The History Of Montreal: The Story Of Great North American City

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Synopsis
This book tells the fascinating story of Montreal, Canada, from prehistoric time through the 21st century. From the Iroquoian community of Hochelaga to the bustling economic metropolis that Montreal has become, this account describes the social, economic, political, and cultural forces and trends that have driven the city’s development, shedding light on the city’s French, British, and American influences. Outlining Montreal’s diverse ethnic and cultural origins and its strategic geographical position, this lively account shows how a small missionary colony founded in 1642 developed into a leading economic city and cultural center, the thriving cosmopolitan hub of French-speaking North America.

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Looking for background for an upcoming trip to Montreal, I was fortunate to have come across Paul-Andre Linteau's book, which gave a wonderful historical perspective of the evolution of Montreal. Enjoyed the very early history up the 20th century, when there the problems and history of a great this N.American city were not unique. Would highly recommend and learned much regarding the French - English relationship over the centuries.

As the grandson of a French Canadien whose family has been in Lachine, Laval, and Montreal back to the 1660s I enjoyed reading about the growth and history of a great north American city.

Great info!!!
Poor with few insights. Wrote as an isolated city not as a part of Canada

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