

## **LIST OF APOLLO 11 BOOKS (And some related) – As of June 5, 2019.**

This edition replaces all previous ones. Compiled by Chris Gamble.

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20. Carrying the Fire: An Astronaut's Journeys: 50th Anniversary Edition.
21. Apollo 11: The Inside Story.
22. The Moon Landings: One Giant Leap (Abandoned Places).
- 23. LIFE The Moon Landing: 50 Years Later**
24. Reaching for the Moon: A Short History of the Space Race.
25. NASA Mission AS-506 Apollo 11 Owners' Workshop Manual: 50th Anniversary of 1st Moon Landing - 1969 (including Saturn V, CM-107, SM-107, LM-5) (Haynes Manuals)
26. NASA Moon Missions Operations Manual: 1969 - 1972 (Apollo 12, 14, 15, 16 and 17) - An insight into the engineering, technology and operation of NASA's advanced lunar flights (Haynes Manuals)
27. Moondust: In Search of the Men Who Fell to Earth.
28. Apollo Confidential: Memories of Men On the Moon.
29. Eight Years to the Moon: The Apollo 11 Mission.
30. Apollo's Muse: The Moon in the Age of Photography.
31. For All Mankind.
32. Apollo 11: The Moon Landing in Real Time.
33. The Moon: A Celebration of Our Celestial Neighbour.
- 34. Make 100: The Apollo 11 Flight Plan 50th Anniversary Reprint.**

**NOT APOLLO 11 SPECIFIC – But related.**

1. First Man - The Annotated Screenplay.
2. The Race to the Moon Chronicled in Stamps, Postcards, and Postmarks: A Story of Puffery vs. the Pragmatic (Springer Praxis Books)
3. NASA Archives.
4. Houston, Space City USA (Sara and John Lindsey Series in the Arts and Humanities)
5. Honeysuckle Creek: The Story of Tom Reid, a Little Dish and Neil Armstrong's First Step
6. The Final Orbit: Apollo and Space Shuttle: Australia's Orroral Valley Space Tracking Station and the End of Ground-based Manned Space Flight Tracking.
7. The Color of the Moon: Lunar Painting in American Art.
8. The Space-Age Presidency of John F. Kennedy: A Rare Photographic History.
9. Manned Lunar Landing And Return: Project Mallar - the lost story of Apollo.
10. American Moonshot: John F. Kennedy and the Great Space Race.
11. Apollo Expeditions to the Moon: The 50th Anniversary Edition (Dover Books on Astronomy)
12. Limiting Outer Space: Astroculture After Apollo.
13. Apollo's Legacy: The Space Race in Perspective.
14. A Moon Watch Story: The Extraordinary Destiny of the Omega Speedmaster.
15. Chasing the Moon: The Story of the Space Race - from Arthur C. Clarke to the Apollo landings and the Space Shuttle.
16. Chasing the Moon: The People, the Politics, and the Promise That Launched America into the Space Age.
17. The Moon: A History for the Future.
18. From the Earth to the Moon (Dover Thrift Editions).
19. John F. Kennedy: From Florida to the Moon (Images of Modern America)
20. The Eagle Has Landed: 50 Years of Lunar Science Fiction.
21. Tintin and the Moon: Destination Moon & Explorers on the Moon (The Adventures of Tintin).
22. Returning People to the Moon After Apollo - Will It Be Another Fifty Years?
23. Dear Neil Armstrong: Letters to the First Man on the Moon (Aeronautics and Astronautics)

## **DETAILED INFORMATION**

### **1. Apollo: VII – XVII**

by Floris Heyne (Author), Joel Meter (Author), Simon Phillipson (Author), Delano Steenmeijer (Author), Walter Cunningham (Foreword)

July 2019 marks the 50th anniversary of the first manned moon landing--a milestone in the history of humankind. Today, the adventure, courage, and ground-breaking accomplishment behind the NASA Apollo missions remains as compelling as ever.

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Publisher: <https://teneues-books.com/apollo-vii-xvii-1>

July 2019 marks the 50th anniversary of the first manned moon landing—a milestone in the history of humankind. Today, the adventure, courage, and ground-breaking accomplishment behind the NASA Apollo missions remains as compelling as ever.

This thrilling photo book features previously-unpublished photographs from the NASA archives, now meticulously digitized, captured by the Apollo astronauts during their missions. From some 27,000 NASA images, the book's authors have curated 225 of the most remarkable Apollo mission pictures, creating a uniquely vivid document of one of the most seminal events of the 20th century. Accompanying these extraordinary Apollo photographs are little-known insider facts and fascinating insights into the Apollo missions, including a detailed Foreword from NASA astronaut, Walter Cunningham. Not only a must-have book for fans of air and space travel, Apollo VII – XVII is a hit for anyone interested in photography, pop culture, and modern history.

Authors Floris Heyne, Joel Meter, Simon Phillipson, and Delano Steenmeijer scoured the vast NASA photo archives to select the most outstanding photos of the Apollo missions.

Walter Cunningham is a former Apollo astronaut, serving as Lunar Module pilot on the Apollo 7 mission, the first manned flight of the Apollo program that launched into orbit on the Saturn 1-B rocket.

## **2. Apollo to the Moon: A History in 50 Objects**

by Teasel E. Muir-Harmony (Author)

Pre-order

\$35.00

**A celebration of the 50th anniversary of NASA's Apollo missions to the moon, this narrative uses 50 key artifacts from the Smithsonian archives to tell the story of the groundbreaking space exploration program.**

Bold photographs, fascinating graphics, and engaging stories commemorate the 20th century's most important space endeavor: NASA's Apollo program to reach the moon. From the lunar

rover and a survival kit to space food and moon rocks, it's a carefully curated array of objects--complete with intriguing back stories and profiles of key participants.

This book showcases the historic space exploration program that landed humans on the moon, advanced the world's capabilities for space travel, and revolutionized our sense of humanity's place in the universe. Each historic accomplishment is symbolized by a different object, from a Russian stamp honoring Yuri Gagarin and plastic astronaut action figures to the Apollo 11 command module, piloted by Michael Collins as Armstrong and Aldrin made the first moonwalk, together with the monumental art inspired by these moon missions. Throughout, *Apollo to the Moon* also tells the story of people who made the journey possible: the heroic astronauts as well as their supporters, including President John F. Kennedy, newsman Walter Cronkite, and NASA scientists such as Margaret Hamilton.

#### Product details

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Product Dimensions: 7.1 x 9.1 inches

Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Apollo-Moon-History-50-Objects/dp/1426219938/>

### **3. Mission Moon 3-d: A New Perspective on the Space Race (Mit Press)**

by David Eicher (Author), Charlie Duke (Foreword)

\$40.00

The story of the lunar landing and the events that led up to it, told in text and visually stunning 3-D images.

July 2019 marks the fiftieth anniversary of Apollo 11's epochal lunar landing, when Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin walked on the surface of the moon. This visually rich book offers a new perspective on that historic accomplishment, telling the story of the lunar landing and the events that led up to it with text and 3-D images. A 3D viewer, designed by astrophysicist (and lead guitarist with the rock group Queen) Brian May is included with the book.

Mission Moon 3-D offers unique access to the Apollo astronauts and what they saw. It tells the story of the US-Soviet space race, from Sputnik and the space dog Laika to Mercury, Gemini, and Apollo. In 1961, President John F. Kennedy declared that America would put a man on the moon by the end of the decade. On July 20, 1969, Neil Armstrong guided the Eagle to a safe landing on the edge of the moon's Sea of Tranquility. President Richard Nixon told the

astronauts, and the nation, that it was ?the greatest week in the history of the world since the Creation.? Mission Moon 3-D recounts all this and more in memorable and visually stunning fashion.

#### Product details

Series: Mit Press  
Hardcover: 192 pages  
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Language: English  
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ISBN-13: 978-0262039451  
Product Dimensions: 12.8 x 9.4 inches

Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Mission-Moon-3-d-Perspective-Space/dp/0262039451/>

#### **4. Apollo on the Moon in Perspective**

Created by Dr. Ronald A. Wells

The Apollo lunar surface photos are a national treasure - scenes which should be seen by everyone through the eyes of the photographers. Fortunately, with the aid of modern computer software many of the photos can be so viewed in 3D. Apollo on the Moon in Perspective includes over 150 pages of 3D anaglyphs created painstakingly by the author.

Also included in this glossy book is a Foreword by Dr Harrison Schmitt of Apollo 17.

AND

A DVD-ROM which includes more than 950 3D images from the Apollo lunar photography and a pair of anaglyphic cyan/red viewing glasses.

AND

A rare authentic 3D movie of the Apollo 11 30th Anniversary Press Conference with Neil Armstrong, Buzz Aldrin, Eugene Cernan and Walt Cunningham!

January 2019

150 pages

ISBN 9781926837413

Publisher: CGP

Website: <http://www.cgpublishing.com/Books/9781926837413.html>

#### **5. Afterglow: Reflections on the Golden Age of Moon Explorers**

by Derek Webber (Author)

\$39.95

Twenty-four guys went to the Moon in the late sixties/early seventies. Of them, 12 walked on its surface. Three of them made the journey twice. The author met 20 of the 24 who made the journey, and 11 of the 12 who walked on its surface, and has an archive of transcribed tapes from talks and presentations and book signings given by them. These 24 humans have been the only ones to see at first-hand what our planet looks like, slowly spinning without any visible means of suspension in the vastness of space. Who were they, and how did they describe their experience? This book provides a record of the human tales and complexity behind the technological triumph of Apollo, how going to the Moon affected them, and the lives they led on returning to Earth. This, in some way, represents the Legacy; passing on what we learned from the first time we went to the Moon. In summer 2019 it will be the Golden Anniversary of the Golden Age of spaceflight.

