

Delve Deeper into "The Fall of Fujimori"

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This multi-media resource list, compiled by Rebecca Federman of the New York Public Library in partnership with the American Library Association, provides a range of perspectives on the issues raised by the upcoming P.O.V. documentary "The Fall of Fujimori" that premieres on July 18th, 2006 at 10 p.m. on PBS (check local listings at www.pbs.org/pov/).

In 1990, an unknown candidate named Alberto Fujimori rode a wave of popular support to become the president of Peru. He fought an all-out war on terror against the guerilla organization Shining Path, and won. Ten years later, accused of kidnapping, murder and corruption, he fled Peru to his native Japan, where he was in exile for four years. Fujimori has remained virtually silent about the abrupt end of his controversial presidency, until now. He granted an unprecedented, in-depth interview to filmmaker Ellen Perry, who presents an intimate, chilling portrait of this enigmatic leader's rise and fall, interweaving never-before-seen footage from his regime with Fujimori's own words. As events unfold in his quest to return to Peruvian politics, "The Fall of Fujimori" offers a cautionary tale about power and corruption in an age of terrorism. An Official Selection of the 2005 Sundance Film Festival.

ADULT NONFICTION

Albert, Bill. *South America and the First World War: The Impact of the War on Brazil, Argentina, Peru and Chile.* New York: Cambridge University Press, 1988. Examines the effects that WWI had on South American economies and the social changes that emerged with the burgeoning middle class.

Arnson, Cynthia J. *Comparative Peace Processes in Latin America.* Palo Alto, CA: Stanford University Press, 1999. A comparative analysis of six Latin American countries: Nicaragua, El Salvador, Guatemala, Mexico, Colombia and Peru. This book aims to identify the variables that

contribute to the success or failure of a peace dialogue.

Berenson, Rhoda. *Lori: My Daughter, Wrongfully Imprisoned in Peru.* Boston, MA: Northeastern University Press, 2001. This is the story of Lori Berenson, a woman who was convicted in 1995 of terrorism in Peru and sentenced to life in prison. Her mother describes her family's struggle for justice and human rights in Peru.

Cameron, Maxwell A. and Philip Mauceri. *The Peruvian Labyrinth: Polity, Society, Economy.* University Park, PA: Pennsylvania State University Press, 1997. A special collection of academic essays that discuss Peruvian politics, society and the economy.

Carrion, Julio F., ed. *The Fujimori Legacy: The Rise of Electoral Authoritarianism in Peru.* University Park, PA: Pennsylvania State University Press, 2006. An analysis of the Fujimori presidency, looking at the social, cultural and political aspects of his time in office from both external and internal viewpoints. Includes essays on political party politics, gender equality and market reforms from a variety of writers.

Castro, Daniel, ed. *Revolution and Revolutionaries: Guerrilla Movements in Latin America.* Wilmington, DE: SR Books, 1999. A history of revolutionary movements in Latin American history.

Clayton, Lawrence A. *Peru and the United States: The Condor and the Eagle.* Athens, GA: University of Georgia Press, 1999. A history of relations between Peru and the United States over the last two centuries.

Conaghan, Catherine M. *Fujimori's Peru: Deception in the Public Sphere.* Pittsburgh, PA: University of Pittsburgh Press, 2005. Includes chapters on the re-election, the coup, the media and Fujimori's fall from grace.

Crabtree, John and John Thomas, eds. *Fujimori's Peru: The Political Economy.* London,

UK: University of London (ILAS), 1998. An evaluation of politics and economics in Peru in the 1990s.

Crenshaw, Martha. *Terrorism in Context.* University Park, PA: Pennsylvania State University Press, 1994. An interdisciplinary exploration of the phenomenon of terrorism in its political, social and economic context as it has occurred throughout the world from the 19th century to the present.

Crenshaw, Martha and John Pimlott. *Encyclopedia of World Terrorism.* Armonk, NY: M.E. Sharpe Inc., 1996. Details violent events of the 20th century and how these events continue to shape modern history.

Daeschner, Jeff. *The War of the End of Democracy: Mario Vargas Llosa vs. Alberto Fujimori.* Lima, Peru: Peru Reporting, 1993. A look at the 1990 presidential election between Fujimori and famed writer Mario Vargas Llosa.

