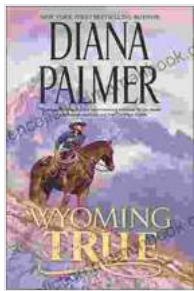


Wyoming True Wyoming Men 10: A Look at the Most Iconic Ranchers and Cowboys in Wyoming History

Wyoming is a state with a rich ranching and cowboy heritage. The state is home to some of the most iconic ranchers and cowboys in American history. These men, through their hard work, dedication, and love of the land, helped to shape the state of Wyoming into what it is today.

Here is a look at 10 of the most iconic ranchers and cowboys in Wyoming history:



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1. John B. Kendrick



John B. Kendrick was born in 1857 in Sarcoxie, Missouri. He moved to Wyoming in 1879 and worked as a cowboy for several years before starting his own ranch.

Kendrick's ranch was one of the largest and most successful in Wyoming. He was also a prominent politician, serving as Wyoming's governor from 1915 to 1917 and as a U.S. senator from 1917 to 1933.

Kendrick was a strong advocate for the ranching industry and for the state of Wyoming. He was instrumental in the creation of the Kendrick Dam, which provides water to the Wind River Basin.

2. Butch Cassidy



Butch Cassidy, born Robert LeRoy Parker, was born in 1866 in Beaver, Utah. He moved to Wyoming in 1887 and worked as a cowboy for several

years before becoming an outlaw.

Cassidy was a notorious outlaw, leading the Wild Bunch gang in a series of robberies and shootouts. He was also known for his charm and charisma.

Cassidy was killed in a shootout with law enforcement officers in San Vicente, Bolivia, in 1908.

3. Harry Longabaugh (The Sundance Kid)



Harry Longabaugh, also known as The Sundance Kid, was born in 1867 in Mont Clare, Pennsylvania. He moved to Wyoming in 1887 and worked as a cowboy for several years before becoming an outlaw.

Longabaugh met Cassidy in 1889 and soon after became a member of the Wild Bunch gang. He participated in several robberies and shootouts with Cassidy.

Longbaugh was killed in a shootout with law enforcement officers in San Vicente, Bolivia, in 1908, along with Cassidy.

4. Calamity Jane



Calamity Jane, born Martha Canary, was born in 1852 in Princeton, Missouri. She moved to Wyoming in 1875 and worked as a scout for the U.S. Army during the Indian Wars.

Calamity Jane was a skilled sharpshooter and a fearless frontierswoman. She became a legend in her own lifetime, and her exploits have been the subject of numerous novels, movies, and television shows.

Calamity Jane died in 1903 in Deadwood, South Dakota.

5. William F. "Buffalo Bill" Cody



William F. "Buffalo Bill" Cody was born in 1846 in Le Claire, Iowa. He moved to Wyoming in 1872 and became a legendary bison hunter.

Cody's exploits as a bison hunter earned him the nickname "Buffalo Bill." He later used his fame to create the Buffalo Bill Wild West Show, which toured the United States and Europe.

Cody's Wild West Show was a popular attraction, and it played a major role in promoting the Wild West legend.

Cody died in 1917 in Denver, Colorado.

6. Owen Wister



Owen Wister was born in 1860 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He moved to Wyoming in 1885 and worked as a rancher for several years.

Wister wrote several novels about the American West, including "The Virginian" (1902) and "Lady Baltimore" (1906). His novels were highly influential, and they helped to create the popular image of the cowboy.

Wister died in 1938 in West Chester, Pennsylvania.

7. Zane Grey



Student at Univ. of Pa. 1895

Zane Grey was born in 1872 in Zanesville, Ohio. He moved to Wyoming in 1895 and worked as a dentist for several years before becoming a writer.

Grey wrote over 80 novels, many of which were set in the American West. His novels were hugely popular, and they helped to shape the public's perception of the Wild West.

Grey died in 1939 in Altadena, California.

