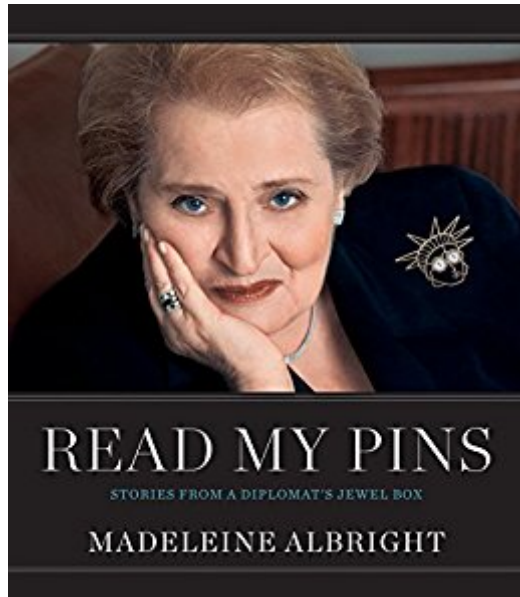




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Read My Pins: Stories From A Diplomat's Jewel Box



Synopsis

New from New York Times bestselling author and former secretary of state Madeleine Albright, *Read My Pins* is a story and celebration of how one woman's jewelry collection was used to make diplomatic history. Exploring the use of the pin or brooch as a means of personal and diplomatic expression and featuring a gallery of fascinating photographs, this unique, intimate, and revealing biography offers a whole new side of Secretary Albright, one of our most beloved public servants.

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Customer Reviews

Got this for my mom and she loves it. She's really into jewelry so I think she likes hearing the stories of a great woman and how she built her collection.

Historical pictorial of one's creative approach to communication. We saw her display of these pins at the Reagan Library recently. Astonishing.

Great little snippets of explanation for the pins. Beautiful pictures-- I wish I could have attended the exhibit in person. Madeleine is one awesome lady!!

I was disappointed that there was not more written about wearing the pins at various events and the reactions to them. I could not visualize the pins on my eReader. Images were too small to be able to appreciate the design. I recommend that you purchase a hard copy only.

I thoroughly enjoyed this book. Madeleine Albright garnered my respect throughout her career in public service. I especially admired her tenacity and marveled at her intuitive senses and intelligence when using her jewelry in the diplomatic arena. The piece that said so much to me about this lady was the amethyst and diamond pin and its story shared toward the end of the book.

I bought this for my sister after viewing a wonderful exhibit at a local museum. It is a beautiful and informative book, and she is delighted.

My wife enjoyed this book. She loved the fact that Madeleine Albright's sense of humour and sense of occasion was transported through her gorgeous collection of pins and also that Heads of State from around the world could determine how a meeting was going to work out by looking at the pin she was wearing on her lapel. She also shared wonderful memories through her jewellery.

So interesting to read & beautiful jewelry !

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