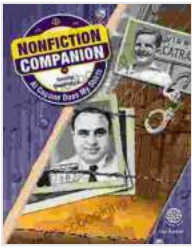


# Al Capone Does My Shirts: A Captivating History of Alcatraz for Children

Embark on a thrilling journey back in time as we explore the notorious Alcatraz prison through the eyes of children.



## Nonfiction Companion: Al Capone Does My Shirts— Children's Book About the History and Criminals of Alcatraz, Grades 5-9 (48 pgs) (Nonfiction Companions)

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In 'Al Capone Does My Shirts,' children will encounter the infamous criminals who once called this isolated island their home. From the notorious gangster Al Capone to the cunning escape artist Frank Morris, each chapter paints a vivid picture of their lives and the crimes that landed them behind Alcatraz's unforgiving bars.

### Meet the Notorious Inmates

Children will be captivated by the stories of these legendary criminals:

- **Al Capone:** The ruthless mob boss known as "Scarface" was imprisoned in Alcatraz for tax evasion. Children will learn about his rise

to power and the violent reign of his criminal empire.

- **Robert Stroud:** Known as the "Birdman of Alcatraz," Stroud spent over 50 years in solitary confinement. Children will discover his fascinating story, his love for birds, and his transformation from a hardened criminal to an advocate for prison reform.
- **Whitey Bulger:** A notorious Boston mobster, Bulger was one of the FBI's Ten Most Wanted fugitives before his capture. Children will unravel his life of crime and the FBI's relentless pursuit.

## Uncover Intriguing Tales

Beyond the stories of individual criminals, 'Al Capone Does My Shirts' delves into the fascinating history of Alcatraz itself:

- **The Escape Attempts:** Children will be on the edge of their seats as they learn about the daring and innovative escape plans attempted by Alcatraz inmates. From Frank Morris's escape through the ventilation system to the infamous Battle of Alcatraz, these stories showcase the prisoners' determination and the resilience of the prison guards.
- **The Prison's Legacy:** Alcatraz's closure in 1963 left behind a haunting legacy. Children will explore the aftermath of the prison's operation and its impact on San Francisco and the American criminal justice system.

## A Learning Adventure for Young Historians

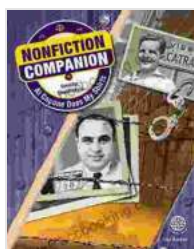
'Al Capone Does My Shirts' is not just a thrilling read; it's also an educational experience for children:

- **History comes alive:** Through engaging stories and vivid illustrations, children will gain a deep understanding of the criminal underworld and the historical significance of Alcatraz.
- **Critical thinking:** The book encourages children to analyze the actions of criminals, consider different perspectives, and draw their own conclusions about the events they encounter.
- **Empathy and understanding:** By exploring the personal stories of Alcatraz inmates, children will develop empathy for the complexities of human behavior and the consequences of criminal actions.

## Free Download Your Copy Today!

Give your children the gift of a captivating historical adventure with 'Al Capone Does My Shirts.' Free Download your copy today and embark on an unforgettable journey through the infamous halls of Alcatraz.

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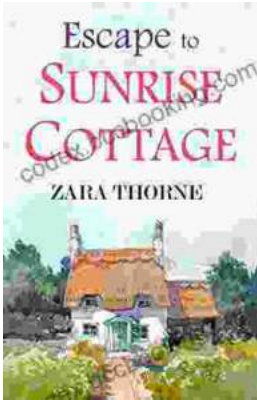
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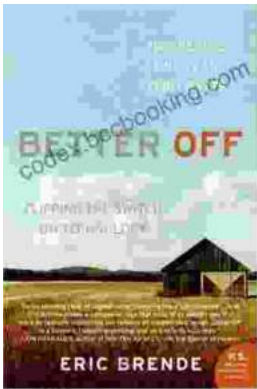
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