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Sommario/riassunto	Immortal Passage: Philosophical Speculations on Posthuman Evolution defends the posthuman hypothesis: that descendants of present humans, leading lives of indefinitely extended duration, and having significantly altered biological, psychological, and social characteristics, will have lives superior to those of current humans. A detailed speculative account of these lives, with attention to philosophical issues raised by such an account, presents the major philosophical challenge of Immortal Passage.

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Titolo	Agrarian change in late antiquity : gold, labour, and aristocratic dominance / Jairus Banaji
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Jones's Success; Success beyond Trading; Recreating Jones's Trading Strategies; Jones's Top Traits; CHAPTER 4 John Templeton: Legendary Mutual Fund Manager; What Made Templeton Famous; Templeton's Life before Investing; Educational Aspirations; The Married Life; Templeton's Big Move; Back to New York; Looking to the Future, and the Templeton Growth Fund; Templeton's Second Marriage and Fund The Bahamas; Recreating Templeton's Trading Strategies; Templeton's Top Traits; CHAPTER 5 Jesse Livermore: Legendary Speculator; Livermore's History; At Home in New York; Fame and Fortune; The Panic of 1907; The Crash of 1929; Livermore's Tragic End; An Example of Livermore's Influence Today; Recreating Livermore's Trading Strategies; Livermore's Top Traits; CHAPTER 6 John Paulson: The Greatest Trade of All Time; Paulson's Early Career; Paulson & Co.; The Greatest Trade; Recreating Paulson's Trading Strategies; Paulson's Top Traits; CHAPTER 7 George Soros: From Humble Beginnings to World Trader Soros's Famous Trades; The Hardships of a Trading Genius; Going to School in London; Work in New York; Joining the Big Leagues; Finding Himself; Crashing from Success; A New Protege; Onto the World Stage; The Backlash; A Conflicted Mind; A New Era; Recreating Soros's Trading Strategies; Soros's Top Traits; CHAPTER 8 David Einhorn: A Company's Worst Nightmare; Allied Is Not an Ally; Lucky Lehman; The Great Beyond; Recreating Einhorn's Trading Strategies; Einhorn's Top Traits; CHAPTER 9 Martin Schwartz: From Amateur to Superstar; Start Small, Go Big; Trading Like a Rock Star; Winding Down Recreating Schwartz's Trading Strategies; Schwartz's Top Traits; CHAPTER 10 John Arnold: Master of Energy; Success at Enron; Centaurus Energy; The Explosion; Recreating Arnold's Trading Strategies; Crude Oil; Natural Gas; Arnold's Top Traits; CHAPTER 11 More Great Trades: Phillip Falcone, David Tepper, Andrew Hall, Greg Lippmann; Phillip Falcone; Recreating Falcone's Trading Strategies; David Tepper; Recreating Tepper's Trading Strategies; Andrew Hall; Recreating Hall's Trading Strategies; Greg Lippmann; Recreating Lippmann's Trading Strategies; In Summary; Notes; Glossary; References Helpful Web Sites

Sommario/riassunto

How top traders made huge profits during the most momentous market events of the past century. Financial and commodity markets are characterized by periodic crashes and upside explosions. In retrospect, the reasons behind these abrupt movements often seem very clear, but generally few people understand what's happening at the time. Top traders and investors like George Soros or Jesse Livermore have stood apart from the crowd and capitalized on their unique insights to capture huge profits. Engaging and informative, *The Greatest Trades of All Time* chronicles how a select few traders a