De Soto, Hernando. *The Other Path: The Economic Answer to Terrorism.* New York: Basic Books, 2002. A look at how the politically powerful and violent Shining Path organization was unable to keep a hold on its followers.

Ellenbogen, Gustavo Gorriti. *The Shining Path: A History of the Millenarian War in Peru.* Chapel Hill, NC: University of North Carolina Press, 1999. Gorriti, a Peruvian journalist and winner of an International Press Freedom Award, gives an in-depth investigative report on Peru's 15-year guerilla war with the Sendero Luminoso (Shining Path).

Ivie, Robert L. *Democracy and America's War on Terror.* Tuscaloosa, AL: University of Alabama Press, 2006. An examination of American war rhetoric and democracy in the troublesome age of terrorism.

Kenney, Charles. *Fujimori's Coup and the Breakdown of Democracy in Latin America.* Notre Dame, IN: University of Notre Dame Press, 2004. Examines Fujimori's rise to

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presidency and his authoritative rule.

Kimura, Rei. *Alberto Fujimori of Peru: the President Who Dared to Dream.* Worcester, MA: Eyelevel Books, 1998. First English biography of Alberto Fujimori - from his immigrant upbringing in Peru, and his rise to presidency, to his subsequent fall from grace.

Klaren, Peter Flindell. *Peru: Society and Nationhood in the Andes.* New York: Oxford University Press, 1999. Explores Peru's long social and economic history. Examines the struggle between Hispanic elites and indigenous masses over power and inclusion.

Laqueur, Walter. *The New Terrorism: Fanaticism and the Arms of Mass Destruction.* New York: Oxford University Press, 1999. Provides insight into the forms of terrorism we are experiencing today.

Llosa, Alvaro Vargas. *The Madness of Things Peruvian: Democracy Under Siege.* New Brunswick, NJ: Transaction Publishers, 1994. An analysis of Peruvian democracy and its failure by a journalist working on behalf of Margio Vargas Llosa's presidential campaign.

Marshall, Jonathan and Peter Dale Scott. *Cocaine Politics: Drugs, Armies, and the CIA in Central America.* Berkeley, CA: University of California Press, 1998. Explores the close relationship between the CIA and Latin-American drug networks, and shows how the United States supports drug trafficking abroad.

Mauceri, Philip. *State Under Siege: Development and Policy Making in Peru.* Boulder, CO: Westview Press, 1996. Examines how Peru's ideological shift from "developmentalist" to neoliberal affected its politics.

McClintock, Cynthia. *Revolutionary Movements in Latin America: El Salvador's FMLN & Peru's Shining Path.* Washington D.C.: United States Institute of Peace Press, 1998.

Examines the complex interplay among political and economic factors, international actors and the nature of El Salvador's FMLN and Peru's Shining Path—two revolutionary guerilla groups of the 1980s and 1990s.

McClintock, Cynthia and Fabian Vallas. *The United States and Peru.* New York: Routledge, 2003. Examines the military and political relationship between the United States and Peru from 1990 to 2000.

McCormick, Gordon H. *Sharp Dressed Men: Peru's Tupac Amaru Revolutionary Movement.* Santa Monica, CA: Rand Corporation, 1993. An in-depth report on Peru's Tupac Amaru Revolutionary Movement.

Menjivar, Cecilia, ed. *When States Kill: Latin America, the U.S., and Technologies of Terror.* Austin, TX: University of Texas Press, 2005. Includes chapters on various terrorist organizations, military training in acts of extreme violence and torture and the impact of state-sponsored terrorism with regard to South American communities.

Palmer, David Scott, ed. *The Shining Path of Peru.* New York: St. Martin's Press, 1994. First English book to thoroughly investigate the Shining Path.

Rich, Paul B. and Richard Stubbs. *The Counter-Insurgent State: Guerrilla Warfare and State Building in the Twentieth Century.* New York: St. Martin's Press, 1997. A collection of provocative essays that contribute to our understanding of late 20th-century nation-state development by utilizing the model of the "counter-insurgent state."

