



Autobiographies of Presidents & Prime Ministers

Name of the author	Name of the Book	Published year
A.P.J. Abdul Kalam	Wings Of Fire	1999
Barack Obama, President of US	Dreams from my father	1996
Inder Kumar Gujral, Former Indian Prime Minister	Matters of Discretion	2011
Benazir Bhutto, Prime Minister of Pakistan	Daughter of Destiny	1988
I.K Gujral, Indian Politician and Former PM of India	Matters Of Discretion	2011
Jawaharlal Nehru, First PM of India	An Autobiography: Toward Freedom	1936
Margaret Thatcher, Former P.M of the U.K	Margaret Thatcher: The Autobiography	N.A
Thomas Jefferson, Former President of the US	Autobiography 1743-1790	1821
Rajendra Prasad, the first president of India	Athma Katha	1946
Maulana Abul Kalam Azad	India Wins Freedom	1978

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Dr. Manmohan Singh	Changing India	2019
Ronald Reagan, Former President of the US	An American Life	1990
Nelson Mandela, Former President of South Africa	Along Walk To Freedom	1994
Winston Churchill, Former PM of the UK	Memoirs of the Second World War	1959

Autobiographies of Famous Politicians:

Name of the author	Name of the Book	Published year
Bill Clinton, American Politician	My Life	2004
Benito Mussolini, Italian Politician	My Autobiography: With the political and social Doctrine of Fascism	1928
Hillary Clinton, an American politician	Living History	2003
Arjun Singh, an Indian Politician	A Grain of Sand in the Hourglass of	2012
J.B Kripalani, Indian politician	My Times, an autobiography	2004
Arjuna Siṃha - Indian political leader	A Grain of Sand in the Hourglass of Time: An Autobiography	2012
Sharad Pawar, National politician, and NCP President	Life On My Terms: From the Grassroots to the Corridors of Power:	2016
L.K. Advani	My Country My Life	2008

Autobiographies of Historical Figures:

Name of the Book	Published year
Mein Kampf	1925
Baburnama	16th Century
The Autobiography of Benjamin	1791
The Autobiography of Bertr and Russell	1951
The Recollections of the Development of My Mind and Character	1887
Freedom In Exile	1991
Autobiographical Notes	1949
A Brief History Of Time	1989
One Life Is Not Enough	2014
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K. Natwar Singh, Indian former Union Cabinet Minister and Writer	One Life Is Not Enough	2014
Khushwant singh,Indian novelist, Lawyer, Journalist and Politician	Truth, Love and a Little Malice	2002
Mohan Das Karam Chand Gandhi, Father of the Nation	My Story Of Experiments with Truth	1940s

Autobiographies of Activists

Name of the Author	Name of the book	Published Year
Malala Yousafzai	I'm Malala	2014
Sita Ram Goel	How I became a Hindu	1982
Bhagat Singh, Freedom Fighter	Why am I an Atheist	1930

Autobiographies of Sportsmen and Athletes

Name of the Author	Name of the book	Published Year
Abhinav Bindra, Indian Shooter	A Shotat History: My Obsessive Journey to	2011
Novak Djokovic	Serve to win	2013
Kapil Dev, Former Indian Cricketer	Sraight From The Heart	2013
David Beckham, English former professional footballer	My World, My Side	2000
Mary Kom, Indian Boxer	Unbreakable	2013
Muhammad Ali, American former professional boxer	The Greatest: My Own Story	1975
P.T Usha, Indian athlete	Golden Girl	1987
Usain Bolt, Jamaican sprinter.	Faster Than Lightning: My Autobiography	2013
Anil Kumble	Wide Angle	2011
Shoaib Akhtar	Controversially Yours	2011

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Rafael Nadar	Rafa : My story	2011
Vishwanathan Anand	Mind Master	2019
Saurav Ganguly	One Century is Not enough	2018
Yuvraj Singh, Indian Cricketer	The Test of My Life	2013
Sunil Gavaskar - Indian former cricketer	Sunny Days: An Autobiography	2014
Chris Gayle - Jamaican cricketer	Six Machine	2016
Sania Mirza - Indian professional tennis	Aco against Odds	2016
player	Ace against Odds	2016
Andre Agassi, American tennis player	Open: An autobiography	2009
Mike Tyson, American retired professional	Undisputed Truth	2013
boxer	Ondisputed frutif	2013
Milka Singh,Indian Track And Field Sprinter	The Race Of MyLife	2013
Matthew Hayden, former Australian	Standing My Ground	2011
cricketer	Stariding My Ground	2011
Ricky Ponting,former Australian cricketer	Ponting: At the Close of Play	2013
Sachin Tendulkar, Former Indian Cricketer	Playing it My Way	2014

