# BRIEF HISTORY OF THE AMERICAN CIVIL WAR

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The cruel civil war and bloody battle against slavery which marked the end of an era was fought between 1861 and 1865. Its main players: Lincoln, Custer, Grant, Sherman, Whitman; the Union against the Confederate States of America, from the origins of the conflict to Gettysburg, Lincoln's assassination and the resurgence of the United States as a modern nation state

### **Synopsis**

A comprehensive review of all the key elements to understand an unmitigated civil war, in which the future of a nation was at stake: it could be an agrarian or industrial country, a state of slaves or free men. An essay focused on the war and the men and women who made possible some radical social changes in United States in the late 19th century.

The author, Montserrat Huguet, will guide you and help you to understand all the details of a bloody war that marked the end of an era. A confrontation in which North and South, Democrats and Federalists resolved their differences, sacrificing more than six million lives in the process.

A rigorous essay that tells the fate of two countries, the North and the South, facing a path full of blood in order to resolve their differences, with the war as the backdrop of a vast transformation that will see the emergence of a modern capitalist nation state.

## **Biography**

**Montserrat Huguet** is a Professor of Contemporary History at the Carlos III University of Madrid. She has a PhD from the Complutense University of Madrid an her thesis was focused on International History and the Contemporary International Relations.



She has been working as a professor and researcher at the Carlos III University of Madrid since 1992. She has held various positions in academic administration and directed several doctoral theses of domestic and foreign researchers.

She has also been teaching in that university over the past two decades, teaching subjects such as History of the Present Time, History of the Modern World, International History, History of Spain, History of Latin America, Social History and Contemporary Politics, etc., as well as teaching PhD and master courses

### **Sales pitch**

- This is an entertaining and well documented work on a decisive historical event, both for the United States and today's popular culture.

- This Brief History is completely different from other similar works, because it is not only based on a military point of view, and it also tries to give a wide and exhaustive overview of the economic and social root causes that led to the American Civil War.

- The book is written in a very lively style, and it also includes some rich and important additional documentation (more than 80 images, reproductions, prints, photographs, newspaper covers...) that allows to understand better this work.

-The author is a professor at the Carlos III University of Madrid. She has been researching International History and International Relations for many years, and has published more than 80 monographs and essays on this subject. She collaborates regularly with historical and academic journals.