Roberts, Kenneth M. *Deepening Democracy?: The Modern Left and Social Movements in Chile and Peru.* Palo Alto, CA: Stanford University Press, 1999. Sheds new theoretical light on the structural and institutional forces that have not only hindered the political success of the Left, but have also limited the range and quality of democratic practices in modern Latin America.

Simpson, John. *In the Forests of the Night: Encounters in Peru with Terrorism, Drug-running, and Military Oppression.* London, UK: Hutchinson, 1993. An examination of Peru's involvement with world drug trade via interviews and testimonies of surviving members of the drug world. A look at how Montesinos and the Fujimori government contributed to Peru's involvement.

Stern, Steve J. *Shining and Other Paths: War and Society in Peru, 1980-1995.* Durham, NC: Duke University Press, 1998. A comprehensive analysis of Peruvian social experiences during the Shining Path's insurgency campaign: the historical roots of the conflict, the failed struggle of the Shining Path, the destruction of apparent third paths, the experience of women in the war and the political and cultural legacies of the conflict.

U.S. Department of State. *Patterns of Global Terrorism.* Washington D.C.: U.S. Department of State, 2000. A full and complete annual report on terrorism.

Wilson, Richard Ashby, ed. *Human Rights in the 'War on Terror.'* West Nyack, NY: Cambridge University Press, 2005. A comprehensive collection of scholarly essays on countering terrorism and upholding human rights.

ADULT FICTION

Aguirre, Nataniel. *Juan de la Rosa: Memoirs of the Last Soldier of the Independence Movement.* New York: Oxford University Press, 1999. A fictionalized account of a soldier from the Wars of Independence and his growth through Bolivia's struggle for independence.

Allende, Isabel. *The House of the Spirits.* Minneapolis, MN: Sagebrush Education Resources, 1986. Allende chronicles the lives of the Trueba family during political upheaval in a South American country.

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Conrad, Joseph. *Nostramo: a Tale of the Seaboard*. Garden City, NY: Doubleday Page, 1925. Good deeds ultimately lead to corruption for the characters in Conrad's story, set in a fictional South American country, Costaguana.

Lewis, Sinclair. *It Can't Happen Here*. Garden City, NY: Doubleday, Doran and Co., 1935. A fascist takeover in the United States.

Llosa, Mario Vargas. *Death in the Andes*. New York: Penguin, 1997. Civil Guards Lituma and Carreo investigate the disappearance of three men during a period of political instability in Peru.

Patchett, Ann. *Bel Canto*. New York: HarperCollins, 2001. The birthday party of a Japanese industrialist in an unnamed South American country goes awry as a terrorist organization takes some of the guests hostage, including the soprano hired to entertain at the party.

Roncagliolo, Santiago. *Abril Rojo/Red April*. Miami, FL: Alfaguara Santillana USA Publishing Company, 2006. In this political novel, Felix Chacaltana is a public prosecutor in charge of solving a murder case that might be linked to Peru's infamous terrorist group, the Shining Path.

Shakespeare, Nicholas. *The Dancer Upstairs*. New York: Anchor, 2002. A poignant, violent story about a military policeman from a country similar to Peru and his lifelong mission to track down an infamous rebel leader, similar to the head of the Shining Path.

Wilder, Thornton. *The Bridge of San Luis Rey*. New York: A&C Boni, 1928. The stories of the five people who perished when a bridge in 18th-century Peru collapsed.

NON-FICTION FOR YOUNGER READERS

Baer, Suzie. *Peru's MRTA: Tupac Amaru Revolutionary Movement (Inside the World's Most Infamous Terrorist*

Organizations). New York, NY: Rosen Publishing Group, 2003. Includes the MRTA's months-long siege of the Japanese Embassy in Lima in 1996-1997 and the story of American Lori Berenson's supposed association with the group and subsequent imprisonment in the country's infamous terrorist prisons.

Landau, Elaine. *Peru*. New York: Children's Press, 2000. Explains the culture, history and politics of Peru.

FICTION FOR YOUNGER READERS

Alexander, Ellen. *Llama and the Great Flood: A Folktale from Peru*. New York: T.Y. Crowell, 1989. A Peruvian myth about how a llama and his master escape the Great Flood.

