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History 209

American Civil War

The source of this review is very good one because New York Times is very well known news company. I read this review and thought that it pointed out good points. This review was another great point view from reader and critic.

I want to start first with the arguments in support. The review states how this book rates next to all the other civil books written and sold. I think so far this is one of the top books, I have read. The facts and stories go into great details. One example is in chapter 9 the book describes a battle on July 11, 2011. The goes into deep details and it pointed out that the first general to die was Garnett. I did not know this. Chapter 9 gives a descriptive details on white population in the border states that very good to learn. The more I read the I learn and I really learning more. The arguments in support are good points too. The backgrounds of maps need to be to colored a different shade besides gray. If I would choose the shade, I would choose white. This shade would make easier to see where the southern forces fought and traveled.

I think, this book will be enjoyed by me and class. I plan to read this book slowly to get all the information. The stories have been well written. My passion is studying the American Civil War and I love gaining more knowledge in this book. When I got this book, I already looking forward to reading it.

There are two negative issues with this book so far. First all maps

need to have a different background color in order to read and understand them better. I also would like full names to be easily found. In chapter 9, I can not find Garnett's first name. I really wanted to to know his first name to research him. That is only complaints about this book everything else is good so far.

I feel this book will be almost perfect for this class. It will be great book to teach the class. So far the book following along with lesson pretty well. This book is written well to teach students.

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