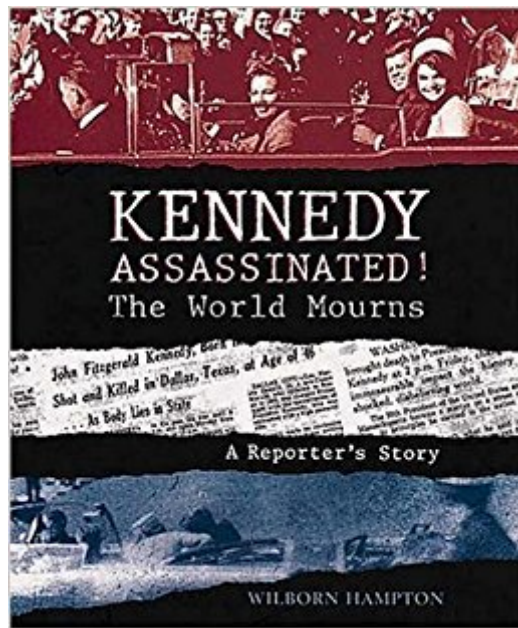




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# Kennedy Assassinated! The World Mourns: A Reporter's Story



## Synopsis

The astonishing story of a cub reporter who was there on the day that the President died. On November 22, 1963, the phone rang in the Dallas U.P.I. office. Wilborn Hampton, a cub reporter, answered and heard these words: "Three shots fired!" It was the voice of the U.P.I. White House reporter. The gunshots had been fired at President Kennedy—and young Hampton was the first to receive the news. This is his story, a riveting account of a young man swept into the white-hot core of a tragedy that would shake the world. It is also a minute-by-minute chronicle of how reporters collected the facts of the major news story of the twentieth century. KENNEDY ASSASSINATED! will leave readers with an unforgettable sense of the shock, grief, and enduring loss that every American experienced that day.

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"Hampton writes an engrossing blow-by-blow account of November 22, 1963, when, as a cub reporter for UPI, he was drafted to cover JFK's assassination," said PW in a Best Books citation. Ages 10-15. (Oct.)nCopyright 2001 Cahners Business Information, Inc. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

"Brings a shocking episode in American history vividly alive for a generation that was not yet born."

Takes you back to November 22, 1963, however, I expected more reporters' views. It does reveal

facts about that day that you would not know otherwise.

It was exactly as purported -- perfect for young adults, but also very interesting to someone who remembers that day.

Kennedy Assassinated was an awesome book. I think that this book is very incredible in detail because it gives you all details about how Kennedy survived his life and how he got through it all. I think that this book is awesome for anybody that can read. If you are interested in history then this is your kind of book. Please take this and remember that he was a good person but he lived a bad past. The best story element for this book would also be suspense. It tells you of what happens and how it all happens. Thank you for listening and I hope that it helped you.

Kennedy Assassinated is an awesome book. It is brief yet very interesting. This book allows you to experience Kennedy's death through the eyes of a reporter. I actually began to sweat. If you want to read about president Kennedy, this is a good book to start out with.

This book was very exciting I thought. It tells the story of the day that Kennedy was assassinated. I really liked this book because it was very exciting and has a great retelling of the event. It also had great allusion back to the future in a reporter's shoes. That's what I thought of the book.

Kennedy Assassinated was a great book. It taught me a lot of what happened to him. I gave this book five stars because I learned who shot Kennedy and where. My favorite part was when they were operating on him in emergency room one. They kept on trying to bring him back but he is gone. I really liked this book.

Wilborn Hampton does a great job of covering the tragedy in Dallas. It is written from a first-person perspective, and is a good example of a readable history.

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