Gutman, Dan. *The Kid Who Ran for President*. New York: Scholastic, 1996. At twelve years old, Judson Moon runs for president of the United States, with his babysitter as vice president.

Hickox, Rebecca. *Zorro and Quwi: Tales of a Trickster Pig*. New York: Doubleday Book for Young Readers, 1997. Peruvian folktale about a guinea pig and a hungry fox.

Kurtz, Jane. *Miro in the Kingdom of the Sun*. Boston, MA: Houghton Mifflin, 1996. An Incan girl and her bird friends help save the King's son.

Park, Barbara. *Rosie Swanson: Fourth Grade Geek for President*. New York: A.A. Knopf, 1991. Unpopular Rosie runs for president against two of the most popular kids in the fourth grade.

Service, Pamela F. *A Question of Destiny*. New York: Atheneum, 1986. Dan Stratton, son of a presidential candidate, does not trust one of his father's presidential advisors and begins to investigate the matter himself.

Singer, Marilyn. *The Case of the Fixed Election*. New York: Harper and Row, 1989. Elections get dirty at school and twins Sam

and Dave Bean are on the case.

Skarmeta, Antonio. *The Composition*. Toronto, Canada: Greenwood Books, 2003. Dictatorship and its abuses affect two nine-year-old boys in Chile. Winner of the Americas Award for Children's Literature and the Jane Addams Children's Book Award.

Tompert, Ann. *The Pied Piper of Peru*. Honesdale, PA: Boyds Mills Press, 2003. Story of mice trying to live among humans while cats threaten their existence every step of the way.

VIDEOS/DOCUMENTARIES

"All the King's Men." A film by Robert Rossen. Columbia Pictures, 1949. (109 min.) The story of Willie Stark, rural politician-cum-bigwig who becomes as corrupt as those he attacked.

"Anda, Corre, Vuela." A film by Augusto Tamayo San Román. Casablanca Film, 1995. (90 min.) Two teens look for alternatives to the terrorist movements that surround them in Lima, Peru. In Spanish.

"Evita." A film by Alan Parker. Cinerigi Pictures Entertainment Inc., 1996. (134 min.) The film adaptation of the hit musical about Evita Peron, wife of Argentina's dictator/president Juan Peron.

"Missing." A film by Costa-Gavras. Universal Pictures, 1982. (122 min.) A father joins his daughter-in-law in search of his journalist son in South America and soon questions his own conservative political beliefs.

"Nixon." A film by Oliver Stone. Cinerigi Pictures Entertainment Inc., 1995. (192 min.) Biographical look at Richard M. Nixon, former president of the United States whose presidency ended in scandal.

"Ojos Que No Ven." ("What the Eye doesn't see") A film by Francisco J. Lombardi. Aldea Films, 2003. (95 min.) Six stories woven together to portray the corrupt 1990's in Peru. In Spanish.

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"Paloma de Papel." ("Paper Dove") A film by Fabrizio Aguilar. Luna Llana Films, 2003. (90 min.) A boy, living in the highlands of Peru, falls victim to terrorists.

"The Dancer Upstairs." A film by John Malkovich. Lolafilms S.A., 2002. (133 min.) Based on the novel by Nicholas Shakespeare about a Latin American police detective tracking down the leader of a guerilla movement.

"Z." A film by Costa-Gavras. Valorai Films, 1969. (127 min.) Government attempts a cover up on the death of a liberal politician in Greece.

WEB SITES

P.O.V.'s "The Fall of Fujimori" Web site
www.pbs.org/pov/pov2006/falloffujimori

Includes an interview with the filmmaker, resources, special features and more.

Montesinos's Web
www.pbs.org/frontlineworld/stories/peru404/web.html

Watch the secret videotapes on PBS Frontline/World's companion site to "Peru: The Curse of Inca Gold."

Discover Peru
www.inkatour.com/index_en.html

An extensive website with history, culture, tourism and facts about Peru.

Council on Foreign Relations
www.cfr.org/publication/9276/

Facts about Peru's terrorist organizations.

