



# A History of Motoring Through 100 Legendary Cars

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- A very rich iconography, both ancient and contemporary, which highlights the emblematic models of the history of the automobile
- A gift book for all car enthusiasts

From the mythical De Dion Bouton Type K1 to the Delahaye, from the Jeep Willys to the combi Volkswagen, from the Mercedes Benz to the Ford Mustang Shelby GT 500, from the Aston Martin DB7 to the Bugatti Veyron 16.4, and from the Austin Mini to the Range Rover.

A hundred years of innovation, inventiveness and triumphs are condensed in this book, which reads as easily as a novel, and is illustrated with a rich and rare iconography.

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