



Ike s Gamble: America s Rise to Dominance in the Middle East

By Assistant Professor of History Michael Doran

Audible Studios on Brilliance, 2017. CD-Audio. Condition: New. Unabridged. Language: English . Brand New. This major retelling of the Suez Crisis of 1956 - one of the most important events in the history of US policy in the Middle East - shows how President Eisenhower came to realize that Israel, not Egypt, is America s strongest regional ally. In 1956 President Nasser of Egypt moved to take possession of the Suez Canal, thereby bringing the Middle East to the brink of war. The British and the French, who operated the canal, joined with Israel in a plan to retake it by force. Despite the special relationship between England and America, Dwight Eisenhower intervened to stop the invasion. In Ike s Gamble, Michael Doran shows how Nasser played the US, invoking America s opposition to European colonialism to drive a wedge between Eisenhower and two British Prime Ministers, Winston Churchill and Anthony Eden. Meanwhile, in his quest to make himself the strongman of the Arab world, Nasser was making weapons deals with the USSR and destabilizing other Arab countries that the US had been courting. The Suez Crisis was his crowning triumph. In time, Eisenhower would conclude that Nasser had duped...



[READ ONLINE](#)
[6.63 MB]

Reviews

It in one of the most popular ebook. It usually fails to price an excessive amount of. Its been printed in an extremely basic way in fact it is merely right after i finished reading through this book in which really altered me, change the way i believe.

-- Sigrid Brown

Absolutely one of the best pdf We have ever read. I really could comprehended every little thing using this written e book. I am easily could get a satisfaction of reading a written publication.

-- Dr. Odie Hamill