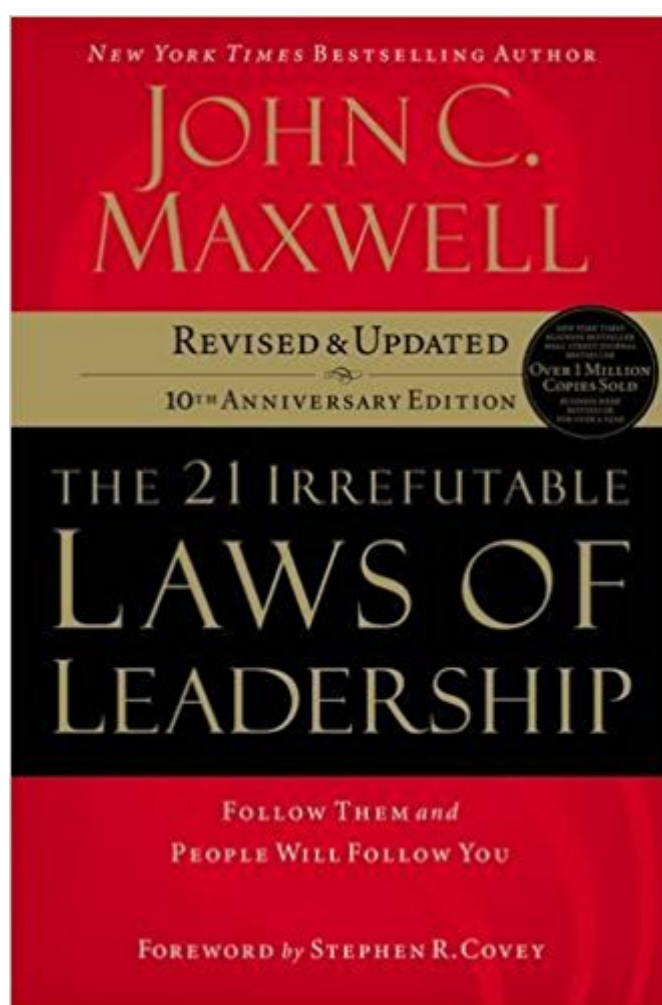


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# The 21 Irrefutable Laws Of Leadership: Follow Them And People Will Follow You (10th Anniversary Edition)



## Synopsis

If you've never read *The 21 Irrefutable Laws of Leadership*, you've been missing out on one of the best-selling leadership books of all time. If you have read the original version, then you'll love this new expanded and updated one. Internationally recognized leadership expert, speaker, and author John C. Maxwell has taken this million-seller and made it even better. Every Law of Leadership has been sharpened and updated. Seventeen new leadership stories are included. Two new Laws of Leadership are introduced. New evaluation tool will reveal your leadership strengths and weaknesses. New application exercises in every chapter will help you grow. Why would Dr. Maxwell make changes to his best-selling book? "A book is a conversation between the author and reader," says Maxwell. "It's been ten years since I wrote *The 21 Laws of Leadership*. I've grown a lot since then. I've taught these laws in dozens of countries around the world. This new edition gives me the opportunity to share what I've learned."

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John C. Maxwell offers lively stories about the foibles and successes of Lee Iacocca, Abraham Lincoln, Princess Diana, and Elizabeth Dole in *The 21 Irrefutable Laws of Leadership*. Readers can expect a well-crafted discussion that emphasizes the core attitudes and visions of leadership. Maxwell uses the same tell-it-like-it-is approach that he honed in the bestselling *Developing the Leader Within You*. For instance, when explaining "The Law of Influence," Maxwell states that "job titles don't have much value when it comes to leading. True leadership cannot be awarded, appointed or assigned. It comes only from influence and that can't be mandated." Even after

Princess Diana was stripped of her title, Maxwell says she was still able to lead a global effort toward banning land mines because of her sophisticated ability to influence others. If readers are looking for a step-by-step formula, Maxwell's list of "laws" will probably seem too chatty and anecdote driven. There are no specific tips on what readers can do during the next workday to help them become stronger leaders. On the other hand, Maxwell's background as a pastor gives him an inspirational voice and a spiritual context to leadership that many business and church leaders appreciate. --Gail Hudson --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

"Our nation and its institutions are crying out for leaders. John Maxwell . . . shows us the true path to leadership through the application of timeless principles supported by the bedrock of personal character." Edward C. Emma, President & COO, Jockey International, Inc. "An irrefutable must-read on leadership that is a simple and powerful list of guidelines to help build leadership in many arenas." --S. Truett Cathy, Founder and Chairman, Chick-Fil-A, Inc. --This text refers to an out of print or unavailable edition of this title.

