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History of Samoa Islands Misilugi Tulifau Tofaeono Tu'u'u 2002
Robert Louis Stevenson in Samoa Joseph Farrell 2019-05-14 Almost every adult and child is familiar with his Treasure Island, but few know that Robert Louis Stevenson lived out his last years on an equally remote island, which was squabbled over by colonial powers much as Captain Flint's treasure was contested by the mongrel crew of the Hispaniola. In 1890 Stevenson settled in Upolu, an island in Samoa, after two years sailing round the South Pacific. He was given a Samoan name and became a fierce critic of the interference of Germany, Britain and the U.S.A. in Samoan affairs - a stance that earned him Oscar Wilde's sneers, and brought him into conflict with the Colonial Office, who regarded him as a menace and even threatened him with expulsion from the island. Joseph Farrell's pioneering study of Stevenson's twilight years stands apart from previous biographies by giving as much weight to the Samoa and the Samoans - their culture, their manners, their history - as to the life and work of the man himself. For it is only by examining the full complexity of Samoa and the political situation it faced as the nineteenth century gave way to the twentieth, that Stevenson's lasting and generous contribution to its cause can be appreciated.

Quest for the Real Samoa Lowell D. Holmes 1988 Mr. Holmes' study is . . . the basic stuff of competent ethnography, that combination of science and art in which the details of daily life are systematically observed,

analyzed and constructed into a cultural account. . . He concludes that Margaret Mead was essentially correct in her depiction of coming of age in Samoa in 1925, concerned as she was to compare it with adolescence in the United States at that time. "New York Times Book Review" Thanks to Holmes' compelling review of the great debate, ' we see all these things] more clearly because he is acting as more than just an informed guide to the facts and the issues; he is providing an insightful exposition on the nature of anthropological inquiry. "Science Book & Films" *With Stevenson in Samoa* Harry Jay Moors 1910 Dedication to Bishop Grimes by the author.

Social Policies in Samoa Desmond U. Amosa 2012 Samoa is a role model in the Pacific region for its economic and social achievements. This in-depth study traces the history of government policy and examines the fundamentals underpinning the country's progress. It also examines how the fa'a Samoa, the culture, enabled the country to build resilience after crises in the 1990s.

Our Heritage, the Ocean Stephanie Wynne 2016 "This anthology presents the best of the English language entries in the inaugural Tusitala Short Story Competition, which was organized by the Samoa Observer in 2015. Authentic and diverse Pasefika voices from Samoa, the Cook islands, Fiji, American Samoa, Niue, New Zealand and Australia tell stories about things that matter to them. Narrators range from an unborn child to a great grandparent and everything in between while

themes cover many of the issues facing Pacific peoples today, regardless of where they live."--Back cover.

A Footnote to History Robert Louis Stevenson 1892 "The story I have to tell is still going on as I write [...] it is a piece of contemporary history in the most exact sense." -Robert Louis Stevenson, *A Footnote to History* (1887) *A Footnote to History: Eight Years of Trouble in Samoa* (1887), by Robert Louis Stevenson, describes 10 years (from 1882 to 1892) in the history of a civil war that Stevenson became involved with after moving to Samoa. During this conflict, three colonial powers—America, Germany, and Britain—battled for control of Samoa with the indigenous factions that struggled to preserve their ancient political system. This book is the author's attempt to analyze the "elements of discord" in Samoa, giving his writing the realism of front-line journalism.

Taumafa Samoa 2011 Introduces children to the preparation of traditional Samoan foods.

Samoa, a Hundred Years Ago and Long Before George Turner 1884

Elite Communication in Samoa Felix Maxwell Keesing 1956

American Samoa American Samoan Commission 1931

Modern Samoa Felix Maxwell Keesing 1934

Coconut Colonialism Holger Droessler 2022-01-11 A new history of globalization and empire at the crossroads of the Pacific. Located halfway between Hawai'i and Australia, the islands of Samoa have long been a center of Oceanian cultural and economic exchange. Accustomed to exercising agency in trade and diplomacy, Samoans found themselves enmeshed in a new form of globalization after missionaries and traders arrived in the middle of the nineteenth century. As the great powers of Europe and America competed to bring Samoa into their orbits, Germany and the United States eventually agreed to divide the islands for their burgeoning colonial holdings. In *Coconut Colonialism*, Holger Droessler examines the Samoan response through the lives of its workers. Ordinary Samoans—some on large plantations, others on their own small holdings—picked and processed coconuts and cocoa, tapped rubber trees, and built roads and ports that brought cash crops to Europe and North America. At the same time, Samoans redefined their own way of

