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To cover a topic so vast from the dawn of history to the present in 300 pages or so is comparable to reducing a 30-volume encyclopedia to a single volume; yet, that is exactly what this study does, and the result is a surprisingly useful overview of one of humanity's more enduring institutions. Martin A. Klein is amply qualified for the task, having studied and written on slavery for some 30 years. . . .[H]igh school and college students will find this study helpful, and reference librarians should consider adding it to their collections. (*American Reference Books Annual*)

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### **About the Author**

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