

The Great Whale Book. 9780874914689. Center for Environmental Education, 1981. 1981. 116 pages. John Kelly, Scott Mercer, Steve Wolf

Moby-Dick; or, The Whale is an 1851 novel by American writer Herman Melville. The book is the sailor Ishmael's narrative of the obsessive quest of Ahab, captain of the whaling ship Pequod, for revenge on Moby Dick, the giant white sperm whale that on the ship's previous voyage bit off Ahab's leg at the knee. A contribution to the literature of the American Renaissance, Moby-Dick was published to mixed reviews, was a commercial failure, and was out of print at the time of the author's death in 1891. The Great whales have something else in common besides their extraordinary size. Most species in this group suffered greatly at the hands of the commercial whaling industry. Some only made it to the end of the last century because of the global moratorium on whaling imposed by the IWC (International Whaling Commission) in 1985. Today, 7 of the 13 Great whale species are listed as either endangered or vulnerable. Read on to find out more about each species's conservation status, distribution and other interesting facts. Blue whale. We have limited availability on our tours according to government restrictions, we recommend you book early. If you have specific questions not addressed here or on our website, reach out to us. Go to Top. Books are a great way to communicate deeper information that can't be conveyed in films or in a Whale Tales presentation. We are proud of what our team has accomplished in the world of publishing, and we look forward to growing our library of offerings soon. Among Giants: A Life with Whales. By Charles "Flip" Nicklin. "January 11th, 1963 my father rode a whale." And so begins the story of Charles "Flip" Nicklin, world-renowned National Geographic photographer and Whale Trust Maui co-founder. Buy now and support whale research! Humpbacks: Unveiling the Mysteries. By Jim Darling. It's impos