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BREAKING COVER - MICHELE RIGBY
ASSAD 2018-02-06
A REAL-LIFE, CAN'T-PUT-DOWN SPY MEMOIR. THE CIA IS LOOKING FOR WALKING CONTRADICTIONS. RECRUITERS SEEK OUT POTENTIAL AGENTS WHO CAN KEEP A SECRET YET PULL CLASSIFIED INFORMATION OUT OF OTHERS; WHO LOVE THEIR COUNTRY BUT ARE WILLING TO LEAVE IT BEHIND FOR DANGEROUS PLACES; WHO LIVE DOUBLE LIVES, BUT CAN BE TRUSTED WITH SOME OF THE NATION'S MOST HIGHLY SENSITIVE TASKS. MICHELE RIGBY ASSAD WAS ONE OF THOSE PEOPLE. AS A CIA AGENT AND A COUNTERTERRORISM EXPERT, MICHELE SOON FOUND THAT

WORKING UNDERCOVER WAS AN ALL-ENCOMPASSING JOB. THE THREATS WERE REAL; THE ASSIGNMENTS PERILOUS. MICHELE SPENT OVER A DECADE IN THE AGENCY—A WOMAN LEADING SOME OF THE MOST HIGHLY SKILLED OPERATIVES ON THE PLANET, SECRETLY SERVING IN SOME OF THE MOST TREACHEROUS AREAS OF THE MIDDLE EAST, AND AT RISK AS A TARGET FOR ISIS. BUT DEEP INSIDE, MICHELE WONDERED: COULD SHE REALLY DO THIS JOB? HAD SHE MISUNDERSTOOD WHAT SHE THOUGHT WAS GOD'S CALLING ON HER LIFE? DID SHE HAVE WHAT IT WOULD TAKE TO SURVIVE? THE ANSWER CAME WHEN MICHELE FACED HER ULTIMATE MISSION,

ONE WITH OTHERS' LIVES ON THE LINE—AND IT TURNED OUT TO HAVE BEEN THE PLAN FOR HER ALL ALONG. IN *BREAKING COVER*, MICHELE HAS AT LAST BEEN CLEARED TO DROP COVER AND TELL HER STORY: ONE OF LIFE-OR-DEATH STAKES; OF DEFEATING INCREDIBLE ODDS; AND MOST OF ALL, OF DISCOVERING A FAITH GREATER THAN ALL HER FEARS.

MORE STORIES FROM LANGLEY - EDWARD MICKOLUS 2020-09-01
WHO KNEW THE CIA NEEDED LIBRARIANS? MORE STORIES FROM LANGLEY REVEALS THE LESSER-KNOWN OPERATIONS OF ONE OF THE MOST MYSTERIOUS GOVERNMENT AGENCIES IN THE UNITED STATES. EDWARD MICKOLUS IS BACK WITH MORE STORIES TO ANSWER THE QUESTION, "WHAT DOES A CAREER IN THE CIA LOOK LIKE?" ADVICE AND ANECDOTES FROM BOTH CURRENT AND FORMER CIA OFFICERS PROVIDE A LOOK AT THE SIDE OF INTELLIGENCE OPERATIONS THAT IS OFTEN LEFT OUT OF THE MOVIES. WHAT WAS IT LIKE WORKING FOR THE CIA DURING 9/11? DO ONLY SPIES GET TO TRAVEL? MORE STORIES FROM LANGLEY HAS PHYSICISTS GETTING RECRUITED TO "THE AGENCY" DURING THE COLD WAR, FOREIGN-LANGUAGE MAJORS GETTING LUCKY CHANCES, AND QUESTS TO "LEARN BY LIVING" TURNING INTO SWEATY-PALMED CALLS TO THE U.S. EMBASSY AFTER BEING DETAINED BY RUSSIAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS. THE WORLD ONLY NEEDS SO MANY SUAVE SUPER SPIES. MORE STORIES FROM LANGLEY SHOWS HOW

IMPORTANT ACADEMICS, RETIRED SOLDIERS, AND BILINGUAL NANNIES CAN BE IN PRESERVING THE SECURITY OF OUR NATION.

THE MASTER OF DISGUISE - ANTONIO J. MENDEZ 2000-11-07

FOR THE FIRST TIME, THE CIA HAS AUTHORIZED A TOP-LEVEL OPERATIVE TO TELL ALL IN AN UNFORGETTABLE BEHIND-THE-SCENES LOOK AT ESPIONAGE IN ACTION. AN UNDISPUTED GENIUS WHO COULD CREATE AN ENTIRELY NEW IDENTITY FOR ANYBODY, ANYWHERE, ANYTIME, ANTONIO J. MENDEZ COMBINED THE CUNNING TRICKS OF A MAGICIAN WITH THE ANALYTICAL INSIGHT OF A PSYCHOLOGIST TO HELP HUNDREDS OF PEOPLE ESCAPE POTENTIALLY FATAL SITUATIONS. FROM "WILD WEST" ADVENTURES IN EAST ASIA TO COLD WAR INTRIGUE IN MOSCOW AND HELPING SIX AMERICANS ESCAPE REVOLUTIONARY TEHRAN IN 1980, MENDEZ WAS ON THE SCENE. HERE HE GIVES US A PRIVILEGED LOOK AT WHAT REALLY HAPPENS IN THE FIELD AND BEHIND CLOSED DOORS AT THE HIGHEST LEVELS OF INTERNATIONAL ESPIONAGE, SOME OF IT SHOCKING, FRIGHTENING, AND WILDLY INVENTIVE--ALL OF IT UNFORGETTABLE.

SUMMARY OF MICHELE RIGBY ASSAD'S *BREAKING COVER* - EVEREST MEDIA, 2022-06-15T22:59:00Z

PLEASE NOTE: THIS IS A COMPANION VERSION & NOT THE ORIGINAL BOOK. SAMPLE BOOK INSIGHTS: #1 | NEVER DREAMED OF BECOMING A SPY. I GREW UP IN A SIMPLE FAMILY IN RURAL PENNSYLVANIA, AND I DIDN'T KNOW

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ANYTHING ABOUT THE CIA OR ITS WORK. IT SEEMED LIKE A PLACE WHERE ONLY THE WORLD'S MOST SOPHISTICATED AND SMARTEST HUMAN BEINGS APPLIED. #2 I WAS A NEWLYWED IN GRADUATE SCHOOL, AND I HAD MET MY HUSBAND, JOSEPH, DURING MY SENIOR YEAR OF HIGH SCHOOL. HE HAD LIVED A REMARKABLY SHELTERED LIFE, AND I WAS ASTONISHED TO MEET SOMEONE WHO KNEW WHAT IT MEANT TO STAND STRONG IN THE FACE OF INTENSE INTIMIDATION. #3 I RETURNED TO EGYPT TO STUDY ARABIC AND ISLAMIC CULTURE, AND MET JOSEPH, WHO WAS WORKING AS A MIDDLE EAST RESEARCH DIRECTOR AT A THINK TANK. WE MARRIED AND MOVED TO WASHINGTON, DC, WHERE JOSEPH BEGAN APPLYING FOR GOVERNMENT JOBS THAT COULD UTILIZE HIS UNIQUE BACKGROUND AND EDUCATION. #4 I HAD A BURNING DESIRE TO STUDY THE MIDDLE EAST, AND SO I DID WHAT I HAD ALWAYS DONE: I HEEDED THE URGE DEEP WITHIN MY SOUL, THE FEELING THAT I JUST HAD TO TAKE A PARTICULAR COURSE OF ACTION. I HAD MADE A DECISION VERY EARLY ON IN MY LIFE THAT I WOULD FOLLOW GOD'S LEAD NO MATTER WHERE IT TOOK ME. BOND OF SECRECY - SAINT JOHN HUNT 2013-01-01

A FATHER'S LAST CONFESSION TO HIS SON ABOUT THE CIA, WATERGATE, AND THE PLOT TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT JOHN F. KENNEDY, THIS IS THE REMARKABLE TRUE STORY OF ST. JOHN HUNT AND HIS FATHER E. HOWARD HUNT, THE INFAMOUS WATERGATE

BURGLAR AND CIA SPYMASTER. IN HOWARD HUNT'S NEAR-DEATH CONFESSION TO HIS SON ST. JOHN, HE REVEALED THAT KEY FIGURES IN THE CIA WERE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PLOT TO ASSASSINATE JFK IN DALLAS, AND THAT HUNT HIMSELF WAS APPROACHED BY THE PLOTTERS, AMONG WHOM INCLUDED THE CIA'S DAVID ATLEE PHILLIPS, CORD MEYER, JR., AND WILLIAM HARVEY, AS WELL AS FUTURE WATERGATE BURGLAR FRANK STURGIS. AN INCREDIBLE TRUE STORY TOLD FROM AN INSIDE, AUTHORITATIVE SOURCE, THIS IS ALSO A PERSONAL ACCOUNT OF A UNIQUELY DYSFUNCTIONAL AMERICAN FAMILY CAUGHT UP IN TWO OF THE BIGGEST POLITICAL SCANDALS OF THE 20TH CENTURY.

