

BOOK REVIEW

Lenin's Final Fight

Speeches and Writings, 1922–23

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Lenin's Final Fight is a comprehensive collection of Lenin's writings during the crucial period of his illness and revolutionary reconsiderations, from the spring of 1922 until his final stroke in March 1923. It is useful reference and an important reminder of Lenin's flexibility and of the revised direction he saw for the Russian Revolution, and thus supports the argument against the thesis that Stalinism was the direct projection of Leninism.