being in the world—what Droessler terms "Oceanian globality"—to challenge German and American visions of a global economy that in fact served only the needs of Western capitalism. Through cooperative farming, Samoans contested the exploitative wage-labor system introduced by colonial powers. The islanders also participated in ethnographic shows around the world, turning them into diplomatic missions and making friends with fellow colonized peoples. Samoans thereby found ways to press their own agendas and regain a degree of independence. Based on research in multiple languages and countries, *Coconut Colonialism* offers new insights into the global history of labor and empire at the dawn of the twentieth century.

Material Culture of Western Samoa Roger Neich 1985

The Story of Lau'ii Mrs. Lau'ii Willis 1889

The Samoa Islands Augustin Krämer 2000-01-01 Augustin Kramer's account of his sojourn in the Samoa Islands from 1897 to 1899. Of particular importance to Samoans are the original documents containing ceremonial greetings and genealogical pedigrees. All Samoan language texts have been retained in this edition.

Coming of Age in Samoa Margaret Mead 2014-12-11 This book is the outstanding and most frequently cited work in the field of Anthropology. It made the author world-famous and established her as the leader in her field for the next 50 years. One of the reasons this book became so famous was her observation that young Samoan women deferred marriage for many years while enjoying casual sex before eventually choosing a husband. This led to the Sexual Revolution that swept America in the 1960s and brought about the establishment of the Sexual Freedom League and other organizations. The Free Love generation idolized Margaret Mead.

Lagaga Malama Meleisea 1987 A history from writers from Western Samoa, examining thematically the influences of European settlers, the churches, German and NZ colonialism and the background to Western Samoa's independence. This short history is written for the general reader and for senior high school and university students seeking an overview of Samoan history. First published in 1987 and last reprinted in

2003. This is a reissue of the 2003 edition for 2018.

Western Samoa Pamela Thomas 1986

Sleepy Time Samoa Mary Aflague 2018-03-17 Send your child into a sweet slumber with this book, *Sleepy Time Samoa*. This goodnight bedtime rhyme takes little ones through an illustrated journey across the islands of Samoa. Children and adults alike will enjoy saying good night to masina the moon, uga the hermit crab, pili mo'o the gecko, and landmarks like Nu'uuli Falls, 'Aunu'u Island, the Jean P. Haydon Museum, and more. Allow the poetic rhythm and soft illustrations of familiar landscapes and creatures of the islands lull that special child to a harmonious sleep. Share this simple book for that special someone, or give it to a dear friend missing the islands. Whoever receives it will be thankful and joyful to treasure the islands with so much love and memories.

American Samoan Culture Source Wikipedia 2013-09 Please note that the content of this book primarily consists of articles available from Wikipedia or other free sources online. Pages: 29. Chapters: Films set in American Samoa, Languages of American Samoa, Sports in American Samoa, Sadie Thompson, English language, Samoan language, Samoans, Miss Island Queen Pageant, Samoan proverbs, Rain, Miss Sadie Thompson, American Samoa national rugby league team, Telecommunications in American Samoa, .as, Amerika Samoa, Beach fale, Flag of American Samoa, American Samoa at the 2009 World Championships in Athletics, Seal of American Samoa, List of newspapers in American Samoa, American Samoa at the Olympics, American Samoa national baseball team. Excerpt: English is a West Germanic language that arose in the Anglo-Saxon kingdoms of England and spread into what was to become south-east Scotland under the influence of the Anglian medieval kingdom of Northumbria. Following the economic, political, military, scientific, cultural, and colonial influence of Great Britain and the United Kingdom from the 18th century, via the British Empire, and of the United States since the mid-20th century, it has been widely dispersed around the world, become the leading language of international discourse, and has acquired use as lingua franca in many

regions. It is widely learned as a second language and used as an official language of the European Union and many Commonwealth countries, as well as in many world organizations. It is the third most natively spoken language in the world, after Mandarin Chinese and Spanish. Historically, English originated from the fusion of languages and dialects, now collectively termed Old English, which were brought to the eastern coast of Great Britain by Germanic (Anglo-Saxon) settlers by the 5th century - with the word English being derived from the name of the Angles. A significant number of English words are constructed based on roots from Latin, because Latin in some form was the lingua franca of the...

