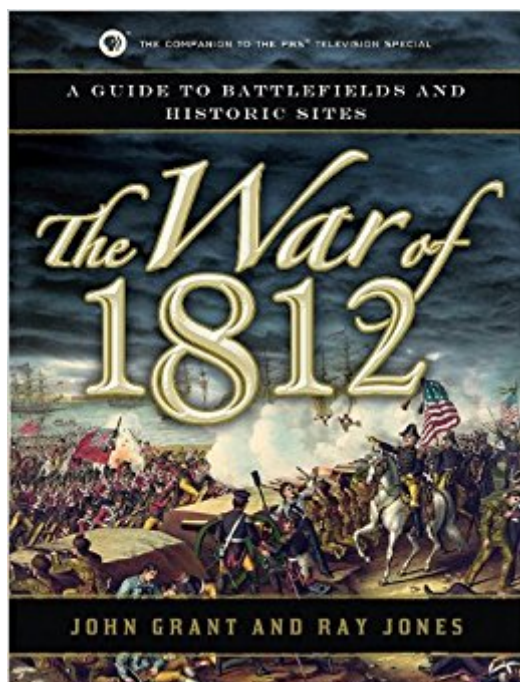


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# The War Of 1812: A Guide To Battlefields And Historic Sites



## Synopsis

It has been almost two full centuries since a thin line of Canadian militiamen turned back an American army at Crysler's Farm on the banks of the St. Lawrence, and the tattered Star-Spangled Banner flew through the night and into the dawn over Fort McHenry, surviving a storm of Royal Navy shot and shell. However, the approach of the war's bicentennial has unleashed a cascade of interest in this smoky, old cannon-and-musket conflict. Lushly illustrated with more than 120 color photographs and archival paintings, this exciting documentary companion brings the war to life with vivid descriptions and insightful eyewitness accounts. Readers can relive key moments in the conflict by visiting battlefields and other relevant sites such as Queenstown Heights, Lundy's Lane, Fort McHenry, and Chalmette Plantation outside New Orleans. The book is divided into seven chronologically arranged chapters, each of them focusing on one of several distinct theaters of the war. Follow the course of what ha

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John Grant is the executive producer of dozens of successful PBS documentary broadcasts and series including The War of 1812, Window to the Sea, and the award-winning Niagara Falls: An Intimate Portrait. Ray Jones is the author of more than 40 books. His award-winning Lighthouse Encyclopedia is considered the definitive treatment of the subject. Ray has also authored or

coauthored several highly successful companion books for PBS.

excellent read...once I get to a few of the spots to verify I will be probably upgrading this review

Beautiful research work!

This book arrived on the day before predicted. I am researching an ancestor who is said to have served in the War of 1812. This book is great for the large picture and describes what the battle sites look like if visited today. This helps me in my search.

This is an outstanding book of facts. We went on a summer trip and followed the war of 1812, during the bicentennial. this book led me to places to visit. It is perfect for someone that wants to visit these sites, with a good understanding what happened in history.

Only thing I was dissapointed in was that for the Battle of New Orleans, it showed a picture of the Civil War Battle of New Orleans! Otherwise it was very good. I did like the information about the present day sites.

This is a colorful informative guide to a war often overlooked by some students of history. Get it and then go on a tour.

pretty good book for general info and for travel. esp. good for michigan area travel around det. and monroe. would buy again

too gory--couldn't read it

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