#### Product details

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Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Afterglow-Reflections-Golden-Moon-Explorers/dp/099340023X/>

## **6. One Giant Leap: The Untold Story of How We Flew to the Moon**

by Charles Fishman (Author)

\$28.00

From New York Times bestselling author of *The Wal-Mart Effect*, Charles Fishman reveals the untold true story of the men and women charged with taking the United States to the Moon.

President John F. Kennedy astonished the world on May 25, 1961, when he announced to Congress that the United States would land a man on the Moon by 1970. No group was more surprised than the engineers at NASA. On the day of the historic speech, America had a total of fifteen minutes of spaceflight experience—with just five of those minutes outside the atmosphere. In fact, Soviet canines had more spaceflight experience than US astronauts.

To fulfill President Kennedy's mandate, NASA engineers had to invent space travel. When Kennedy announced his goal, no one knew how to navigate to the Moon. No one knew how to build a rocket big enough to fly to the Moon. No one knew how to build a computer small enough to put on that rocket. No one knew how to feed astronauts in space, and no one knew how astronauts would even use the bathroom in space. And NASA had just nine years to make it happen.

In *One Giant Leap*, Charles Fishman introduces readers to the men and women tasked with putting a man on the moon. From the halls of MIT, where the eccentric and legendary digital pioneer Charles Draper created the two computers aboard Apollo 11, to the factories where hundreds of women weaved computer programs with copper wire, Fishman captures the sweeping achievement of these ordinary Americans. This is the captivating story of men and women charged with changing the world as we know it—their leaders, their triumphs, their near disasters, all of which led to arguably the greatest success story of the twentieth century.

#### Product details

Hardcover: 416 pages  
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Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/dp/1501106295/>

### **7. Hasselblad & the Moon Landing**

by Deborah Ireland

Pre-order  
\$14.95

On July 20, 1969, Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin became the first people ever to set foot on the Moon, their iconic "small steps" captured forever by the camera the astronauts carried with them: the Hasselblad 500EL. This book looks at the history of the Apollo 11 mission through the lens of the Hasselblad, while narrating the parallel challenge to create a camera that could work on the Moon. It considers the cameras used, and the photographs captured, during the Space Race between Russia and America; looks at the experience of taking photographs on the Moon for the first time; and reflects on the legacy of those images, and their part in the enduring Moon Landing conspiracy theories. The second half of the book presents a commemorative album of photographs taken in space using the Hasselblad 500EL. While the Apollo 11 astronauts left their three cameras behind on the Moon, where they remain to this day, they brought back film magazines containing 1,400 photographs. A selection of the finest of these is shown alongside

the mission timeline and transcripts of the conversations between the astronauts and mission control at Houston.

#### Product details

Hardcover: 96 pages  
Publisher: Ammonite Press; None edition (March 1, 2019)  
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Product Dimensions: 8 x 8 inches

Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Hasselblad-Moon-Landing-Deborah-Ireland/dp/1781453349/>

Publisher: <https://www.ammonitepress.com/us/social-history/hasselblad-the-moon-landing/>

### **8. Shoot for the Moon: The Perilous Voyage of Apollo 11**

by James Donovan

Pre-order  
\$30.0

The epic story of Apollo 11 and the astronauts, flight controllers, and engineers who made it happen, by the author of the bestselling *A Terrible Glory* and *The Blood of Heroes*. On July 20, 1969, Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin became the first humans to walk on the Moon, a moment forever ingrained in history. Perhaps the world's greatest technological achievement-and a triumph of American spirit and ingenuity-the Apollo 11 mission, and the entire Apollo program, was a mammoth undertaking involving more than 410,000 men and women dedicated to putting a man on the Moon and winning the Space Race with the Soviets. Seen through the eyes of the those who lived it, *Shoot for the Moon* reveals the dangers, the challenges, and the sheer determination that defined not only Apollo 11, but also the Mercury and Gemini missions that made it possible. Both sweeping and intimate, and based on exhaustive research and dozens of fresh interviews, bestselling author James Donovan's *Shoot for the Moon* is the definitive-and thrilling-account of one of humankind's most extraordinary feats of exploration.

#### Product details

Hardcover: 448 pages  
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Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Shoot-Moon-Perilous-Voyage-Apollo/dp/0316341789/>

Publisher: <https://www.littlebrown.com/titles/james-donovan/shoot-for-the-moon/9780316341820/>

## **9. Map of The Moon: 50th Anniversary Edition Map Mare Tranquillitatis and Apollo 11 Landing**

The Apollo 11 mission made the 384,403km trip as part of the 'space race' with the USSR, and successfully touched down on 20 July 1969, at 20:17 UTC, making Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin the first humans to land on the moon. Around 3.5 hours later, stepping on to the lunar surface, Armstrong said:

"That's one small step for [a] man, one giant leap for mankind."

Ordnance Survey have created this map of the moon using height data made available by NASA, captured by the Lunar Orbiter Laser Altimeter (LOLA) and the Kaguya Terrain Camera and shaded to show the heights. The map covers a large section of the near surface of the moon, centred on the Apollo 11 landing site at the edge of Mare Tranquillitatis (Sea of Tranquillity). Larger, named craters are shown, along with the landing site itself - the crater names have been taken from the Gazetteer of Planetary Nomenclature. The area covered is 1350km by 1000km.

It's available as both as a rolled poster and a folded map. Choose 'unframed' for the flat poster option or 'folded' for the folded map with cover showing Neil Armstrong.

If you are planning a trip to the moon, you will probably be using a digital navigation system (but not GPS). We always recommend bringing a paper map as a backup.

Top image from NASA: Buzz Aldrin on the Surface of the Moon with the Apollo 11 Lander in the background. Taken by Neil Armstrong, open source image.

Specifications

Size: 100 x 89 cm (Folded size: 22.5 x 13 x 1 cm)  
Printed on uncoated map paper

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Publisher: <https://www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/shop/moon-50th-anniversary-map.html>

## **10. The Mission of a Lifetime: Lessons from the Men Who Went to the Moon**

by Basil Hero

Pre-order

\$22.00

Reflections from the surviving Apollo astronauts--who are now in their nineties--on the lessons they gleaned from their lives on earth and beyond.

The 24 men who went to the Moon are a part of history's most exclusive club. By the time NASA screened them, they were already the Top Guns of their generation; most of them test pilots who helped fine tune America's first supersonic aircraft. They had to be self-confident, but not arrogant, brave, but not reckless, independent but trusting of authority. As a result, no group of pre-selected (alpha) males had ever been more tested, poked, prodded, interviewed and psychoanalyzed. And on their space missions, their extraterrestrial view of earth from the moon changed them and changed the world. Today there are twelve remaining Apollo astronauts who went to the moon between 1968 and 1972. Now approaching their nineties, these lunar explorers have amassed a wealth of empowering lessons and philosophies they have learned during their lives on earth and beyond.

In *THE MISSION OF A LIFETIME*, author Basil Hero has tirelessly interviewed these astronauts (and their wives) on how their wisdom and outlook on life has been forged by their voyages, and what they hope for generations to come. From conquering fear to living boldly, defining success to pushing boundaries, these astronauts offer the kind of life-reflections generated by the accumulated wisdom of their emeritus years. *THE MISSION OF A LIFETIME* is a timely reminder to keep pushing the boundaries (as these astronauts did) and always, always live life with a fierce optimism, and faith, that like the Moonshot, any goal-no matter the odds-is as achievable as your resolve to see it through.

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Publisher: <https://www.grandcentralpublishing.com/titles/basil-hero/the-mission-of-a-lifetime/9781538748503/>

## **11. I Was a Teenage Space Reporter: From Apollo 11 to Our Future in Space**

by David Chudwin (Author)

Pre-order

\$19.95

“That’s one small step for (a) man, one giant leap for mankind,” were the words spoken by astronaut Neil Armstrong as he stepped off the Apollo 11. This was the first and most famous manned mission to land on the Moon. As a 19-year-old college journalist, author David Chudwin covered the launch from Florida in July 1969. Chudwin was the only journalist with official NASA press credentials representing the college press and had extraordinary access to the astronauts, rocket scientists, launch pads, rockets, and control centers.

2019 will be the 50th anniversary of Apollo 11 ? a time to look back to celebrate that mission, and forward to our future in space. Divided into three parts, this book provides: the author’s account of covering the first landing on the Moon in 1969; lessons learned from the Apollo program and their relevance to future space activities; and our future in space including new rockets, space stations, and trips back to the Moon and to Mars.

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## **12. Apollo: A Graphic Guide to Mankind's Greatest Mission**

by Zack Scott

\$24.99

July 20, 1969, marked one of the greatest achievements of mankind—the moon landing. In his infographic-packed book, *Apollo: A Graphic Guide to Mankind's Greatest Mission*, Zack Scott recounts the entire journey of the Apollo space program. Unlike previous books on this topic, Scott illustrates the tiniest details of how man came to walk on the moon, paying particular attention to many of the lesser known facts about the mission. Artful infographics throughout focus on a wide range of details that space-lovers will obsess over—astronaut weights, mission insignia and spacecraft call signs, fuel consumption stats, splashdown sites around the world, and much, much more. A fresh, hip approach to the subject, *Apollo* is the perfect combination of science, design, math, and space.

