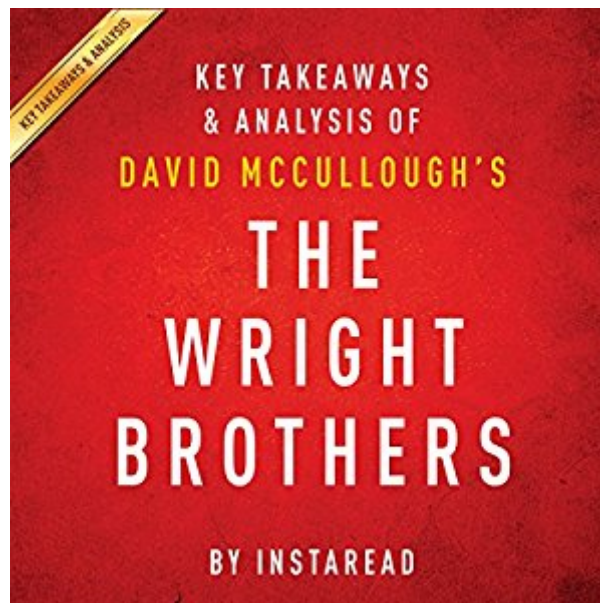




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# **The Wright Brothers By David McCullough: Key Takeaways & Analysis**



## Synopsis

David McCullough's *The Wright Brothers* is a detailed biographical account of Wilbur and Orville Wright and their journey and achievements in the early, burgeoning world of human aviation. A strong, close-knit family and a natural love for learning and tinkering set the Wright brothers on their path to historical greatness from a young age. Always rife with ingenuity, the Wright brothers preceded their flight endeavors as bicycle mechanics, owning their own successful shop in their hometown of Dayton, Ohio. They absorbed heavy amounts of aviation literature and theory and were inspired by the works of past innovators to solve the issues of human flight and break down the barrier between land and sky. Wilbur and Orville, who financed their experiments from their meager earnings at the bicycle shop, built their machines from engines, wings, and propellers they had to design and manufacture themselves.... Please note: This is key takeaways and analysis of the book and not the original book. Inside this Instaread Key Takeaways & Analysis of *The Wright Brothers*: Overview of the book Introduction to the important people in the book Key takeaways and analysis of key takeaways About the author: With Instaread, you can get the key takeaways and analysis of a book in 15 minutes. We read every chapter, summarize it, and analyze it for your convenience.

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For more than a millennium, the human race has been fascinated by the concept of flight and for only a small fragment of that time, mankind has been able to achieve such a feat. Names like Icarus, Neil Armstrong, Charles Lindbergh, Amelia Earhart, Leonardo da Vinci and the Wright

Brothers, to name a few, are synonymous when we think about flight. And no name comes to my mind more when I think of the achievement of flight than the Wright Brothers. What Orville and Wilbur Wright achieved at Kitty Hawk, NC has gone down in history as one of mankind's proudest achievements and in the Instaread book entitled "The Wright Brothers by David McCullough | Key Takeaways and Analysis," we are given a perfect overview into their lives. If you're like me and don't have a lot of free time in your life to read such a large biography like David McCullough's book (which I highly recommend you read anyhow, regardless of your schedule!) the Instaread is just as good of a read as you could hope for! In "Key Takeaways and Analysis," we are given, in just 29 short pages and 8 key takeaways, a great overview of the Wright Brothers, the people who helped make their dream a reality, the struggles and questions they found themselves faced with and overcame as well as a brief history of flight. I'd urge that even if you're not a huge biography reader but you're still interested in learning more on the Wright Brothers then give this book a chance and I assure you it will be worth your while!

The Wright Brothers by David McCullough is a fascinating book about the obstacles faced by the Wright Brothers in bringing the airplane to market and realizing the commercial potential of flight. The brothers worked out of a bicycle shop in Dayton, Ohio to realize the first flight in Kitty Hawk, North Carolina in 1903. The Wright Brothers studied birds in flight as many had done previously. People; such as, Leonardo da Vinci studied the mechanics of flight and even designed mechanical flying machines centuries before the Wright Brothers met with commercial success. Overall, this is a wonderful book on a popular milestone in American and Global History.

I've recently been using Instaread to help me with my post-secondary term papers. I was quite fascinated by the Wright Brothers and how they were so motivated and driven by what seemed impossible at the time. When it comes to this book, the 'Key Takeaways' are vital for helping me cut through the fluff, and flush out the important points. Not to mention, I'm not the fastest reader, so these really save me a ton-of-time. Despite if you're in school like me, or just want to save some time - this book will most certainly be beneficial to you.

I was not familiar with Instaread books and wrongly assumed this was David McCullough's book. This is not THE WRIGHT BROTHERS by David McCullough, it is a brief synopsis of the book (37 pages long). If you have been at all interested in the Wright Brothers you probably know most of

information that's in this publication. The book is okay but I don't think it is worth the money. Robert

A little disappointed. Thought there would be more would to it..

When you read this book you will know why the Wright brothers changed the world as we knew it, and the book should be called: The Wright Family. It was the family dynamic that gave us airo-flight. Love this book.

Not really very informative or descriptive. I will be very leary purchasing another book outline type again. Cliff notes this was not! Useless ..but for \$2.99 what do you expect?

I really enjoyed McCullough's book, "The Wright Brothers", and this was a good companion while reading it. Helps keep the facts straight.

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