

The Biggest and Best Flag That Ever Flew

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In the annals of vexillology, the flag of the United States of America stands as a towering behemoth, a symbol of freedom and democracy that has inspired awe and respect around the world. But there is one flag that dwarfs all others, a flag so large and so magnificent that it can only be described as the biggest and best flag that ever flew.



The Biggest (and Best) Flag That Ever Flew (And Best Flag That Ever Flew) by Rebecca C. Jones

★★★★☆ 4.8 out of 5

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This flag was created in 1912 by the American flag company Annin & Co. to commemorate the centennial of the War of 1812. The flag was made of silk and measured 30 feet by 60 feet, making it the largest flag ever made at the time. The flag was so large that it had to be transported by a team of horses and was displayed at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition in San Francisco, California.

The flag was a sensation at the exposition and was hailed as a masterpiece of American craftsmanship. After the exposition, the flag was donated to the Smithsonian Institution, where it is now on display in the

National Museum of American History. The flag is a reminder of the pride and patriotism that Americans felt during the early 20th century and is a testament to the skill and artistry of American flag makers.

The Design of the Flag

The design of the flag is simple but striking. The flag is made up of 13 red and white stripes, representing the 13 original colonies. The canton, or blue field in the upper left corner of the flag, contains 50 white stars, representing the 50 states of the union. The stars are arranged in a staggered pattern, with 9 stars in each row.

The colors of the flag are also symbolic. The red stripes represent valor and hardiness, the white stripes represent purity and innocence, and the blue canton represents vigilance, perseverance, and justice. The stars represent the hope and promise of a new nation.

The Making of the Flag

The flag was made by a team of skilled craftsmen at the Annin & Co. flag factory in Verona, New Jersey. The flag was made of silk, which was the most expensive and luxurious fabric available at the time. The silk was dyed in the traditional colors of red, white, and blue and was then sewn together by hand. The stars were made of gold thread and were appliqued to the canton. The entire process took several months to complete.

The flag was so large and heavy that it had to be transported by a team of horses. The flag was first displayed at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition in San Francisco, California, in 1915. After the exposition, the flag was donated to the Smithsonian Institution, where it is now on display in the National Museum of American History.

The Legacy of the Flag

The biggest and best flag that ever flew is a reminder of the pride and patriotism that Americans felt during the early 20th century. The flag is a testament to the skill and artistry of American flag makers. The flag is a symbol of freedom and democracy that has inspired awe and respect around the world.

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The biggest and best flag that ever flew is a must-have for any collector of American flags or anyone who loves American history. The book is beautifully illustrated with full-color photographs of the flag and tells the fascinating story of its creation and history. Free Download your copy today!

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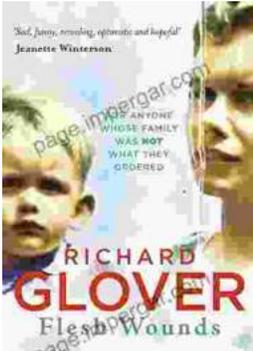
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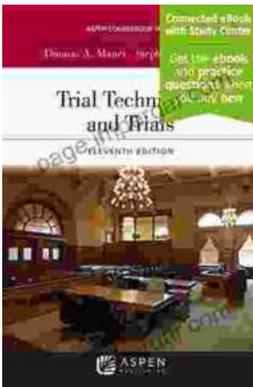
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