

# Atlantic: A Vast Ocean of a Million Stories; Simon Winchester; 9780007341375; Harper Press, 2010; 2010

Second, Winchester's ocean really is "a vast ocean of a million stories," and most of them are fascinating. While I enjoyed the historical chapters, more than the geological ones, Winchester has put together a book that covers nearly every aspect of interest. I was amazed to see that so much of our modern world today has grown and developed in and around the Atlantic Ocean. He is the author of 'A Crack in the Edge of the World', 'Krakatoa', 'The Map That Changed the World', 'The Professor and the Madman', 'The Fracture Zone', 'Outposts', 'Korea', among many other titles. He lives in Massachusetts and in the Western Isles of Scotland. Country of Publication.Â Atlantic: A Vast Ocean of a Million Stories by Simon Winchester (Paperback, 2011). Be the first to write a reviewAbout this product. Brand new: Lowest price. Blending history and anecdote, geography and reminiscence, science and exposition, New York Times bestselling author Simon Winchester tells the breathtaking saga of the Atlantic Ocean. A gifted storyteller and consummate historian, Winchester sets the great blue seaâ€™s epic narrative against the backdrop of mankindâ€™s intellectual evolution, telling not only the story of an ocean, but the story of civilization. Fans of Winchesterâ€™s Krakatoa, The Man Who Loved China, and The Professor and the Madman will love this masterful, penetrating, and resonant tale of humanity finding its way across the oc...