## ## Retro Tech: Macintosh

This video summarizes the impact and legacy of the first Macintosh computer, released in 1984.

## \*\*Key Points:\*\*

- \* The 1984 Mac was a groundbreaking computer that revolutionized personal computing.
- \* It introduced a graphical user interface (GUI), making computers more accessible and user-friendly.
- \* The influential "1984" Super Bowl commercial portrayed Apple as the underdog fighting against industry giant IBM.
- \* The Mac's success was due to its innovative design, intuitive software, and marketing strategy.
- \* It influenced the development of modern software, including MacPaint, which directly inspired Photoshop.
- \* While the original Mac's technology is outdated, its legacy continues in contemporary computing as the foundation for current operating systems and software.
- \* The Macintosh transformed computers from industrial tools to personal devices, ushering in an era of accessibility and human-centric technology.