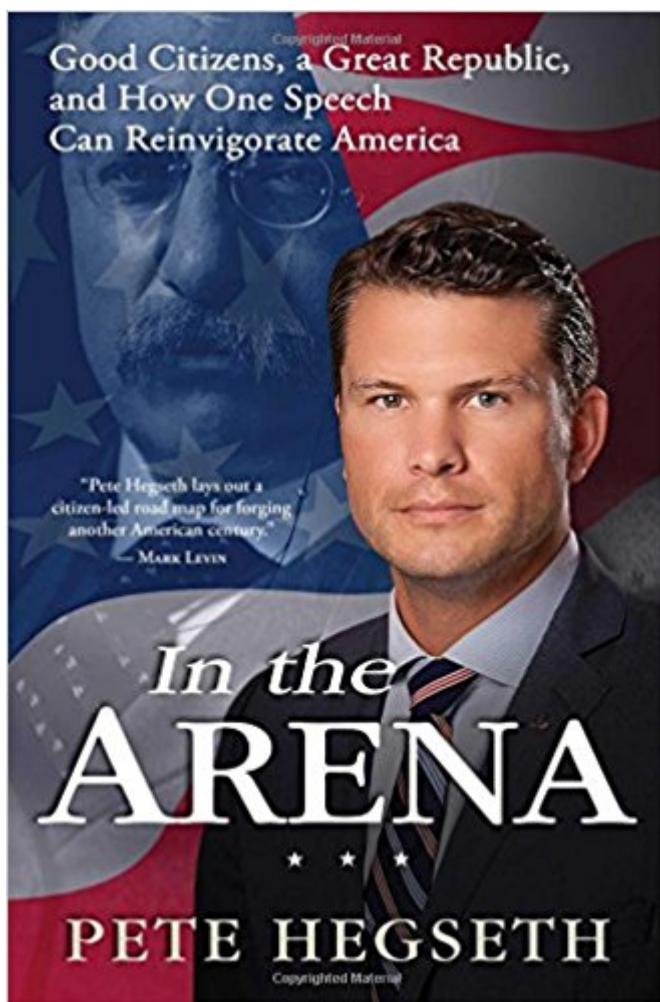


The book was found

# In The Arena: Good Citizens, A Great Republic, And How One Speech Can Reinvigorate America



## Synopsis

A vigorous call-to-arms to reignite American citizenship at home and restore American power abroad, using the timeless truths of Teddy Roosevelt's iconic "Man in the Arena" speech, by the Fox News contributor and decorated Iraq and Afghanistan war veteran. Pete Hegseth makes an impassioned and experiential argument for how Teddy Roosevelt's articulation of "good citizens," "equality of opportunity," and unapologetic U.S. leadership "can renew our imperiled American experiment and save the free world, in this fascinating, first-hand challenge to elite progressivism, ahistorical foreign policy, and status-quo politics. Despite contention surrounding Teddy Roosevelt's legacy, Hegseth argues that the Rough Rider's exhortation serves as a timeless wake-up call for our Republic. Hegseth resurrects Roosevelt's famous "Citizenship in a Republic" address "best known for the "Man in the Arena" quote" as a roadmap for addressing the massive challenges facing America today. In order to rejuvenate what makes America exceptional, we must unapologetically get back into Roosevelt's arena "as engaged "good citizens" at home and powerful "good patriots" in the world. Bolstered by gripping personal experience, Hegseth channels Teddy Roosevelt's words to make a case for turning America's highest ideals into action through the gritty virtues of citizenship, the dogged pursuit of equal opportunity, and aggressive commitment to winning the wars we fight "including the Iraq War. An exceptional American experiment was entrusted to "average citizens" in 1776 and has been perpetuated by every generation since until now. If we won't fight for America, then what will we fight for? And if not now, then when? Get in the arena!

## Book Information

Hardcover: 304 pages

Publisher: Threshold Editions (May 3, 2016)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1476749345

ISBN-13: 978-1476749341

Product Dimensions: 6 x 1 x 9 inches

Shipping Weight: 1.6 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.9 out of 5 stars (See all reviews) (62 customer reviews)

Best Sellers Rank: #62,209 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #33 in Books > Politics & Social Sciences > Politics & Government > Ideologies & Doctrines > Nationalism #88 in Books > Politics

## Customer Reviews

In The Arena by Pete Hegseth is a thoughtful and reasoned breakdown of Theodore Roosevelt's 1910 "Citizenship in a Republic" speech delivered at the Sorbonne "a speech most commonly known for the "Man in the Arena" passage within. Section by section the speech is broken down, and he illustrates America's failings on each point, along with suggestions for a path forward. At varying points throughout the text, he illustrates his own personal development from a clueless youth to a conservative editor who spoke his mind. A journey from a Wall Street functionary to an Infantry Platoon Leader in Iraq to an Infantry Officer tasked with civil affairs duties in the heart of one of Iraq's most ancient cities. In a few short years, Hegseth moved from a freshly returned veteran to an inexperienced grassroots lobbyist (in the best possible meaning of that term) on Capitol Hill, to an embedded reporter, ultimately ending up as a Fox News contributor. Yet this is not a memoir; rather, he uses the outline of his life to illustrate the values and convictions that he has grown to hold dear as well as why he holds them, all through the lens of Teddy Roosevelt's famous speech. Though Hegseth writes with a conservative bias, any thoughtful American of any political orientation can take something positive away from this book. Your views may be at odds with Hegseth's regarding bumper stickers, President Barack Obama, or bicycle helmets, but even if you disagree with the examples he uses to illustrate his points the thrust of his argument remains valid. Our citizens are disengaged, and citizenship itself has little meaning to most Americans.

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

In the Arena: Good Citizens, a Great Republic, and How One Speech Can Reinvigorate America  
Speech Therapy for Kids : Techniques and Parents Guide for Speech Therapy (speech therapy, speech therapy materials) The Moral Economy: Why Good Incentives Are No Substitute for Good Citizens (Castle Lectures Series) Cooking for One: 365 Recipes For One, Quick and Easy Recipes (Healthy Cooking for One, Easy Cooking for One, One Pot, One Pan) Gay Marriage: Why It Is Good for Gays, Good for Straights, and Good for America Speech and Audio Signal Processing: Processing and Perception of Speech and Music Shaping The Political Arena: Critical Junctures, the Labor Movement, and Regime Dynamics in Latin America (ND Kellogg Inst Int'l Studies) Statistical Methods for Speech Recognition (Language, Speech, and Communication) Speech After Stroke: A Manual for the Speech Pathologist and the Family Member Father of the Bride Speech

(The 7-STEP GUIDE to Writing a Sensational Wedding Speech & Toast Book 1) How to Boil an Egg: Poach One, Scramble One, Fry One, Bake One, Steam One Campus Speech in Crisis: What the Yale Experience Can Teach America Paper Republic: The Struggle for Money, Credit and Independence in the Republic of Texas DOMINICAN REPUBLIC Country Studies: A brief, comprehensive study of Dominican Republic Corruption in America: From Benjamin Franklin's Snuff Box to Citizens United Good Gut: The Next Thing You Should Do If You Want to Heal Your Gut and Improve Your Intestinal Health (good gut guide, gut health, good gut diet) Simulation with Arena with CD (McGraw-Hill Series in Industrial Engineering and Management) The Looneyspoons Collection: Good Food, Good Health, Good Fun! Integrated Pest Management in the Global Arena Simulation with Arena.

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)