8. A.B. Guthrie Jr

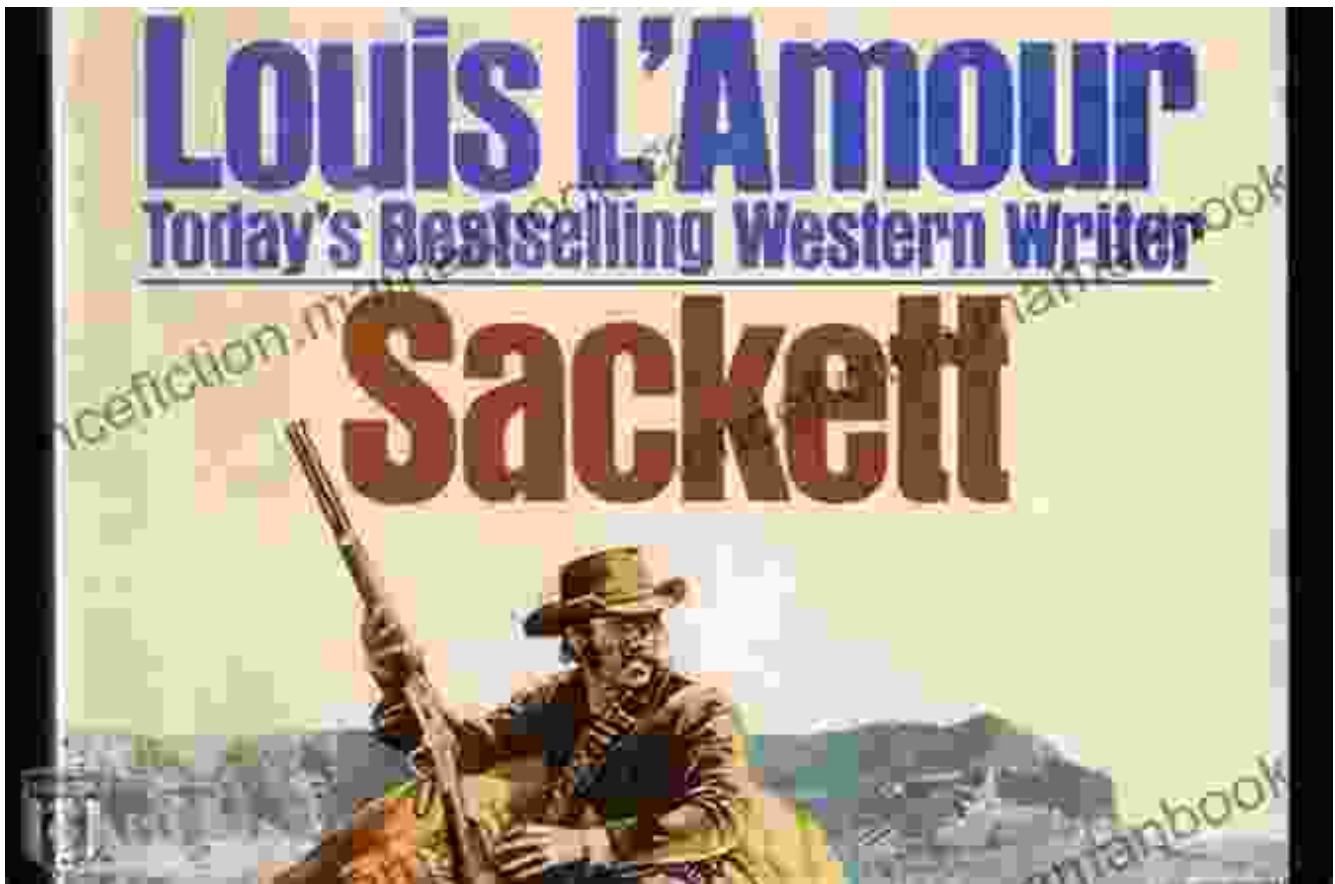


A.B. Guthrie Jr. was born in 1901 in Bedford, Indiana. He moved to Wyoming in 1928 and worked as a reporter for the Casper Star-Tribune before becoming a writer.

Guthrie wrote several novels about the American West, including "The Big Sky" (1947) and "The Way West" (1949). His novels were highly acclaimed, and they won several prestigious awards.

Guthrie died in 1991 in Choteau, Montana.

