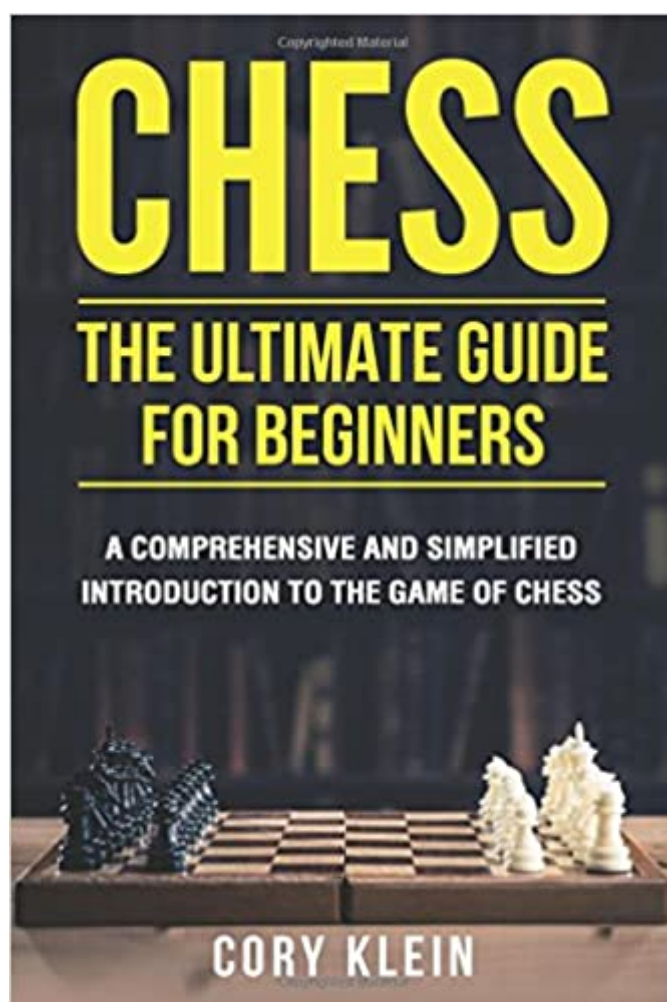


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# Chess: The Ultimate Guide For Beginners: A Comprehensive And Simplified Introduction To The Game Of Chess (openings, Tactics, Strategy)





## Synopsis

The truth about Chess From the outside, chess seems like a complicated and esoteric game that only a few people with special abilities can play. This is not true. In fact, chess is accessible and can be played by anyone with a brain, a pair of eyes, and imagination. The ultimate guide for beginners If you've never played the game of chess or are still discovering it, this book is for you. It is a basic and comprehensive guide that will introduce you to the game and teach you everything you need to know, from the setup of a chess board to the delivery of checkmate. It is filled with advice for beginners, basic tactics, strategies, and diagrams to help you visualize every step of your progress. The start of a lifelong King's hunt The objective of this book is not to make you a chess master. That is an accomplishment that takes decades of research, regular practice, and an insane amount of talent. The goal here is for you to become a decent chess player. After reading this book, you will be able to play games with anyone, practice regularly, and sharpen your chess muscles until you reach a decent level of play. The more you'll play, the better you'll get. But it all starts with the basics which you will acquire in this book.

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## Customer Reviews

Hi, My name is Cory Klein and I'm a Computer Science PHD student. I also work as a teaching assistant and teach chess to kids on my spare time. I started playing Chess when I was 6 years old and have always been passionate about this beautiful game. When we were kids, my dad always used to teach my sister and I how to play on week-ends, and those are some of my best childhood memories. I believe the game of Chess awoke in me a passion for logical thinking and puzzle solving that led to my interest in Computer Science. Chess has been such a significant part of who I

am and I have grown playing and loving this game. My biggest rival to this day is my older sister Kate, who, I have to admit, has been better than me for most of our lives. But the game has always been an opportunity for us to get together and spend high quality family time. Furthermore, chess has been a great bonding experience and a way to meet new people with similar interest in the game. In college, I regularly played in chess clubs and participated in local tournaments every now and then. To be completely transparent, I am no chess master nor expert. These titles require levels intelligence, knowledge, and practice that I have not had the chance to reach. My all time highest rating was 1902 (Class A) back in 2015. However, I know quite a bit about the game and I've played it for long enough to teach the basics to any chess beginner. Like I said before, I believe chess is an opportunity to bond with people. It is also a very fun and entertaining game, especially if you like logic teasers, puzzles, and problem solving in general. My goal is to make the game accessible and playable to as many people as possible. Chess is kind of a culture that I would love to see grow more and more. As I am sure, there are many people out there curious to learn how to play this wonderful game, and I hope my introductory books can help them. Thanks for reading and don't wait to make a move! Cheers, Cory

I started playing chess recently so I'm a total beginner and came across this guide to chess. Cory Klein breaks down the fundamentals of chess beautifully. His simple straightforward approach is perfect for a beginner like me. I used to be intimidated by chess but I am now confident that I will be able to play this game and progress over time.

I thought the book was very well written. I learned the game nearly 50 years ago but still found this book very interesting and it made me think about things I had not before. The only negative critique I have is that some of the wording in some captions under position graphics needed to be proof read a little better. There were times when they might say black and mean white or mention a piece or location incorrectly. The mistakes were obvious so they really did not introduce confusion to me. However, they might to a true beginner. Overall, it is a very good book and I have already recommended it to one non-player and one fairly new player.

Great book for beginners who are wanting a solid introduction to chess!

Excellent for beginners .written in simple easily understandable language.

A book for the true beginner. Not for the intermediate players.

It was OK. Definitely for beginners only.

I have played chess for many years however I bought this book as a refresher in some areas have not finished the book. However found a significant error concerning Queen side castling the description is incorrect In castling the king always moves only two spaces right or left and The Rook is moved to the space on the opposite side of the king the author says when you Castle to the queen side you move the king and the Rook three spaces that is incorrect I consider this to be a significant error in a beginner's level chess book

I've been looking for this book for a long time. Contrary to other chess books out there, it is simple enough for me to understand and yet properly detailed covering numerous areas of the game. I am only a beginner and I know very little about chess, but after 2 years of trying to learn through friends and low quality chess books, I am finally able to play and enjoy the game with my friends. All thanks to this book. If you're also a beginner then get this book! You will not regret it!

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