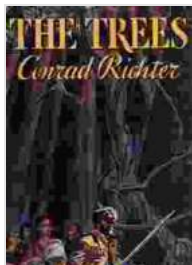


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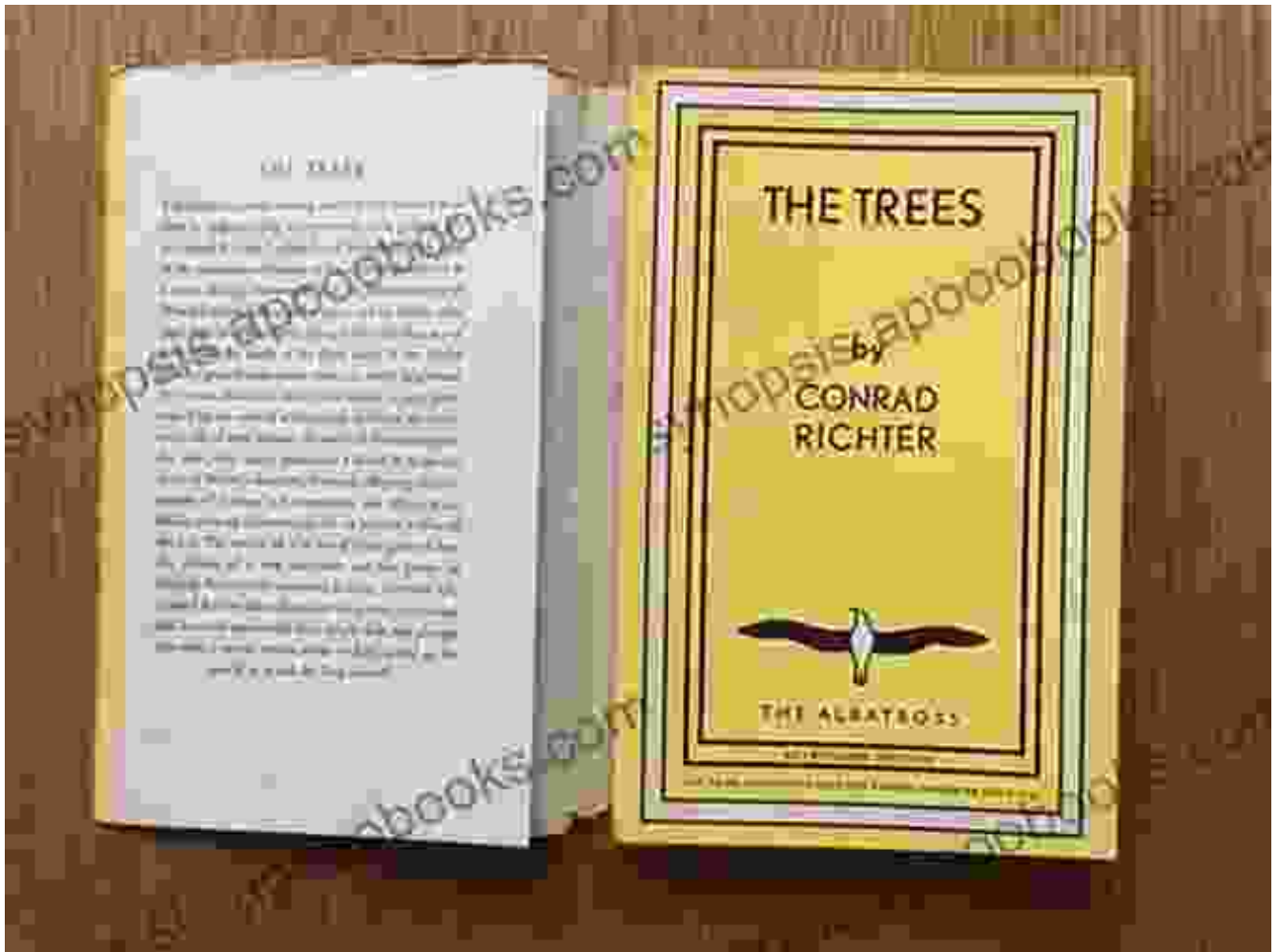


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★★★★☆ 4.6 out of 5

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Conrad Richter was an American novelist and historian. He won the Pulitzer Prize for Fiction in 1951 for his novel *The Town*. *The Trees* is considered one of his most important works.

Publication Date: 1940

Genre: Historical Fiction, Nature Writing

Setting: Ohio River Valley, 18th and 19th centuries

Main Themes: The relationship between humanity and nature, the American frontier, the importance of family

Awards: Pulitzer Prize for Fiction (1951)

Synopsis: *The Trees* is a sweeping epic that follows the lives of three generations of the Sayward family as they struggle to survive and prosper on the American frontier. Set in the Ohio River Valley during the 18th and 19th centuries, the novel paints a vivid portrait of a changing landscape and the indomitable spirit of those who called it home.

The novel begins with Sayward Lockett, a young woman who leaves her home in Virginia to marry David Lockett, a frontiersman. Together, they build a cabin in the wilderness and raise a family. As their children grow, they face the dangers and challenges of frontier life, including encounters with Native Americans, harsh weather, and disease.

The Trees is a powerful and moving story that explores the complex relationship between humanity and nature. Richter's writing is lyrical and evocative, capturing the beauty and majesty of the natural world. The novel also sheds light on the history of the American frontier, a time of great change and upheaval.

Reviews

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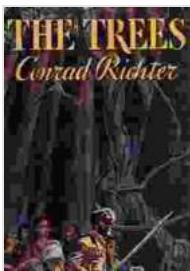
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