

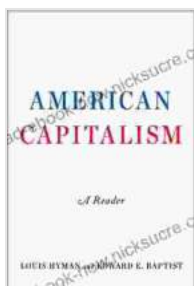
# American Capitalism Reader Louis Hyman Examines the Impact of Market Forces on Workers, Consumers, and the Economy



Louis Hyman is a leading expert on the history of American capitalism. He is the author of several books on the topic, including *Debtor Nation: The History of America in Red Ink*, *Temp: The Real Story of What Happened to American Manufacturing*, and *The Vanishing Middle Class: Prejudice and Power in a Dual Economy*.

Hyman's work has been praised for its rigor, its insights, and its relevance to contemporary debates about the future of capitalism. In his books, Hyman argues that the American economy has been shaped by a series of

market forces that have led to increasing inequality and a decline in the standard of living for many Americans.



## American Capitalism: A Reader by Louis Hyman

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One of the most important of these market forces is the growth of debt. Hyman shows that the American economy has been built on a foundation of debt, from the early days of the republic to the present day. This debt has been used to finance everything from the purchase of land to the construction of railroads to the education of our children.

However, Hyman also shows that debt can be a dangerous thing. When debt levels get too high, it can lead to a financial crisis. And when a financial crisis occurs, it can have a devastating impact on the economy and on the lives of ordinary Americans.

Another important market force that Hyman identifies is the rise of globalization. Hyman shows that the American economy has become increasingly integrated with the global economy over the past few decades.

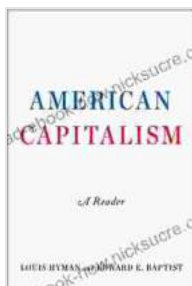
This integration has led to a number of benefits, such as lower prices for consumers and increased access to new products and services.

However, Hyman also shows that globalization has had some negative consequences. For example, globalization has led to the loss of many American manufacturing jobs. These jobs have been outsourced to countries where labor costs are lower.

The loss of manufacturing jobs has had a devastating impact on the American middle class. Hyman shows that the middle class has been shrinking in size for several decades. And he argues that this decline is due in large part to the loss of manufacturing jobs.

Hyman's work is essential reading for anyone who wants to understand the history of American capitalism and its impact on the lives of ordinary Americans. His books are full of insights and data that can help us to make sense of the complex economic challenges that we face today.

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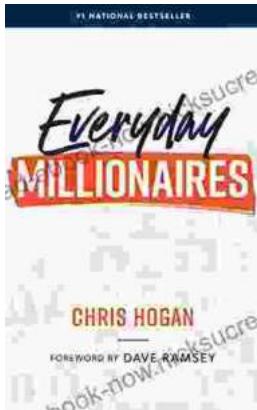


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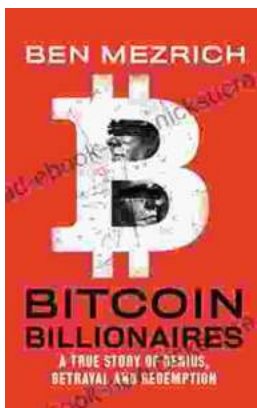
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