

BRIEF HISTORY OF THE BATTLE OF LEPANTO

The battle that changed the fate of Europe

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Essay

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7th October, 1571: The fleet of the Ottoman Empire against the Holy League led by Spain. The most controversial naval battle ever happened, an awful clash between two empires that fought to dominate the Mediterranean sea. Get closer to the men, ships and tactics that marked the end of the Turkish threat over Europe.

Synopsis

Brief History of the Battle of Lepanto will bring you closer, gradually, to the most controversial naval battle ever happened. Get to know its protagonists, the fleets, ships, men...

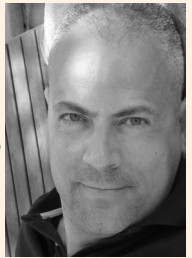
Go back, by the hand of Luis E. Íñigo Fernández, to the beginning of the XVI century and go with him over the history of the fight for the naval hegemony between Spaniards and Ottomans. Visit the inside of a galley and share a day in the sea with the crew of those graceful vessels surrounded by oars. Discover La Real and La Sultana and attend to their epic and outstanding combat in the clamour of the battle.

Brief History of the Battle of Lepanto is the only work that includes in a single volume of reduced extension the essential information to understand, in the broadest historical sense, the naval battle that changed the fate of Europe.

Biography

Luis E. Íñigo Fernández holds a degree in History. He has been teaching this beautiful subject to teenagers for over fifteen years, but at the same time he has developed a growing interest in research, and as a result of the latter, he has written many articles about the Second Spanish Republic, as well as books on history, such as *Breve Historia de España I and II*, *Breve Historia de la Segunda República española*, *Breve Historia de la Revolución Industrial*, *Breve Historia de la batalla de Trafalgar* or *La España cuestionada* all of them published by Ediciones Nowtilus.

He has also written some works of fiction, such as *Liber Hyperboreas* (Nowtilus, 2013).



Sales pitch

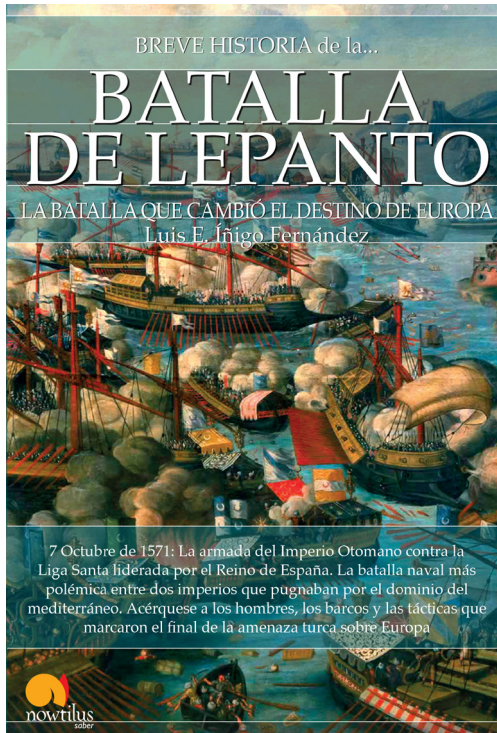
- Luis Íñigo is a very recognized author among all the readers. He has a degree and a PhD in History and he is the author of many articles and books about history. He is an expert on informative history, and has a great ability to unravel the most complex historical processes and introduce them in an understandable way. He has proved it in other books of *Brief History* as in *Breve Historia de España I and II*, *Breve Historia de la Segunda República española*, *Breve Historia de la Revolución Industrial* or *Breve Historia de la batalla de Trafalgar*.

- The author's approach regarding the subject is rigorous and realistic, adjusted to the historical reality. He shows a rigorous and realistic view of the battle that although it did not stop the Turkish forever, it moved them away from the Western Mediterranean.

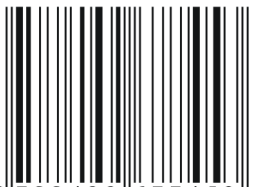
- The author avoids partial views in the ideological aspect and besides he possesses a multidisciplinary perspective since he explains the conflict from a historical, military, social, religious, etc. point of view.

- The work is written with a great accuracy in details, the confrontations as well as the scene –The Mediterranean–, its protagonists –the confronted powers and its forces– and its predecessors in the naval struggle between Ottomans and Christians, to make the battle, in this way, understandable, but it will be explained and narrated in full detail that the available sources allow.

- The subject of the work has a great attraction: It is a naval battle and there is a great interest in the naval subjects.



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