BBC Profile of Peru
http://news.bbc.co.uk/1/hi/world/americas/country_profiles/1224656.stm

Good facts and historical perspective on Peru.

Virtual Peru
www.virtualperu.net/index.html

Photographs and graphics related to Peruvian history and culture.

Portals to the World
www.loc.gov/rr/international/hispanic/terrorism/terrorism.html

Reports on terrorism and countries with terrorist problems, as well as profiles of well-known terrorist leaders such as Osama Bin Laden and Mullah Omar. From the Library of Congress.

The Cost of Corruption
<http://americanradioworks.publicradio.org/features/corruption/>

A look at corruption scandals in countries such as Peru, Georgia and Sao Tome. From American Radio Works.

Official Website of Alberto Fujimori
www.fujimorialberto.com/en/index.php

Includes statements of his innocence and articles related to Fujimori, election results from the Peruvian elections, video, audio and in depth articles. In Japanese, Spanish and English.

Amnesty International USA
www.amnestyusa.org/countries/peru/news.do

Press releases related to Fujimori's human rights violations, annual reports compiled by A.I. on Peru from 1995 until 2005, the latest Amnesty International efforts and news from Peru. For a summary of "Human Rights During the Government of President Alberto Fujimori," go to www.amnestyusa.org/regions/america/cas/document.do?id=ACOF03B4A7E9F213802569A600601EDC. In English and Spanish.

Ashoka's Peruvian Fellows
www.ashoka.org/global/aw_la_peru.cfm

A list of Fellows doing social and environmental work in Peru and their projects to encourage social entrepreneurship.

United Nations Cyber School Bus
www.un.org/Pubs/CyberSchoolBus/

A United Nations Web site for younger audiences that includes statistics and overviews of UN member states, UN publication resources for K-12 set and curriculum on issues such as human rights, peace studies and poverty.

In English, French, Spanish, Russian, Arabic and Japanese.

Latin American Network Information Center
<http://lanic.utexas.edu/>
Affiliated with the Lozano Long Institute of Latin American Studies at the University of Texas, LANIC contains over 12,000 links to sites of Latin American content, including humanities, economy, science, society, and libraries and reference. In Spanish, English and Portuguese.

Library of Congress Country Studies
<http://lcweb2.loc.gov/frd/cs/cshome.html>

Comprehensive, book-length guides to countries of the world. Includes profiles of society, government, health and the history of development. Contents include electronic versions of books published by the Federal Research Division of the Library of Congress between 1988 and 1998. Not sufficiently updated, but does provide valuable historical information.

Official Website of Interpol
www.interpol.int/public/icpo/default.asp

The World's Largest International Police Department: Includes information on drugs and organized crime, public safety and terrorism, and fugitives. Includes links to human rights agencies and other non-governmental websites, law enforcement agencies and courts of international justice.

International Policy Institute for Counter-Terrorism.
www.ict.org.il/

Seeks international cooperation in the global struggle against terrorism. ICT is a research institute dedicated to developing innovative public policy solutions to international terrorism.

U.S. Department of State
www.state.gov/www/global/terrorism/fto_info_1999.html

Background information on foreign terrorist organizations.

Center for Democracy and Technology
www.cdt.org/policy/terrorism/
Counter Terrorism page includes headlines regarding the controversy

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of using communication technologies as the focus of proposals for fighting terrorism.

National Commission on Terrorism (U.S.)

www.fas.org/irp/threat/commission.html

A report entitled "Countering the Changing Threat of International Terrorism."

ERRI (Emergency Response and Research Institute) Counter-Terrorism Archive

www.emergency.com/cntrterr.htm

A summary of worldwide terrorism events, groups and terrorist strategies and tactics.

U.S. Department of State

www.state.gov/www/global/terrorism/1999report/1999index.html

Patterns of global terrorism in 1999.

Rand Corporation

www.rand.org/research_areas/terrorism/

News articles and other documents on terrorism and homeland security.

U.S. Department of State International Information Programs

<http://usinfo.state.gov/topical/pol/terror/>

The U.S. Department of State's response to terrorism.

Committee to Support the Revolution in Peru

www.csrp.org/index.html

Community-based organization that builds political support for the People's War and active resistance to the Peruvian regime.