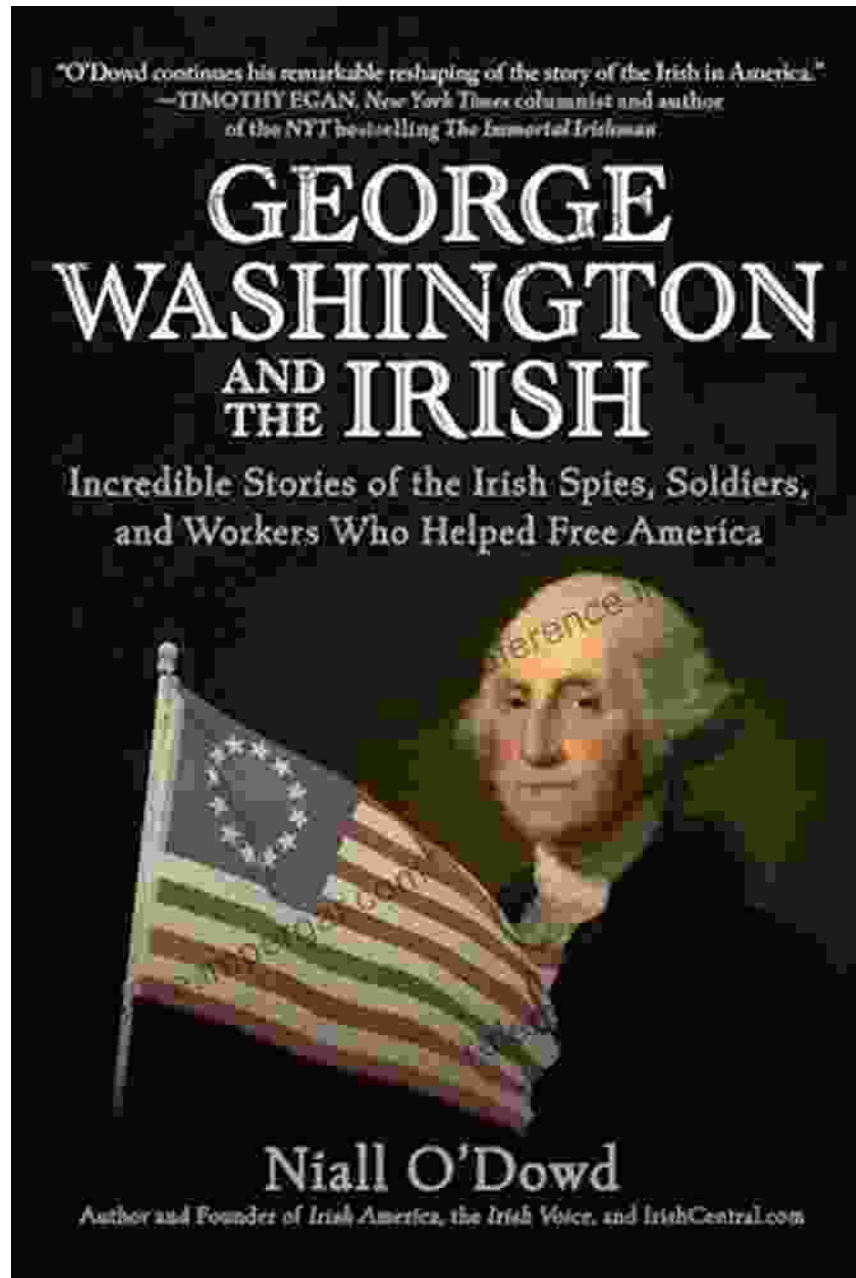


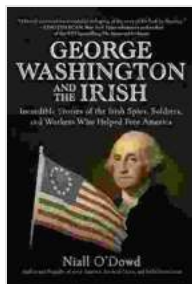
# George Washington and the Irish: An Unbreakable Bond



## Synopsis

In this groundbreaking and meticulously researched work, Edward O'Donnell paints a vivid and compelling portrait of the complex and

enduring relationship between George Washington and the Irish people.



## George Washington and the Irish: Incredible Stories of the Irish Spies, Soldiers, and Workers Who Helped Free America by Niall O'Dowd

★★★★★ 5 out of 5

Language : English  
File size : 992 KB  
Text-to-Speech : Enabled  
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Enhanced typesetting : Enabled  
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Print length : 257 pages



Drawing from a wealth of primary and secondary sources, O'Donnell traces the deep-rooted historical, cultural, and personal ties that bound Washington to Ireland and its people. From his early days as a young surveyor in the Ohio Valley to his presidency and beyond, Washington exhibited a remarkable affinity for the Irish and their unwavering support for the American cause for independence.

O'Donnell skillfully weaves together political, military, and personal narratives to reveal the profound influence that the Irish had on Washington's life and legacy. From his close friendships with Irish generals like Hugh Mercer and James Read to his admiration for the fighting spirit of the Irish Brigade, Washington recognized the invaluable contributions of the Irish to the success of the Revolution and the development of the young American nation.

## Key Features

- **Unveils previously unknown connections:** O'Donnell uncovers fascinating new insights into the personal relationships and political alliances between Washington and influential Irish figures.
- **Richly illustrated:** The book is adorned with a wealth of historical images and reproductions, providing a visual complement to the compelling narrative.
- **Thoroughly researched:** Drawing on extensive archival research, O'Donnell presents a meticulously documented and accurate account of Washington's interactions with the Irish.
- **Captivating writing style:** O'Donnell's engaging prose brings the story of George Washington and the Irish to life, making the book a pleasure to read.
- **In-depth analysis:** O'Donnell goes beyond the surface to provide insightful analysis of the historical and cultural factors that shaped Washington's relationship with Ireland.

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## **Author Biography**

Edward O'Donnell is an award-winning historian and author specializing in Irish-American relations. He has published numerous books and articles on the subject, including "The Irish Diaspora and the American Revolution" and "The Irish Brigade in the Civil War."

## **Praise for "George Washington and the Irish"**

*"Edward O'Donnell has produced a masterpiece that sheds new light on a profound friendship. This meticulously researched and captivating account is a must-read for anyone interested in Irish-American history."*

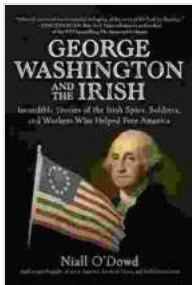
-James M. McPherson, Pulitzer Prize-winning historian

*"George Washington and the Irish is a fascinating and essential book that reveals the extraordinary bond between one of the most iconic figures in American history and the Irish people. O'Donnell's work is a testament to the power of friendship and the enduring legacy of shared sacrifice."*

-Timothy Egan, New York Times bestselling author

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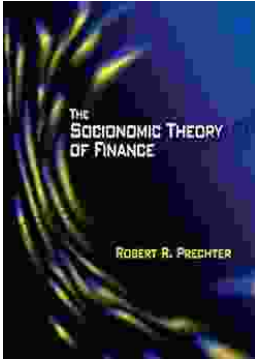
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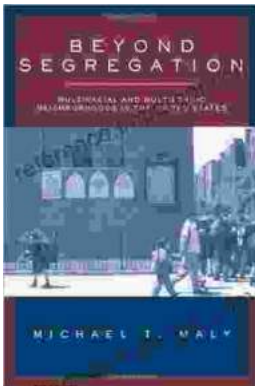
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