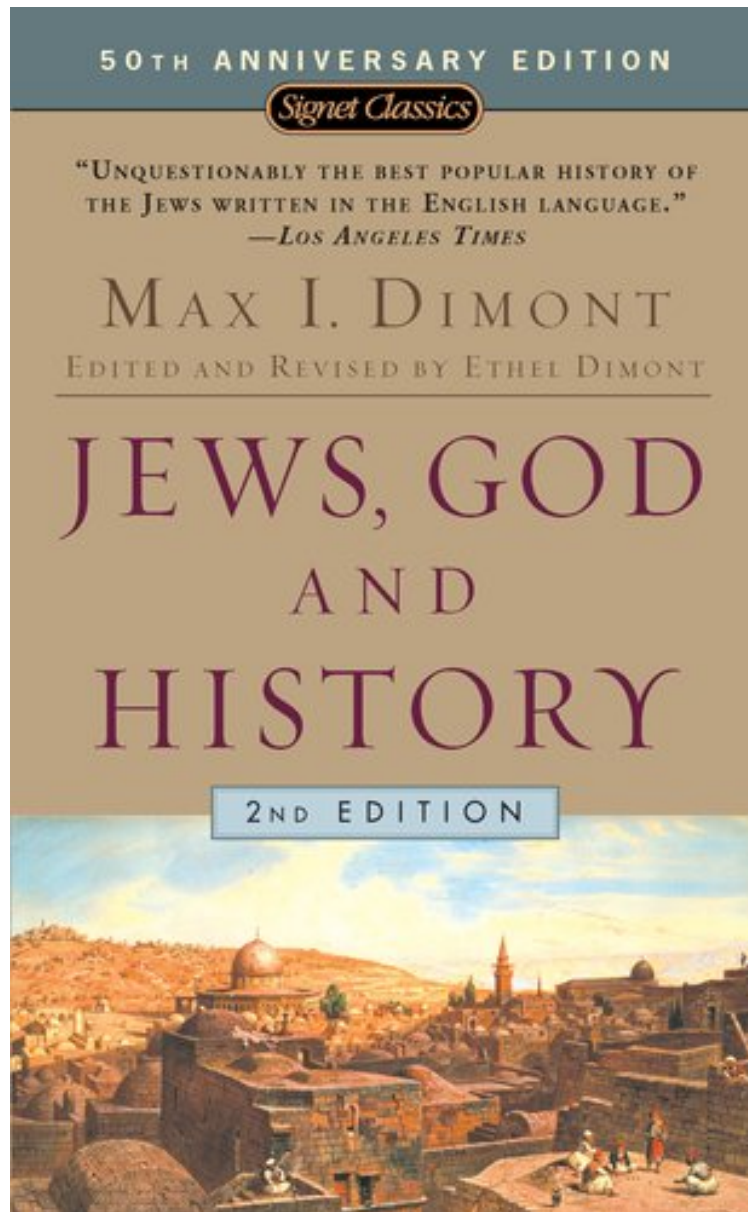


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Max I. Dimont : Jews, God, and History before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Jews, God, and History:

7 of 8 people found the following review helpful. A complete history of the formation of the heart of Israel. By Christine R. Gould I absolutely love this book! There is SOOO much information to learn and it all works together to

help the reader understand the mind and heart of the Jewish people. I have never been an anti-Semite, but I confess, as a Christian I always wondered why they exchanged the Old Testament for their "interpretations". I now know why...this book explains so much. It really helps me see them as my brother, not yet knowing their Messiah, but nonetheless my brother. This writer does not give any religious opinion except to doubt that the Biblical accounts of Moses and the first five books are true, which I must admit almost prevented me from continuing on, but the rest of the book is well worth the effort. What a masterpiece! And thank you for informing me that more Christians were killed than Jews by Hitler....although I doubt you on this. All the websites I have researched have indeed stated that 6 million Jews were killed. In my opinion it was more than likely much more than that because many were simply thrown in a ditch or shot on sight. I do not think the Germans took records of the many that they shot and dumped in huge ditches. And I was glad to read him state that the refugee problem in Palestine was created and continued by the Muslims. Israel kicked nobody out of their country. Thank you Mr. Dimont for a fabulous read and a reference book for my Bible classes.

1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. This is the best historical report of the Jewish culture from the beginning to the 90s

By EllieThe most informative book on Judaism I've ever read. Besides an absolutely brilliant history of the Jews, it follows the timeline of other civilizations, giving us further history. I've given and recommended this book to a lot of people. Some of them even read it! It's a wonderful genealogy of the Jews over time; why they have such a rich, expansive culture.

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By PhrehddA good read for those wanting to understand and learn about the Jewish people and their presence throughout history. While I applaud the approach taken, I will suggest that readers understand he also inserts his own thoughts within. The latter is easily recognizable so the readers may draw one's their own conclusion. This book is a "for everyone" read. I would have given 5 stars but because it is a single book, it must gloss over some areas which more information would be required to gain a fuller understanding.

From ancient Palestine through Europe and Asia, to America and modern Israel, Max I. Dimont shows how the saga of the Jews is interwoven with the story of virtually every nation on earth.

From Library JournalThe vitality and longevity of Jewish culture raises the question: How did this tenacious people survive throughout history when many other cultures and religions were annihilated or absorbed? Uniquely, they accomplished this without a homeland for nearly 2000 years. The work, a revision of a huge history written shortly after World War II, doesn't dwell on the Holocaust but presents a history of ancient and modern Jewish states and spells out how Torah and Talmud kept alive a tradition of abstract thought: a potent survival tool. The work also details differences between Sephardic and Ashkenazi Jews and the split that created Christianity. The rift among the Semites, i.e., with Islam and the Arabs, gets less attention. Anna Fields narrates this classic, which, to Jews and non-Jews alike, successfully captures the history of the Jewish experience. A useful addition to most collections.

AJames Dudley, Copiague, NY. Copyright 1998 Reed Business Information, Inc. More interesting than the facts Dimont has collected is the fascinating reasoning of a bright and unorthodox mind.

San Francisco Sunday Examiner ChronicleA book of life and hope. There are few greater documents to the vitality and perseverance of Man than this history of the Jews.

St. Louis Post-DispatchDone with warmth and vitality. Written for laymen by a scholarly layman who has a passion for his theme.

Max LernerBy far the liveliest popular history of the Jewish people that I have ever read. In many ways, a strikingly original synthesis of Jewish history.

Richard B. Morris, author of *The Forging of the Union, 1781-1789* and *Witnesses at the Creation*

About the AuthorMax I. Dimont, author of *The Indestructible Jews*, *The Jews in America*, *The Amazing Adventures of the Jewish People*, and *Appointment in Jerusalem*, was born in Helsinki, Finland, and came to the United States in 1930. He taught himself English by reading Shakespeares plays, the Bible, and American plays translated into Finnish. After serving in intelligence with the U.S. Army during World War II, he worked in public relations and employee relations for Edison Brothers Stores in St. Louis. Following the first publication of the bestselling *Jews, God and History*, he lectured extensively on Jewish history throughout the United States, Canada, South Africa, Brazil, and Finland until his death in 1992.