#### Product details

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### **13. Apollo: The Mission to Land a Man on the Moon**

by Al Cimino (Author)

Pre-order  
\$19.99

In 2019, it will have been 50 years since Neil Armstrong became the first man to walk on the Moon. When his famous words came crackling across the atmosphere—“That’s one small step for man; one giant leap for mankind.” The first moon landing took place on July 20, 1969, during the Apollo 11 mission. Nine days earlier on July 11, 1969, David Bowie released his iconic “Space Oddity” song about Major Tom the astronaut. The two events resonated with people back on Earth like a match made in the heavens. The crew of Apollo 11—Neil Armstrong, Buzz Aldrin, and Michael Collins—had been launched into space by the powerful Saturn 5, a three-stage rocket which was about as tall as a 36-story building. It was the culmination of NASA’s human spaceflight program which began 1961.

This is the story of the Apollo Missions with all of its ups and downs—in 1967 a cabin fire killed the entire crew of Apollo 1, and-after an oxygen tank exploded-the Apollo 13 crew limped back to Earth using the lunar module as “lifeboat.” But despite Apollo’s many setbacks, twelve men walked on the Moon and their place in American history was assured forever.

*Apollo* follows man's dream of walking among the stars and charts how space travel and space programs have grown since then.

## Product details

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Publisher: <https://www.quartoknows.com/books/9780785837039/Apollo.html>

### **14. Picturing Apollo 11: Rare Views and Undiscovered Moments**

by J. L. Pickering and John Bisney

Experience the excitement of the first moon landing on its 50th anniversary

“Focused almost exclusively on the three astronauts of Apollo 11, this profusely illustrated book recounts the adventure of the first moon landing.”—Roger D. Launius, former associate director of collections and curatorial affairs, National Air and Space Museum

“Apollo 11 was humanity’s greatest achievement. Fifty years after that historic mission, Pickering and Bisney have collected some of the best images and little-known events from the lead-up to humankind’s first steps on another world.”—Jason Rhian, senior editor, SpaceFlight Insider

Picturing Apollo 11 is an unprecedented photographic history of the space mission that defined an era. Through a wealth of unpublicized and recently discovered images, this book presents new and rarely-seen views of the people, places, and events involved in the pioneering first moon landing of July 20, 1969.

No other book has showcased as many never-before-seen photos connected with Apollo 11, or as many photos covering the activities from months before to years after the mission. Starting with the extensive preparations, these photographs show astronauts Neil Armstrong, Michael Collins, and Buzz Aldrin training for the flight, as well as the stages of the massive Saturn V rocket arriving at the Kennedy Space Center for assembly. They capture the media frenzy over the unfolding story and the “moon fever” that gripped the nation.

Also featured here are shots of incredible moments from the mission. In these images, spectators flock to Cape Canaveral. The rocket launches in a cloud of fire and thunder. Armstrong and Aldrin step out of the lunar module Eagle onto the surface of the moon. The command module Columbia splashes down in the Pacific Ocean, and the extraordinary voyage is celebrated around the world and in the following decades.

Most of the photographs were selected from NASA archives and the collection of J. L. Pickering, the world's largest private collection of U.S. human space flight images. The accompanying text details the scenes, revealing the astonishing scale and scope of activities that went into planning and executing the first moon landing. This book commemorates the historic mission and evokes the electric atmosphere of the time.

#### Product details

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Publisher: University Press of Florida (April 17, 2019)  
Language: English  
ISBN-10: 0813056179  
ISBN-13: 978-0813056173

Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/dp/0813056179/>

### **15. Project Apollo: The Moon Odyssey Explained**

by Norman Ferguson (Author)

£9.99

The Apollo missions to the Moon are some of the most successful and well-remembered manned spaceflights that NASA has ever accomplished, taking place in the heyday of space travel. Indeed, the programme was the only one to achieve the ultimate goal of placing humankind on the Moon, which it did no less than six times between 1969 and 1972. Here aviation author Norman Ferguson reveals fascinating facts and figures, and recounts amazing stories about the astronauts, their spacecraft and their missions whose achievements have never been surpassed.

#### Product details

Hardcover: 192 pages  
Publisher: The History Press (1 May 2019)  
Language: English  
ISBN-10: 0750989785  
ISBN-13: 978-0750989787

Amazon.co.uk: <https://www.amazon.co.uk/dp/0750989785/>

### **16. The Apollo Missions**

by David Baker

£14.99

Published to coincide with the 50th anniversary the 1969 moon landings, *The Apollo Missions* is illustrated with documents, blueprints and photographs of the missions as they happened. Analysing the Apollo Space Program, it looks back at a key period in the development of space technology. From early attempts to send a manned vessel into space to Neil Armstrong's historic first steps on the moon, David Baker reveals what happened behind the scenes, including the development of the Service and Lunar modules, mission preparation and how man made an indelible impact on the Moon's surface by leaving bacteria to collect data. Full of fascinating stories and augmented by documents that chronicled the development of the program, this is a brilliant commemoration of one of man's most astounding feats.

#### Product details

Hardcover: 192 pages

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[Amazon.co.uk: https://www.amazon.co.uk/Apollo-Missions-David-Baker/dp/1788885236/](https://www.amazon.co.uk/Apollo-Missions-David-Baker/dp/1788885236/)

### **17. The Apollo Chronicles: Engineering America's First Moon Missions**

by Brandon R. Brown (Author)

\$29.95

The moon landing of 1969 stands as an iconic moment for both the United States and humankind. The familiar story focuses on the journey of the brave astronauts, who brought home Moon rocks and startling photographs. But Apollo's full account includes the earthbound engineers, mounds of their crumpled paper, and smoldering metal shards of exploded engines. How exactly did the nation, step by difficult step, take men to the Moon and back?

In *The Apollo Chronicles*, fifty years after the moon landing, author Brandon R. Brown, himself the son of an Apollo engineer, revisits the men and women who toiled behind the lights. He relays the defining twentieth-century project from its roots, bringing the engineers' work and personalities to bright life on the page. Set against the backdrop of a turbulent American decade, the narrative whisks audiences through tense deadlines and technical miracles, from President John F. Kennedy's 1961 challenge to NASA's 1969 lunar triumph, as engineers confronted wave after wave of previously unthinkable challenges.

Brown immerses readers in key physical hurdles--from building the world's most powerful rockets to keeping humans alive in the hostile void of space--using language free of acronyms and technical jargon. The book also pulls back from the detailed tasks and asks larger questions. What did we learn about the Moon? And what can this uniquely innovative project teach us today?

#### Product details

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Publisher: <https://global.oup.com/academic/product/the-apollo-chronicles-9780190681340?cc=de&lang=en&>

### **18. Journey To The Moon: Everything you ever wanted to know about the Moon.**

by Various (Author)

\$16.54

50 years ago in July 2019 the human race's fascination with the Earth's moon went into overdrive when Neil Armstrong, Buzz Aldrin and Michael Collins landed on the surface. To celebrate this significant anniversary, we take an in-depth look at the Apollo program and how it landed man on the Moon as well as all the fascinating facts about the celestial body itself. Find out everything you ever wanted to know about the Moon. How it was formed? What's on the far side? Who owns it? ....and for those wanting to get up close and personal, you can use our handy tour of its craters and seas before learning how to take your own photographs and analemmas. Put together by a team of experts in each specific field this book really is everything you need to know about the moon.

#### Product details

Hardcover: 176 pages  
Publisher: Sona Books (May 28, 2019)  
Language: English  
ISBN-10: 1912918099  
ISBN-13: 978-1912918096

Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Journey-Moon-Everything-wanted-about/dp/1912918099/>

## **19. Moonbound: A Graphic History of Apollo 11**

by Jonathan Fetter-Vorm

\$35.00 (hardback)

A rich, full-color graphic exploration of our journey to the moon and a celebration of scientific achievement

On July 20, 1969, something extraordinary happened, something civilizations had dreamed of for centuries: humans walked on the moon. Jonathan Fetter-Vorm's *Moonbound* is the story behind those first steps.

It begins with the tense, suspense-filled descent of the spidery Lunar Module, which transported Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin to the surface of the moon; the narrative offers a close-up view of the action. Then the story splits to an examination of the history of man's fascination with space—from the earliest observers of the moon to the clear-eyed descriptions recorded by such visionaries as Galileo—and continues into the modern era, from Nazi atrocities and Soviet intrigues to square-jawed astronauts and a revolving cast of space-age dreamers. The narrative returns to July 20, 1969, the moment when our heroes made their historic moon walk, and finally moves on to the Space Shuttle program, the cosmic ambitions of deep-space probes, and the aspirations of companies like SpaceX.

The story of space has always been about the conflict of imagination versus reality, of dreams versus politics. Publishing in time for the fiftieth anniversary of the moon landing, *Moonbound* revisits this classic story in a new way, as a graphic history.

