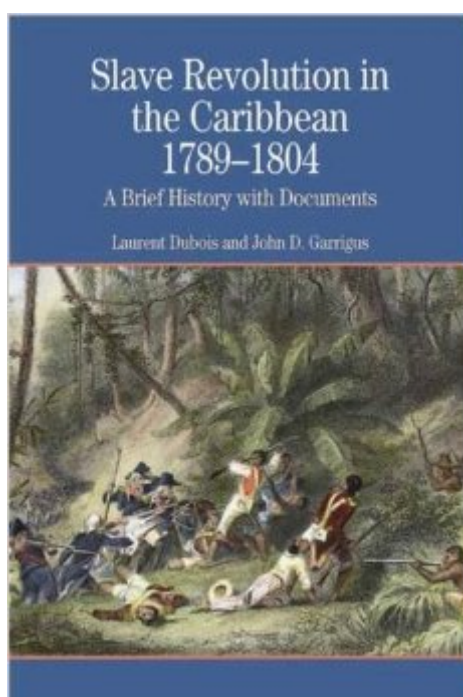


The book was found

# Slave Revolution In The Caribbean, 1789-1804: A Brief History With Documents (Bedford Cultural Editions Series)



## Synopsis

This volume details the first slave rebellion to have a successful outcome, leading to the establishment of Haiti as a free black republic and paving the way for the emancipation of slaves in the rest of the French Empire and the world. Incited by the French Revolution, the enslaved inhabitants of the French Caribbean began a series of revolts, and in 1791 plantation workers in Haiti, then known as Saint-Domingue, overwhelmed their planter owners and began to take control of the island. They achieved emancipation in 1794, and after successfully opposing Napoleonic forces eight years later, emerged as part of an independent nation in 1804. A broad selection of documents, all newly translated by the authors, is contextualized by a thorough introduction considering the very latest scholarship. Laurent Dubois and John D. Garrigus clarify for students the complex political, economic, and racial issues surrounding the revolution and its reverberations worldwide. Useful pedagogical tools include maps, illustrations, a chronology, and a selected bibliography.

## Book Information

Series: Bedford Cultural Editions Series

Paperback: 240 pages

Publisher: Bedford/St. Martin's; First Edition edition (February 22, 2006)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 031241501X

ISBN-13: 978-0312415013

Product Dimensions: 5.5 x 0.5 x 8.2 inches

Shipping Weight: 4.8 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.6 out of 5 stars [See all reviews](#) (7 customer reviews)

Best Sellers Rank: #163,321 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #9 in [Books > History > Americas > Caribbean & West Indies > Haiti](#) #56 in [Books > History > World > Slavery & Emancipation](#) #279 in [Books > History > Europe > France](#)

## Customer Reviews

I could not be helped but be moved by the documents in this book. The author did an incredible job of helping the reader understand the importance of San Domingue and the other French colonies by including letters, articles and transcripts. This was so important to my research about the nation that would eventually become Haiti and other colonies that found themselves in similar circumstances. These accounts tell the real truth about life in the French colonies and the resolve of the inhabitants.

A great reader on the Haitian Revolution. It is cheap, short, and has a great summary of the revolution at the beginning, so it is perfect as a supplementary reading in classes on slavery, Atlantic History, Haitian history, etc. The documents are well chosen and representative. John Garrigus is a thorough researcher, and it shows: the documents are taken straight from the French archives.

Important primary sources: I loved it! This was one of the few books that I had to read in college that I did not sell back to the school store.

I had to read this for my world history class and it is interesting and helps describe one of the most important slave revolts of all time.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Slave Revolution in the Caribbean, 1789-1804: A Brief History with Documents (Bedford Cultural Editions Series) Christopher Columbus and the Enterprise of the Indies: A Brief History with Documents (Bedford Cultural Editions Series) The U.S. War with Mexico: A Brief History with Documents (Bedford Cultural Editions Series) The Nazi State and German Society: A Brief History with Documents (Bedford Cultural Editions Series) Muller v. Oregon: A Brief History with Documents (Bedford Cultural Editions Series) The Black Death: The Great Mortality of 1348-1350: A Brief History with Documents (Bedford Cultural Editions Series) The French Revolution and Human Rights: A Brief Documentary History (Bedford Cultural Editions Series) Narrative of the Life of Frederick Douglass: An American Slave, Written by Himself (Bedford Cultural Editions Series) The Confessions of Nat Turner: and Related Documents (Bedford Cultural Editions Series) The Communist Manifesto: With Related Documents (Bedford Cultural Editions Series) Women's Rights Emerges within the Anti-Slavery Movement, 1830-1870: A Brief History with Documents (The Bedford Series in History and Culture) Samuel de Champlain: Founder of New France: A Brief History with Documents (Bedford Series in History & Culture (Paperback)) Pioneers of European Integration and Peace, 1945-1963: A Brief History with Documents (Bedford Series in History & Culture) Jackie Robinson and Race in America: A Brief History with Documents (Bedford Series in History and Culture) Breve historia de Latinoamerica/ Brief History of Latin America: De la independencia de Haiti (1804) a los caminos de la socialdemocracia (Historia Serie Menor) (Spanish Edition) Victors and Vanquished: Spanish and Nahuatl Views of the Conquest of Mexico (Bedford Cultural Editions Series) Abraham Lincoln, Slavery, and the Civil War: Selected Writing

and Speeches (Bedford Cultural Editions Series) An Islandwide Struggle for Freedom: Revolution, Emancipation, and Reenslavement in Hispaniola, 1789-1809 The Age of Revolution: 1789-1848 Cruising the Southern and Western Caribbean: A Guide to the Ships & the Ports of Call (Cruising the Southern and Western Caribbean) (Cruising the Southern & Western Caribbean)

[Dmca](#)