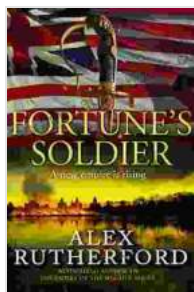


# Fortune Soldier: The Ballantyne Chronicles



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Fortune Soldier: The Ballantyne Chronicles is a thrilling historical adventure novel that follows the exploits of a young Scottish mercenary during the Napoleonic Wars.

Euan Ballantyne is a young man with a thirst for adventure. When the Napoleonic Wars break out, he sees his chance to make his fortune and prove his worth. He joins the British Army and is soon shipped off to the battlefields of Europe.

Euan quickly learns the harsh realities of war. He witnesses the horrors of battle firsthand and must fight for his life on a daily basis. But he also finds camaraderie and purpose among his fellow soldiers.

As the war rages on, Euan rises through the ranks and becomes a respected leader. He fights in some of the most famous battles of the era, including Waterloo. He also meets many historical figures, including the Duke of Wellington and Napoleon Bonaparte himself.

Fortune Soldier: The Ballantyne Chronicles is a gripping tale of adventure, courage, and sacrifice. It is a must-read for fans of historical fiction and military history.

## **About the Author**

Douglas Reeman was a British author of over 80 novels, mostly historical fiction set during the Napoleonic Wars and the Second World War. He was born in 1924 and served in the Royal Navy during the Second World War.

Reeman's novels are known for their meticulous research and attention to detail. He was a gifted storyteller and his books have been translated into over 20 languages.

Reeman died in 2017 at the age of 93.

## **Reviews**

"Fortune Soldier: The Ballantyne Chronicles is a thrilling historical adventure that will keep you on the edge of your seat from beginning to end." - Publishers Weekly

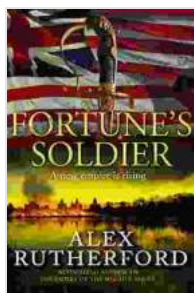
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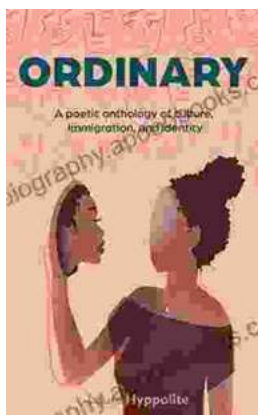
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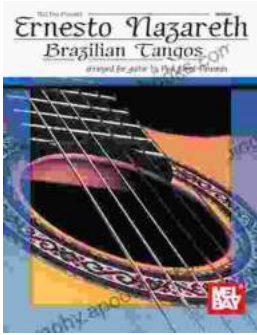
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