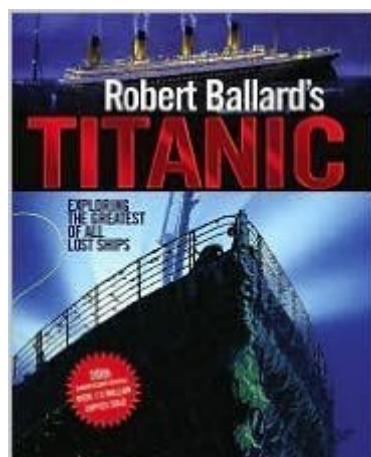


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# Robert Ballard's Titanic: Exploring The Greatest Of All Lost Ships



## Synopsis

Synopsis On a cold April night in 1912, the magnificent new liner R.M.S. Titanic struck an iceberg and sank beneath the icy waters of the North Atlantic. The following day the words "TITANIC LOST" shocked the world. Seventy-three years later, on September 1, 1985, the headlines would proclaim "TITANIC FOUND." For on that morning, Dr. Robert Ballard and a joint French/American expedition had located the legendary lost ship and had photographed her upright on the ocean floor. In the summer of 1986, Dr. Ballard returned to the Titanic and descended 2 1/2 miles in a tiny three-man submarine to explore the ghostly wreck. Actually landing on the deck of the ship, Ballard sent Jason Junior, his robotic "swimming eyeball," down the Grand Staircase to "see" glass chandeliers still hanging in place, unseen for three-quarters of a century. During eleven separate descents to the Titanic, Ballard and his team explored the entire ship -including the artifact-strewn debris field and severed stern section -and photographed her in remarkable detail. Robert Ballard's Titanic is the compelling, first-hand account of Dr. Ballard's twelve-year quest to find the sunken liner. With the help of rare archival pictures, charts, paintings and a 25- inch "photo-mosaic" of the ship, Dr. Ballard recounts the Titanic's fateful last night and describes the moment-by-moment drama of the expeditions that found and explored her. For the first time, the exact location of the Titanic is revealed and, finally, many of the mysteries that have surrounded her tragic fate are laid to rest.

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This was great for actual footage and good technically. However, I was after Ballard's personal

motivation and response to the challenges. This would be ideal for someone who is obsessed with the Titanic.

Titanic is a ship that nearly everyone has grown up knowing about it to some degree, whether its general talk or the movies or just general research on it. *Titanic: Exploring the Greatest of all Lost Ships* is a book written by Robert Ballard, the man who found the lost ship, through this discovery he became famous. After finding this hidden treasure of the deep, Robert put together this book, which I must say is a very informative toward his adventure. In this book Robert details the tale of his search, discovering and finally coming upon the ship itself. With his own personal story of finding the ship, he gives an accurate view of the life and the death of the ship as well. He gives historic facts and photographs in this book, and he was very thorough in his work here. He has artwork created by Ken Marschall, who was relatively unknown before this book, now becomes a common name. From his thousands of photos he has taken during his exploration of the ship he made montage after montage of the various ship sections. This book is a great informational source to learn accurate information about the ship, written by the man who found the ship sleeping in the depths of the ocean. Once again this is a great book.

Great coffee table book. great photos and very informative.

very well-written book

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