Samoa Deanna Swaney 1994 Second edition of a guide first published in 1990. Provides historical and cultural information on both American and independent Western Samoa, together with details on accommodation, outdoor activities and things to see and do. Includes a Samoan language section, 23 maps and an index.

Fāgogo 1981 "In Samoan folklore a fagogo is a story told mostly at night, privately, inside individual homes. It transports the audience into the folklore world of heroes and heroines, of supernatural forces acting for good or evil, but is set against a background of typical local society, making it immediately comprehensible to Samoans of all ages. The stories contain songs sung by the narrators."--Publisher's blurb

Le Fitafita Mai Samoa Christine Liava'a 2013 "At the beginning of the Great War, 1914-1918, Western Samoa was invaded and captured by a New Zealand force acting on behalf of Britain. Australia similarly invaded and captured German New Guinea. Thus the German possessions in the South Pacific were rendered incapable of assisting in the German war effort. American Samoa remained neutral until 1917, when American men were registered as available for service, Volunteers from both Western and American Samoa enlisted in New Zealand, Australia, America and Britain. This book lists all the men from the islands of Samoa who served in these forces, with their military details, family information, awards, and deaths. Photographs of as many as possible are included. An overview of the situation and events in Samoa, a chronology, and several appendices are also given"--Back cover.

History of Samoa Robert Mackenzie Watson 1918

South Pacific Survivor Kevin Daley 2009-12-31 An assassin decapitates a U.S. congressman in American Samoa then enters independent Samoa for other targets. Polynesian beauty Pua, the sole agent of the Samoan Secret Service, must protect their national leader--her grandfather. With an anti-colonial chip on her shoulder and a black belt to back it up, she faces Ken, a down-on-his-luck CIA agent. They close in on each other and the warrior-assassin as they race to discover Robert Louis Stevenson's secret. It leads to evidence that could re-ignite civil war, which a shadowy chief tries to do.

Coming of Age in Samoa Margaret Mead 2016-05-10 The groundbreaking classic detailing Margaret Mead's first field work at age 23, establishing Mead's core insights into childhood and culture that challenged and changed our view of life. Rarely do science and literature come together in the same book. When they do -- as in Charles Darwin's *On the Origin of Species*, for example -- they become classics, quoted and studied by scholars and the general public alike. Margaret Mead accomplished this remarkable feat not once but several times, beginning with *Coming of Age in Samoa*. It details her historic journey to American Samoa, taken when she was just twenty-three, where she did her first fieldwork. Here, for the first time, she presented to the public the idea that the individual experience of developmental stages could be shaped by cultural demands and expectations. Adolescence, she wrote, might be more or less stormy, and sexual development more or less problematic in different cultures. Mead's revolutionary book, dedicated to the girls of Tau, was one of the first studies to pay attention to girls' lives. Her keen observations contain many ideas that are still powerful today—that sexuality is culturally-shaped, that adolescence need not be stressful, and that the lives of adolescent girls are worthy of attention and respect. Now this groundbreaking, beautifully written work as been reissued for the centennial of Mead's birth, featuring introductions by Mary Pipher, Ph.D. (*Reviving Ophelia*) and by Mead's daughter, Mary Catherine Bateso (*Composing a Life*).

Community Development in Western Samoa Hans Gullestrup 1977

American Samoa - Wink Travel Guide Wink Travel Wink Travel Guide 2019-05-10 The islands are frequently referred to as Samoa, which is the name of a separate island, and independent country, that used to be known as Western Samoa, that lies about 100 km west of American Samoa. Also the whole island group, including Samoa, are often identified as the Samoan islands. American Samoa is warm, humid and rainy year-round, but there is a long, wet summer season (October - May) and a slightly cooler and drier season (June - September). Widely regarded as one of the most stunning beaches in the South Pacific, with its high peaks dropping dramatically to sparkling white sand beaches, where the only other footsteps apart from your own are those of crabs. Wink Travel Guides introduce you to the best world travel destinations, in a clear and concise way, illustrated by photos.