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Saina Nehwal,Indian badminton player	Playing to win	2013
AB de Villiers - South African cricketer	AB: The Autobiography	2016

Autobiographies of Writers:

Name of the Author	Name of the book	Published Year
Anne Frank, German Writer	The Diary of a Young Girl	1947
Kamala Das - Indian author and poet	My Story	1973
Leo Tolstoy, a Russian novelist	My Confession	1884
Oscar Wilde , an Irish author, play writer and poet.	De Profundis	1897
Maxim Gorky, a Russian and Soviet writer	My Child hood	1913
Agatha Christie, English Crime Novelist	An Autobiography	1977
Khushwant Singh	Truth, Love and a Little Malice	2002

Autobiographies of Film Makers:

Name of the Author	Name of the book	Published Year
Charlie Chaplin, English comic actor and film-maker	My Autobiography	1964
Marilyn Monroe, an American actress, model, and singer	My Story	N.A
Michael Jackson – an American singer,song writer, record producer, dancer, and actor	Moon Walk	1988
Shatrughan Sinha -Actor of Hindi Cinema & Indian Politics	Anything But Khamosh: The Shatrughan Sinha Biography	2016
Shashi Kapoor - Indian film actor and film Producer	Shashi Kapoor – the Householder, the Star	2016
Akira Kurosawa, Japanese Filmmaker	Something like an Autobiography	1981
Annie Besant	Annie Besant: An Autobiography	1908
Mark Twain, an American author and Humorist	Mark Twain's Autobiography, posthumous	1907
Dilip Kumar, an Indian film actor	The Substance And The Shadow	2014

1. Who is the author of the book "India After Gandhi The History of the World's Largest Democracy"?



- (a) Madhav Gandhi
- (b) Ramachandra Guha
- (c) Romila Thapar
- (d) Sujit Mukherjee.

2. Which one of the below is not a novel written by R.K Narayan?

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- (a) Such a long journey
- (b) Swami and friends
- (c) The Bachelor of arts
- (d) The English teacher

3. Which is the autobiography of A.P.J Abdul Kalam?



- (a) My truth
- (b) Wings of fire
- (c) The story of my life
- (d) None of these

4. Who is the author of the novel "The Serpent and the Rope"?

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- (a) Raja Rao
- (b) Arundhati Roy
- (c) Anita Desai
- (d) Vikram Singh

5. For which novel Nayantara Sahgal was awarded Sahitya Akademi Award for English?



- (a) A Time to be Happy
- (b) The Day in Shadow
- (c) Rich Like Us
- (d) None of these

6. Which is the First novel written by Ruskin Bond?



- (a) Angry River
- (b) Delhi is not Far
- (c) The Room on the Roof
- (d) The blue umbrella

7. Who is the author of the novel "A Bend in the Ganges"?



- (a) Manohar Malgonkar
- (b)Amitav Ghosh
- (c) Salman Rushdie
- (d) None of these

8. Which one of the given books is written by Sunetra Gupta?



- (a) Scholar Extraordinary
- (b) Memories of Rain
- (c) An Artist in Life
- (d) All of these

9. Who is the author of the novel "Train to Pakistan"?



- (a) Manohar Malgonkar
- (b) Salman Rushdie
- (c) Khushwant Singh
- (d) Amrita Pritam

10. Who is the author of the novel "Em and the Big Hoom"?



- (a) Keshava Guha
- (b) Jerry Pinto
- (c) Manu Joseph
- (d) None of these

11. Which book was written by Kalhana?



- (a) Harshacharita
- (b) Arthashastra
- (c) Indika
- (d) Rajatarangini

12. Who is the author of the novel "Sea of Poppies"?



- (a) Sudipta Kaviraj
- (b) Aravind Adiga
- (c) Sunil Khilnani
- (d) Amitav Ghosh

