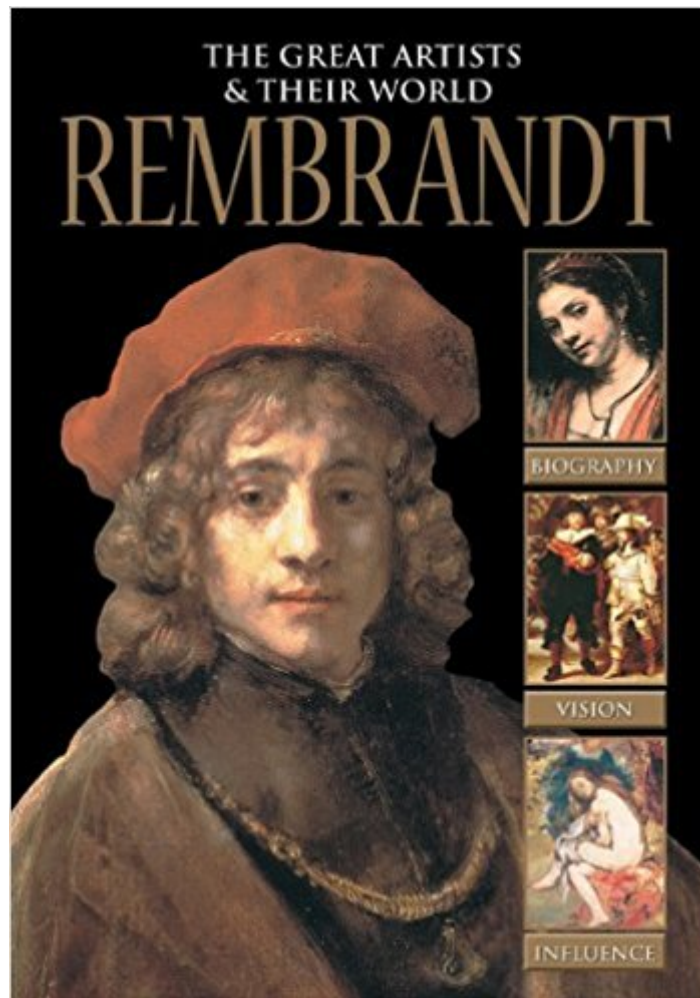




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stenosis, and the study that showed that extra-cranial to intracranial bypass was not effective. Founding chair of the department of Clinical Neurological Sciences at the University of Western Ontario, in which Neurology and Neurosurgery joined to form a department separate from Medicine and Surgery. This model, which he pioneered with his neurosurgical colleague Charlie Drake, has been copied successfully the world over. Former editor of the journal Stroke, and internationally recognized as the father of stroke prevention.

This book is part of New Forest Press's series, The Great Artists & Their World. This book focuses on Rembrandt Harmenszoon van Rijn (1606-1669). The book walks you through Rembrandt's world, his art and its significance. It has a lot of interesting information, and a lot of pictures of his work. I found this to be a nice, quick introduction to the great man. I found it to be very informative and enjoyed the pictures immensely. You don't have to be a young reader to enjoy this book. I think that anyone who wants to get a quick look at Rembrandt will enjoy this book, regardless of age!

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