned from the original works to ensure a high quality product each title has been meticulously hand curated by our staff our philosophy has been

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Soldier Boy 1997 rebels invade a small town in africa young boys from the town are forced to take up the cause as well becoming fighters themselves

War Makes Men of Boys 2012-11-26 reproduction of the original our soldier boy by george manville fenn

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The Tale of a Boy Soldier 2001 an ala best book for young adults firsthand accounts of the experiences of boys sixteen and younger who fought in the civil war with photos included winner of the golden kite award for nonfiction making extensive use of the actual words culled from diaries journals memoirs and letters of boys who served in the union and confederate armies as fighting soldiers as well as drummers buglers and telegraphers murphy describes the beginnings of the civil war and goes on to delineate the military role of the underage soldiers and their life in the camps and field bivouacs also included is a description of the boys return home and the effects upon them of their wartime experiences an excellent selection of more than 45 sepia toned contemporary photographs augment the text of this informative moving work school library journal starred review this wrenching look at our nation s bloodiest conflict through the eyes of its youthful participants serves up history both heartbreaking and enlightening publishers weekly this well researched and readable account provides fresh insight into the human cost of a pivotal event in united states history the horn book starred review

Where the Boys Are 2007-01-01 jeff faces one difficulty after another as he serves as a drummer boy in the confederate army all while wrestling with personal issues of faith and meeting christians in unexpected ways meanwhile leah is receiving the unexpected attention from a young escaped union prisoner the soldier boy s discovery is the fourth of a ten book series that tells the story of two close families find themselves on different sides of the civil war after the fall of fort sumter in april 1861 thirteen year old leah becomes a helper in the union army with her father who hopes to distribute bibles to the troops fourteen year old jeff becomes a drummer boy in the confederate army and struggles with faith while experiencing personal hardship and tragedy the series follows leah jeff family and friends as they experience hope and god s grace through four years of war

The soldier boy 2012-08 normal0falsefalsefalse usx nonex none winner of two communicator awards for cover overall and cover design 2013 they called them soldier boys offers an in depth study of soldiers of the texas national guard s seventh texas infantry regiment in world war i through their recruitment training journey to france combat and their return home gregory w ball focuses on the fourteen counties in north northwest and west texas where officers recruited the regiment s soldiers in the summer of 1917 and how those counties compared with the rest of the state in terms of political social and economic attitudes in september 1917 the soldier boys trained at camp bowie near fort worth texas until the war department combined the seventh texas with the first oklahoma infantry to form the 142d infantry regiment of the 36th division in early october 1918 the 142d infantry including more than 600 original members of the seventh texas was assigned to the french fourth army in the champagne region and went into combat for the first time on october 6 ball explores the combat experiences of those texas soldiers in detail up through the

armistice of november 11 1918

The Outdoor Girls in Army Service, Or, Doing Their Bit for the Soldier Boys 2008-10-02 in episode 1 of the ray martin fronted sbs series look me in the eye two south sudanese migrants now resident in brisbane sat across from each other and looked into each other's eyes one of them ayik was once a ten year old boy soldier training in the junior forces of the spla and like many of the young boys hating it he regularly ran away sometimes to refugee camps but was found dragged back and brutally punished by then fourteen year old anyang the man now sitting opposite him after a tumultuous life in africa ayik brings that trauma with him to australia and at various times gets in trouble with the law over violence alcohol and drugs he is misdiagnosed as schizophrenic and is wrongly medicated for years one day at a brisbane church he looks across and sees his childhood torturer and is filled with hate they do not interact then but on their next encounter a few years later ayik speaks with anyang and says if they were still in africa he would kill him thankfully a number of forces including the law and parenthood and a better psychiatrist eventually set ayik on the straight and narrow he is studying working as an actor and volunteering at his local pyc an incredibly honest book showing that recovering from torture and war is a process of lifelong learning choices and challenges

Boy Soldier 2015-07-16 our boys is an engaging and often poignant firsthand account of the american civil war told from the perspective of a union soldier who served in the army of the potomac alonzo f hill's memoirs provide detailed and vivid descriptions of the battles campaigns and daily life of a soldier in this pivotal conflict the book also offers valuable insights into the social and cultural context of the war including issues of race class and gender our boys is a classic of civil war literature and an important historical document that provides readers with a unique and compelling perspective on this transformative moment in american history this work has been selected by scholars as being culturally important and is part of the knowledge base of civilization as we know it this work is in the public domain in the united states of america and possibly other nations within the united states you may freely copy and distribute this work as no entity individual or corporate has a copyright on the body of the work scholars believe and we concur that this work is important enough to be preserved reproduced and made generally available to the public we appreciate your support of the preservation process and thank you for being an important part of keeping this knowledge alive and relevant

