



# CHURCHILL

## AND THE GENERALS

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**Sir Winston Churchill** bestrode the 20th Century. He held many political and cabinet positions including Home Secretary from 1910 and then Chancellor of the Exchequer and Secretary of State for War. However it was on 10th May 1940 when Churchill became Prime Minister and took control of Britain's war effort that he finally sealed his place in history.

This is the incredible story of the darkest days of **World War II** when **Churchill** and his **Generals – Montgomery, Alexander, Wavell and Brooke** were facing catastrophe on every front. They suffered defeat at **Dunkirk** and survived the **Battle of Britain**. With enormous amounts of courage and skill they fought off the **Luftwaffe** and managed to hold on until the Allied invasion of Europe. He appointed key men to command the forces upon which the free world's survival depended. Men like **Montgomery, Slim, Auchinleck, Alan Brooke** and **Alexander** were given the highest command to wage war against **Hitler**.

This is the story of his relationships with these remarkable men and the American Generals who followed them including **Dwight Eisenhower** and **George Marshall**. The story of an erratic impossible English genius pitted against the superb skills of his Generals in a battle which influenced the destiny of mankind.

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- 50 Years since the Anniversary of Sir Winston Churchill's death on the 24th January 1965.
- 2015 is the 75th Anniversary of the Battle of Britain.
- Churchill's War Rooms receive over 2 million visitors each year
- Churchill is considered by many the greatest Briton.

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