### Product details

Hardcover: 256 pages

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Language: English

ISBN-10: 0374212457

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Amazon.com (hardback): <https://www.amazon.com/Moonbound-Graphic-History-Apollo-11/dp/0374212457/>

Amazon.com (paperback): <https://www.amazon.com/Moonbound-Graphic-History-Apollo-11/dp/0374537917/>

## **20. Carrying the Fire: An Astronaut's Journeys: 50th Anniversary Edition**

by Michael Collins (Author, Preface), Charles A. Lindbergh (Foreword)

Pre-order

\$17.00

Reissued with a new preface by the author on the fiftieth anniversary of the Apollo 11 journey to the moon

The years that have passed since Neil Armstrong, Buzz Aldrin, and Michael Collins piloted the Apollo 11 spacecraft to the moon in July 1969 have done nothing to alter the fundamental wonder of the event: man reaching the moon remains one of the great events?technical and spiritual?of our lifetime.

In *Carrying the Fire*, Collins conveys, in a very personal way, the drama, beauty, and humor of that adventure. He also traces his development from his first flight experiences in the air force, through his days as a test pilot, to his Apollo 11 space walk, presenting an evocative picture of the joys of flight as well as a new perspective on time, light, and movement from someone who has seen the fragile earth from the other side of the moon.

Product details

Paperback: 528 pages

Publisher: Farrar, Straus and Giroux; Anniversary edition (June 11, 2019)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0374537763

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Product Dimensions: 5.4 x 8.2 inches

Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Carrying-Fire-Astronauts-Journeys-Anniversary/dp/0374537763/>

## **21. Apollo 11: The Inside Story**

by David Whitehouse (Author)

Pre-order

\$19.95

Fifty years ago in July 1969, Apollo 11 became the first manned mission to land on the moon, and Neil Armstrong the first man to step onto its surface. President Nixon called it the greatest week since creation.

In the most authoritative book ever written about Apollo, David Whitehouse reveals the true drama behind the mission, telling the story in the words of those who took part – based around exclusive interviews with the key players.

This enthralling book takes us from the early rocket pioneers to the shock America received from the Soviets' launch of the first satellite, Sputnik; from the race to put the first person into space, through President Kennedy's enthusiasm and later doubts, to the astronauts' intense competition to leave the first footprint.

Here is the story as told by the crew of Apollo 11 and the many other astronauts who paved the way or went to the moon themselves after Armstrong, Aldrin and Collins. Astronauts, engineers, politicians, NASA officials, Soviet rivals – all tell their own story of a great moment of human achievement.

#### Product details

Paperback: 320 pages  
Publisher: Icon Books (June 11, 2019)  
Language: English  
ISBN-10: 1785785125  
ISBN-13: 978-1785785122

Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/dp/1785785125/>

Publisher: <https://iconbooks.com/ib-title/apollo-11/>

## **22. The Moon Landings: One Giant Leap (Abandoned Places)**

by Timothy Johnson (Author), Flame Tree Studio (Creator)

Pre-order  
\$35.00

Since Apollo 11's first ground-breaking moon landing in 1969, the world has been engrossed in space exploration and infinitely curious about how we got there and what might be next. What enables us to break free from Earth's gravitational well? What does it take to become an astronaut and survive in space? Landing on the Moon explores the fascinating events that led up to the moon landing, both scientific and political, and how it has paved the way for many missions since.

#### Product details

Series: Abandoned Places  
Hardcover: 192 pages  
Publisher: Flame Tree Publishing (June 15, 2019)  
Language: English  
ISBN-10: 1787553027

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Product Dimensions: 11 x 0.9 x 11.4 inches

Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Moon-Landings-Giant-Abandoned-Places/dp/1787553027/>

### **23. LIFE The Moon Landing: 50 Years Later**

by The Editors of LIFE (Author)

\$13.99

LIFE Magazine presents The Moon Landing: 50 Years Later

Product details

Paperback: 96 pages

Publisher: LIFE (June 21, 2019)

Language: English

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Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/LIFE-Moon-Landing-Years-Later/dp/1547847263/>

### **24. Reaching for the Moon: A Short History of the Space Race**

by Roger D Launius (Author)

Pre-order

\$30.00

At the dawn of the space age, technological breakthroughs in Earth orbit flight were both breathtaking feats of ingenuity and disturbances to a delicate global balance of power. In this short book, aerospace historian Roger D. Launius concisely and engagingly explores the driving force of this era: the race to the Moon. Beginning with the launch of Sputnik 1 in October 1957 and closing with the end of the Apollo program in 1972, Launius examines how early space exploration blurred the lines between military and civilian activities, and how key actions led to space firsts as well as crushing failures.

Launius places American and Soviet programs on equal footing—following American aerospace engineers Wernher von Braun and Robert Gilruth, their Soviet counterparts Sergei Korolev and Valentin Glushko, and astronaut Buzz Aldrin and cosmonaut Alexei Leonov—to highlight key actions that led to various successes, failures, and ultimately the American Moon landing.

## Product details

Hardcover: 256 pages  
Publisher: Yale University Press (June 25, 2019)  
Language: English  
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Product Dimensions: 5.5 x 8.2 inches

Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Reaching-Moon-Short-History-Space/dp/030023046X/>

## **25. NASA Mission AS-506 Apollo 11 Owners' Workshop Manual: 50th Anniversary of 1st Moon Landing - 1969** (including Saturn V, CM-107, SM-107, LM-5) (Haynes Manuals)

by Christopher Riley (Author), Philip Dolling (Author)

\$36.95

On 20 July 1969, US astronauts Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin became the first men to walk on the moon. NASA Mission AS-506 Apollo 11 Owners' Workshop Manual is the story of the Apollo 11 mission and the 'space hardware' that made it all possible. This manual looks at the evolution and design of the mighty Saturn V rocket, the Command and Service Modules, and the Lunar Module. It describes the space suits worn by the crew and their special life support and communications systems. We learn about how the Apollo 11 mission was flown - from launch procedures to 'flying' the Saturn V and the 'LEM', and from moon walking to the earth re-entry procedure. This new edition of the book celebrates the 50th Anniversary of the Apollo 11 moon landing.

## Product details

Series: Haynes Manuals  
Hardcover: 216 pages  
Publisher: Haynes Publishing UK (June 25, 2019)  
Language: English  
ISBN-10: 1785215922  
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Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/dp/1785215922/>

**26. NASA Moon Missions Operations Manual: 1969 - 1972 (Apollo 12, 14, 15, 16 and 17) - An insight into the engineering, technology and operation of NASA's advanced lunar flights** (Haynes Manuals)

by David Baker (Author)

\$36.95

Published to coincide with the 50th anniversary of the first Moon landing by Apollo 11.

This book concludes the story of the Apollo project, detailing all the engineering developments made and the research carried out during the manned Moon missions. NASA Moon Missions Operations Manual completes the story of US manned spaceflight to date, completing the series of Haynes Manuals including: Mercury, Gemini, Apollo 11, Apollo 13, Lunar Rover, Saturn V, Space Shuttle, International Space Station and Skylab.

Product details

Series: Haynes Manuals

Hardcover: 224 pages

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Language: English

ISBN-10: 1785212109

ISBN-13: 978-1785212109

Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/dp/1785212109/>

**27. Moondust: In Search of the Men Who Fell to Earth**

by Andrew Smith

Pre-order

\$16.99

In time for the 50th anniversary of the Apollo 11 Moon landing comes this edition of journalist Andrew Smith's book, now updated with a new Afterword, that tells the fascinating story of twelve astronauts who ventured to space, and his interviews with nine of the surviving men.

The Apollo lunar missions of the 1960s and 1970s have been called the last optimistic acts of the twentieth century. Twelve astronauts made this greatest of all journeys and were indelibly marked by it, for better or for worse. Journalist Andrew Smith tracks down the nine surviving members of this elite group to find their answers to the question "Where do you go after you've been to the Moon?"

A thrilling blend of history, reportage, and memoir, *Moon dust* rekindles the hopeful excitement of an incandescent hour in America's past when anything seemed possible as it captures the bittersweet heroism of those who risked everything to hurl themselves out of the known world—and who were never again quite able to accept its familiar bounds.

#### Product details

Paperback: 400 pages

Publisher: Harper Perennial; Reprint edition (June 25, 2019)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0062906690

ISBN-13: 978-0062906694

Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Moon dust-Search-Men-Fell-Earth/dp/0062906690/>

Paperback reprint edition to the 2005 hardback.

### **28. Apollo Confidential: Memories of Men On the Moon**

by Lukas Viglietti

Pre-order

\$17.95

Between 1969 and 1972, twelve people walked on the surface of the Moon. Twelve others flew over its barren and majestic surface. They were the sons of workers, farmers, soldiers and businessmen. They thought anything was possible—and they proved this to the entire world.

For 20 years, Lukas Viglietti, an airline pilot and captain, has been fascinated by the conquest of the astronauts who went to space during his childhood. He has recorded their testimonies and since becoming their friend and confidant, he now offers an exclusive and unprecedented insight into their adventures.

In *APOLLO CONFIDENTIAL*, adults and children alike experience the all-inspiring accounts of:

- steely-eyed test pilots
- sensitive painters and poets
- hard-living bad boys
- thoughtful, studious scientists

The only thing they had in common was they all saw the view of the beautiful home planet from a quarter of a million miles away, an oasis of life compared to the stark and lifeless, alien moon.

In APOLLO CONFIDENTIAL, Lukas Viglietti recounts what people from the history books—people such as Neil Armstrong and Buzz Aldrin—were like in person.