This is a book all leaders, born or made, should read. Maxwell's leadership laws are succinct and highly useful. He supports the laws with real business stories and leadership anecdotes, then he shows you how to apply these laws (each chapter ends with practical strategies and activities to help you reflect and grow your leadership abilities). Honestly, I couldn't stop reading. But here are the main points from each chapter/law of "The 21 Irrefutable Laws of Leadership": I. The Law Of the Lid: Leadership ability determines a person's level of effectiveness. II. The Law of Influence: The true measure of leadership is influence--nothing more, nothing less. III. The Law of Process: Leadership develops daily, not in a day. IV. The Law of Navigation: Anyone can steer the ship, but it takes a leader to chart the course. V. The Law of Addition: Leaders add value by serving others. VI. The Law of Solid Ground: Trust is the foundation of leadership. VII. The Law of Respect: People naturally follow leaders stronger than themselves. VIII. The Law of Intuition: Leaders evaluate everything with a leadership bias. IX. The Law of Magnetism: Who you are is who you attract. X. The Law of Connection: Leaders touch a heart before they ask for a hand. XI. The Law of the Inner Circle: A leader's potential is determined by those closest to him. XII. The Law of Empowerment: Only secure leaders give power to others. XIII. The Law of the Picture: People do what people see. XIV. The Law of Buy-in: People buy into the leader, then the vision. XV. The Law of Victory: Leaders find a way for the team to win. XVI. The Law of the Big Mo: Momentum is a leader's best friend. XVII. The Law of Priorities: Leaders understand that activity is not necessarily accomplishment. XVIII. The Law of

Sacrifice: A leader must give up to go up.XIX. The Law of Timing: When to lead is as important as what to do and where to go.XX. The Law of Explosive Growth: To add growth, lead followers--to multiply, lead leaders.XXI. The Law of Legacy: A leader's lasting value is measured by succession.A great book and the most digestible, practical, and actionable leadership book I've come across other than "Leadership 2.0"

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This is one of the best books of its kind. In fact, I do not know that another such book which is as comprehensive as this one in terms of covering various aspects of leadership. The power of the book is not in the interesting stories and illustrations that John Maxwell gives in this book, but in in application of "laws" to your life which he tries to get the reader to embrace at the end of each chapter. You can read this book and it will be helpful, but if you really want to get the benefit of this book, join a John C. Maxwell team member's Mastermind on the book.

After so many great books, I admit that I was scepticle about John Maxwells ability to continue producing at such a high level...but he proved me wrong, again!

"Whether you are a follower who is just beginning to discover the impact of leadership or a natural leader who already has followers, you can become a better leader. As you read about the laws, you may recognize that you already practice some of them very effectively. Other laws may expose weaknesses you didn't know you had. Use your review as a learning experience. ...No matter where you are in the leadership process, know this: the greater the number of laws you learn, the better leader you will become. Each law is like a tool, ready to be picked up and used to help you achieve your dreams and add value to other people. Pick up even one, and you will become a better leader. Learn them all, and people will gladly follow you.Now, let's open the toolbox together." John C. Maxwell from The 21 Irrefutable Laws of LeadershipJohn Maxwell is one of the world's leading authorities on leadership.He's trained millions (literally) of leaders and has written

over 50 (!) books that have sold over 13 million copies – this one alone has sold over 3 million copies. As the title of the book suggests, Maxwell walks us through his 21 “irrefutable” laws of leadership – sharing personal stories along with biographical sketches of some of history’s greatest leaders to bring the wisdom home. Although no one does all 21 laws well, getting better at any (or all) of them will make us better leaders. Let’s explore some of my favorite Big Ideas: 1. The 21 Laws - Super quick peek. 2. Leader Are Learners - All about +1%. 3. Foundation of Leadership - Is trust. 4. Visionary AND Practical - How’re you doing here? 5. The Law of Victory - How’s your commitment? Here’s to dedicating our lives to serving profoundly, leading wisely, and leaving a legacy. More goodness – including Philosophers Notes on 300+ books in our \*OPTIMIZE\* membership program. Find out more at [brianjohnson . me](http://brianjohnson.me).

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