

**Robert Novak**

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Robert Novak is a leading analyst of the American political scene. In 1963 he teamed up with the late Rowland Evans, Jr. to write "Inside Report," a political column published four times a week. He continues this column at *The Chicago Sun-Times*. As one of the longest running syndicated columns in the nation, "Inside Report" has always been based on hard reporting covering politics, wars, revolutions and international conferences around the globe. Mr. Novak also produces a twice-monthly newsletter, "The Evans-Novak Political Report," has written for most of the nation's periodicals and currently is contributing editor for *Readers Digest*.

Mr. Novak's first book was *Agony of the GOP: 1964*. In collaboration with Rowland Evans, Jr., he has written *Lyndon B. Johnson: The Exercise of Power*, and *The Reagan Revolution*. His most recent book *Completing the Revolution: A Vision for Victory in 2000*, was published in 1999 and his memoirs *The Prince of Darkness: 50 Years Reporting in Washington* were published in July. For 25 years he was commentator for CNN. Currently, he is a commentator for Fox News and appears occasionally on NBC's "Meet the Press."

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