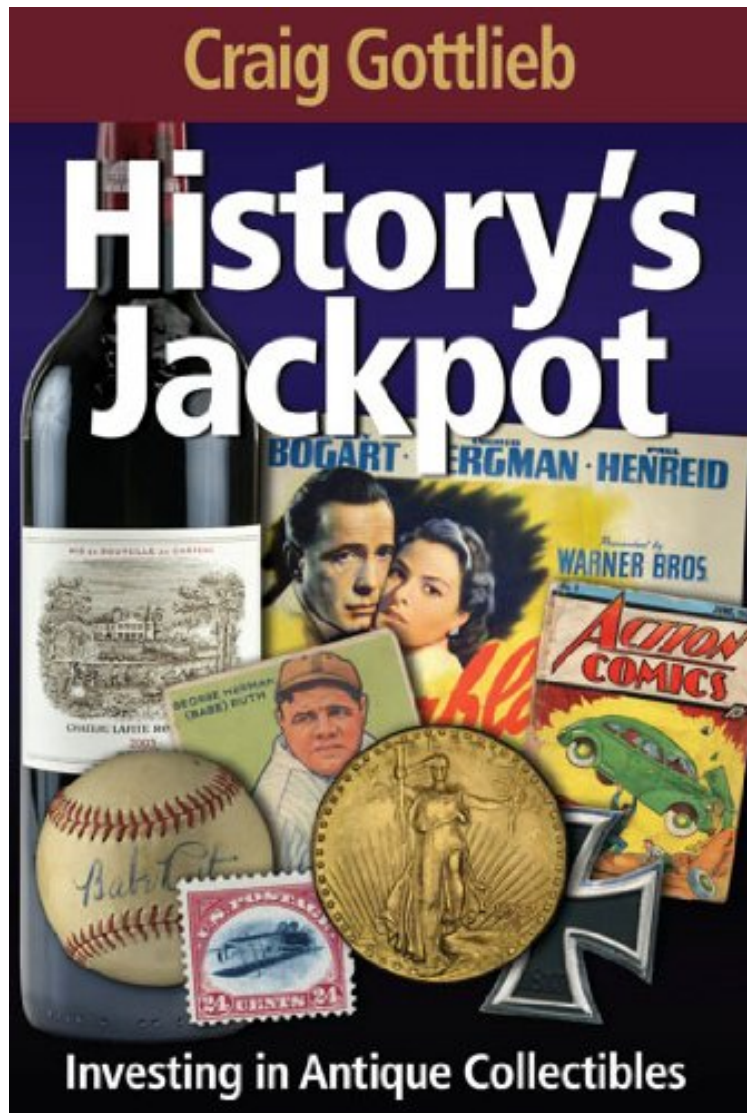


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0 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Thought I knew it all until I read this book!By scurv13I am an avid collector and "picker" of anything historical and have been for many years. I figured I had pretty much seen, heard and knew it all. Although the hobby of collecting historical items can be a somewhat common-sense, I was surprised by the amount of additional knowledge I gained by reading and referencing back to this book.Gottlieb provides a view and opinion from an angle I have never known. He obviously, is also an avid collector but more importantly, he is a well known world-wide dealer of important historical collectibles. The information and advice he provides from

viewpoint and experience gained as a dealer has enabled me to further my hobby of collecting to levels I never dreamed of achieving. I have been able to buy more items for much less money than I would of normally. He provides insight on what to buy and what to avoid. Because of this, I have made smart, sound purchases that I was able to later, resell at a much higher price thereby enabling me to purchase more of the specific items that I prefer to collect. Gottlieb consistently promotes the idea that collecting is also like making an investment and I have taken a liking to this notion. It gives me the reason to collect more and in turn, guarantees the welfare of my family when it is time for me to move on. The author seems to of hit on every possible aspect of the collecting hobby and ensured that the price spent on the purchase of this book, is money well spent.

In *History's Jackpot*, Craig Gottlieb offers valuable information to help collectors and investors alike make money on antique collectibles. Written during the worst economic crisis since The Great Depression, he answers the tough question that is on the minds of many collectors and investors: are antique collectibles a good investment, and do they have a place in a well-balanced portfolio? Drawing on more than 3 decades of collecting experience in many genres, and 10 years as a professional antiquities dealer, Gottlieb helps readers develop smart buying and selling strategies with a mind toward long-term profit. Additionally, Gottlieb musters leading experts in various fields together under one tent to offer you advice that is surprisingly consistent. Whether you collect coins, stamps, sports-memorabilia, wine, or anything else (or if you don't collect anything at all yet), *History's Jackpot* offers a candid look at the collectibles market, and will forever change the way you look at buying and selling artifacts for fun and for profit.

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