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Paperback: 242 pages  
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Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Apollo-Confidential-Memories-Men-Moon/dp/1642795860/>

### **29. Eight Years to the Moon: The Apollo 11 Mission**

by Nancy Atkinson (Author)

Pre-order  
\$35.00

July 16, 2019 will be the 50th anniversary of the Apollo 11 mission, celebrating an incredible decade in science history. In *Eight Years to the Moon*, unique personal stories of NASA engineers and MIT computer experts are interwoven with Nancy's gripping style to tell the story of Apollo 11 in a fresh and riveting way. Despite incredible hurdles and catastrophes, Apollo 11 launched a successful mission within President Kennedy's proposed timeline. The employees of NASA made the impossible possible?creating new technology and completely reimagining space travel. In *Eight Years to the Moon*, readers are transported into the space race of the 1960s.

Nancy begins in 1962?when NASA had to build the Manned Spacecraft Center and space exploration first became a priority?and spans to the successful Apollo 11 mission. With firsthand accounts from Henry Pohl (director of engineering at Johnson Space Center), Glynn Lunney (Apollo flight director), and Frank Hughes (lead test engineer for the Apollo command and lunar module simulators), it's easy to get wrapped up in the excitement of what it was like. In the words of Henry Pohl when he saw his first rocket test launch, "When that thing lit off I had never seen such power in my life...I decided right then and there that's what I wanted to be part of..." And he was far from alone.

Filled with stories from those involved and interviews with other Apollo experts, *Eight Years to the Moon* is a book that will delight anyone who has ever looked up at the moon and wondered how we got there.

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Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Eight-Years-Moon-Apollo-Mission/dp/162414490X/>

### **30. Apollo's Muse: The Moon in the Age of Photography**

by Mia Fineman (Author), Beth Saunders (Author), Tom Hanks (Foreword)

Pre-order  
\$45.00

Celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Apollo 11 mission, Apollo's Muse honors the rich history of photographic representations of the moon, from rarely seen early daguerreotypes to contemporary video art. Engaging and accessible, the book explores how photographers captured this celestial body—and how the images have in turn inspired artists, writers, and scientists.

The book's wide-ranging focus includes extraordinary reproductions of the first successful series of lunar daguerreotypes by the American photographer John Adams Whipple, along with film stills from *Voyage dans la Lune* (1902) by Georges Méliès; American "paper moon" studio portraits; images from the Apollo mission; and works by contemporary artists, including Vija Celmins, Roy Lichtenstein, Aleksandra Mir, Vik Muniz, Nam June Paik, and Robert Rauschenberg. Related prints, drawings, paintings, and astronomical instruments explore artists' fascination with the moon, as an object of both art and science. A foreword by actor Tom Hanks, star of the award-winning 1995 film *Apollo 13*, outlines the importance of lunar images to art and cinema, reinforcing the universal fascination with representations of the cosmos.

#### Product details

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### **31. For All Mankind**

by Harry Hurt

\$16.00

Between December 1968 and December 1972, twenty-four men captured the imagination of the world as they voyaged to the moon. In *For All Mankind*, Harry Hurt III presents a dramatic, engrossing, and expansive account of those journeys. Based on extensive research and exclusive interviews with the Apollo astronauts, *For All Mankind* remains one of the most comprehensive and revealing firsthand accounts of space travel ever assembled. In their own words, the astronauts share the sights, sounds, thoughts, fears, hopes, and dreams they experienced during their incredible voyages. In a compelling narrative structured as one trip to the moon, Harry Hurt recounts all the drama and danger of the lunar voyages, from the anxiety of the astronauts' prelaunch procedures through the euphoria of touchdown on the lunar surface.

Updated with a new introduction by the author for the 50th anniversary of the Apollo 11 moon landing, *For All Mankind* is both an extraordinary adventure story and an important historical document.

Product details

Paperback: 416 pages

Publisher: Grove Press (July 16, 2019)

Language: English

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Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/All-Mankind-Harry-Hurt/dp/0802147259/>

### **32. Apollo 11: The Moon Landing in Real Time**

by Ian Passingham (Author)

\$42.95

Half a century has passed since arguably the greatest feat of the twentieth century: when Neil Armstrong became the first man to walk on the Moon. *Apollo 11: The Moon Landing In Real Time* brings the mission back to life as never before in a thrilling day-by-day account, exploring everything from the historic flight itself to how the \$24billion space programme divided a nation.

Journey back in time and feel the excitement build in the days before launch and then experience the tension of the dramatic lunar landing and the relief of the crew's safe return to Earth. This

engaging account mixes easily understandable explanations of the ground-breaking technology behind Apollo 11 with entertainment, excitement and humour in equal measure. Set against a backdrop of the Cold War, race riots and Vietnam, the mission polarised opinion worldwide.

Alongside these issues, read long-forgotten tales including how a Chilean lawyer claimed he was the legal owner of the Moon, thousands of people signed up for proposed commercial Moon flights, Hilton revealed plans for a lunar hotel, 'flat Earth' believers claimed the mission was a hoax and some scientists feared the astronauts would bring back deadly germs from space which would devastate mankind.

#### Product details

Hardcover: 280 pages  
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Language: English  
ISBN-10: 1526748568  
ISBN-13: 978-1526748560

Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Apollo-11-Moon-Landing-Real/dp/1526748568/>

### **33. The Moon: A Celebration of Our Celestial Neighbour**

by Royal Observatory Greenwich

Pre-order  
\$32.95

Written by the Royal Observatory's leading astronomers and moon experts, this landmark work explores man's fascination with our only natural satellite. Learn how we started to observe the Moon, how we used it to mark time and navigate, how lunar lore developed across the world, how the Chinese developed calendars and predicted eclipses. See how the Moon has influenced African art, and also acted as a muse for artists in other parts of the world in a variety of media. Also explore our relationship with the Moon as telescopes, photography, and film progressed, and how the Moon and space programs have influenced fashion, toys and culture. And consider how the Moon has not escaped geopolitics, with various treaties being signed in relation to space debris.

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Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Moonstruck-Scientific-Cultural-History-Moon/dp/0008282463/>

Publisher: <https://collins.co.uk/products/9780008282462>

**Note: release in the UK is slated for June 27, 2019.**

### **34. Make 100: The Apollo 11 Flight Plan 50th Anniversary Reprint.**

To restore and reprint the original 1969 Apollo 11 flight plan in honor of the 50th anniversary of the moon landing.

In the early 1960s, America was in the midst of a quest to land a man on the moon. It all began with President John F. Kennedy's address to Congress on May 25, 1961, when he proposed a national goal of "landing a man on the Moon and returning him safely to the Earth" by the end of the 1960s. The Apollo 11 mission accomplished this goal on July 20, 1969. Astronauts Neil Armstrong and Edwin "Buzz" Aldrin landed their lunar module on the moon and took those first historic steps on the surface.....and 2019 marks the 50th anniversary of that mission.

It took years of preparation and the culminated efforts of an estimated 400,000 Americans to make this dream a reality.

The details involved in undertaking such an unprecedented mission were immense. The original flight plan that these astronauts used illustrates just how well-structured the planning was, down to the minutes and seconds of every stage of the journey.

This original flight plan has now been restored and - with your support - will be reprinted in various editions to celebrate the 50th anniversary of this monumental accomplishment.

NB: Project financed through a Kickstarter campaign. Details can be found here:  
[https://www.kickstarter.com/projects/constancemetzinger/make-100-the-apollo-11-flight-plan-50th-anniversar?ref=project\\_email](https://www.kickstarter.com/projects/constancemetzinger/make-100-the-apollo-11-flight-plan-50th-anniversar?ref=project_email)

## NOT APOLLO 11 SPECIFIC – But related

### **1. First Man - The Annotated Screenplay**

by Josh Singer (Author), James R. Hansen (Author)

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On the heels of their six-time Academy Award®-winning smash, La La Land, Oscar®-winning director Damien Chazelle and star Ryan Gosling reteam for Universal Pictures' First Man, the riveting story of NASA's mission to land a man on the moon, focusing on Neil Armstrong and the years 1961-1969. A visceral, first-person account, based on the book by James R. Hansen, the movie explores the sacrifices and the cost--on Armstrong and on the nation--of one of the most dangerous missions in history.

First Man: The Annotated Screenplay is the official companion to the movie, and features a wealth of stunning photography, alongside the full shooting script.

Academy Award®-winning screenwriter Josh Singer (Spotlight) and James R. Hansen, whose book First Man is the only authorized biography of Armstrong, provide an in-depth commentary on the challenges of dramatizing a fact-based historical motion picture. Exclusive annotations separate those facts from the dramatic fictions the filmmakers utilized, as well as explain the overarching dramatic choices made in telling the story of the man behind the icon.

#### Product details

Hardcover: 240 pages  
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Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/First-Man-Screenplay-Josh-Singer/dp/1785659995/>

Publisher: <https://titanbooks.com/9723-first-man-the-annotated-screenplay/>

### **2. The Race to the Moon Chronicled in Stamps, Postcards, and Postmarks: A Story of Puffery vs. the Pragmatic** (Springer Praxis Books)

by Umberto Cavallaro (Author)

Pre-order

\$34.99

The story of the famed race to the Moon between the US and the USSR has been told countless times. The strategies of these two superpowers have often been paralleled in a way that highlights their fight for dominance and efforts to develop needed new technologies. This book will show how beneath these surface similarities, the two competing nations employed very different core tactics. It provides a new perspective of the history of the space race by analyzing that history through philately - that is, from the images on postage stamps, post cards, and letters in circulation at that time. Through this fascinating historical visual record, the author shows how the propaganda-heavy approach of the USSR eventually lost out to the more pragmatic approach of the United States.