Gagana Samoa Galumalemana Afeleti Hunkin 2009-06-09 Gagana Samoa is a modern Samoan language resource. Designed for both classroom and personal use, it features a methodical approach suitable for all ages; an emphasis on patterns of speech and communication through practice and examples; 10 practical dialogues covering everyday social situations; an introduction to the wider culture of fa'asamoa through photographs; more than 150 exercises to reinforce comprehension; a glossary of all Samoan words used in the coursebook; oral skills supplemented with audio files available on a separate CD or for download or streaming on the web:

Amerika Samoa John Alexander Clinton Gray 1960

The Samoa Islands: Material Culture Augustin Krämer 1994-01-01 Volume II includes chapters on anthropology and sociology, medicine, plants and cooking, fishery, men's work, ornamentation and dress, recreation and war, and flora and fauna.

American Samoa United States. Congress. Senate. Committee on Territories and Insular Possessions 1928

Samoa History, Culture and Tourism Leo Abbott 2016-06-08 History of Samoa, Settlement of Samoans, Culture and tradition, Introduction to the history of Samoa: The following discussion focuses on Samoa since European contact. For additional treatment in a regional context, see

Pacific Islands, history of. Early period Polynesians traveling in outrigger canoes arrived in the Samoan archipelago about 1000 bc, as indicated by Lapita pottery shards found in Mulifanua Lagoon on Upolu.

Characteristics of the Samoan language indicate that the settlers probably came from Tonga. Local pottery manufacturing ceased by about ad 200, by which time Samoa had become central too much of the settlement of eastern Polynesia. Find out more in the book "Samoa History, Culture and Tourism"

Polynesian Interconnections: Samoa to Tahiti to Hawaii Peter Leiataua AhChing 2013-03-13 POLYNESIAN INTERCONNECTIONS: Samoa to Tahiti to Hawaii was written as a cultural, medical and social scientific book to promote understanding and sensitivity upon the Polynesians and their native cultures. It also gives readers around the world some Polynesian phrases to effectively communicate with native speaking people. The author is a Hawaii Student Doctor and a Federal and State Court Officer who seeks to promote education and cultural sensitivity for the betterment of society and healthcare.

A List of Books (with References to Periodicals) on Samoa and Guam Library of Congress. Division of Bibliography 1901

Samoa Art and Artists Sean Mallon 2002 "Samoa Art and Artists is a wide-ranging survey of both the traditional and contemporary arts of Samoa. The author has drawn on an extensive research base to present a contemporary and accessible picture of a vibrant culture. The book has a broad sweep, covering all facets of the Samoan arts, including canoe and house building, siapo (tapa) weaving, tattooing, oratory, adornment, all forms of performance art, the visual arts, and literature. An important feature of the book is the inclusion of profiles of living practitioners, both from Samoa and the large Samoan communities in other Pacific

countries."--Publisher description.

American Samoa William Albert Setchell 1924

Samoa, a Hundred Years Ago and Long Before George Turner 1884
Samoa, A Hundred Years Ago and Long Before: Together with Notes on the Cults and Customs of by George Turner, first published in 1884, is a rare manuscript, the original residing in one of the great libraries of the world. This book is a reproduction of that original, which has been scanned and cleaned by state-of-the-art publishing tools for better readability and enhanced appreciation. Restoration Editors' mission is to bring long out of print manuscripts back to life. Some smudges, annotations or unclear text may still exist, due to permanent damage to the original work. We believe the literary significance of the text justifies offering this reproduction, allowing a new generation to appreciate it.

A History of American Samoa Amerika Samoa Humanities Council 2009 A History of America Samoa is a high school level textbook initiated and completed by the Amerika Samoa Humanities Council. The content detailed in the book ranges from the migration, discovery, and inhabitation of the western Pacific and specifically Samoa, today known as a territory just over a hundred years old. This textbook is written from the perspective of both oral and written accounts of Samoan history. It covers the geographical formation, historical inhabitation, and development of American Samoa through legends, geography, and timelines that help span a time period beginning with the earliest signs of human integration to today's modern setting. This text weaves together the historical account of a little known island with its people spread throughout the globe, through local myth, legend, and authentic biographical information in this comprehensive history of American Samoa.