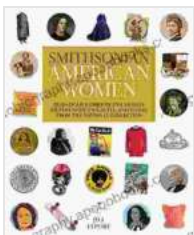


# Remarkable Objects: Stories of Strength, Ingenuity, and Vision from the Smithsonian National Museum of American History

In the Smithsonian National Museum of American History, there are millions of objects that tell the story of our nation. From the Wright brothers' plane to the Star-Spangled Banner, these objects have witnessed some of the most important moments in our history.

In her new book, *Remarkable Objects: Stories of Strength, Ingenuity, and Vision from the Smithsonian National Museum of American History*, author Amy Henderson highlights 100 of these objects and the stories behind them. These objects are not just relics of the past; they are living testaments to the human spirit.



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One of the most iconic objects in the Smithsonian collection is the Wright brothers' plane. In 1903, Orville and Wilbur Wright made history when they flew the first successful airplane. Their plane was a marvel of engineering, and it paved the way for the development of modern aviation.

Another remarkable object in the Smithsonian collection is the Star-Spangled Banner. This flag was flown over Fort McHenry during the War of 1812. It inspired Francis Scott Key to write "The Star-Spangled Banner," which later became our national anthem.

The objects in *Remarkable Objects* are more than just historical artifacts. They are symbols of our nation's strength, ingenuity, and vision. They remind us of the challenges we have overcome and the dreams we have yet to achieve.

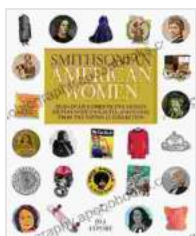
Henderson's book is a fascinating and inspiring look at some of the most important objects in American history. It is a must-read for anyone who loves history or who is interested in the human spirit.

**Here are a few of the other remarkable objects featured in the book:**

- The Apollo 11 command module
- The ruby slippers from *The Wizard of Oz*
- The Declaration of Independence
- The Constitution of the United States
- The Bill of Rights
- The Gettysburg Address
- The Emancipation Proclamation

- The Wright brothers' plane
- The Star-Spangled Banner
- The Statue of Liberty
- The Golden Gate Bridge
- The Empire State Building
- The Panama Canal
- The Hoover Dam
- The Grand Coulee Dam
- The Tennessee Valley Authority
- The Interstate Highway System
- The World Wide Web
- The iPhone

These objects are just a few of the many that tell the story of our nation. They are a testament to the strength, ingenuity, and vision of the American people.

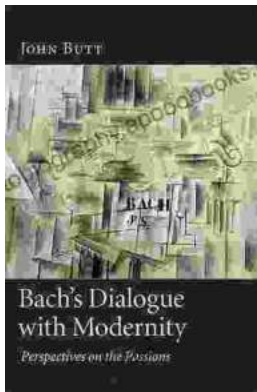


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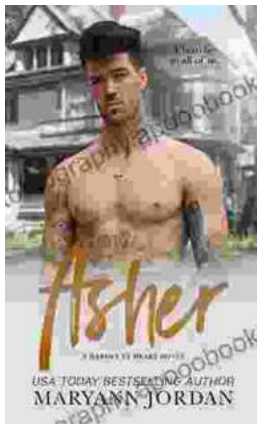
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