DEEP UNDERCOVER - JACK BARSKY
2017-03-21

ONE DECISION CAN END EVERYTHING . . . OR LEAD TO UNLIKELY REDEMPTION. MILLIONS WATCHED THE CBS 60 MINUTES SPECIAL ON JACK BARSKY IN 2015. NOW, IN THIS FASCINATING MEMOIR, THE SOVIET KGB AGENT TELLS HIS STORY OF GUT-WRENCHING CHOICES, APPALLING BETRAYALS, HIS TURBULENT INNER WORLD, AND THE SECRET LIFE HE LIVED FOR YEARS WITHOUT GETTING CAUGHT. ON OCTOBER 8, 1978, A CANADIAN NATIONAL BY THE NAME OF WILLIAM DYSON STEPPED OFF A PLANE AT O'HARE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND PROCEEDED TOWARD CUSTOMS AND IMMIGRATION. TWO DAYS LATER, WILLIAM DYSON CEASED TO EXIST. THE IDENTITY WAS A KGB FORGERY,

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USED TO GET ONE OF THEIR OWN—A YOUNG, AMBITIOUS EAST GERMAN AGENT—INTO THE UNITED STATES. THE PLAN SUCCEEDED, AND THE SPY'S NEW IDENTITY WAS BORN: JACK BARSKY. HE WOULD WORK UNDERCOVER FOR THE NEXT DECADE, CARRYING OUT SECRET OPERATIONS DURING THE COLD WAR YEARS . . . UNTIL A SURPRISING SHIFT IN HIS ALLEGIANCE CHALLENGED EVERYTHING HE THOUGHT HE BELIEVED. DEEP UNDERCOVER WILL REVEAL THE SECRET LIFE OF THIS MAN WITHOUT A COUNTRY AND TELL THE STORY NO ONE EVER EXPECTED HIM TO TELL.

JESUS, MY FATHER, THE CIA, AND ME -

IAN MORGAN CRON 2011-06-06

A TOUCHING MEMOIR OF LIFE WITH AN ALCOHOLIC FATHER WHO SECRETLY WORKS WITH THE CIA, A DARK PILGRIMAGE THROUGH THE VALLEY OF DEPRESSION AND ADDICTION, AND FINDING A FAITH TO REDEEM AND A STRENGTH TO FORGIVE. "THIS IS A RECORD OF MY LIFE AS I REMEMBER IT—BUT MORE IMPORTANTLY, AS I FELT IT." AT THE AGE OF SIXTEEN, IAN MORGAN CRON WAS TOLD BY HIS MOTHER THAT HIS FATHER, A MOTION PICTURE EXECUTIVE, WORKED WITH THE CIA IN EUROPE. THIS ASTONISHING REVELATION, COUPLED WITH HIS FATHER'S DARK STRUGGLE WITH ALCOHOLISM, UPENDED THE WORLD OF A TEENAGER STRUGGLING TO BECOME A MAN. BORN INTO A FAMILY OF PRIVILEGE AND POWER, IAN'S LIFE IS POPULATED WITH COLORFUL PEOPLE AND STORIES AS HIS FATHER TAKES THE FAMILY ON A

WILD ROLLER-COASTER RIDE THROUGH WEALTH AND POVERTY AND BACK AGAIN. DECADES LATER, AS HE FACED HIS OWN PERSONAL DEMONS, IAN REALIZED THAT THE ONLY WAY TO FIND PEACE WAS TO VOYAGE BACK THROUGH A PAINFUL CHILDHOOD MARKED BY EXTREMES—PRIVILEGE AND POVERTY, VIOLENCE AND TENDERNESS, TRUTH AND DECEIT—THAT HE'D SPENT YEARS TRYING TO ESCAPE. A FAST-PACED, UNIQUE MEMOIR ABOUT THE POWER OF FORGIVENESS FROM THE BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF *THE ROAD BACK TO YOU* DETAILS HIS FATHER'S STRUGGLE WITH ALCOHOL AND CRON'S OWN JOURNEY FROM ADDICTION TO TWENTY-THREE YEARS OF SOBRIETY ENCOURAGEMENT TO SEE GOD'S REDEMPTIVE POWER THROUGH LIFE'S STRUGGLES IN THIS SURPRISINGLY FUNNY AND FORGIVING MEMOIR, IAN REMINDS US THAT NO MATTER HOW DIFFERENT THE PIECES MAY BE, IN THE END WE ARE ALL CUT FROM THE SAME CLOTH, STITCHED BY FAITH INTO AN EXQUISITE QUILT OF GRACE.

ENTER THE PAST TENSE - ROLAND W. HAAS 2011

NAVAL OFFICER, FAMILY MAN, SCHOLAR, PROFESSIONAL HIT MAN.

Argo - ANTONIO MENDEZ

2012-09-13

THE TRUE, DECLASSIFIED ACCOUNT OF CIA OPERATIVE TONY MENDEZ'S DARING RESCUE OF AMERICAN HOSTAGES FROM IRAN THAT INSPIRED THE CRITICALLY-ACCLAIMED FILM DIRECTED BY AND STARRING BEN AFFLECK, AND CO-STARRING JOHN

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GOODMAN, ALAN ARKIN, AND BRYAN CRANSTON. ON NOVEMBER 4, 1979, IRANIAN MILITANTS STORMED THE AMERICAN EMBASSY IN TEHRAN AND CAPTURED DOZENS OF AMERICAN HOSTAGES, SPARKING A 444-DAY ORDEAL AND A QUAKE IN GLOBAL POLITICS STILL REVERBERATING TODAY. BUT THERE IS A LITTLE-KNOWN DRAMA CONNECTED TO THE CRISIS: SIX AMERICANS ESCAPED. AND A TOP-LEVEL CIA OFFICER NAMED ANTONIO MENDEZ DEvised AN INGENIOUS YET INCREDIBLY RISKY PLAN TO RESCUE THEM BEFORE THEY WERE DETECTED. DISGUIsING HIMSELF AS A HOLLYWOOD PRODUCER, AND SUPPORTED BY A CAST OF EXPERT FORGERS, DEEP COVER CIA OPERATIVES, FOREIGN AGENTS, AND HOLLYWOOD SPECIAL EFFECTS ARTISTS, MENDEZ TRAVELED TO TEHRAN UNDER THE GUISE OF SCOUTING LOCATIONS FOR A FAKE SCIENCE FICTION FILM CALLED ARGO. WHILE PRETENDING TO FIND THE PERFECT FILM BACKDROPS, MENDEZ AND A COLLEAGUE SUCCEEDED IN CONTACTING THE ESCAPEES, AND SMUGGLING THEM OUT OF IRAN. ANTONIO MENDEZ FINALLY DETAILS THE EXTRAORDINARILY COMPLEX AND DANGEROUS OPERATION HE LED MORE THAN THREE DECADES AGO. A RIVETING STORY OF SECRET IDENTITIES AND INTERNATIONAL INTRIGUE, ARGO IS THE GRIPPING ACCOUNT OF THE HISTORY-MAKING COLLUSION BETWEEN HOLLYWOOD AND HIGH-STAKES ESPIONAGE.