9. Louis L'Amour

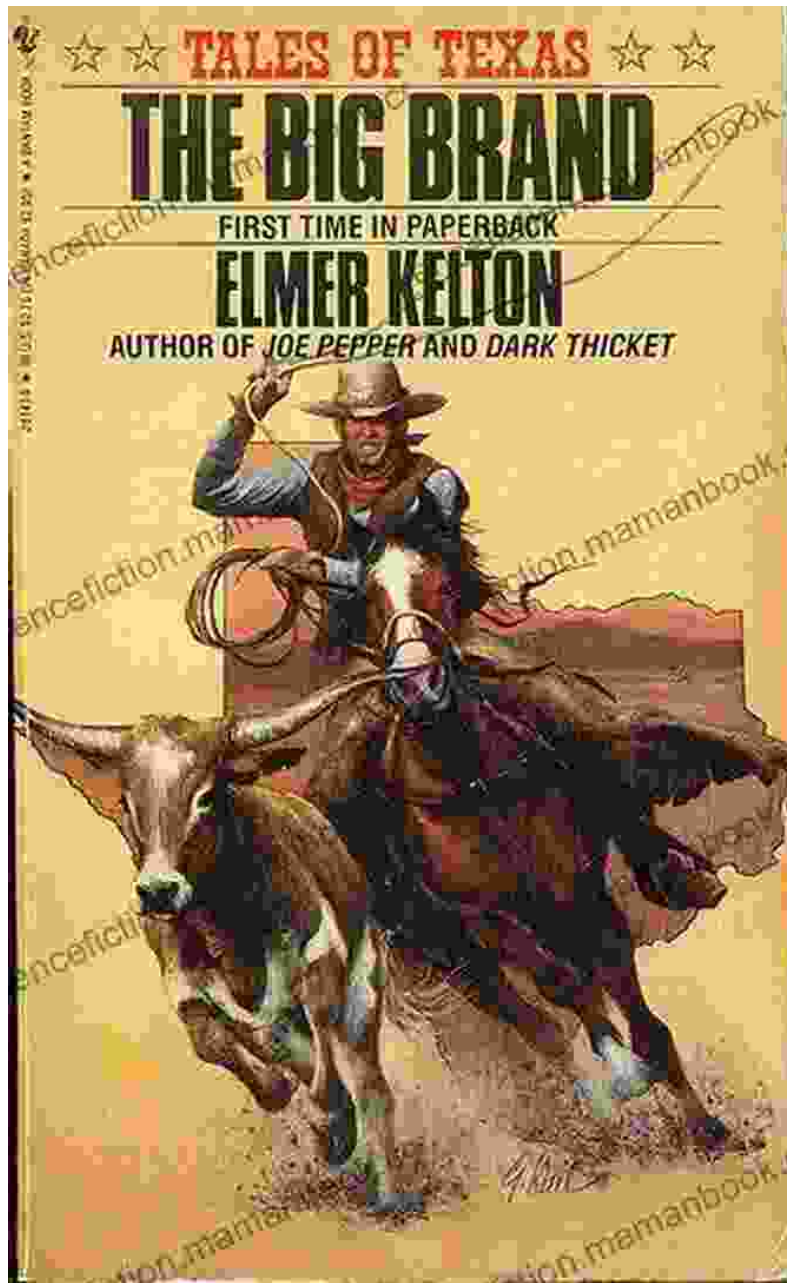


Louis L'Amour was born in 1908 in Jamestown, North Dakota. He moved to Wyoming in 1948 and lived there for many years.

L'Amour wrote over 100 novels, many of which were set in the American West. His novels were hugely popular, and they sold millions of copies.

L'Amour died in 1988 in Los Angeles, California.

10. Elmer Kelton

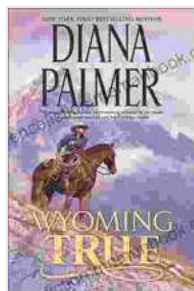


Elmer Kelton was born in 1926 in Brady, Texas. He moved to Wyoming in 1949 and worked as a rancher for several years before becoming a writer.

Kelton wrote over 40 novels, many of which were set in the American West. His novels were highly acclaimed, and they won several prestigious awards.

Kelton died in 2009 in San Angelo, Texas.

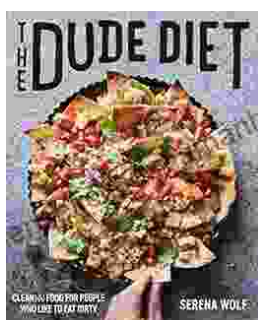
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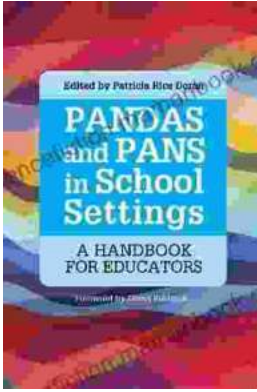
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