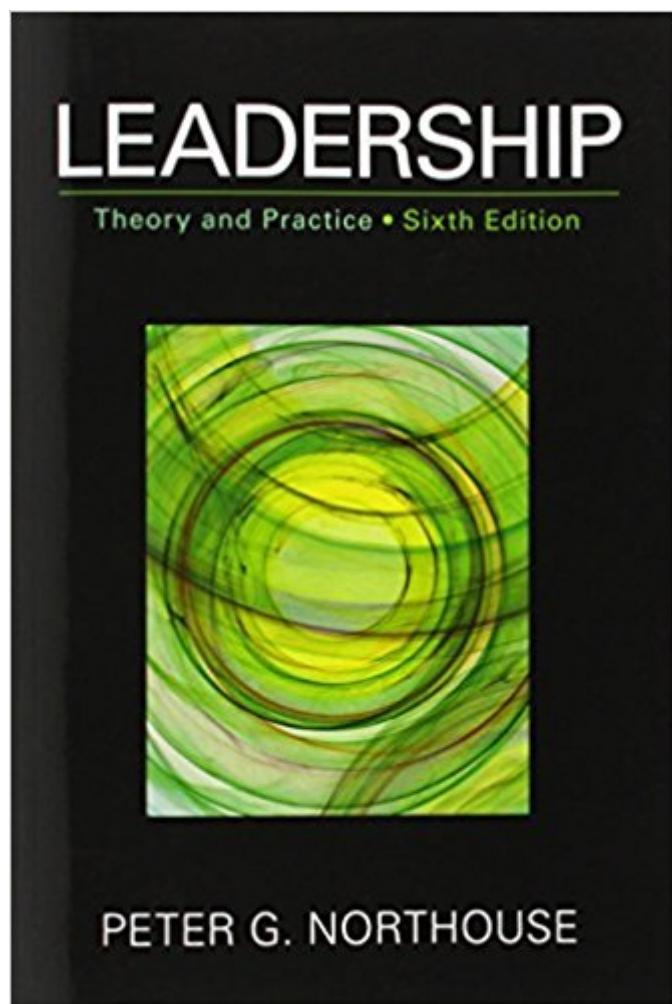


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This is a good "staple" book in your library. I have taken a large number of leadership classes and stumbled across this in my master's program, but used it again in my Ph.D. It is a good book because it is concise. I have sold most of my leadership books, but this is one that I cannot seem to part with due to its quick reference nature. The index is good and it allows me to review concepts quickly and concisely.

Required textbook for graduate studies. It contains easy to read substantial material with great chapter by chapter references. I would have liked the book to be of larger size close to or similar to other textbooks.

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Purchased this for a class and found it very understandable and well-written. The diagrams are

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Great book on leadership and organizational theory and practice! I would recommend this book to anyone going through a MBA program!

Northouse uses this text to introduce many common leadership theories and ways that you can put these theories into everyday life. While the pages are not the easiest to read, it does provide in depth insight into some of the many common practices of leadership. Highly recommend even if it is not a required reading as it was for my leadership minor.

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