GENDER, SEXUALITY, AND INTELLIGENCE STUDIES - MARY MANJIKIAN

2020-06-18

THIS IS THE FIRST WORK TO ENGAGE WITH INTELLIGENCE STUDIES THROUGH THE LENS OF QUEER THEORY. ADDING TO THE LITERATURE IN CRITICAL INTELLIGENCE STUDIES AND CRITICAL INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS THEORY, THIS WORK CONSIDERS THE WAYS IN WHICH BOTH THE SPY, AND THE ACTIVITIES OF ESPIONAGE CAN BE VIEWED AS QUEER. PART ONE ARGUES THAT THE SPY PLAYS A ROLE WHICH REPRESENTS A THIRD PATH BETWEEN THE HARD POWER OF THE MILITARY AND THE SOFT POWER OF DIPLOMACY. PART TWO SHOWS HOW THE INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY PLAYS A KEY ROLE IN ENABLING LEADERS OF DEMOCRACIES TO CONDUCT COVERT ACTIVITIES RUNNING COUNTER TO THAT MISSION AND IDEOLOGY, IN THIS WAY ALLOWING A LEADER TO HAVE TWO FOREIGN POLICIES—AN OVERT, PUBLIC POLICY AND A SECOND, CLOSETED, QUEER FOREIGN POLICY.

NEED TO KNOW - KAREN CLEVELAND
2018-01-23

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • FINALIST FOR THE ITW THRILLER AWARD • PERFECT HUSBAND. PERFECT FATHER. PERFECT LIAR?

“TERRIFIC.”—JOHN GRISHAM

“SUPERB.”—LEE CHILD

“BREATHTAKING, HEART-

POUNING.”—LOUISE PENNY “A FAST-

PACED, RELENTLESSLY GRIPPING

READ.”—CHRIS PAVONE VIVIAN

MILLER. HIGH-POWERED CIA ANALYST,

HAPPILY MARRIED TO A MAN SHE

ADORES, MOTHER OF FOUR BEAUTIFUL

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CHILDREN. UNTIL THE MOMENT SHE MAKES A SHOCKING DISCOVERY THAT MAKES HER QUESTION EVERYTHING SHE BELIEVES. SHE THOUGHT SHE KNEW HER HUSBAND INSIDE AND OUT. BUT NOW SHE WONDERS IF IT WAS ALL A LIE. HOW FAR WILL SHE GO TO LEARN THE TRUTH? AND DOES SHE REALLY NEED TO KNOW? FILM RIGHTS SOLD TO UNIVERSAL PICTURES FOR CHARLIZE THERON • RIGHTS SOLD IN MORE THAN 20 MARKETS “SHAPING UP TO BE ONE OF THE YEAR’S BIGGEST NEW THRILLERS.”—ENTERTAINMENT WEEKLY “SO TIMELY . . . THINK OF THE PERFECT MIX OF HOMELAND AND THE AMERICANS. . . . NEED TO KNOW NEEDS TO BE READ BY ALL WHO RELISH SPY NOVELS. AS ENTERTAINING AS IT IS INFORMATIVE AND AS IRRESISTIBLE AS IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO PUT DOWN.”—PROVIDENCE JOURNAL “PULSE-POUNDING.”—O: THE OPRAH MAGAZINE “ACCOMPLISHED . . . A NONSTOP THRILLER TAPPING INTO A HOT MIX OF CONTEMPORARY DIGITAL COUNTERINTELLIGENCE, OLD-SCHOOL SPYING AND AGELESS FAMILY DRAMA.”—SHELF AWARENESS “AN EARLY CONTENDER FOR NEXT YEAR’S GONE GIRL.”—GQ (UK) “THE RUSSIA PAGE-TURNER THAT SHOULD BE ON EVERYONE’S LIST.”—NEW YORK POST

PERMANENT RECORD - EDWARD SNOWDEN 2019-09-17
THE SUNDAY TIMES TOP TEN BESTSELLER. EDWARD SNOWDEN, THE MAN WHO RISKED EVERYTHING TO EXPOSE THE US GOVERNMENT’S SYSTEM OF MASS SURVEILLANCE, REVEALS FOR

THE FIRST TIME THE STORY OF HIS LIFE, INCLUDING HOW HE HELPED TO BUILD THAT SYSTEM AND WHAT MOTIVATED HIM TO TRY TO BRING IT DOWN. IN 2013, TWENTY-NINE-YEAR-OLD EDWARD SNOWDEN SHOCKED THE WORLD WHEN HE BROKE WITH THE AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE ESTABLISHMENT AND REVEALED THAT THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT WAS SECRETLY PURSUING THE MEANS TO COLLECT EVERY SINGLE PHONE CALL, TEXT MESSAGE, AND EMAIL. THE RESULT WOULD BE AN UNPRECEDENTED SYSTEM OF MASS SURVEILLANCE WITH THE ABILITY TO PRY INTO THE PRIVATE LIVES OF EVERY PERSON ON EARTH. SIX YEARS LATER, SNOWDEN REVEALS FOR THE VERY FIRST TIME HOW HE HELPED TO BUILD THIS SYSTEM AND WHY HE WAS MOVED TO EXPOSE IT. SPANNING THE BUCOLIC BELTWAY SUBURBS OF HIS CHILDHOOD AND THE CLANDESTINE CIA AND NSA POSTINGS OF HIS ADULTHOOD, PERMANENT RECORD IS THE EXTRAORDINARY ACCOUNT OF A BRIGHT YOUNG MAN WHO GREW UP ONLINE – A MAN WHO BECAME A SPY, A WHISTLEBLOWER, AND, IN EXILE, THE INTERNET’S CONSCIENCE. WRITTEN WITH WIT, GRACE, PASSION, AND AN UNFLINCHING CANDOR, PERMANENT RECORD IS A CRUCIAL MEMOIR OF OUR DIGITAL AGE. ‘A RIVETING ACCOUNT . . . READS LIKE A LITERARY THRILLER’ - NEW YORK TIMES

CHAOS - TOM O’NEILL 2019-06-27
AS FEATURED ON THE JOE ROGAN EXPERIENCE

_____ A JOURNALIST'S TWENTY-YEAR OBSESSION WITH THE MANSON MURDERS LEADS TO SHOCKING NEW CONSPIRACY THEORIES ABOUT THE FBI'S INVOLVEMENT IN THIS FASCINATING RE-EVALUATION OF ONE OF THE MOST INFAMOUS CASES IN AMERICAN HISTORY. TWENTY YEARS AGO, REPORTING FOR A ROUTINE MAGAZINE PIECE ABOUT THE INFAMOUS MANSON MURDERS, JOURNALIST TOM O'NEILL DIDN'T EXPECT TO FIND ANYTHING NEW. BUT THE DISCOVERY OF HORRIFYING NEW EVIDENCE KICK-STARTED AN OBSESSION AND HIS LIFE'S WORK. WHAT HAD HE UNEARTHED AND WHAT DID IT MEAN: WHY WAS THERE SURVEILLANCE BY INTELLIGENCE AGENTS? WHY DID THE POLICE MAKE THESE PARTICULAR MISTAKES AND WHY DID TOM'S GREATEST ALLY IN THIS FIGHT TURN INTO HIS BIGGEST FOE? CHAOS IS AN EXPLOSIVE READ THAT WILL SHOCK, GRIP AND CHANGE OUR UNDERSTANDING OF A CASE THAT HAS HAUNTED THE WORLD FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS.

