

# Quanah Parker: The Last Chief of the Comanches

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respected leader among the Comanches. Quanah Parker died in 1911, and he is buried at Fort Sill.

## **Early Life**

Quanah Parker was born in 1845 in the Antelope Hills of Texas. His father was Peta Nocona, a Comanche chief, and his mother was Cynthia Ann Parker, a white woman who had been kidnapped by the Comanches as a child. Quanah Parker grew up to be a skilled warrior and leader, and he played a major role in the Comanches' resistance to the United States government.

## **The Red River War**

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## **Life at Fort Sill**

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## **Legacy**

Quanah Parker was a skilled warrior and leader, and he played a major role in the Comanches' resistance to the United States government. He was also a respected leader among the Comanches, and he worked to improve

the lives of his people. Quanah Parker's legacy lives on today, and he is remembered as one of the most important figures in Comanche history.



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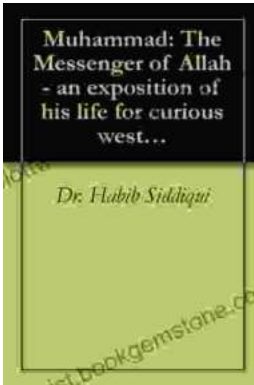
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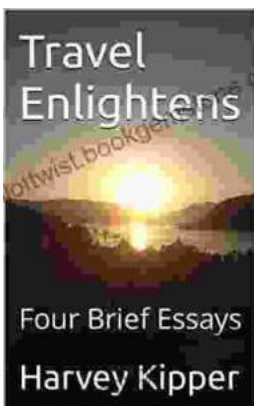


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