I Will Be a Soldier 2023-07-18 over the decades jack matthews collected memoirs and personal correspondence by actual u s civil war soldiers eventually this interest led him to write a group of stories from the vantage point of teenage soldiers the stories are less about specific civil war battles or the horrors of war than about ordinary adventures and heartbreaks of young soldiers one soldier constantly composes new epitaphs for himself much to the irritation of his comrades a wounded soldier finds himself abandoned by his regiment and accidentally strikes up a friendship with a soldier from the other side one soldier starts seeing ghostly visions of his dead brother and wants to know why in the opening story a courier is sent by headquarters to deliver an urgent and tragic message only to learn that the local commander has forbidden him to deliver it in the final story two soldiers have to hunt down and stop a hidden sharpshooter nicknamed old mortality and in so doing have to face and understand their fears told in an accessible humorous and even old fashioned way these stories have a philosophical bent and give readers a sense of how 19th century young americans must have pondered their world this 8th story collection published posthumously is the first jack matthews story collection to be published in 23

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The Outdoor Girls in Army Service 1863 when he realizes that the bone his little brother martin dug up in the back garden is not just a dog s bone but belongs to a hand drew begins to feel he is at the start of an adventure until the bones seem to move from place to place and he starts receiving spooky messages

I Will be a Soldier 1990 on 28 june 1915 young james martin sailed from melbourne aboard the troopship berrima bound ultimately for gallipoli he was just fourteen years old soldier boy is jim s extraordinary true story the story of a young and enthusiastic school boy who became australia s youngest known anzac four months after leaving his home country he would be numbered among the dead just one of so many soldier boys who travelled halfway around the world for the chance of adventure this is however just as much the story of jim s mother amelia martin it is the heartbreaking tale of the mother who had to let him go of his family who lost a son a brother an uncle a friend it is about amelia s boy who like so many others just wanted to be in on the action

The Boys' War 2011-05-01 in the most candid description of army life ever produced castro hassan vividly capture what soldiers think say and do in their ground breaking book boys in the barracks presented from the perspective of the soldier boys in the barracks will shock anger and challenge many perceptions of army life here is a sample of soldiers views contained in this innovative work describing army life from a military cultural perspective on why soldiers join it s kind of a family thing i couldn t really say on army standards i don t understand why everything has to be dressed right dressed i mean it s not like we are at war or anything on discipline i guarantee you after a couple of sessions behind the tree line he d straighten his shit out on promotion i don t like waiting five or six years to get promoted to do a job that i m already doing if i am doing the job then the army needs to pay me on garrison duties it s either maintenance on a vehicle or literally doing tedious tasks that i find pointless like sweeping and pulling weeds moving one thing to another area and then moving it back because someone didn t like it there on boredom it s a whole lot of hurry up and wait and standby to standby on the barracks they harp on having clean barracks but you can only polish a turd so much on nco leadership a good nco leads and not bosses someone that s going to be right there next to me doing the same shit i m doing on smoking and drinking i ve got the worst habits out of everybody here i smoke dip vape and drink everyone s got their habit and that includes alcohol we ve got under aged dudes drinking in the barracks on being on profile i can say i got a broken neck they ll say you just weak on mental health stigma people will judge you now i feel people think i m weak on why soldiers stay there s nothing easier than being in the army especially if you don t do crap all day on why soldiers leave i hate everything about the army biggest mistake i ve ever made was joining

The Soldier Boy's Discovery 2008* the soldier boy or tom somers in the army a story of the great rebellion by oliver optic chapter i the battle of pinchbrook fort sumter has surrendered mother shouted thomas somers as he rushed into the room where his mother was quietly reading her bible it was sunday and the exciting news had been circulated about the usually quiet village of pinchbrook harbor men s lips were compressed and their teeth shut tight together they were indignant for traitors had fired upon the flag of the united states men women and children were roused by the indignity offered to the national emblem

the cannon balls that struck the walls of sumter seemed at the same time to strike the souls of the whole population of the north and never was there such a great awakening since the pilgrim fathers first planted their feet upon the rock of plymouth fort sumter has surrendered shouted the indignant young patriot again as his mother looked up from the blessed volume you don t say so exclaimed mrs somers as she closed the bible and removed her spectacles yes mother the infernal rebels hammered away at the fort for two days and at last we had to give in there ll be terrible times afore long replied the old lady shaking her head with prophetic earnestness the president has called for seventy five thousand volunteers and i tell you there ll be music before long continued the youth so excited that he paced the room with rapid strides we are delighted to publish this classic book as part of our extensive classic library collection many of the books in our collection have been out of print for decades and therefore have not been accessible to the general public the aim of our publishing program is to facilitate rapid access to this vast reservoir of literature and our view is that this is a significant literary work which deserves to be brought back into print after many decades the contents of the vast majority of titles in the classic library have been scanned from the original works to ensure a high quality product each title has been meticulously hand curated by our staff our philosophy has been guided by a desire to provide the reader with a book that is as close as possible to ownership of the original work we hope that you will enjoy this wonderful classic work and that for you it becomes an enriching experience

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