_____ 'RIVETING ... SENSATIONAL REVELATIONS ... TRUE CRIME FANS WILL BE ENTHRALLED.' PUBLISHERS WEEKLY '[FULL OF] SCANDALOUS FINDINGS ... TO ME IT SEEMS ONLY TOO PLAUSIBLE. O'NEILL'S INTRICATELY SINISTER 'SECRET HISTORY' OFTEN SOUNDS INCREDIBLE; THAT DOESN'T MEAN THAT IT'S NOT ALL TRUE.' OBSERVER 'TANTALIZING ... FOUNDED ON PRODIGIOUS RESEARCH ... O'NEILL'S 20-YEAR INVESTIGATION READS LIKE A THRILLER.' LOS ANGELES TIMES

BLOWING MY COVER - LINDSAY MORAN 2005-11-01

CALL ME NA? VE, BUT WHEN I WAS A GIRL-WATCHING JAMES BOND AND DEVOURING HARRIET THE SPY-ALL I WANTED WAS TO GROW UP TO BE A SPY. UNLIKE MOST KIDS, I DIDN'T LOSE MY SECRET-AGENT ASPIRATIONS. SO AS A BRIGHT-EYED, IDEALISTIC COLLEGE GRAD, I SENT MY RESUME TO THE CIA. GETTING IN WAS A STORY IN ITSELF. I PEED IN MORE CUPS THAN YOU COULD IMAGINE, AND WAS NEARLY CONDEMNED AS A SEXUAL DEVIANT BY THE STAFF PSYCHOLOGIST. MY ROOMMATES WERE GETTING FREAKED OUT BY GOVERNMENT INVESTIGATORS LURKING AROUND, ASKING QUESTIONS ABOUT MY PAST. FINALLY, THE CIA WAS TRAINING ME TO CRASH CARS INTO BARRIERS AT 60 MPH. JUMP OUT OF AIRPLANES WITH CARGO ATTACHED TO MY BODY. SURVIVE INTERROGATION, TRAVEL IN ALIAS, LOSE A TAIL. ONE THING THEY DIDN'T TEACH US WAS HOW TO DATE A GUY WHILE LYING TO HIM ABOUT WHAT YOU DO FOR A LIVING. THAT I HAD TO FIGURE OUT FOR MYSELF. THEN I WAS POSTED OVERSEAS. AND THAT'S WHEN THE REAL FUN BEGAN.

THE BILLION DOLLAR SPY - DAVID E. HOFFMAN 2017-06-01
WATERSTONES NON-FICTION BOOK OF THE MONTH AUGUST 2018 AND A SUNDAY TIMES BESTSELLER 'AN ASTONISHINGLY DETAILED PICTURE OF ESPIONAGE IN THE 1980s, WRITTEN WITH PACEY JOURNALISTIC VERVE AND AN EERILY CONTEMPORARY FEEL.' BEN MACINTYRE,

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THE TIMES 'A GRIPPING STORY OF COURAGE, PROFESSIONALISM, AND BETRAYAL IN THE SECRET WORLD.' RODRIC BRAITHWAITE, BRITISH AMBASSADOR IN MOSCOW, 1988-1992 'ONE OF THE BEST SPY STORIES TO COME OUT OF THE COLD WAR AND ALL THE MORE RIVETING FOR BEING TRUE.' WASHINGTON POST JANUARY, 1977. WHILE THE CHIEF OF THE CIA'S MOSCOW STATION FILLS HIS GAS TANK, A STRANGER DROPS A NOTE INTO THE CAR. IN THE YEARS THAT FOLLOWED, THAT STRANGER, ADOLF TOLKACHEV, BECAME ONE OF THE WEST'S MOST VALUABLE SPIES. AT ENORMOUS RISK TOLKACHEV AND HIS HANDLERS CONDUCTED CLANDESTINE MEETINGS ACROSS MOSCOW, USING SPY CAMERAS, PROPS, AND PRIVATE CODES TO ELUDE THE KGB IN ITS OWN BACKYARD - UNTIL A SHOCKING BETRAYAL PUT THEM ALL AT RISK. DRAWING ON PREVIOUSLY CLASSIFIED CIA DOCUMENTS AND INTERVIEWS WITH FIRST-HAND PARTICIPANTS, THE BILLION DOLLAR SPY IS A BRILLIANT FEAT OF REPORTING AND A RIVETING TRUE STORY FROM THE FINAL YEARS OF THE COLD WAR.

THE GHOST - JEFFERSON MORLEY
2017-10-24

"THE BEST BOOK EVER WRITTEN ABOUT THE STRANGEST CIA CHIEF WHO EVER LIVED." - TIM WEINER, NATIONAL BOOK AWARD-WINNING AUTHOR OF LEGACY OF ASHES A REVELATORY NEW BIOGRAPHY OF THE SINISTER, POWERFUL, AND PARANOID MAN AT THE HEART OF THE CIA FOR MORE THAN

THREE TUMULTUOUS DECADES. CIA SPYMASTER JAMES JESUS ANGLETON WAS ONE OF THE MOST POWERFUL UNELECTED OFFICIALS IN THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT IN THE MID-20TH CENTURY, A GHOST OF AMERICAN POWER. FROM WORLD WAR II TO THE COLD WAR, ANGLETON OPERATED BEYOND THE VIEW OF THE PUBLIC, CONGRESS, AND EVEN THE PRESIDENT. HE UNWITTINGLY SHARED INTELLIGENCE SECRETS WITH SOVIET SPY KIM PHILBY, A MEMBER OF THE NOTORIOUS CAMBRIDGE SPY RING. HE LAUNCHED MASS SURVEILLANCE BY OPENING THE MAIL OF HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF AMERICANS. HE ABETTED A SCHEME TO AID ISRAEL'S OWN NUCLEAR EFFORTS, DISREGARDING U.S. SECURITY. HE COMMITTED PERJURY AND OBSTRUCTED THE JFK ASSASSINATION INVESTIGATION. HE OVERSAW A MASSIVE SPYING OPERATION ON THE ANTIWAR AND BLACK NATIONALIST MOVEMENTS AND HE INITIATED AN OBSESSIVE SEARCH FOR COMMUNIST MOLES THAT NEARLY DESTROYED THE AGENCY. IN THE GHOST, INVESTIGATIVE REPORTER JEFFERSON MORLEY TELLS ANGLETON'S DRAMATIC STORY, FROM HIS FRIENDSHIP WITH THE POET EZRA POUND THROUGH THE UNDERGROUND GAY MILIEU OF MID-CENTURY WASHINGTON TO THE KENNEDY ASSASSINATION TO THE WATERGATE SCANDAL. FROM THE AGENCY'S MKULTRA MIND-CONTROL EXPERIMENTS TO THE WARS OF THE MIDEAST, ANGLETON WIELDED FAR MORE POWER THAN ANYONE KNEW. YET

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DURING HIS SEEMINGLY LAWLESS REIGN IN THE CIA, HE ALSO PROVED HIMSELF TO BE A FORMIDABLE ADVERSARY TO OUR NATION'S ENEMIES, ACQUIRING A MYTHIC STATURE WITHIN THE CIA THAT CONTINUES TO THIS DAY.

COMPANY MAN - JOHN RIZZO
2014-10-07

AT THE INTERSECTION OF POLITICS, LAW AND NATIONAL SECURITY--FROM "PROTECT US AT ALL COSTS" TO "WHAT THE HELL HAVE YOU GUYS BEEN UP TO, ANYWAY?"--A LAWYER'S LIFE IN THE CIA. UNDER SEVEN PRESIDENTS AND 11 DIFFERENT CIA DIRECTORS, RIZZO ROSE TO BECOME THE CIA'S MOST POWERFUL CAREER ATTORNEY. GIVEN THE AGENCY'S DANGEROUS AND SECRET MISSION, SPOTTING AND DETERRING POSSIBLE ABUSES OF LAW, OFFERING GUIDANCE AND PROTECTING PERSONNEL FROM LEGAL JEOPARDY WAS, AND REMAINS, NO EASY TASK. THE AUTHOR ACCUMULATED MORE THAN 30 YEARS OF WAR STORIES, AND HE TELLS MOST OF THEM.

