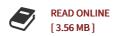




## October 1917 Revolution: A Century Later (Paperback)

By Samir Amin

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democracy, the Russian revolution paved the way for the socialist transition, while the Chinese
revolution connected the emancipation of those peoples oppressed by imperialism with the path
to socialism. These revolutions are great precisely because they are bearers of undertakings that
are far ahead of the immediate demands of their time. beacons that illuminate the still unfinished
struggles of the peoples for the realization of these goals. It is impossible to understand the
contemporary world by ignoring these great revolutions. To commemorate these revolutions, says
Samir Amin, one needs both to assess their ambitions (the utopia of today will be the reality of
tomorrow), and to understand the reasons for their temporary setbacks. Conservative and
reactionary minds refuse to do so--they wish us to believe that great revolutions have been nothing
more than unfortunate accidents, that the peoples who have made them were carried away by
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