



Aikido, Vol. 1: O-Sensei s Sublime Synthesis (Paperback)

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Via Media Publishing Company, 2016. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. How can we fully understand aikido, or any other martial art for that matter, when we have only been exposed to part of it? While learning about the art, we can easily make assumptions and be tricked by false impressions. In most cases, even instructors do not have enough background to grasp the entirety of the art and are happy to work with part of it. The content in this special two-volume anthology details the many facets of aikido as it was formulated by Morihei Ueshiba (1883-1969) -O-Sensei, the great teacher. Each chapter contributes to a piece of the aikido puzzle by providing historical details, insightful technical drills (bare handed and with weapons), and components that have flavored this art with a spiritual essence. From the Ueshiba wellspring flows a number of streams-political splinter groups offering their own take on what aikido should be and how it should be practiced. Each branch may stand on its own, but a good number of scholars and practitioners prefer a more encompassing representation of what O-Sensei taught. So, chapters in these volumes help put...



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Extensive guideline! Its this sort of excellent read. it had been writtern quite properly and helpful. You can expect to like just how the writer create this book.

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This book will never be straightforward to start on reading through but quite enjoyable to learn. Better then never, though i am quite late in start reading this one. Your lifestyle span will probably be convert once you complete reading this publication. -- Dr. Kadin Hane DVM