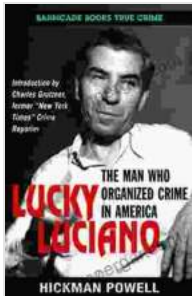


The Man Who Organized Crime In America: The Rise of Crime Boss Meyer Lansky



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Meyer Lansky was one of the most powerful and influential crime bosses in American history. He was born in Grodno, Russia, in 1902, and immigrated to the United States with his family in 1911. Lansky grew up in the Lower East Side of Manhattan, where he quickly became involved in street crime. By the age of 18, he had already been arrested for gambling, theft, and assault.

In the early 1920s, Lansky met Charles "Lucky" Luciano, who would become his lifelong partner in crime. Together, they founded the Murder Incorporated syndicate, which became one of the most feared criminal organizations in the country. Lansky also played a key role in the development of the National Crime Syndicate, which brought together the leaders of the country's most powerful crime families.

Lansky was a brilliant strategist and organizer, and he quickly rose through the ranks of the criminal underworld. He was known for his ruthlessness and his ability to outsmart his rivals. Lansky also had a keen sense of business, and he used his criminal empire to make millions of dollars.

In the 1930s, Lansky played a key role in the development of the gambling industry in Las Vegas. He helped to finance the construction of several casinos, and he also served as a consultant to the Nevada Gaming Commission. Lansky's influence in Las Vegas continued for decades, and he was known as one of the most powerful men in the city.

Lansky was also involved in a number of other criminal activities, including bootlegging, drug trafficking, and money laundering. He was a master of disguise, and he was able to evade law enforcement for decades. However, in 1973, Lansky was finally arrested and charged with racketeering. He was convicted and sentenced to 10 years in prison.

Lansky was released from prison in 1982, and he lived in Miami Beach until his death in 1983. He was 80 years old.

The Man Who Organized Crime In America is a fascinating and detailed biography of one of the most notorious criminals in American history. The book provides a unique insight into the world of organized crime, and it offers a chilling portrait of a man who was both brilliant and ruthless.

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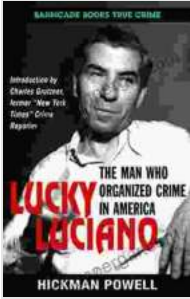
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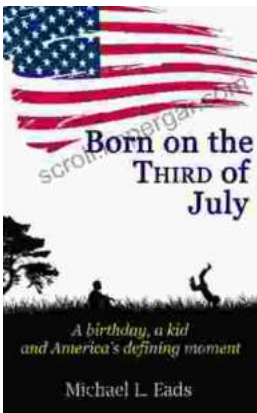


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