Product details

Series: Springer Praxis Books

Paperback: 338 pages

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Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Race-Chronicled-Stamps-Postcards-Postmarks/dp/3319921525/>

### **3. NASA Archives**

by Chaikin Andrew (Author), Piers Bizony (Editor)

\$150

To Infinity and Beyond Journey through the U.S. space program's fascinating pictorial history On October 1, 1958, the world's first civilian space agency opened for business as an emergency response to the Soviet Union's launch of Sputnik a year earlier. Within a decade, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, universally known as NASA, had evolved from modest research teams experimenting with small converted rockets into one of the greatest technological and managerial enterprises ever known, capable of sending men to the moon aboard gigantic

rockets and of dispatching robot explorers to Venus, Mars, and worlds far beyond. In spite of occasional, tragic setbacks in NASA's story, the Apollo moon project remains a byword for American ingenuity; its winged space shuttles spearheaded the International Space Station and its dazzling array of astronomical satellites, robotic landers, and earth sciences programs have transformed our understanding of the cosmos, and our home world's fragile place within it.

Throughout NASA's 60-year history, images have played a central role. Who today is not familiar with the Hubble Space Telescope's mesmerizing views of the universe, or the pin-sharp panoramas of Mars from NASA's surface rovers? And who could forget the photographs of men walking on the moon?

Researched and edited in collaboration with NASA, this collection gathers more than 500 historic photographs and rare concept renderings, scanned and re-mastered using the latest technology, and reproduced with black matte borders that protect the pages from fingerprints. Texts by science and technology journalist Piers Bizony, former NASA chief historian Roger Launius, and best-selling Apollo historian Andrew Chaikin round out this comprehensive exploration of NASA, spanning from its earliest days to its current development of new space systems for the future.

The NASA Archives is more than just a fascinating pictorial history of the U.S. space program. It is also a profound meditation on why we choose to explore space, and how we will carry on this grandest of all adventures in the years to come.

Text in English, French, and German

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#### **4. Houston, Space City USA (Sara and John Lindsey Series in the Arts and Humanities)**

by Ray Viator (Author)

Pre-order  
\$37.00

On July 20, 1969, humanity paused with attention locked to television and radio broadcasts as the astronauts of the Apollo 11 mission dramatically touched down on the dusty face of the moon. The first word from the lunar surface: Houston.

Houston, Space City USA is a visual celebration of the city's historic ties to the US human space program. When President Kennedy declared, "We choose to go to the moon in this decade and do the other things, not because they are easy, but because they are hard," he did so from the campus of Rice University. More than half a century later, Houston continues to serve as the nerve center of the American human space program.

Author and photographer Ray Viator, a longtime Houstonian, has lovingly captured the spirit of a city's devotion to space exploration from then to now. Using striking photographs of the full moon as a visual motif of Houston's connection to spaceflight, Viator also weaves together historic images to show how former cow pastures transformed into mission control. Some connections are obvious—the Houston Astros or the Houston Rockets. Others are hidden in plain sight, like the arm patches on the uniform of every Houston police officer that read, "Space City U.S.A." Viator's lens captures this and more.

Houston, Space City USA not only marks the important milestone of the first lunar landing, but it also helps readers discover and rediscover a city's constellation of connections to one of humankind's greatest achievements.

#### Product details

Series: Sara and John Lindsey Series in the Arts and Humanities (Book 20)

Hardcover: 224 pages

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Language: English

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Publisher: <https://www.tamupress.com/book/9781623497729/houston-space-city-usa/>

### **5. Honeysuckle Creek: The Story of Tom Reid, a Little Dish and Neil Armstrong's First Step**

by Andrew Tink (Author)

Pre-order

\$34.99

Honeysuckle Creek reveals the pivotal role that the tracking station at Honeysuckle Creek, near Canberra, played in the first moon landing. Andrew Tink gives a gripping account of the role of its director Tom Reid and his colleagues in transmitting some of the most-watched images in human history as Neil Armstrong took his first step. Part biography and part personal history, this book makes a serious contribution to Australia's role in space exploration and reveals a story unknown until now. As Christopher Columbus Kraft Jr, the director of flight operations for Apollo 11, acknowledged: 'The name Honeysuckle Creek and the excellence which is implied by that name will always be remembered and recorded in the annals of manned space flight'.

#### Product details

Paperback: 272 pages

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Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Honeysuckle-Creek-Story-Little-Armstrongs/dp/1742236081/>

### **6. The Final Orbit: Apollo and Space Shuttle: Australia's Orroral Valley Space Tracking Station and the End of Ground-based Manned Space Flight Tracking**

by Philip Clark (Author)

£42.99

This book provides a unique opportunity to look inside the world of manned space flight tracking through the eyes of a man who was at the heart of it for over twenty years. It combines the personal touch of a memoir with the presentation of a wealth of technical information, which is not available anywhere else.

What is presented here preserves history, and ensures that the remarkable achievements of the tracking of manned space flight are remembered.

Discover how manned spaceflights were tracked from ground stations after the closure of the Manned Space Flight Network in 1972, and gain an insight into how the tracking processes grew and evolved through a review of some early history of the field.

The book is extensively illustrated, with preserved documents as well as photographs from the history of the station.

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## **7. The Color of the Moon: Lunar Painting in American Art**

by Laura L. Vookles (Editor), Bartholomew F. Bland (Editor), Stella Paul (Contributor), Ted Barrow (Contributor), Melissa Martins Yaverbaum (Contributor)

Pre-order  
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The moon?its face, color, and power?threads through the tapestry of American landscape painting. The moon holds timeless allure for artists and is beloved by viewers of paintings everywhere. The Hudson River Museum has organized *The Color of Moon: Lunar Painting in American Art*?the first major museum examination of the moon in American visual arts from the 19th through the 20th century. The exhibition, accompanied by a catalog, appears at the Hudson River Museum and the James A. Michener Art Museum in 2019, and its timely presentation celebrates the 50th anniversary of the Apollo 11 Mission when, in 1969, American astronauts stepped onto the surface of the moon

*The Color of the Moon* reveals the longing romanticism for this celestial body in the shimmering silver moonscapes of 19th-century artists?Thomas Cole, Father of the Hudson River School, Jasper Cropsey, Frederic Church, Albert Bierstadt, Susie M. Barstow, George Inness, Edward Bannister, Ralph Blakelock, Winslow Homer, and Childe Hassam. Scientific inquiry stimulated the thirst for moonlight for the exhibition's 20th-century artists, among them?George Ault, Arthur Dove, Charles Burchfield, Edward Steichen, Oscar Bleumner, Agnes Pelton, Marguerite Zorach, Norman Rockwell, Joseph Cornell, and Jamie Wyeth, who explore abstractions of a full moon as the perfect orb, while tapping into its spiritual possibilities. Other artists show our race toward space, as we cling to our age-old attraction to the chill, distant moon always in our sky.

The Hudson River Museum, Fordham University Press, and the Michener Art Museum are joint publishers of the lavishly-illustrated, 200-page catalog, *The Color of the Moon: Lunar Painting in American Art*. In engaging essays author Stella Paul maps the colors of the moon; catalog

co-editors Bartholomew Bland and Laura Vookles explore Hudson River School and Modernist moonscapes and their cultural resonance; and curators Melissa Martens Yaverbaum and Ted Barrow sight the moon's passage and allure in art of the Gilded and Space Ages.

The exhibition and catalog have been made possible by a generous grant by the Mr. and Mrs. Raymond J. Horowitz Foundation for the Arts, Inc.

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### **8. The Space-Age Presidency of John F. Kennedy: A Rare Photographic History**

by John Bisney (Author), J. L. Pickering (Author), Christopher C. Kraft Jr. (Foreword)

\$45.00

This engaging and unprecedented work captures the compelling story of John F. Kennedy's role in advancing the United States' space program, set against the Cold War with the Soviet Union. The stunning collection of history and photographs crafted by authors John Bisney and J. L. Pickering illustrates Kennedy's close association with the race to space during his legendary time in office. In addition to the exhaustive research and rare photographs, the authors have also included excerpts from Kennedy's speeches, news conferences, and once-secret White House recordings to provide the reader with more context through the president's own words. While Kennedy did not live to see the fruition of many of the endeavors he supported, his legacy lives on in many ways--many of which are captured in this important work.

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## **9. Manned Lunar Landing And Return: Project Mallar - the lost story of Apollo**

by Robert Godwin

Even fifty years later there are still important stories waiting to be told about how humans first walked on another world; such as the one in this book.

Take a trip back to the 1950s when the Chance Vought Company, builders of some of America's top fighter aircraft, were quietly figuring out how to get men to the moon using something they called Project MALLAR.

It is the story of a team of engineers who built some of the most sophisticated space simulators in the world, where almost all of the Mercury and Gemini astronauts learned the art of spaceflight. This same team produced the first serious plan to use modular spacecraft and a technique called Lunar Orbit Rendezvous to make it possible to get to the moon.

This book also reveals how for several years rocket genius Wernher von Braun overlooked his own ideas, before having them reintroduced back to him because of Project MALLAR, and how Vought's fighter aircraft weaved in and out of the Apollo story and then contributed to almost every major airliner in the sky today.

Included are rare illustrations, some from recently declassified reports, of the earliest designs for the rockets and spacecraft that led to the greatest technological achievement in human history.

