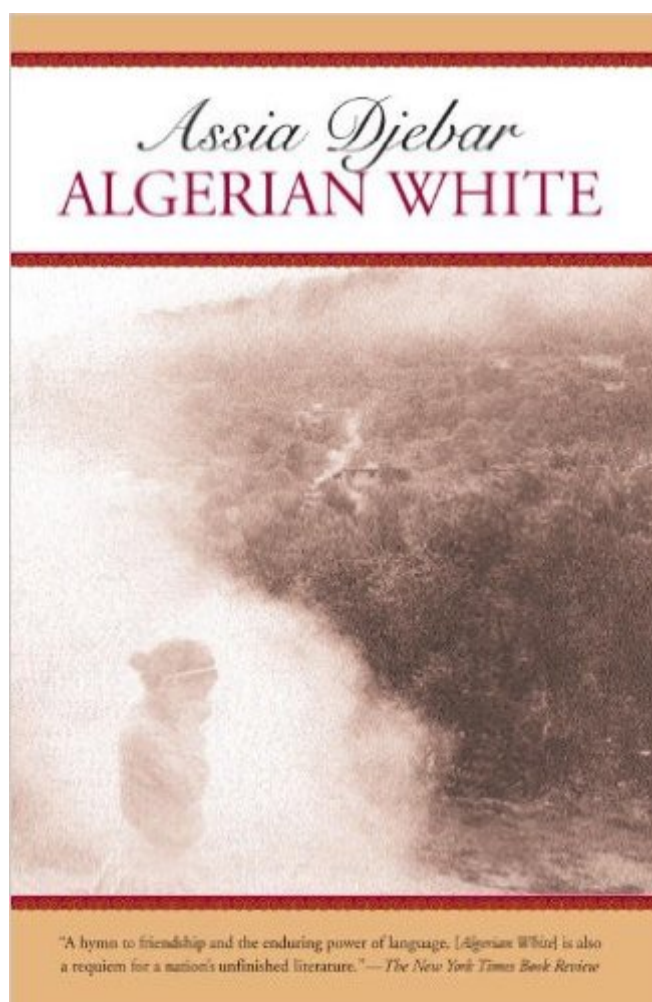


The book was found

Algerian White: A Narrative



Synopsis

In *Algerian White*, Assia Djebar weaves a tapestry of the epic and bloody ongoing struggle in her country between Islamic fundamentalism and the post-colonial civil society. Many Algerian writers and intellectuals have died tragically and violently since the 1956 struggle for independence. They include three beloved friends of Djebar: Mahfoud Boucebi, a psychiatrist; M'Hamed Boukhobza, a sociologist; and Abdelkader Alloula, a dramatist; as well as Albert Camus. In *Algerian White*, Djebar finds a way to meld the personal and the political by describing in intimate detail the final days and hours of these and other Algerian men and women, many of whom were murdered merely because they were teachers, or writers, or students. Yet, for Djebar, they cannot be silenced. They continue to tell stories, smile, and endure through her defiant pen. Both fiction and memoir, *Algerian White* describes with unerring accuracy the lives and deaths of those whose contributions were cut short, and then probes even deeper into the meaning of friendship through imagined conversations and ghostly visitations.

Book Information

File Size: 530 KB

Print Length: 252 pages

Publisher: Seven Stories Press; A Seven Stories Press 1st ed edition (January 4, 2011)

Publication Date: January 4, 2011

Sold by:Â Digital Services LLC

Language: English

ASIN: B00557VN0Y

Text-to-Speech: Enabled

X-Ray: Not Enabled

Word Wise: Enabled

Lending: Not Enabled

Enhanced Typesetting: Enabled

Best Sellers Rank: #941,796 Paid in Kindle Store (See Top 100 Paid in Kindle Store) #85

inÂ Books > History > Africa > Algeria #158 inÂ Kindle Store > Kindle eBooks > History > Africa > North Africa #878 inÂ Books > Biographies & Memoirs > Historical > Africa

Customer Reviews

I bought this book hoping to find info about the algerian writers mentioned on the back cover, what I found was more interesting.. detailed info about the turbulence in algeria, personal

experiences, stories and very important history of a sister country our arab journalism failed to report and/or bring to us. I was happy to have bought the book.

If I could give this pile of crap 0 stars, it would probably still be too many. It is disorganized, confusing, frustratingly dull, and is down right painful to read, but not for any of the reasons the pull quotes on the back imply. It is self-indulgent, pointless tripe with a side of name dropping of names most people outside of Algeria have never heard. This book serves no purpose. It did put me right to sleep several times though, so it may be helpful as a sleep aid. Or to balance a wobbly table.

Just a must.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Algerian White: A Narrative Cooking with Harissa: Delicious Recipes with a Spicy North African Style (Harissa Cookbook, Harissa Recipes, North African Recipes, Tunisian Recipes, Algerian Recipes, Moroccan Recipes Book 1) The Tagine Dream: Classical and Contemporary Tagines from Morocco, Tunisia, and Algeria (Tagine Recipes, Tagine Cookbook, Algerian Recipes, Moroccan Recipes, Tunisian Recipes Book 1) The Algerian Civil War The Algerian War 1954-62 (Men-at-Arms) The Eloquence of Silence: Algerian Women in Question Imaginative Geographies of Algerian Violence: Conflict Science, Conflict Management, Antipolitics (Stanford Studies in Middle Eastern and I) The Memory of Resistance: French Opposition to the Algerian War (1954-1962) (Berg French Studies Series) Albert Camus the Algerian: Colonialism, Terrorism, Justice Algerian Chronicles Children of the New World: A Novel of the Algerian War (Women Writing the Middle East) BE NICE TO WHITE RICE: Great Tasting Recipes For White Rice Dishes White Cargo: The Forgotten History of Britain's White Slaves in America In the Land of the Long White Cloud (In the Land of the Long White Cloud saga Book 1) Not Quite White: White Trash and the Boundaries of Whiteness AMC's Best Day Hikes in the White Mountains: Four-season Guide to 60 of the Best Trails in the White Mountain National Forest The Mission of God: Unlocking the Bible's Grand Narrative Civil War a Narrative; 3 Volumes: Fort Sumter to Perryville; Fredericksburg to Meridian; Red River to Appomattox Writing Fiction: A Guide to Narrative Craft (9th Edition) Narrative Exposure Therapy: A Short-Term Treatment for Traumatic Stress Disorders

[Dmca](#)