# ALBERT MALTZ A TALE OF ONE JANUARY

Read by Rupert Degas



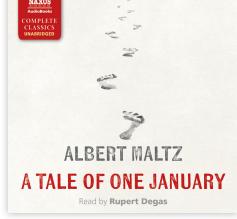
Poland, January 1945. Two women and four men escape from a Nazi death march after enduring the horrors of imprisonment at Auschwitz. Despite their individual backgrounds and nationalities, they form their own family caught between the euphoria of freedom and the terror of their circumstances. This is a tale of exploding joy within a hothouse of fear, of human beings erupting into life after breaking free of death's embrace – an unusual and moving tale that cements Albert Maltz's reputation as a compassionate observer of character and one of the finest storytellers of his generation.

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2	Chapter 1: The Escape	0:08	27	5	3:13
3	1	0:33	28	6	1:04
4	2	4:03	29	7	14:47
5	3	17:13	30	8	1:55
6	4	8:02	31	9	16:26
7	5	16:27	32	Chapter 5: The Song of Katyusha	0:08
8	6	11:24	33	1	4:53
9	Chapter 2: The Factory	0:10	34	2	3:26
10	1	7:58	35	3	31:56
11	2	4:27	36	Chapter 6: The Naked Heart	0:10
12	3	5:12	37	1	8:40
13	4	2:49	38	2	9:49
14	5	12:13	39	3	2:13
15	6	8:54	40	4	6:39
16	Chapter 3: Between Heaven and Earth	0:12	41	5	1:06
17	1	8:34	42	6	8:27
18	2	21:28	43	7	4:45
19	3	6:24	44	Chapter 7: Three Capuchins	0:10
20	4	5:02	45	1	13:06
21	5	9:02	46	2	6:43
22	Chapter 4: Thank You, Andrey	0:10	47	3	9:02
23	1	5:58	48	4	6:30
24	2	6:25	49	5	3:35
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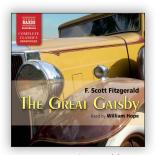
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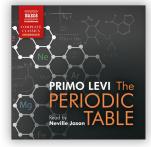


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