THE GOOD SPY - KAI BIRD
2014-05-20

THE GOOD SPY IS PULITZER PRIZE-WINNING BIOGRAPHER KAI BIRD'S COMPELLING PORTRAIT OF THE REMARKABLE LIFE AND DEATH OF ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT OPERATIVES IN CIA HISTORY - A MAN WHO, HAD HE LIVED, MIGHT HAVE HELPED HEAL THE RIFT BETWEEN ARABS AND THE WEST. ON APRIL 18, 1983, A BOMB EXPLODED OUTSIDE THE AMERICAN EMBASSY IN BEIRUT, KILLING 63 PEOPLE. THE ATTACK WAS A

GEOPOLITICAL TURNING POINT. IT MARKED THE BEGINNING OF HEZBOLLAH AS A POLITICAL FORCE, BUT EVEN MORE IMPORTANT, IT ELIMINATED AMERICA'S MOST INFLUENTIAL AND EFFECTIVE INTELLIGENCE OFFICER IN THE MIDDLE EAST - CIA OPERATIVE ROBERT AMES. WHAT SET AMES APART FROM HIS PEERS WAS HIS EXTRAORDINARY ABILITY TO FORM DEEP, MEANINGFUL CONNECTIONS WITH KEY ARAB INTELLIGENCE FIGURES. SOME OPERATIVES RELIED ON THREATS AND SUBTERFUGE, BUT AMES WORKED BY BUILDING FRIENDSHIPS AND EMPHASIZING SHARED VALUES - NEVER MORE NOTABLY THAN WITH YASIR ARAFAT'S CHARISMATIC INTELLIGENCE CHIEF AND HEIR APPARENT ALI HASSAN SALAMEH (AKA "THE RED PRINCE"). AMES' DEEPENING RELATIONSHIP WITH SALAMEH HELD THE POTENTIAL FOR A LASTING PEACE. WITHIN A FEW YEARS, THOUGH, BOTH MEN WERE KILLED BY ASSASSINS, AND AMERICA'S RELATIONS WITH THE ARAB WORLD BEGAN HEADING DOWN A PATH THAT CULMINATED IN 9/11, THE WAR ON TERROR, AND THE CURRENT FOG OF MISTRUST. BIRD, WHO AS A CHILD LIVED IN THE BEIRUT EMBASSY AND KNEW AMES AS A NEIGHBOR WHEN HE WAS TWELVE YEARS OLD, SPENT YEARS RESEARCHING *THE GOOD SPY*. NOT ONLY DOES THE BOOK DRAW ON HOURS OF INTERVIEWS WITH AMES' WIDOW, AND QUOTES FROM HUNDREDS OF AMES' PRIVATE LETTERS, IT'S WOVEN FROM INTERVIEWS WITH SCORES OF CURRENT AND FORMER AMERICAN, ISRAELI, AND PALESTINIAN INTELLIGENCE

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OFFICERS AS WELL AS OTHER PLAYERS IN THE MIDDLE EAST "GREAT GAME." WHAT EMERGES IS A MASTERPIECE-LEVEL NARRATIVE OF THE MAKING OF A CIA OFFICER, A UNIQUELY INSIGHTFUL HISTORY OF TWENTIETH-CENTURY CONFLICT IN THE MIDDLE EAST, AND AN ABSORBING HOUR-BY-HOUR ACCOUNT OF THE BEIRUT EMBASSY BOMBING. EVEN MORE IMPRESSIVE, BIRD DRAWS ON HIS REPORTER'S SKILLS TO DELIVER A FULL DOSSIER ON THE BOMBERS AND EXPOSE THE SHOCKING TRUTH OF WHERE THE ATTACK'S MASTERMIND RESIDES TODAY.

DOING TIME LIKE A SPY - JOHN KIRIAKOU 2018-11-13

WINNER OF THE 2016 PEN FIRST AMENDMENT AWARD WINNER OF THE 2016 SAM ADAMS AWARD FOR INTEGRITY IN INTELLIGENCE WINNER OF THE 2016 BLUEPRINT INTERNATIONAL WHISTLEBLOWING PRIZE FOR BRAVERY AND INTEGRITY IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST WINNER OF THE 2013 PEACEMAKER OF THE YEAR AWARD WINNER OF THE 2012 JOE A. CALLAWAY AWARD FOR CIVIC COURAGE ON FEBRUARY 28, 2013, AFTER PLEADING GUILTY TO VIOLATING THE INTELLIGENCE IDENTITIES PROTECTION ACT, JOHN KIRIAKOU BEGAN SERVING A THIRTY MONTH PRISON SENTENCE. HIS CRIME: BLOWING THE WHISTLE ON THE CIA'S USE OF TORTURE ON AL QAEDA PRISONERS. *DOING TIME LIKE A SPY* IS KIRIAKOU'S MEMOIR OF HIS TWENTY-THREE MONTHS IN PRISON. USING TWENTY LIFE SKILLS HE LEARNED IN CIA OPERATIONAL TRAINING, HE WAS ABLE TO KEEP HIMSELF SAFE AND AT THE TOP OF THE

PRISON SOCIAL HEAP. INCLUDING HIS AWARD-WINNING BLOG SERIES "LETTERS FROM LORETTO," *DOING TIME LIKE A SPY* IS AT ONCE A SEARING JOURNAL OF DAILY PRISON LIFE AND AN ALTERNATELY FUNNY AND HEARTBREAKING COMMENTARY ON THE FEDERAL PRISON SYSTEM.

STORIES FROM LANGLEY - EDWARD MICKOLUS 2014-12

THIS COLLECTION OF THE EXPLOITS AND INSIGHTS OF TWENTY-NINE EVERYDAY EMPLOYEES AT THE CIA ARE FROM INDIVIDUALS WHO HAVE SERVED AT THE HIGHEST LEVELS OF THE AGENCY TO YOUNG OFFICERS JUST BEGINNING THEIR CAREERS. *STORIES FROM LANGLEY* REVEALS THE BREADTH OF CAREER OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE AT THE CIA AND OFFERS ADVICE FROM AGENCY OFFICERS THEMSELVES. THIS IS THE FIRST BOOK TO FOCUS ON WORKING FOR THE DIRECTORATE OF INTELLIGENCE RATHER THAN CLANDESTINE OPERATIVES.

GHOST WARS - STEVE COLL 2005-03-03

THE NEWS-BREAKING BOOK THAT HAS SENT SHOCKWAVES THROUGH THE WHITE HOUSE, *GHOST WARS* IS THE MOST ACCURATE AND REVEALING ACCOUNT YET OF THE CIA'S SECRET INVOLVEMENT IN AL-QAEDA'S EVOLUTION. PRIZE-WINNING JOURNALIST STEVE COLL HAS SPENT YEARS REPORTING FROM THE MIDDLE EAST, ACCESSED PREVIOUSLY CLASSIFIED GOVERNMENT FILES AND INTERVIEWED SENIOR US OFFICIALS AND FOREIGN SPYMASTERS. HERE HE GIVES THE FULL

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INSIDE STORY OF THE CIA'S COVERT FUNDING OF AN ISLAMIC JIHAD AGAINST SOVIET FORCES IN AFGHANISTAN, EXPLORES HOW THIS SOWED THE SEEDS OF BN LADEN'S RISE, TRACES HOW HE BUILT HIS GLOBAL NETWORK AND BRINGS TO LIFE THE DRAMATIC BATTLES WITHIN THE US GOVERNMENT OVER NATIONAL SECURITY. ABOVE ALL, HE LAYS BARE AMERICAN INTELLIGENCE'S CONTINUAL FAILURE TO GRASP THE RISING THREAT OF TERRORISM IN THE YEARS LEADING TO 9/11 - AND ITS DEVASTATING CONSEQUENCES.

BREAKING COVER - STELLA RIMINGTON
2016-06-30

'RIMINGTON TELLS HER STORY WITH THE CRISP AUTHORITY ONE WOULD EXPECT OF JAMES BOND'S M' NEW YORK TIMES BOOK REVIEW RECOVERING FROM A GRUELLING TERRORIST INVESTIGATION, LIZ CARLYLE HAS BEEN POSTED TO MI5'S COUNTER-ESPIONAGE DESK. HER BOSSES HOPE THE CHANGE OF SCENE WILL GIVE HER SOME BREATHING SPACE, BUT THEY HAVEN'T COUNTED ON PUTIN'S INCREASED AGGRESSION TOWARDS THE WEST. SOON LIZ IS ON THE HUNT FOR A RUSSIAN SPY WHO THREATENS TO PLUNGE BRITAIN BACK INTO THE FRAUGHT DAYS OF THE COLD WAR. MEANWHILE, MI6 HAS HIRED JASMINDER KAPOOR, A CONTROVERSIAL YOUNG CIVIL RIGHTS LAWYER, TO EXPLAIN ISSUES OF PRIVACY AND SECURITY TO THE PUBLIC. BUT IN THIS WORLD OF SHADOWY MOTIVES AND SECRET IDENTITIES, JASMINDER MUST BE EXTRA-CAREFUL ABOUT WHOM SHE CAN TRUST ... THE DEVIL'S BARGAIN,

THE BRAND-NEW THRILLER FROM STELLA RIMINGTON, IS OUT NOW.

