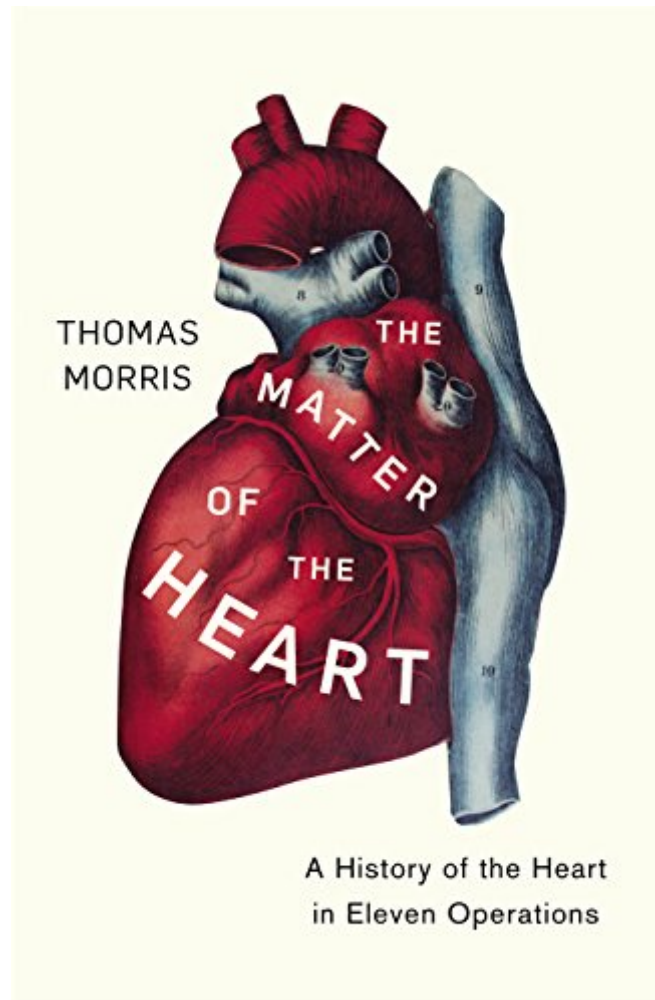




The book was found

The Matter Of The Heart: A History Of The Heart In Eleven Operations



Synopsis

â€ˆThrillingâ€ | The â€œdizzyingâ€ • story of heart surgery is every bit as important as that of the nuclear, computer or rocket ages. And now it has been given the history it deservesâ™ Sunday Times For thousands of years the human heart remained the deepest of mysteries; both home to the soul and an organ too complex to touch, let alone operate on. Then, in the late nineteenth century, medics began going where no one had dared go before. The following decades saw the mysteries of the heart exposed, thanks to pioneering surgeons, brave patients and even sacrificial dogs. In eleven landmark operations, Thomas Morris tells us stories of triumph, reckless bravery, swaggering arrogance, jealousy and rivalry, and incredible ingenuity: the trail-blazing â€ˆblue babyâ€™ procedure that transformed wheezing infants into pink, healthy children; the first human heart transplant, which made headline news around the globe. And yet the heart still feels sacred: just before the operation to fit one of the first artificial hearts, the patientâ€™s wife asked the surgeon if he would still be able to love her. The Matter of the Heart gives us a view over the surgeonâ€™s shoulder, showing us the heartâ€™s inner workings and failings. It describes both a human story and a history of risk-taking that has ultimately saved millions of lives.

Book Information

File Size: 18291 KB

Print Length: 432 pages

Publisher: Vintage Digital (June 1, 2017)

Publication Date: June 1, 2017

Sold by:Â Digital Services LLC

Language: English

ASIN: B01LC0V4II

Text-to-Speech: Enabled

X-Ray: Not Enabled

Word Wise: Enabled

Lending: Not Enabled

Enhanced Typesetting: Enabled

Best Sellers Rank: #156,865 Paid in Kindle Store (See Top 100 Paid in Kindle Store) #5 inÂ Kindle Store > Kindle eBooks > Health, Fitness & Dieting > Diseases & Physical Ailments > Organ Transplants #5 inÂ Books > Medical Books > Medicine > Surgery > Transplants #5 inÂ Books > Health, Fitness & Dieting > Diseases & Physical Ailments > Organ Transplants

Customer Reviews

A fantastic historic story of the development of cardiac surgery. A special interest book, not for everybody.

Could not put the book down having myself had a quintuple bypass in 2010 and a pacemaker implant in 2017

[Download to continue reading...](#)

The Matter of the Heart: A History of the Heart in Eleven Operations World History, Ancient History, Asian History, United States History, European History, Russian History, Indian History, African History. (world history) Ymca Pool Operations Manual: Pool Operations Manual Operations Management (McGraw-Hill Series in Operations and Decision Sciences) Matching Supply with Demand: An Introduction to Operations Management (Irwin Operations/Decision Sciences) Operations Management (Irwin Operations/Decision Sciences) Operations and Supply Chain Management: The Core (Book Only) (McGraw-Hill/Irwin Series Operations and Decision Sciences) Operations Management (Operations and Decision Sciences) Operations Management in the Supply Chain: Decisions and Cases (McGraw-Hill/Irwin Series, Operations and Decision Sciences) OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT IN THE SUPPLY CHAIN: DECISIONS & CASES (Mcgraw-Hill Series Operations and Decision Sciences) Managing Operations Across the Supply Chain (McGraw-Hill/Irwin Series in Operations and Decision Sciences) Operations Management, 1e (Mcgraw-Hill Education Operations and Decision Sciences) Loose-leaf for Operations Management (The McGraw-Hill Series in Operations and Decision Sciences) Exam Prep: Hazardous Materials Awareness And Operations (Exam Prep: Hazardous Materials Awareness & Operations) Water Distribution, Grades 3 & 4 WSO: AWWA Water System Operations WSO (Awwa's Water System Operations) Maingot's Abdominal Operations, 12th Edition (Zinner, Maingot's Abdominal Operations) Maingot's Abdominal Operations (Zinner, Maingot's Abdominal Operations) A Matter of Time: Vol. 2 (A Matter of Time Series) Calder by Matter: Herbert Matter Photographs of Alexander Calder and his Work Soft Condensed Matter (Oxford Master Series in Condensed Matter Physics, Vol. 6)

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

