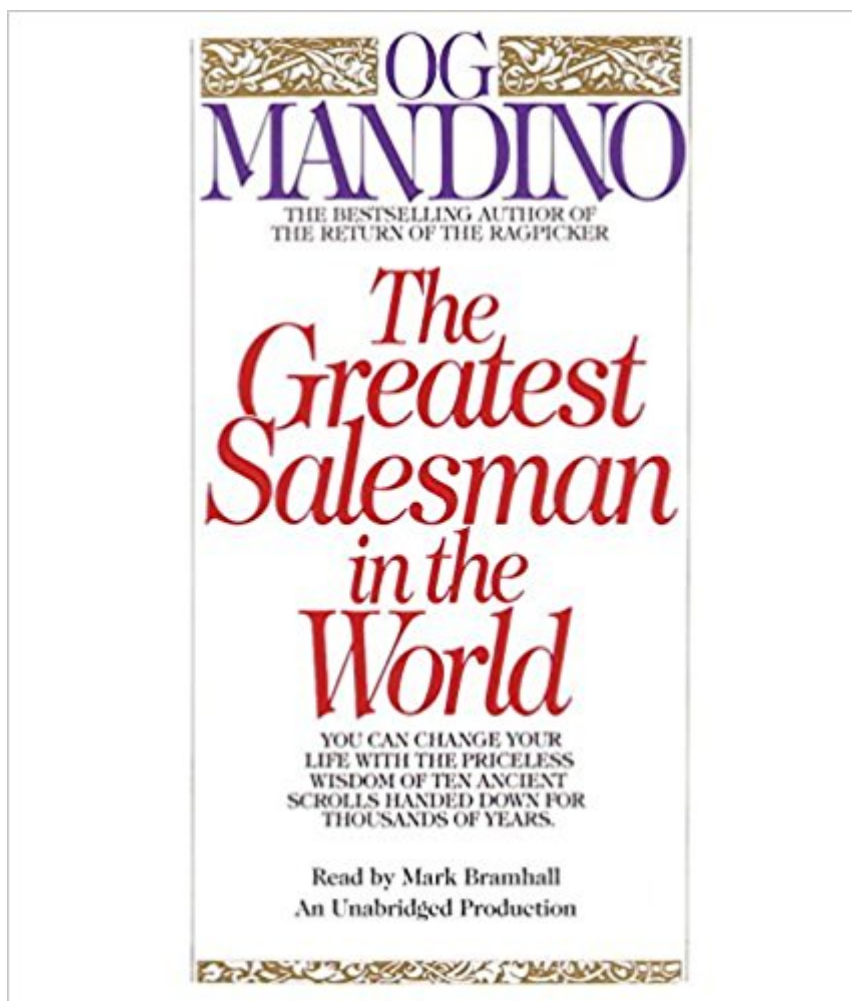


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# The Greatest Salesman In The World



## Synopsis

What you are today is not important . . . for in this runaway bestseller you will learn how to change your life by applying the secrets you are about to discover in the ancient scrolls. “I will persist until I succeed. I was not delivered into this world into defeat, nor does failure course in my veins. I am not a sheep waiting to be prodded by my shepherd. I am a lion and I refuse to talk, to walk, to sleep with the sheep. The slaughterhouse of failure is not my destiny. I will persist until I succeed.”

•From the ancient scroll marked III in *The Greatest Salesman in the World*

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## Customer Reviews

The Greatest Salesman in the World is a tiny book, and it is a treasure. First published in 1968, Og Mandino’s classic remains an invaluable guide to a philosophy of salesmanship. Mandino’s clear, simple writing style supports his purpose: to make the principles of sales known to a wide audience. A parable set in the time just prior to Christianity, The Greatest Salesman in the World weaves mythology with spirituality into a much needed message of inspiration in this culture of self-promotion. Mandino believes that to be a good salesperson, you must believe in yourself and the work you are doing. It is a simple but profound spiritual philosophy about how to succeed in the world’s marketplace, easily understood and easy to take to heart. --Jodie Buller --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

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•Dr. Louis Binstock, Rabbi, Temple Sholom, Chicago

“I like the story . . . I like the style . . . I like the book. Every salesman and members of his family should read it.

•W. Clement Stone, President, Combined Insurance Co. of America

“In my opinion, The Greatest Salesman in the World by Og Mandino will become a classic. I have published hundreds of books over the years but Og Mandino’s powerful message found a place in my innermost being. I am proud to be the publisher of this book.”  
•Frederick V. Fell

This book was recently recommended to me by the CEO of my company. I was skeptical that this book would read like a dry, sales self-help book but it did not.. I found myself making highlights on each page to reflect on. I am not a spiritual or religious person, but you don’t need to be to appreciate the message in this book. In my industry I deal with high-emotion customer service and I can’t wait to give copies of this to my staff!

I was yearning for a spectacle like it’s predecessor The Greatest Salesman in the World as I reached one fifth of the book I thought I would be disappointed but I wasn’t this is indeed a fitting end to the story, great words to live by and a great addition to my collection.

Great book not just for sales type people but in general for changing your daily outlook and attitude about life

This is an amazing read - quick but not lightweight; profound but not overwhelming. Some things you have known all of your life, but don’t consciously recognize until you see them illustrated before you. This book carries such examples, and is written on a level for anyone from teens to mature adults to both enjoy and learn from.

Are you having a hard time connecting to potential clients? Are you having a hard time getting "it" together? Are you having a time of self doubt? This book somehow deals with all of that. I don’t know how else to say this but take what’s in these pages and apply it to life and you will find ways to accomplish anything.

I had no idea what to expect, but I had read up on Og’s life and thought I’d see what he had to say. Though one would think it is about sales, it is more about a wonderful way to live life. How he incorporates meaningful events (to me) into the story is .....well, it’s beyond great! I hate to say too much as I dislike when someone writes a review and tells the story, so I will just say that you can’t lose getting this wonderful little book. It’s more a prescription for life itself, but with that being

said, it certainly can't hurt sales, which I just happen to be in!!

Everything you do in life, every time you reach for something you want, you "sell" someone on your idea, even if it's only to give you a chance, or to let you have what you want. I read this 30 years ago and with it was able to greatly improve my life. For those that take this seriously, it helps with coping skills and people skills.

I've read this book many, many times, and the Twelve Scrolls are worth the price alone. Og Mandino appeared at a convention I was attending some years ago. He told the story of his life, and most of us will never experience what he did--thank goodness. The very first time of reading it, my eyes were wet at the end. It affected me that much. And I was reading it on the beach at the time. Couldn't put it down. His sequel, Part 2, is on my Kindle now. It reads every bit as well and as meaningfully.

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