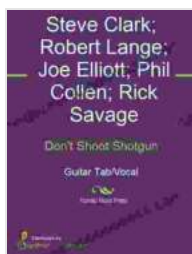


# Don't Shoot Shotgun Helen King

Don't Shoot Shotgun Helen King is the true story of a woman who defied the odds and became a legendary Western sharp shooter. Helen King was born in 1861 in Missouri, and at a young age, she showed a natural talent for shooting. She began competing in shooting competitions, and she quickly gained a reputation as one of the best shooters in the West. In 1882, she married Bob King, and the couple moved to Arizona. Helen King continued to compete in shooting competitions, and she became known for her incredible accuracy and her ability to shoot from long distances. She was also known for her trick shooting, and she often amazed audiences with her ability to shoot a target while riding a horse or standing on one foot.



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Helen King's reputation as a sharp shooter spread far and wide, and she was soon invited to compete in some of the most prestigious shooting competitions in the country. In 1885, she competed in the International Rifle Match at Creedmoor, New York. She was the only woman competing, and she finished in 12th place out of 100 shooters. In 1887, she competed in

the National Rifle Match at Sea Girt, New Jersey. She finished in 10th place out of 100 shooters, and she was the only woman to finish in the top 10.

Helen King's success as a sharp shooter was due to her natural talent, her hard work, and her dedication to the sport. She was also a skilled horsewoman, and she often used her riding skills to her advantage in shooting competitions. She was a fearless competitor, and she was always willing to take on the best shooters in the country. She was also a gracious winner, and she always congratulated her opponents, even when she beat them.

Helen King's story is an inspiring one. She was a woman who defied the odds and achieved great success in a male-dominated sport. She was a true pioneer, and she helped to pave the way for other women who wanted to compete in shooting competitions. She is a legend in the world of shooting, and her story continues to inspire people today.

If you are interested in learning more about Helen King, I encourage you to read her autobiography, "Shotgun Helen." It is a fascinating account of her life and her career as a sharp shooter. You can also visit the Helen King Museum in Tombstone, Arizona. The museum is dedicated to preserving her legacy, and it features a collection of her guns, trophies, and other memorabilia.

## **Image Gallery**





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