SPY DUST - ANTONIO MENDEZ
2003-11-07

FROM THE AUTHOR OF THE GOLDEN GLOBE WINNER AND OSCAR NOMINATED ARGO, A TRUE-LIFE THRILLER SET AGAINST THE BACKDROP OF THE COLD WAR, WHICH UNVEILS THE LIFE OF AN AMERICAN SPY FROM THE INSIDE AND DRAMATICALLY REVEALS HOW THE CIA REESTABLISHED THE UPPER HAND OVER THE KGB IN THE INTELLIGENCE WAR. FROM THE AUTHOR OF THE GOLDEN GLOBE WINNER AND ACADEMY AWARD WINNER ARGO... MOSCOW, 1988. THE TWILIGHT OF THE COLD WAR. THE KGB IS AT ITS MOST RUTHLESS, AND HAS NOW INDISPUTABLY GAINED THE UPPER HAND OVER THE CIA IN THE INTELLIGENCE WAR. BUT NO ONE KNOWS HOW. TEN CIA AGENTS AND DOUBLE-AGENTS HAVE GONE MISSING IN THE LAST THREE YEARS. THEY HAVE EITHER BEEN EXECUTED OR THEY ARE UNACCOUNTED FOR. AT LANGLEY, SEVERAL THEORIES CIRCULATE AS TO HOW THE KGB SEEMS SUDDENLY TO HAVE BECOME TELEPATHIC, PREDICTING THE CIA'S EVERY MOVE. SOME BLAME THE DEFECTION OF EDWARD LEE HOWARD THREE YEARS BEFORE, AND SUSPECT THAT THERE ARE MORE HIGH-PLACED MOLES TO BE UNEARTHED. OTHERS SPECULATE THAT THE KGB'S SURVEILLANCE SUCCESSES HAVE BEEN HEIGHTENED BY THE INVENTION OF AN INVISIBLE ELECTROMAGNETIC POWDER THAT ALLOWS THEM TO KEEP TABS ON ANYONE WHO TOUCHES IT: SPY DUST.

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CIA OFFICERS TONY MENDEZ AND JONNA GOESER COME TOGETHER TO HEAD UP A TEAM OF TECHNICAL WIZARDS AND OPERATIONAL SPECIALISTS, DETERMINED TO SOLVE THE MYSTERY THAT THREATENS TO OVERSHADOW THE COLD WAR'S FINAL ACT. WORKING AGAINST KNOWN AND UNKNOWN HOSTILE FORCES, AS WELL AS SOME UNFRIENDLY ELEMENTS WITHIN THE CIA, THEY DEVISE CONTROVERSIAL NEW OPERATIONAL METHODS AND TECHNIQUES TO FOIL THE KGB, AND SHOW THE EXTRAORDINARY LENGTHS THAT US INTELLIGENCE IS WILLING TO GO TO PROTECT A SOURCE, THEN RESCUE HIM WHEN HIS WORLD STARTS TO COLLAPSE. AT THE SAME TIME, TONY AND JONNA FIND THEMSELVES FALLING DEEPLY IN LOVE. DURING A FASCINATING ODYSSEY THAT BEGAN IN INDOCHINA FIFTEEN YEARS BEFORE AND ENDS IN A BREATHTAKINGLY DARING OPERATION IN THE HEART OF THE KREMLIN'S PALACE OF CONGRESSSES, SPY DUST CATAPULTS THE READER FROM THE HINDU KUSH TO HOLLYWOOD, FROM HAVANA TO MOSCOW, BUT CANNOT TRULY CONCLUDE UNTIL ITS PROTAGONISTS ARE SAFELY WEDDED IN RURAL MARYLAND.

THE MANCHURIAN CANDIDATE - RICHARD CONDON 2013-09-05
'BRILLIANT...WILD AND EXHILARATING'
NEW YORKER SGT RAYMOND SHAW IS A HERO OF THE FIRST ORDER. HE'S AN EX-PRISONER OF WAR WHO SAVED THE LIFE OF HIS ENTIRE OUTFIT, A WINNER OF THE CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR,

THE STEPSON OF AN INFLUENTIAL SENATOR...AND THE PERFECT ASSASSIN. BRAINWASHED DURING HIS TIME AS A POW HE IS A 'SLEEPER', A LIVING WEAPON TO BE TRIGGERED BY A SECRET SIGNAL. HE WILL ACT WITHOUT QUESTION, NO MATTER WHAT ORDER HE IS MADE TO CARRY OUT. TO STOP SHAW, HIS FORMER COMMANDING OFFICER MUST UNCOVER THE TRUTH BEHIND A TWISTED CONSPIRACY OF TORTURE, BETRAYAL AND POWER THAT WILL LEAD BOTH TO THE HIGHEST LEVELS OF THE GOVERNMENT. - AND TO SHAW'S OWN PAST...

THE BROKER - JOHN GRISHAM
2010-03-16
#1 NEW YORK TIMES BEST SELLER • IN HIS FINAL HOURS IN THE OVAL OFFICE, THE OUTGOING PRESIDENT GRANTS A CONTROVERSIAL LAST-MINUTE PARDON TO JOEL BACKMAN, A NOTORIOUS WASHINGTON POWER BROKER WHO HAS SPENT THE LAST SIX YEARS HIDDEN AWAY IN A FEDERAL PRISON. WHAT NO ONE KNOWS IS THAT THE PRESIDENT ISSUES THE PARDON ONLY AFTER RECEIVING ENORMOUS PRESSURE FROM THE CIA. IT SEEMS BACKMAN, IN HIS POWER BROKER HEYDAY, MAY HAVE OBTAINED SECRETS THAT COMPROMISE THE WORLD'S MOST SOPHISTICATED SATELLITE SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM. BACKMAN IS QUIETLY SMUGGLED OUT OF THE COUNTRY IN A MILITARY CARGO PLANE, GIVEN A NEW NAME, A NEW IDENTITY, AND A NEW HOME IN ITALY. EVENTUALLY, AFTER HE HAS SETTLED INTO HIS NEW LIFE, THE CIA WILL LEAK

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HIS WHEREABOUTS TO THE ISRAELIS, THE RUSSIANS, THE CHINESE, AND THE SAUDIS. THEN THE CIA WILL DO WHAT IT DOES BEST: SIT BACK AND WATCH. THE QUESTION IS NOT WHETHER BACKMAN WILL SURVIVE—THERE IS NO CHANCE OF THAT. THE QUESTION THE CIA NEEDS ANSWERED IS, WHO WILL KILL HIM? DON'T MISS JOHN GRISHAM'S NEW BOOK, THE EXCHANGE: AFTER THE FIRM, COMING SOON!

BREAKING COVER - MICHELE RIGBY ASSAD 2018

A REAL-LIFE, CAN'T-PUT-DOWN SPY MEMOIR. THE CIA IS LOOKING FOR WALKING CONTRADICTIONS. RECRUITERS SEEK OUT POTENTIAL AGENTS WHO CAN KEEP A SECRET YET PULL CLASSIFIED INFORMATION OUT OF OTHERS; WHO LOVE THEIR COUNTRY BUT ARE WILLING TO LEAVE IT BEHIND FOR DANGEROUS PLACES; WHO LIVE DOUBLE LIVES, BUT CAN BE TRUSTED WITH SOME OF THE NATION'S MOST HIGHLY SENSITIVE TASKS. MICHELE RIGBY ASSAD WAS ONE OF THOSE PEOPLE. AS A CIA AGENT AND A COUNTERTERRORISM EXPERT, MICHELE SOON FOUND THAT WORKING UNDERCOVER WAS AN ALL-ENCOMPASSING JOB. THE THREATS WERE REAL; THE ASSIGNMENTS PERILOUS. MICHELE SPENT OVER A DECADE IN THE AGENCY--A WOMAN LEADING SOME OF THE MOST HIGHLY SKILLED OPERATIVES ON THE PLANET, SECRETLY SERVING IN SOME OF THE MOST TREACHEROUS AREAS OF THE MIDDLE EAST, AND AT RISK AS A TARGET FOR ISIS. BUT DEEP INSIDE, MICHELE WONDERED: COULD SHE REALLY DO THIS JOB? HAD SHE

MISUNDERSTOOD WHAT SHE THOUGHT WAS GOD'S CALLING ON HER LIFE? DID SHE HAVE WHAT IT WOULD TAKE TO SURVIVE? THE ANSWER CAME WHEN MICHELE FACED HER ULTIMATE MISSION, ONE WITH OTHERS' LIVES ON THE LINE-- AND IT TURNED OUT TO HAVE BEEN THE PLAN FOR HER ALL ALONG. IN BREAKING COVER, MICHELE HAS AT LAST BEEN CLEARED TO DROP COVER AND TELL HER STORY: ONE OF LIFE-OR-DEATH STAKES; OF DEFEATING INCREDIBLE ODDS; AND MOST OF ALL, OF DISCOVERING A FAITH GREATER THAN ALL HER FEARS.

