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Grey House Publishing announces the Third Edition of *Encyclopedia of Invasions & Conquests, from the Ancient Times to the Present*

Grey House Publishing is proud to announce the publication of the *Encyclopedia of Invasions & Conquests, from the Ancient Times to the Present, 3rd Edition*. A valuable reference, the *Encyclopedia of Invasions & Conquests* provides a detailed overview of the history of invasions, conquests, battles and occupations, from the earliest times to the conflicts of the 21st century.

This new edition contains over 200 entries, taking readers on a journey that includes the ancient Egyptian invasion of Palestine, the conquests of Alexander the Great, the Great Mongolian Empire, the British occupation of Australia, Napoleon's conquest of Europe, the U.S. occupation of the Philippines, and the U.N. invasion of Afghanistan. This thought-provoking and essential volume also features entries exploring non-military aspects of invasion and conquest, such as the political, economic and cultural changes and reverberations that are an inevitable result of such changes and upheaval. Because the leaders involved in these actions are so important to understanding the events, entries cover such figures as Sargon, Alexander the Great, Genghis Khan, Adolf Hitler, Dwight D. Eisenhower and Benito Mussolini. This expertise and familiarity with the subject matter is what makes this edition the leader among its competition.

This third edition is arranged into four main sections; **Entries**, **Readings**, a **Historical Timeline of Entries**, and a **Bibliography**. The **Entries** section is split into seven parts based on time periods ranging from the Ancient World to the 20th-21st centuries. Each of these sections begins with a brief essay discussing the state of warfare in that era, followed by the individual topics. The **Readings** section is full of valuable primary sources that aid in extended research and understanding. These readings include the Laws of War from the Hague Convention of 1907, excerpts from the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the U.S. Constitution, and much more. The **Historical Timeline** section lists all of the individual entries in chronological order with the beginning and ending dates for each conflict, so that historical themes and developments can be explored. Finally, the **Bibliography** will be an invaluable resource in further research.

The Encyclopedia of Invasions & Conquests, from the Ancient Times to the Present, 3rd Edition includes a number of new articles to fill in some gaps in history that did not get covered in the previous edition. Updates includes articles from the late 20th century and early 21st centuries to describe activities that have taken place in conflicts that were ongoing at the time of the last edition, such as Iraq and Afghanistan. Newer invasions which have taken place since the last edition have also been included, such as the Russian incursion into Ukraine. Finally, a new article addresses a pressing issue of the contemporary world: to what extent can large-scale migration or refugee movements be considered an invasion? Also new to this edition are the seven section introductions that discuss warfare as it pertains to the time period covered in that section.

This 3rd edition of *The Encyclopedia of Invasions & Conquests, from the Ancient Times to the Present* is a vitally important resource for helping understand the roots of current conflict in the Middle East, Africa and Asia. The issues and history explored in this 2016 edition are timely and relevant, making it a valuable addition to public, high school and academic libraries, as well as an interesting reference for military enthusiast and historians.

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