In Manned Lunar Landing And Return, Robert Godwin takes the reader back to the time long before President Kennedy made his famous proclamation to reach for the moon and reveals one critical thread in the trail of genius which ended in the Sea of Tranquility.

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## **10. American Moonshot: John F. Kennedy and the Great Space Race**

by Douglas Brinkley (Author)

\$35.00

As the fiftieth anniversary of the first lunar landing approaches, the award winning historian and perennial New York Times bestselling author takes a fresh look at the space program, President John F. Kennedy's inspiring challenge, and America's race to the moon.

“We choose to go to the Moon in this decade and do the other things, not because they are easy, but because they are hard; because that goal will serve to organize and measure the best of our energies and skills, because that challenge is one that we are willing to accept, one we are unwilling to postpone, and one we intend to win.”—President John F. Kennedy

On May 25, 1961, JFK made an astonishing announcement: his goal of putting a man on the moon by the end of the decade. In this engrossing, fast-paced epic, Douglas Brinkley returns to the 1960s to recreate one of the most exciting and ambitious achievements in the history of humankind. *American Moonshot* brings together the extraordinary political, cultural, and scientific factors that fueled the birth and development of NASA and the Mercury, Gemini and Apollo projects, which shot the United States to victory in the space race against the Soviet Union at the height of the Cold War.

Drawing on new primary source material and major interviews with many of the surviving figures who were key to America's success, Brinkley brings this fascinating history to life as never before. *American Moonshot* is a portrait of the brilliant men and women who made this giant leap possible, the technology that enabled us to propel men beyond earth's orbit to the moon and return them safely, and the geopolitical tensions that spurred Kennedy to commit himself fully to this audacious dream. Brinkley's ensemble cast of New Frontier characters include rocketeer Wernher von Braun, astronaut John Glenn and space booster Lyndon Johnson.

A vivid and enthralling chronicle of one of the most thrilling, hopeful, and turbulent eras in the nation's history, *American Moonshot* is an homage to scientific ingenuity, human curiosity, and the boundless American spirit.

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## **11. Apollo Expeditions to the Moon: The 50th Anniversary Edition (Dover Books on Astronomy)**

by Edgar M. Cortright (Author), Paul Dickson (Introduction)

\$50.00

This special edition of *Apollo Expeditions to the Moon*, an official NASA publication, commemorates the fiftieth anniversary of the July 20, 1969, Moon landing with a thrilling insider's view of the space program. Essays by participants — engineers, astronauts, and administrators — recall the program's unprecedented challenges. Written in direct, jargon-free language, this compelling adventure features more than 160 dazzling color photographs and scores of black-and-white illustrations.

Insights into management challenges as well as its engineering feats include contributions from Michael Collins, Buzz Aldrin, Alan Shepard, and other astronauts; NASA administrator James E. Webb; Christopher C. Kraft, head of the Mission Control Center; and engineer Wernher von Braun. Their informative, exciting narratives explore the issues that set the United States on the path to the Moon, offer perspectives on the program's legacy, and examine the particulars of individual missions. Journalist Robert Sherrod chronicles the selection and training of astronauts. James Lovell, commander of the ill-fated Apollo 13, recounts the damaged ship's dramatic return to Earth. Geologist and Apollo 17 astronaut Harrison Schmitt discusses the lunar expeditions' rich harvest of scientific information. These and other captivating firsthand accounts form an ideal introduction to the historic U.S. space program as well as fascinating reading for all ages.

This new expanded edition includes a chronology of the Apollo project, additional photographs, and a new Introductory Essay by historian Paul Dickson that offers a modern retrospective of the Moon landing, discussing its place in the world of space exploration and its impact on American history and culture.

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## **12. Limiting Outer Space: Astroculture After Apollo**

by Alexander C.T. Geppert (Editor)

\$100

## From the Back Cover

Limiting Outer Space propels the historicization of outer space by focusing on the Post-Apollo period. After the Apollo moon landings, disillusionment set in. With the return of the last astronaut in 1972, the skies – rather than the distant stars – once again became the limit. No longer considered the inevitable destination of human expansion, outer space lost much of the popular appeal, cultural significance and political urgency that it had gained since the end of the Second World War. With the rapid waning of the worldwide Apollo frenzy, the optimism of the Space Age gave way to an era of planetized limits. Bringing together the history of European astroculture and American-Soviet spaceflight with recent scholarship on the 1970s, the thirteen chapters in this cutting-edge volume examine the reconfiguration of space imaginaries from a multiplicity of disciplinary perspectives. Rather than invoking oft-repeated narratives of Cold War rivalry and an escalating Space Race between East and West, Limiting Outer Space breaks new ground by exploring a hitherto underrated and understudied decade, the Post-Apollo period.

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### **13. Apollo's Legacy: The Space Race in Perspective**

by Roger D. Launius

An all-encompassing look at the history and enduring impact of the Apollo space program

In Apollo's Legacy, space historian Roger D. Launius explores the many different stories told about the Apollo program's meaning. In 1961, President John F. Kennedy challenged the United States to land astronauts on the Moon by the end of the decade; NASA met that challenge with

the Apollo program. Apollo astronauts managed to both make a total of 11 spaceflights and walk on the Moon. The program was the first time human beings had left Earth's orbit and visited another world.

Launius examines whether the dominant story of the missions--one of American triumph, exceptionality, and success--is an accurate portrayal. He explores many beliefs stemming from this American "exceptionalist" narrative, including the idea that it yielded extensive space technology advances; that the astronauts were heroes, celebrities, and even embodiments of American virtues; and that we gained an extensive knowledge of the Moon through the Apollo program. Taking into account other, more critical perspectives and situating the program in its cultural context, Launius offers a nuanced take on Apollo. Throughout the book, Launius weaves in stories from important moments in Apollo's history to draw readers into his analysis. Apollo's Legacy is a must-read for space buffs looking to get a new angle on a beloved cultural moment.

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### **14. A Moon Watch Story: The Extraordinary Destiny of the Omega Speedmaster.**

by G.R.A.M. (Author)

\$50.00

One small step for a man, a giant leap for mankind and an extraordinary destiny for the watch that accompanied man's first steps on the Moon, thereby becoming the greatest icon in watchmaking history: the Omega Speedmaster 'Moonwatch'.

Introduced to the public by Omega in 1957, the Speedmaster was designed for mainly sporting purposes, such as in motor racing. However, its fate took a completely different turn in the early 1960s. Astronauts going to space, some of whom wore a Speedmaster for private use, wanted to be officially equipped with a reliable, accurate and resistant watch. For this reason, NASA undertook a series of rigorous tests in extreme conditions in 1964 to select the best chronograph to accompany them on their space missions. The Omega Speedmaster won these tests and was officially certified ('Flight Qualified for All Manned Space Missions') by NASA on 1 March 1965 for the Gemini project. It was in July 1969 that it truly made history, serving the astronauts

of the Apollo 11 mission (Neil Armstrong, Buzz Aldrin and Michael Collins) for man's first steps on the Moon.

This book retraces an extraordinary epic and the evolution of a unique and timeless watch which, from its beginnings in 1957 through to the current models, has remained endlessly fascinating.

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### **15. Chasing the Moon: The Story of the Space Race - from Arthur C. Clarke to the Apollo landings and the Space Shuttle**

by Robert Stone (Author), Alan Andres (Author)

£20.00

Chasing the Moon thoroughly reimagines the race to the moon, upending much of the conventional mythology. With newly revealed stories about the moon race, from its earliest days to the monumental achievement of the lunar landing in 1969, the book features a diverse cast of characters who played key roles in these historic events.

Utilising a wealth of previously overlooked and lost archival material, much of which has never before been revealed to the public, the Space Age is recast as a fascinating stew of scientific innovation, political calculation, media spectacle, visionary impulses and personal drama in this fascinating new book.

Among those included are astronauts Buzz Aldrin, Frank Borman and Bill Anders; Sergei Khrushchev, son of the former Soviet premier and a leading Soviet rocket engineer; Poppy Northcutt, a 25-year old 'mathematics whiz' who gained worldwide attention as the first woman to serve in the all-male bastion of NASA's Mission Control; and Ed Dwight, the Air Force pilot selected by the Kennedy administration to train as America's first black astronaut.

- Published to coincide with a four-hour documentary series about the space race, which will premiere on PBS in the US (distribution outside the US is handled by PBS International) in 2019 during the 50th anniversary year of the Apollo 11 moon landing.

- Written by Robert Stone, producer and director of the documentary series, and writer/researcher Alan Andres.

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### **16. Chasing the Moon: The People, the Politics, and the Promise That Launched America into the Space Age**

by Robert L. Stone (Author), Alan Andres (Author)

Pre-order

\$35.00

An iconic young president issued the historic moon landing challenge. This book, which greatly expands the companion PBS series, tell the stories of the visionaries--based on eyewitness accounts and newly discovered archival material--who helped America win the space race with the first lunar landing fifty years ago.

In 1960, Senator John F. Kennedy ridiculed the idea of space travel as a colossal waste of money with no scientific importance. A year later the new president proposed the nation spend twenty billion dollars to land a man on the moon before the end of the decade. More than a story of engineers and astronauts, America's moon landing--now celebrating its 50th anniversary--grew out of the dreams of a handful of people whose work led to the lunar landing. Going in depth to explore their stories beyond the PBS series, writer/producer Robert Stone--called "one of our most important documentary film makers" by Entertainment Weekly--brings these important figures to brilliant life. They include:

- \* Science fiction author Arthur C. Clarke, whose writing inspired some of the key players in the moon race. He also proposed an idea to the FCC that helped the U.S. beat Russia in one area of space: communications satellites.

