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SECRET LIFE

OF AN AMERICAN

CODEBREAKER GIRLS

FOREWORD BY PAUL REID

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CODEBREAKER GIRLS:

A Secret Life at Bletchley Park

Foreword by Sir Dermot Turing

"What would it be like to keep a secret for fifty years? Never tell your parents, your children, not even your husband?"

Following extensive research, the author uses snippets of information, unpublished photographs and her recollections to describe scenes from her mother's poor, but happy, upbringing and the disruptions caused by the outbreak of the Second World War. A young woman in the prime of her life we see how she was chosen to work with codes and ciphers in British Intelligence for three years, the turmoil she felt when her fiancé is reported missing in action overseas, and the secret burden she kept for most of her life.

"This beautiful history book reads as smoothly as a novel, but it is true and often an unknown bit of history. I was hooked from page one." "The writing is masterful, the story is powerful, and this bit of history is fascinating." – Reader review

The Secret Life of an American Codebreaker

Foreword by Paul Reid

The true account of Janice Martin Benario, a college student recruited to the military in 1943 after she was secretly approached by a professor at Goucher College in Baltimore. Destined for a teaching career, Janice became a prestigious professor of classics at Georgia State University, but how did she spend three years of her secret life during WWII working in Washington D.C.'s Top Secret Intelligence? Why was she chosen? How was she chosen? What did she do?

"As a lover of history, I was really looking forward to reading this book. It did not disappoint." –Reader review



Jan Slimming

Her third book

Captured in Singapore written with her twin sister Jill Robertson

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