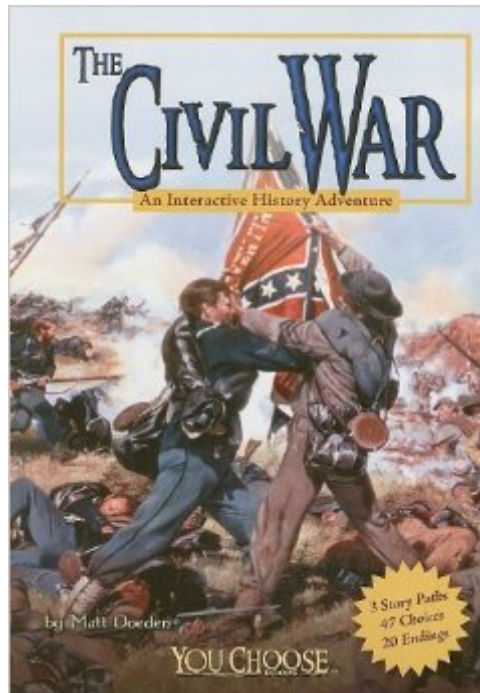


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# The Civil War: An Interactive History Adventure (You Choose: History)



## Synopsis

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## Book Information

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Age Range: 8 - 12 years

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## Customer Reviews

This book is fabulous. You are the person in the story you choose whether you want to be in the army as a confederate or rebel, or if you want to be a civilian. And then the story goes from there. I would say it's about a 5th grade reading level book. It's a small book but with many options to read through over and over. Great series can't wait to get more!

After completing a 6 week study on the Civil War with a group of 7 - 11 year olds in our Home School group, I gave each of them a copy of this book. They have all loved it and have enjoyed going through the book in a variety of ways to change their outcome. It has been a lot of fun!

My 9 year old struggles with reading but he fights me over the getting practice he needs to catch up

with his classmates. This book engages him. Most of the individual scenes are only 2-5 pages long - a short manageable chunk that doesn't overwhelm him - but each ends with a choice, and he always keeps going because he wants to know whether he made the right decision. Keep the last of your ammunition or split it with another soldier? Help your wounded friend or remain behind cover? Take the enemy prisoner or let him run away? Oh, no, you've been shot! Lets see what would have happened if you'd made the other choice! These books appear to be designed to hook a common personality type of emerging reader. While I'm sure some girls will like these books, the titles in this series are clearly chosen to appeal to boys in a specific age range. And the pacing and frequency of the alternative paths is just right for a restless reader who finds it hard to settle down into a book. My son was excited to choose a couple of other titles off this list.

I have high school kids with special needs. I couldn't find a book until my co-worker pointed this out, it has been a saving grace. I read it several times to choose my story but no matter what the North wins I am not sure why, haha.

I would definitely recommend this book for anyone who has a child that loves to read and also loves history or just wants to have a fun way to gain some knowledge about history. My 9 year old loves it.

I was very pleased with this book. The multiple scenarios create an educational yet engaging experience.

This is a great "choose your own adventure" genre book. It is suitable for elementary and middle schoolers and allows one to read without consciously knowing they are learning history as they jump into each adventure. It looks at the US Civil War from multiple viewpoints to show a well-rounded view helping promote critical thinking about this momentous era in United States history.

I bought this for my little sister and she absolutely adores it. She talked on and on about the different paths that you are able to take and she even learned some history by reading this and then asking me questions.

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