- \* Werner von Braun, the former Nazi military genius who oversaw Hitler's rocket weapons program. Recruited to work for NASA, he managed the creation of the Saturn V moon rocket.
- \* Astronaut Frank Borman, whose powerful testimony before Congress in 1967 decisively saved the U.S. lunar program from being cut.
- \* Poppy Northcutt, a young mathematician who was the first woman to work in Mission Control. Her appearance in popular ad campaigns allowed her the freedom to stand up for equal rights for women and minorities.
- \* Edward Dwight, the single African-American Apollo astronaut candidate, wanted by the Kennedy White House to promote public support for Civil Rights legislation and to boost the image of America in the "Third World." Famous for a brief time, he was then dropped from the program.

Setting these key players in the political, social, and cultural climate of the time, and including captivating photos throughout, *Chasing the Moon* tells a unique, multifaceted history through a combination of new eyewitness accounts and recently discovered archival material.

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**17. The Moon: A History for the Future** (Economist Books)  
 by Oliver Morton (Author), The Economist (Author)

\$27.00

An intimate, profound portrait of the Earth's closest neighbor from an award-winning science writer and Economist senior editor

Every generation has looked towards the heavens and wondered at the beauty of the Moon. Fifty years ago, a few Americans became the first to do the reverse---and Earth-bound audiences shared their view of their own planet hanging in the sky instead.

In this short but wide-ranging book, Oliver Morton explores the history and future of humankind's relationship with the Moon from the earliest astronomers such as van Eyck and

Galileo through the first space flights and anticipating next phase of our interaction with the Moon, as a portal and stepping stone to further space exploration. The Moon's gentle light has spoken of love and loneliness; its battered surface of death and the cosmic. For some, it is a future on which humankind has turned its back. For others, an adventure yet to begin.

Advanced technologies, new ambitions and old dreams mean that men, women and robots now seem certain to return to the Moon. What will they learn there about the universe, the Earth-and themselves? And, this time, will they stay?

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### **18. From the Earth to the Moon (Dover Thrift Editions)**

by Jules Verne (Author)

\$6.00

Nearly a century before NASA, a visionary novelist wrote this adventure classic about an international space race. Jules Verne's eerily prophetic fantasy unfolds at the close of the Civil War, as three artillerymen resolve to build a gun big enough to propel a manned rocket to the moon. Enlivened by broad satire, this rollicking tale recounts the launch of three astronauts from a Florida peninsula and their return to Earth in a splash landing.

Acclaimed as "the man who invented the future," Verne wrote with uncanny accuracy about space, air, and underwater travel long before they were real possibilities. A pioneer of science fiction, he endowed his stories with a freshness and verve that keep them vital for modern readers. This edition features an excellent translation from the original French publication by Verne's foremost interpreter, Edward Roth, and 17 enchanting illustrations.

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Paperback: 240 pages  
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### **19. John F. Kennedy: From Florida to the Moon (Images of Modern America)**

by Raymond P Sinibaldi

It was September 12, 1962, when Pres. John F. Kennedy delivered a speech at Rice University before nearly 50,000 people. By that time, America had launched but four men into space--the suborbital flights of Alan Shepard and Gus Grissom and the nearly identical three-orbit journeys of John Glenn and Scott Carpenter. Buoyed by the success of those missions and cognizant of the danger that lay ahead, the president rearticulated his vision and reissued his challenge to reach the moon before 1970. "We choose to go to the moon, in this decade and do the other things, not because they are easy, but because they are hard. Because that goal will serve to organize and measure the best of our energies and skills." The assassination of President Kennedy, in the words of flight director Gene Kranz, turned his vision into a "quest to do it and do it in the time frame he allotted." On July 20, 1969, Neil Armstrong stepped off the ladder of the lunar module known as Eagle, taking "one small step for man, one giant leap for mankind."

#### Product details

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### **20. The Eagle Has Landed: 50 Years of Lunar Science Fiction**

by Neil Clarke (Editor)

\$34.99

In celebration of the 50th anniversary of the Apollo 11 landing, the endlessly-mysterious moon is explored in this reprint short science fiction anthology from award-winning editor and anthologist Neil Clarke (Clarkesworld, The Best Science Fiction of the Year).

On July 20, 1969, mankind made what had only years earlier seemed like an impossible leap forward: when Apollo 11 became the first manned mission to land on the moon, and Neil Armstrong the first person to step foot on the lunar surface.

While there have only been a handful of new missions since, the fascination with our planet's satellite continues, and generations of writers and artists have imagined the endless possibilities of lunar life. From adventures in the vast gulf of space between the earth and the moon, to journeys across the light face to the dark side, to the establishment of permanent residences on its surface, science fiction has for decades given readers bold and forward-thinking ideas about our nearest interstellar neighbor and what it might mean to humankind, both now and in our future.

The Eagle Has Landed collects the best stories written in the fifty years since mankind first stepped foot on the lunar surface, serving as a shining reminder that the moon is and always has been our most visible and constant example of all the infinite possibility of the wider universe.

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Publisher: <http://www.nightshadebooks.com/book/the-eagle-has-landed/#.XN7eoaRS-Uk>

### **21. Tintin and the Moon: Destination Moon & Explorers on the Moon (The Adventures of Tintin)**

by Hergé

\$29.99

Celebrate Tintin's 90th anniversary and the 50th anniversary of the moon landing in this stellar volume including Destination Moon and Explorers on the Moon. This is the first time these two stories have been collected together in an oversized, luxe hardcover edition that features a stunning new cover and lavish silver spine.

Sixteen years before the first man walked on the moon, Tintin arrived at the satellite's secret space station to do some galactic detective work.

#### Destination Moon:

Tintin, the world's most famous traveling reporter discovers that Professor Calculus is building a space rocket. Tintin and Captain Haddock are amazed to find that Professor Calculus is planning a top-secret project from the Sprodj Atomic Research Centre in Syldavia. And before our intrepid hero knows it, the next stop on this adventure is...space.

### Explorers on the Moon:

Following on from the events of Destination Moon, Tintin finds himself in a rocket on a collision course with the moon. And with Snowy the dog, Captain Haddock, Professor Calculus and the Thompson twins aboard, things quickly spiral further and further out of control.

### Product details

Age Range: 10 - 13 years

Grade Level: Preschool and up

Series: The Adventures of Tintin

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Publisher: Little, Brown Books for Young Readers (July 9, 2019)

Language: English

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Publisher: <https://www.lbyr.com/titles/herge-herge/tintin-and-the-moon/9780316494823/>

## **22. Returning People to the Moon After Apollo - Will It Be Another Fifty Years?**

Authors: Norris, Pat

- Adopts a much larger chronological perspective than most other Apollo books in analyzing why there have been no further human missions to the Moon in the intervening five decades
- Provides an objective and realistic assessment of modern space projects aimed at sending humans to the Moon
- Offers an insider's expert account of the evolving space industry

July 2019 marks 50 years since Neil Armstrong took his famous first steps on the surface of the Moon. As people celebrate the anniversary of this great American achievement, they might wonder why there have been no further human missions to the Moon since the last Apollo mission (Apollo 17) in 1972 – none from the United States or any other country.

This book assesses the technical legacy of the Apollo missions based on the 50 years of space developments since the program's end. The question “Why haven’t there been more human missions to the Moon?” is explored through a multidisciplinary approach that weaves together technological and historical perspectives. The nine manned Apollo missions, including the six that landed on the Moon, are described here by an author who has 50 years of experience in the space industry and whose work spanned the Apollo 8-13 Missions. This historical backdrop will inform the final section of the book, which provides a comprehensive assessment of today’s programs and current plans for sending humans to the Moon.

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Amazon.com: <https://www.amazon.com/Returning-People-Moon-After-Apollo/dp/3030149145/>

### **23. Dear Neil Armstrong: Letters to the First Man on the Moon (Aeronautics and Astronautics)**

by James R. Hansen (Editor)

\$32.99

In the years between the historic first moon landing by Apollo 11 on July 20, 1969, and his death at age 82 on August 25, 2002, Neil Armstrong received hundreds of thousands of cards and letters from all over the world, congratulating him, praising him, requesting pictures and autographs, and asking him what must have seemed to him to be limitless—and occasionally intrusive—questions. Of course, all the famous astronauts received fan mail, but the sheer volume Armstrong had to deal with for more than four decades after his moon landing was staggering.

Today, the preponderance of those letters—some 75,000 of them—are preserved in the archives at Purdue University in West Lafayette, Indiana. *Dear Neil Armstrong: Letters to the First Man on the Moon* publishes a careful sampling of these letters—roughly 400—reflecting the various kinds of correspondence that Armstrong received along with representative samples of his replies. Selected and edited by James R. Hansen, Armstrong’s authorized biographer and author of the New York Times best seller *First Man: The Life of Neil A. Armstrong*, this collection sheds light on Armstrong’s enduring impact and offers an intimate glimpse into the cultural meanings of human spaceflight. Readers will explore what the thousands of letters to Neil Armstrong meant not only to those who wrote them, but as a snapshot of one of humankind’s greatest achievements in the twentieth century. They will see how societies and cultures projected their own meanings onto one of the world’s great heroes and iconic figures.

#### Product details

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Hardcover: 400 pages  
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