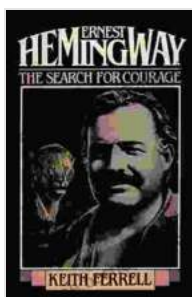


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## Biography

Ernest Miller Hemingway was born on July 21, 1899, in Oak Park, Illinois. He was the second of six children born to Clarence Edmonds Hemingway, a doctor, and Grace Hall Hemingway. Hemingway's father was a stern and demanding man, while his mother was a loving and supportive woman. Hemingway had a difficult relationship with his father, and he often clashed with him over his choice of career. Hemingway's mother, on the other hand, was a great influence on his life, and she encouraged him to pursue his writing dreams.

Hemingway began writing at an early age, and he published his first story in a school magazine when he was 17 years old. After graduating from high school, Hemingway worked as a reporter for the Kansas City Star. In 1918, he joined the Red Cross and served as an ambulance driver in Italy during World War I. Hemingway was wounded in action, and he was awarded the Italian Silver Medal for Valor. After the war, Hemingway returned to the United States and worked as a reporter for the Toronto Star. In 1921, he published his first novel, *The Sun Also Rises*.

*The Sun Also Rises* was a critical and commercial success, and it established Hemingway as one of the leading writers of his generation. Hemingway went on to publish a number of other successful novels, including *A Farewell to Arms* (1929), *For Whom the Bell Tolls* (1940), and *The Old Man and the Sea* (1952). Hemingway also wrote a number of short

stories, many of which are considered to be among the best in the English language.

Hemingway was a complex and troubled man. He struggled with alcoholism and depression, and he was involved in a number of tumultuous relationships. Hemingway married four times, and he had three children. Hemingway died by suicide on July 2, 1961, at the age of 61.

## **The Search for Courage**

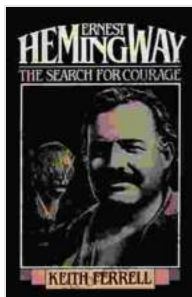
Hemingway's work is often characterized by its exploration of courage. His characters are often faced with difficult challenges, and they must find the courage to overcome them. Hemingway believed that courage is not the absence of fear, but the ability to act in spite of fear. He wrote, "Courage is grace under pressure."

Hemingway's own life was a testament to his courage. He faced a number of challenges, including poverty, war, and injury. However, he never gave up on his dream of becoming a writer. Hemingway's courage is an inspiration to all of us. It shows us that anything is possible if we have the courage to pursue our dreams.

## **Legacy**

Hemingway is considered one of the most important writers of the 20th century. His work has had a profound impact on literature, and he has inspired generations of writers. Hemingway's writing is still widely read today, and it continues to be a source of inspiration and enjoyment for readers around the world.

Hemingway's legacy is not only his writing, but also his life. He was a man who lived life to the fullest. He was a passionate writer, a loyal friend, and a loving father. Hemingway's life is a reminder that we should all strive to live our lives with courage and passion.



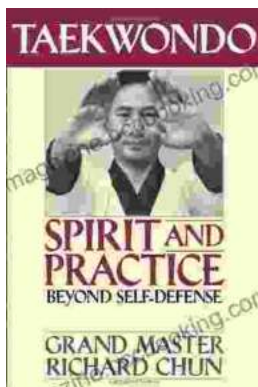
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