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## Up the Watling Street

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Paperback. Book Condition: New. Not Signed; The Watling Street will never be the same to you again, if you go down it after reading this book. Instead of a long straight road disappearing over the horizon you will realise you are going through places where thousands died when the Romans and the Britons fought along it as they struggled against each other for sovereignty; and you will also realise how the brilliant Roman engineers made it the longest road in Britain and did all they could to keep it in a straight line. You will be surprised at the huge amount of treasure found, including the famous Staffordshire Hoard, discovered recently by a man with a metal detector who found over 1,600 delicately crafted items of Anglo-Saxon gold and silver, valued at GBP3.3 million. Another recent discovery, also by a man using a metal detector, at the side of the Watling Street, was a hoard of gold Roman coins valued at over GBP100,000. And hundreds of ordinary people have discovered coins, pottery, glassware and other items as a result of trips to the Watling Street. One of the most interesting places along it is the remains of the Roman city of...



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