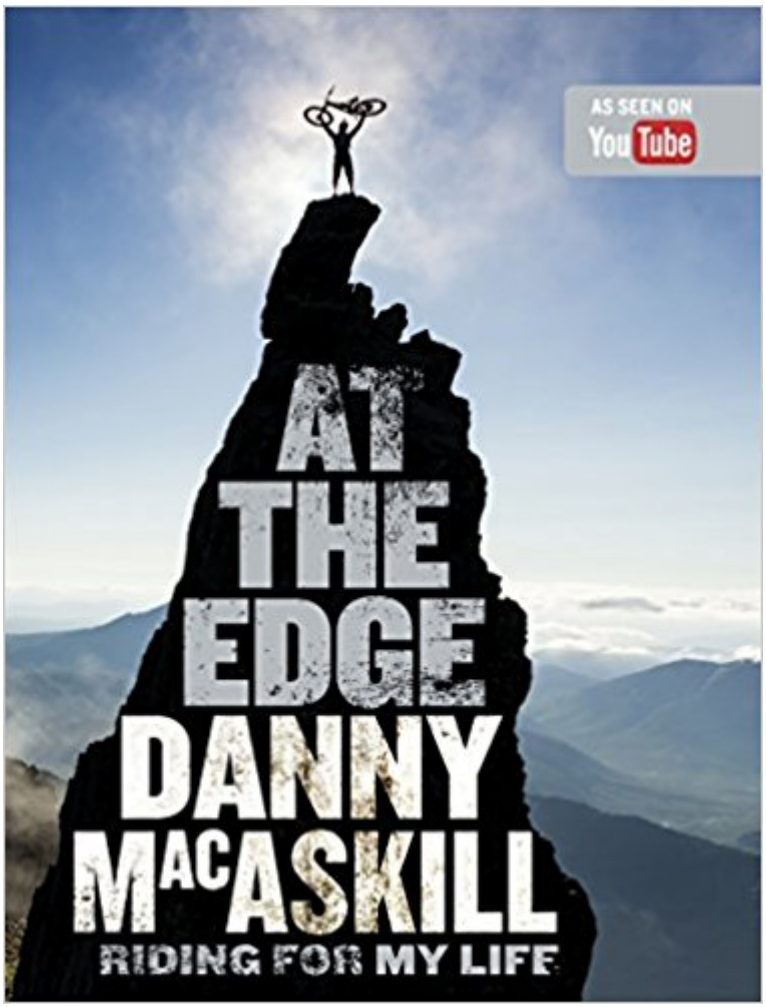
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# At The Edge: Riding For My Life




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## Synopsis

Danny MacAskill lives on the edge. The cyclist is legendary for his YouTube viral videos like The Ridge, Cascadia and Imaginate: nerve-jangling blurs of stunts and speed over towering buildings and mountain peaks. His life is one of thrills, bloody spills and millions of online hits. It hasn't been an easy ride. Fear, stress and the 'what if?' factor circle every trailblazing trick, which require imagination, daredevil techniques and movie-making smarts. He has spent his life pushing the extremes; somehow, he's still around to tell the tale. In this unflinching memoir of mayhem, Danny shares his anarchic childhood on the Isle of Skye and early days as a street trials rider, takes us behind the scenes of his training and videos, and reveals what it takes to go the next levelÃ¢â ¬â •both mentally and physically. Join Danny for a nerve-shredding ride. Just be sure to bring a crash helmet.

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Danny MacAskill is professional stunt trials rider for Red Bull and Inspired Bicycles. Raised in a remote Scottish outpost on the Isle of Skye, he was a bike mechanic, but his passion for trials riding

turned into an unlikely career when his debut videoÃ¢â ¬â •jaw-dropping stunts played out on the streets of EdinburghÃ¢â ¬â •went viral. Danny has built over 150 million YouTube hits and has been nominated for Action Sportsperson of the Year at the Laureus World Sports Awards and the National Geographic Adventurer of the Year Award.

Great read for all, even if you aren't already a huge fan of MacAskill or mountain biking. The background and commentary on his videos and his life is very entertaining and a special treat for us fans. But there's a inspiring message of hard work, integrity and following your passion in his story. I recommended this book to my niece and nephew, not just because I want them to become serious riders (which I do) but because I hope they can learn from a youtube celebrity that isn't a douche, that respects his fame, followers and sport. This book makes me respect Danny even more and I can't wait to see what else he gives us.

I love watching Danny's videos and the book gave me so much more background on how each video was made. I love Danny even more now! It's fun to look up all the videos while you read the book and understand what he had to overcome to complete each obstacle. Danny inspires me to be a better rider and tackle things that I think are impossible. I have recommended this book to all my mountain biking friends!

Such a great book. Covers the tricks and stunts and videos that Danny has done and details the production of these videos. Danny opens up about what is going through his mind while making videos and doing the stunts. A must have for serious Danny Macaskill fans!

Book for my son for Christmas. It was worth the wait!

Fantastic

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