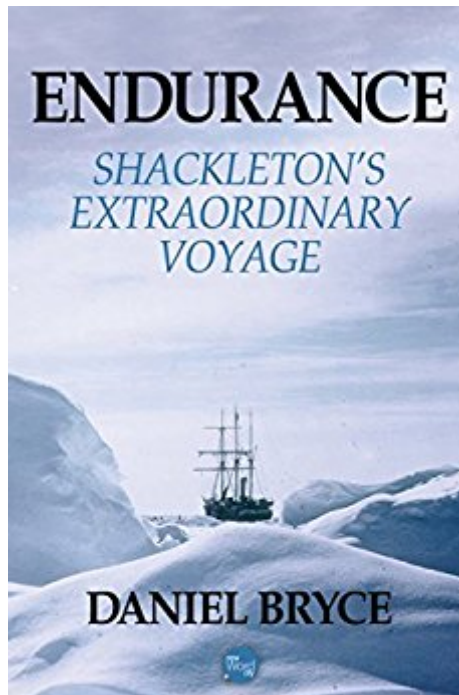




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After years of preparation, the world's most experienced Antarctic explorer embarked on the most dramatic adventure of his life. Sir Ernest Shackleton had carefully picked crew and a stout, well-outfitted ship, the Endurance. But he had no radio, the world was at war, and at the edge of the Antarctic continent, the ship froze in the sea ice. After months of immobility, it was crushed. Then began an impossible journey. With three tiny boats, the crew worked their way across frozen the Antarctic Sea. This vivid book recounts the story of Shackleton's heroic voyage from South Georgia Island to Antarctica then back to South Georgia. It is a tribute to Shackleton and his crew's ability to fight for survival and one of the most harrowing adventures in history.

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Imagine--landing on another world with no known way to get home and surviving by sheer will and unbelievable dogged determination to survive. And doing this 100 years ago without modern technology and equipment. That is the story of Shackleton and his crews survival. The trials and

emotional disappointments must have been over the top and I wonder if this is close to what early explorers in the 15th to 17th century felt. This is a short book but one you will not put down.

This was a gripping novel vividly describing Shackleton's voyage. I dropped a star due to grammar and spelling errors; in each case the editors of this book should have caught. Don't let this side track the story - it's harrowing yet propels you to continue reading until you find out what happened to Shackleton and his crew.

When you first start reading this book it will capture your attention and hold it through each chapter with wonder of the strength and courage that these men had to have in order to stay alive

I cannot fathom the perils that Shackleton and his men survived. Just the cold alone would have done me in. A truly amazing story of courage and perseverance

What's not to like? A true story filled with adventure, heroism, and suspense. All that and a happy ending too.

Unbelievable brave men. Can't imagine what it would have been like to experience such a voyage. They were so brave.

Love this man, just returned from South GEORGIA & Antarctica, my heroes are explorers.

I love this kind of book. Would recommend it if anyone is interested.

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