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Sommario/riassunto	Willard Van Orman Quine was certainly the greatest analytic philosopher of the second half of the twentieth century. Born in 1908, he held the Edgar Pierce Chair of Philosophy at Harvard University from 1956 to 2000. He made highly important contributions to such areas as mathematical logic, set theory, the philosophy of language, and the philosophy of logic. His best known works include <i>From a Logical Point of View</i> , <i>Ontological Relativity and Other Essays</i> , and his most influential <i>Word and Object</i> . One of Quine's central doctrines is the 'indeterminacy of translation' - the assertion that there