13. Who is the author of the book "Midnight's Children"?

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- (a) Salman Rushdie
- (b) Amitav Ghosh
- (c) Kiran Desai
- (d) None of these

14. Who is the author of the novel "The White Tiger"?



- (a) Cyrus Mistry
- (b) Aravind Adiga
- (c) Manju Kapur
- (d) None of these

15. Who is the author of the novel "Chronicle of a Corpse Bearer"?

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- (a) Cyrus Mistry
- (b) Manju Kapur
- (c) Shashi Tharoor
- (d) None of these

16. Which one of the below is a novel by Rabindranath Tagore?



- (a) Jagir
- (b) Durgeshnandini
- (c) Gora
- (d) Ganadevata

17. Who is the author of the book "The Idea of India"?



- (a) Sunil Khilnani
- (b) Kiran Nagarkar
- (c) Shiv K Kumar
- (d) None of these

18. Who is the author of the book "The Last Mughal: The Fail of a Dynasty, Delhi 1857"?



- (a) Katherine Mayo
- (b) Gregory David Roberts
- (c) William Dalrymple
- (d) E.M.Forster

19. The book "Unto the Last" which influenced Gandhi was authored by



- a) John Ruskin
- b) Ruskin Bond
- c) Boris Yeltsin
- d) Pushkin

20. The song of Vande Mataram which served as a great inspiration to the patriotic song of India in their freedom struggle is in book



- a) Meghanad-Vadh
- b) Anand Math
- c) Virangana Kavya
- d) Durgesha Nandini

21. India from Curzon to Nehru' is the book of



- a) Nirad C. Chaudhuri
- b) Kuldip Nayyar
- c) Jawaharlal Nehru
- d) Durga Das

22. Which one of the following is **correctly** matched?



- a) Subhash Chandra Bose Indian Unrest
- b) Valentine Chirol Indian Struggle
- c) V.D. Savarkar Unhappy India
- d) Rafiq Zakaria The Man Who Divided India

23. The original name of 'Mahabharata' is



- a) Vrahat Katha
- b) Rajatarangini
- c) Katha Saritsagar
- d) Jai Samhita

24. The author of the book 'Animal Farm' is



- a) George Orwell
- b) S.M. All
- c) Leo Tolstoy
- d) John Dryden

25. Who wrote the play "Uttararamacharita"?

- a) Tulsidas
- b) Sudraka
- c) Harsha
- d) Bhavabhuti



26. The famous work of Bhartendu Harishchandra is



- a) Nutan Brahmachari
- b) Mayanka Manjari
- c) Chandra Kanta Santati
- d) Bharat Durdasha

27. Arundhati Roy is the author of :

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- a) Disgrace
- b) My Childhood Days
- c) God of Small Things
- d) The Tin Drum

28. The Roots of Ancient India' was written by



- a) W.A. Fairservis
- b) D.K. Chakravarti
- c) A. Ghosh
- d) D.P. Agrawal

29. The author of the book "India Wins Freedom" is



- a) Maulana Abul Kalam Azad
- b) Indira Gandhi
- c) Kuldeep Nayyar
- d) Jawahar Lal Nehru

30. Which among the following books was an autobiography written by Jawaharlal Nehru in prison?



- a) Discovery of India
- b) Toward Freedom
- c) Glimpses of World History
- d) Nehru Benakaab

31. The book 'Cricket My Style' has been written by



- a) Mohinder Amarnath
- b) Kapil Dev
- c) Sunil Gavaskar
- d) Imran Khan

32. The book 'Mudrarakshas' is written by



- a) Vishakhadatta
- b) Raskhan
- c) Pt. Vishnu Sharma
- d) Kalidasa

33. Which one of the following pairs is correctly matched?



- a) Louis Fischer American witness to India's Partition
- b) Subhash Chandra Bose Towards Struggle
- c) Abul Kalam Azad India Divided
- d) Hugh Toye Springing Tiger

34. Which of the following is not correctly matched?



- a) India Wins Freedom Abul Kalam Azad
- b) Unhappy India Bal Gangadhar Tilak
- c) Poverty and Un-British Rule in India -Dadabhai Naoroji
- d) Durgesh Nandini Bankim Chandra Chatterjee

35. Who is the author of the book "What Went Wrong"?



- a) Sonia Gandhi
- b) Kiran Bedi
- c) Sushma Swaraj
- d) Shaila Nigar

