

# Albert Luthuli: A South African Anti-Apartheid Leader and Nobel Laureate

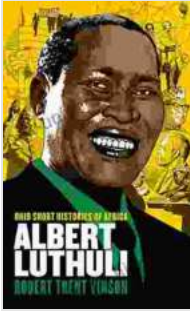


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Albert Luthuli was born on December 23, 1898, in Bulawayo, Rhodesia (now Zimbabwe). He was the son of a Zulu chief, and he grew up in a traditional Zulu village. Luthuli was educated at a mission school and later at a teacher training college. He began his teaching career in 1917, and he quickly became known for his dedication to his students and his commitment to social justice.

In 1936, Luthuli joined the African National Congress (ANC), a political organization that fought against the apartheid system of racial segregation and discrimination. Luthuli quickly rose through the ranks of the ANC, and he became president of the organization in 1952. During his time as president, Luthuli led the ANC in a series of non-violent protests against apartheid. He was arrested and imprisoned several times, but he never gave up his fight for justice.

In 1960, Luthuli was awarded the Nobel Peace Prize for his work in the struggle against apartheid. He was the first African to receive the Nobel Peace Prize, and his award brought international attention to the apartheid system. Luthuli continued to fight against apartheid until his death in 1967.

He was a tireless advocate for peace and justice, and his legacy continues to inspire people around the world.

Albert Luthuli was a remarkable man who dedicated his life to fighting for justice and equality. He was a true leader, and his unwavering commitment to non-violence and reconciliation is an inspiration to us all.

## **Legacy**

Albert Luthuli's legacy continues to inspire people around the world. He is remembered as a champion of peace and justice, and his work has had a profound impact on the fight against apartheid and other forms of discrimination.

The Albert Luthuli Foundation, founded in 1982, continues to promote Luthuli's legacy and work. The foundation supports a number of programs that promote human rights, democracy, and reconciliation.

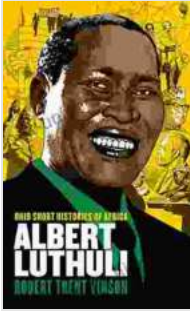
In 1994, the first democratic elections were held in South Africa. The new government named Luthuli as one of South Africa's national heroes. Luthuli's image is featured on the South African rand, and a number of schools, streets, and other public places have been named after him.

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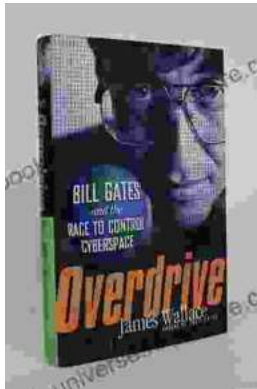
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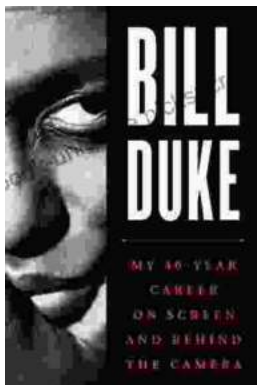


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