AMERICAN SPY - E. HOWARD HUNT 2007-02-26

STARTLING REVELATIONS FROM THE OSS, THE CIA, AND THE NIXON WHITE HOUSE THINK YOU KNOW EVERYTHING THERE IS TO KNOW ABOUT THE OSS, THE COLD WAR, THE CIA, AND WATERGATE? THINK AGAIN. IN AMERICAN SPY, ONE OF THE KEY FIGURES IN POSTWAR INTERNATIONAL AND POLITICAL ESPIONAGE TELLS ALL. FORMER OSS AND CIA OPERATIVE AND WHITE HOUSE STAFFER E. HOWARD HUNT TAKES YOU INTO THE COVERT DESIGNS OF PRESIDENTS EISENHOWER, KENNEDY, JOHNSON, AND NIXON: HIS INVOLVEMENT IN THE CIA COUP IN GUATEMALA IN 1954, THE BAY OF PIGS INVASION, AND MORE HIS WORK WITH CIA OFFICIALS SUCH AS ALLEN DULLES AND RICHARD HELMS HIS FRIENDSHIP WITH WILLIAM F. BUCKLEY JR., WHOM HUNT BROUGHT INTO THE CIA THE AMAZING STEPS THE CIA TOOK TO MANIPULATE THE MEDIA IN AMERICA AND ABROAD THE MOTIVES

BEHIND THE BREAK-IN AT DANIEL ELLSBERG'S PSYCHIATRIST'S OFFICE WHY THE WHITE HOUSE "PLUMBERS" WERE FORMED AND WHAT THEY ACCOMPLISHED THE TRUTH BEHIND OPERATION GEMSTONE, A SERIES OF PLANNED BLACK OPS ACTIVITIES AGAINST NIXON'S POLITICAL ENEMIES A MINUTE-BY-MINUTE ACCOUNT OF THE WATERGATE BREAK-IN PREVIOUSLY UNRELEASED DETAILS OF THE POST-WATERGATE COVER-UP COMPLETE WITH DOCUMENTATION FROM AUDIOTAPE TRANSCRIPTS, HANDWRITTEN NOTES, AND OFFICIAL DOCUMENTS, AMERICAN SPY IS MUST READING FOR ANYONE WHO IS FASCINATED BY REAL-LIFE SPY TALES, HIGH-STAKES POLITICS, AND, OF COURSE, WATERGATE.

BLACK OPS - RIC PRADO
2022-03-01

THE EXPLOSIVE NATIONAL BESTSELLER A MEMOIR BY THE HIGHEST-RANKING COVERT WARRIOR TO LIFT THE VEIL OF SECRECY AND OFFER A GLIMPSE INTO THE SHADOW WARS THAT AMERICA HAS FOUGHT SINCE THE VIETNAM ERA. ENRIQUE PRADO FOUND HIMSELF IN HIS FIRST FIREFIGHT AT AGE SEVEN. THE SON OF A MIDDLE-CLASS CUBAN FAMILY CAUGHT IN THE MIDST OF THE CASTRO REVOLUTION, HIS FAMILY FLED THEIR WAR-TORN HOME FOR THE HOPE OF A BETTER LIFE IN AMERICA. FIFTY YEARS LATER, THE CUBAN REFUGEE RETIRED FROM THE CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE AGENCY AS THE CIA EQUIVALENT OF A TWO-STAR GENERAL. BLACK OPS IS THE STORY OF RIC'S LEGENDARY CAREER

THAT SPANNED TWO ERAS, THE COLD WAR AND THE AGE OF TERRORISM. OPERATING IN THE SHADOWS, RIC AND HIS FELLOW CIA OFFICERS FOUGHT A LITTLE-SEEN AND VIRTUALLY UNKNOWN WAR TO KEEP USA SAFE FROM THOSE WHO WOULD DO IT HARM. AFTER DUTY STATIONS IN CENTRAL, SOUTH AMERICA, AND THE PHILIPPINES, BLACK OPS FOLLOWS RIC INTO THE HIGHEST ECHELONS OF THE CIA'S HEADQUARTERS AT LANGLEY, VIRGINIA. IN LATE 1995, HE BECAME DEPUTY CHIEF OF STATION AND CO-FOUNDING MEMBER OF THE BIN LADEN TASK FORCE. THREE YEARS LATER, AFTER SERVING AS HEAD OF KOREAN OPERATIONS, RIC TOOK ON ONE OF THE MOST DANGEROUS MISSIONS OF HIS CAREER: TO RE-ESTABLISH A ONCE-ABANDONED CIA STATION INSIDE A HOSTILE NATION LONG SINCE CONSIDERED A FRONT LINE OF THE FIGHT AGAINST ISLAMIC TERRORISM. HE AND HIS TEAM CARRIED OUT COVERT OPERATIONS AND DEVELOPED ASSETS THAT PROVED PIVOTAL IN THE COMING WAR ON TERROR. A HARROWING MEMOIR OF LIFE IN THE SHADY WORLD OF ASSASSINS, TERRORISTS, SPIES AND REVOLUTIONARIES, BLACK OPS IS A TESTAMENT TO THE COURAGE, CREATIVITY AND DEDICATION OF THE AGENCY'S SPECIAL ACTIVITIES GROUP AND ITS ELITE SHADOW WARRIORS. **THE SECRET LIFE OF CHARLOTTE DODD** - HOLLY KERR 2016-01-14 CHICK LIT MEET SPY ADVENTURE MY NAME IS CHARLOTTE DODD. AND THAT'S THE ONLY THING I KNOW FOR

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SURE. SUDDENLY TODAY, I'M ABLE TO: KICK ASS USING SERIOUS BUFFY-LIKE FIGHT MOVES SHOOT A SPEEDING CAR WITH NEAR PERFECT ACCURACY KNOW THAT YOU CAN SUCK THE AIR FROM THE TIRES AFTER YOUR CAR GOES FLYING INTO THE LAKE CARS FLYING INTO THE LAKE DON'T FAZE ME ALIAS MEETS BOURNE I'VE MET A GROUP OF PEOPLE WHO CLAIM TO KNOW WHO I REALLY AM. IN FACT, THEY'RE TELLING ME I WORK WITH THEM AS A FIELD AGENT FOR THE NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE AND INFORMATION AGENCY, WHICH IS A COVERT ORGANIZATION DEEP WITHIN THE CANADIAN GOVERNMENT. EVEN THOUGH MY BROTHERS HAVE CONFIRMED IT, I STILL THINK THEY'RE CRAZY. ME - A SPY? I'M READY TO WALK OUT OF HERE BUT THE PLANE HAS ALREADY TAKEN OFF. AND NOW THEY'RE TELLING ME MY BOYFRIEND LUKE HAS BEEN KIDNAPPED AND I'M THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN GET HIM BACK. HOW CAN I BELIEVE WHAT THEY'RE TELLING ME? AND WHY DOES THE UBER-ATTRACTIVE HAM SEEM SO FAMILIAR? WHAT READERS ARE SAYING... "I WAS HOOKED IN JUST THE FIRST COUPLE OF PAGES." "THE MORE I READ OF THIS BOOK THE MORE I FELL IN LOVE WITH IT." "SO IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN READING A CHICK LIT TALE WITH AN INTRIGUING TWIST ADDED INTO THE MIX, THEN LOOK NO FURTHER, THE SECRET LIFE OF CHARLOTTE DODD IS THE BOOK FOR YOU " "I LOVE THIS AUTHOR'S WRITING STYLE AND I DESPERATELY HOPE FOR A SEQUEL TO THIS STORY. THE CHARACTERS AND STORY DEVELOPMENT

