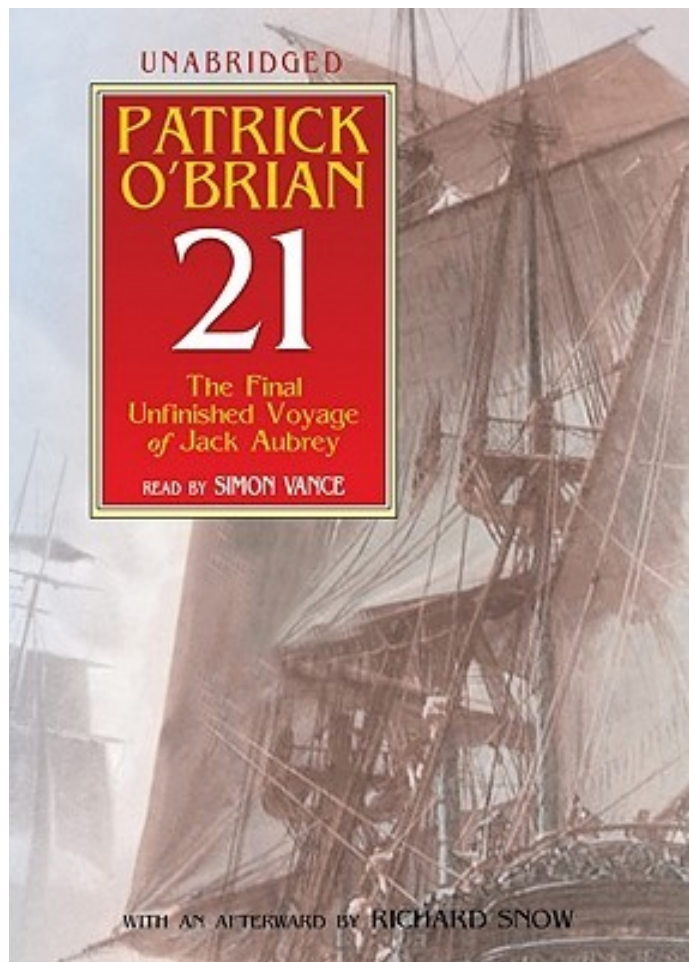

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The Final Unfinished Voyage of Jack Aubrey (Aubrey & Maturin #21)



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Description

In response to the interest of OBrians many fans, here is the tantalizingly incomplete manuscript of the final Aubrey-Maturin novel that the author was writing when he died, meant to chronicle Aubreys mission to South Africa.

Insightful reviews

Janet: *tears*

I started the first book in this series in January, and determined to read through them all by the end of the year. (Could have read them all in a much shorter time, of course, but I wanted to draw it out, and make the experience last as long as possible. But, now its over, and I'm not ready...

This last entry in a wonderful series is only three chapters. Less, really, as O'Brian stopped mid-sentence, and died without finishing it. Still, he left us with all our beloved friends seemingly healthy, and happy, and with much to look forward to. Really, in a way, its the best sort of ending, as the lack of resolution allows the reader the freedom to imagine what happens next. I'm sad that I'll never read another tale of Aubrey and Maturin, and their adventures on the sea, but so very happy for the 20 and a partial volumes we spent together.

Siria: Consisting of just three chapters, a preliminary long-hand sketch of what would surely have been another wonderful novel, there is still much to savour in 21. Here are Jack and Stephen back with us again, and though we don't know where their voyage would have taken them in this book, we see them being happy—both of them with their families, Stephen with his dissections and his spy work, Jack with his admiral's flag.

The book reproduces both O'Brian's partial typescript, and his long-hand manuscript, which allows for a wonderful glimpse of the marginalia—his little sketches of the seating arrangements at the dinner table, and the tiny, touching comment that *I am absurdly sleepy*, a reminder that when O'Brian was writing this, he was eighty-five and lonely. I do wish that they'd transcribed the part of the manuscript which continues on after the transcript—O'Brian's handwriting is very difficult to read, and is often heavily crossed out. It's frustrating to have just a little bit more, right there on the page in front of you, and to lack the palaeographical skills to make it out.

Brent: Well, I started this series last July. It has been enjoyable to read and I feel a sense of loss that I can't follow Jack and Stephen on any more adventures. More than the adventures, which were tame compared to many other books, the pleasant language and craftsmanship of the books are what made for a great experience. Patrick O'brien's wit and prose out strip any contemporary author I have read. It rivals the greats like Victor Hugo and even outstrips many since it was written in english and not a translation. Book 21 showed off his talents by showing an unfinished manuscript in it's various states and shows that to get the well crafted books he turned out it took a lot of effort.

Don: on the way to learn this simply as a continuation of the Aubrey-Maturin stories, i would not bother: there's too little of it, and it lacks the polish of the opposite books. yet then it really is essentially only a mostly un-edited fragment. Do learn it, however, as a way to learn each final note that O'Brian wrote approximately his heroes - or in case you have any curiosity in any respect in O'Brian's writing process. you could desire a magnifying lens to learn the facsimile pages, in O'Brian's based yet not-very-legible handwriting. The e-book additionally contains an clever and affectionate foreword by way of William Waldegrave, and a well-informed 'afterword' by way of Richard Snow. either upload considerably to the excitement of the read, partially via their exploration of the place this ultimate fragment could have been heading. And lastly, won't or not it's 'The Unfinished ultimate Voyage of Jack Aubrey' - or is an individual attempting to indicate that every one Jack Aubrey's voyages have been unfinished?

Sophist Berg: in the future i will be in a position to learn this. possibly whilst I not cry on the finish of Blue on the Mizzen. So... never.

James Milholen: the place to begin, what to say? i began the Aubrey/Maturin sequence in Nov 2013, and now right here I finish it in Jan 2015. the 3 fantastically represented chapter's in "21" easily rainy the urge for food for extra that shall by no means come. i ponder what could have occurred to Jack and Stephen, had this one final publication been completed. a quick read, yet an stress-free little bit of insight.

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