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In this book, Stapledon - pour yourself a strong one for this - tells the future history of 18 consecutive species of hominids over the course of 2 billion years. It should be part of any politics curriculum. Surely, you think, there will come a time when there will be no further heights to conquer.

Last and First Men

ABOUT THE SF MASTERWORKS EDITION This edition contains an appreciative but stupid and small-minded introduction by the physicist and SF author Gregory Benford, who urges American readers of the book to skip perhaps the first third of it. Their cultures and civilizations flourished and collapsed hundreds or thousand of times. The gas had operated first upon the ground level, but, rising like a tide, it had engulfed the top stories, the spires, the hills.

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The race spreads its wings and other sentient forces are encountered and different species of man evolve and de-evolve, many of them simultaneously.

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The American people, sometimes tender even to excess, were now collectively insane with hate of the English and of all Europeans. The novel is also repetitive in terms of the cycles of human civilization and achievement. However, despite that criticism, this is a book that I strongly recommend to all fans of science fiction as many of the ideas and concepts found in modern science fiction found their first true expression in this amazing futrue history.

Last and First Men by Olaf Stapledon

Indeed so far were they from nationalism, that on this occasion the representative of America had urged acceptance of the weapon, although it

would be used against his own countrymen. Strikingly accurate and plausible portent of homo sapiens future.

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Thus Europe, though more pacific than ever before, was doomed to war. So you start reading and initially you follow along; sure, 400 years in the future, I get that.

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In this view the only reality was physical energy, and the mind was but the system of the body's movements in response to stimulus.

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