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As young boys, Orville and Wilbur Wright loved all things mechanical.

As young men, they gained invaluable skills essential for their success by working with printing presses, bicycles, motors, and any sort of machinery they could get their hands on.

As adults, the brothers worked together to invent, build, and fly the world's first successful airplane.

This is the fascinating story of the two inventors and aviation pioneers who never lost sight of their dream: to fly, and to soar higher!

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Mariela says

I Think on thing that comes to mind when we have a blank piece of paper is to create a paper air plan. This book is written for the age group of eight to twelve years of age. This book could be read by anyone to learn more about the Wright Brothers. The are this front cover really captures your attention. Once you open the book all the facts capture it even more. This book talks about the wright brother from their childhood to their adult hood. I believe this book could inspire many young girls and boys to explore things they like. I decided to rate this book a four out of five due to their interesting and fun way or telling the Wrights Brothers life.

Emma says

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Natalie says

I loved reading this book. It was probably one of my favorites. It's hard to say whether that's because of how it was written or because I like who it's about.

The Wright brothers are super cool. They're my favorite kind of people. They found something they were passionate about and they worked hard to make their dreams come true. They wanted to fly! How cool is that?! It was almost an impossible idea, but they kept plugging away at it and fixing mistakes.

I wish I could've been there when the plane first flew. It must have been such an exciting moment. I wish I could've met the Wright brothers. They seem like the type of people that I would've gotten along with.

Maddison Aiken says

I finished this book today!!! It was amazing!!!! I knew who they were but this book told me so much more. It is in bin #66. I RECOMMEND!!!!

AMY says

106 pages. This is one wonderful biography of some amazing inventors. I learned so much and really enjoyed this book. The timeline of their lives and world history at the time was helpful. Also there are further reading books listed and websites. Kids will enjoy this one. Highly recommended for Grades 4-5 and beyond.

Erin says

Some interesting facts spread throughout, but nothing of a page turner really.

Kellan Francis says

The brothers were amazing at creating bikes, and Airplanes because they both worked together in a bike shop to repair bikes and make them. They were so famous because they were the first people on the Earth to make an airplane.

Brooke Brodsky says

The story of the Wright Brothers is inspiring, no matter how it is told, however, I have found that the "Who Were...." series always does a fantastic job of telling someones biography on a level where a 8-11 year old can read and understand while enjoying and not feeling bored. The book tells the story of two brothers who shared a dream to get a glider into the sky for a successful flight. I rated this book 5 stars because it uses easy to read, but not watered down language to tell the story of the brothers. It is factual and interesting, and the illustrations are helpful but not distracting. I feel that the fact that the pictures are simple and black and white actually make the book more readable for the intended audience because if there were more pictures, the child reader might feel that it is a book for younger kids, and not wish to read it. I especially liked the two timelines at the end of the book, because it helps us put the true story into perspective and help the young readers develop a greater appreciation for the world history at the time, and further make it relative to their own lives.

Wesley Briscione says

Do you ever wonder who made and flew the first successful plane? Then you should read "Who Were the Wright Brothers". Recommended for all ages if you are interested in planes. I give it 10 out of 10 stars.
-Bo Briscione

BleuMyst says

I enjoyed reading this fun book and learning about the creators of the first plane to fly in the United States.

Xenophon Westie says

I love Who was & Who were books and I like to read about famous people. this is a good book. it has good

pictures and skips the boring parts.

Christine says

We recently got excited about building airplanes and other flying machines. The "Who was.." series, including the Wright Brothers and Amelia Earhart, has offered great inspiration!

Aabualsaud4 says

The wright brothers wanted to build the first airplane that would fly with and an engine. But many challenges stood in their way like how to steer right and left or what size wings they needed, how would the plane look like? How do you use the engine? So they got to work but the biggest challenge was steering the plane. They were working in a bike store so they got the engine handled and all the rest. Then they try it out.

This story is about perseverance and hardwork

Nicole Wrightson says

I am really loving these books. I am wanting to read more even without my daughter. I am loving how fun they are to read. It is amazing how much you know about someone you have learned about in school and then how much you haven't learned.

Like I thought their first flight was famous right from the start. Nope. It took years before they got the credit they deserved for that flight. I also didn't know about all the travel they did while trying to prove that they were the first in flight. They also did a lot of test and fail to get their first plane off the ground.

This is just amazing. I also didn't know that a piece of their plane went to space. An amazing read for parents who has a child who loves anything to do with flight or history.

Daisy says

What an interesting book! The Wright Brothers invented the plane. If the Wright Brothers did not invent planes, people can't take a plane to go to other country quickly. The history will be changed if planes weren't exist. That's a good book.
