The Mountain of Adventure - The Adventure Series (Paperback). Enid Blyton (author). Sign in to write a review. The Mountain of Adventure is the fifth thrilling instalment in the Adventure series by Enid Blyton, one of the best-loved children's writers of all time. Surely a peaceful holiday in the Welsh mountains will keep the children out of trouble! With their classic mix of adventure, magic and humour (not to mention legendary picnics) her books have been selling in their millions since they were first published in the 1930's. Amongst her best-known stories still flying off the shelves at Waterstones are the intrepid Famous Five and Secret Seven as well as the Noddy books and the enchanted land of The Magic Faraway Tree. Visit the Enid Blyton author page. You may also be interested in The Mountain of Adventure was my least favourite Adventure book as a child, as it is slow to start. However, Blyton does capture something of the flavour of Wales in her descriptions of sunlit mountains and shadowed valleys, buzzards and swallows, goats, birch-trees, streams and stone walls. This book resembles The Secret Mountain (1941) in many ways (people living secretly in a mountain, the capture of the children and the near-sacrifice of one of the boys) but I feel that The Secret Mountain, with its exotic African setting, is more convincing than The Mountain of Adventure. Further illustrations Reload page to show illustrations. The Mountain Adventures book series by Elizabeth Yates & Gloria Repp includes books High Holiday, Climbing Higher, and Haven For the Brave. See the complete Mountain Adventures series book list in order, box sets or omnibus editions, and companion titles. 3 Books. #1. High Holiday. Elizabeth Yates, Gloria Repp. Out of Stock. #2. Climbing Higher. Classic Books of Adventure. Or: the books that started it all. From Don Quixote to Treasure Island, they invented many of the tropes that we still see in adventure novels today. 1. Don Quixote by Miguel de Cervantes. Buy on Amazon. Add to library. Regarded as one of the greatest works in literature, Don Quixote recounts the adventures of Alonso Quixano: a middle-aged man so obsessed with chivalric books that he decides to imitate them and become a knight-errant. So begins his journey to find a faithful squire, save damsels in distress, and fight windmills.