ARE ENCHANTING AND JUST AWESOME. NOW I WANT ALL OF HER BOOKS." FIND OUT CHARLOTTE'S SECRET IN THE SECRET LIFE OF CHARLOTTE DODD **SPY THE LIE** - PHILIP HOUSTON 2012-07-17

THREE FORMER CIA OFFICERS—AMONG THE WORLD'S FOREMOST AUTHORITIES ON RECOGNIZING DECEPTIVE BEHAVIOR—SHARE THEIR PROVEN TECHNIQUES FOR UNCOVERING A LIE IMAGINE HOW DIFFERENT YOUR LIFE WOULD BE IF YOU COULD TELL WHETHER SOMEONE WAS LYING OR TELLING YOU THE TRUTH. BE IT HIRING A NEW EMPLOYEE, INVESTING IN A FINANCIAL INTEREST, SPEAKING WITH YOUR CHILD ABOUT DRUGS, CONFRONTING YOUR SIGNIFICANT OTHER ABOUT SUSPECTED INFIDELITY, OR EVEN DATING SOMEONE NEW, HAVING THE ABILITY TO UNMASK A LIE CAN HAVE FAR-REACHING AND EVEN LIFE-ALTERING CONSEQUENCES. AS FORMER CIA OFFICERS, PHILIP HOUSTON, MICHAEL FLOYD, AND SUSAN CARNICERO ARE AMONG THE WORLD'S BEST AT RECOGNIZING DECEPTIVE BEHAVIOR. SPY THE LIE CHRONICLES THE CAPTIVATING STORY OF HOW THEY USED A METHODOLOGY HOUSTON DEVELOPED TO DETECT DECEPTION IN THE COUNTERTERRORISM AND CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION REALMS, AND SHOWS HOW THESE TECHNIQUES CAN BE APPLIED IN OUR DAILY LIVES. THROUGH FASCINATING ANECDOTES FROM THEIR INTELLIGENCE CAREERS, THE AUTHORS TEACH READERS HOW TO RECOGNIZE DECEPTIVE BEHAVIORS, BOTH VERBAL

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AND NONVERBAL, THAT WE ALL TEND TO DISPLAY WHEN WE RESPOND TO QUESTIONS UNTRUTHFULLY. FOR THE FIRST TIME, THEY SHARE WITH THE GENERAL PUBLIC THEIR METHODOLOGY AND THEIR SECRETS TO THE ART OF ASKING QUESTIONS THAT ELICIT THE TRUTH. SPY THE LIE IS A GAME-CHANGER. YOU MAY NEVER READ ANOTHER BOOK THAT HAS A MORE DRAMATIC IMPACT ON YOUR CAREER, YOUR RELATIONSHIPS, OR YOUR FUTURE.

FAIR GAME - VALERIE PLAME WILSON
2008-06-10

THE WOMAN AT THE CENTER OF THE BUSH ADMINISTRATION'S CIA LEAK SCANDAL BREAKS HER SILENCE ABOUT THE CASE AS SHE DESCRIBES HER ROLE AS AN UNDERCOVER CIA OPERATIVE, HER TRAINING AND EXPERIENCES, HER EFFORTS TO PROTECT HER CHILDREN IN THE AFTERMATH OF THE LEAK, HER DETERMINATION TO UNCOVER THE TRUTH ABOUT THE EVENT THAT DESTROYED HER CAREER, AND HER BATTLE WITH THE CIA TO REVEAL THE TRUTH. REPRINT. 60,000 FIRST PRINTING.

SURVIVE LIKE A SPY - JASON HANSON
2018-03-06

REVEALS HIGH-STAKES TECHNIQUES AND SURVIVAL TACTICS FROM INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS WHO HAVE EMPLOYED THE SAME MEASURES IN LIFE-OR-DEATH SITUATIONS THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

RED SPARROW - JASON MATTHEWS
2013-06-04

SOON TO BE A MAJOR MOTION PICTURE STARRING JENNIFER

LAWRENCE, JOEL EDGERTON AND JEREMY IRONS. DOMINIKA EGOROV, FORMER PRIMA BALLERINA, IS SUCKED INTO THE HEART OF PUTIN'S RUSSIA, THE COUNTRY SHE LOVED, AS THE TWISTS AND TURNS OF A BETRAYAL AND COUNTER-BETRAYAL UNRAVEL.

AMERICAN NATE NASH, IDEALISTIC AND AMBITIOUS, HANDLES THE DOUBLE AGENT, CODENAMED MARBLE, CONSIDERED ONE OF CIA'S BIGGEST ASSETS. HE NEEDS TO KEEP HIS IDENTITY SECRET FOR AS LONG AS THE MOLE CAN KEEP SUPPLYING GOLDEN INFORMATION.

WILL DOMINIKA BE ABLE TO UNMASK MARBLE, OR WILL THE MISSION SEE HER FAITH DESTROYED IN THE COUNTRY

SHE HAS ALWAYS PASSIONATELY DEFENDED? 'A GREAT AND DANGEROUS SPY-GAME IS BEING PLAYED TODAY BETWEEN RUSSIAN INTELLIGENCE AND THE CIA. VERY FEW PEOPLE KNOW ABOUT IT, INCLUDING MANY OF OUR POLITICIANS IN WASHINGTON. BUT JASON MATTHEWS DOES, AND HIS THRILLING *RED SPARROW* TAKES US DEEP INSIDE THIS TREACHEROUS WORLD. HE'S AN INSIDER'S INSIDER. HE KNOWS THE SECRETS. AND HE IS ALSO A MASTERFUL STORY-TELLER. I LOVED THIS BOOK AND COULD NOT PUT IT DOWN. NEITHER WILL YOU' VINCE FLYNN 'NOT SINCE THE GOOD OLD DAYS OF THE COLD WAR HAS A CLASSIC SPY THRILLER LIKE *RED SPARROW* COME ALONG. JASON MATTHEWS IS NOT MAKING IT UP; HE HAS LIVED THIS LIFE AND THIS STORY, AND IT SHOWS ON EVERY PAGE. HIGH-LEVEL ESPIONAGE, PULSE-POUNGING DANGER, SEX, DOUBLE

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AGENTS AND DOUBLE CROSSES. WHAT MORE CAN ANY READER WANT?’ NELSON DEMILLE

THE ART OF INTELLIGENCE - HENRY A. CRUMPTON 2012-05-14

“A LIVELY ACCOUNT . . . COMBINES THE DERRING-DO OF OLD-FASHIONED SPYCRAFT WITH THOUGHTFUL MEDITATIONS ON THE FUTURE OF WARFARE AND INTELLIGENCE WORK. IT DESERVES TO BE READ.” —THE WASHINGTON POST “OFFER[S] AN EXCEPTIONALLY DEEP GLIMPSE INTO THE CIA’S COUNTERTERRORISM OPERATIONS IN THE LAST DECADE OF THE TWENTIETH CENTURY.” —HARPER’S A LEGENDARY CIA SPY AND COUNTERTERRORISM EXPERT TELLS THE SPELLBINDING STORY OF HIS HIGH-RISK, ACTION-PACKED CAREER REVELATORY AND GROUNDBREAKING, **THE ART OF INTELLIGENCE** WILL CHANGE THE WAY PEOPLE VIEW THE CIA, DOMESTIC AND FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE, AND INTERNATIONAL TERRORISM. HENRY A. “HANK” CRUMPTON, A TWENTY-FOUR-YEAR VETERAN OF THE CIA’S CLANDESTINE SERVICE, OFFERS A THRILLING ACCOUNT THAT DELIVERS PROFOUND LESSONS ABOUT WHAT IT MEANS TO SERVE AS AN HONORABLE SPY. FROM CIA RECRUITING MISSIONS IN AFRICA TO PIONEERING NEW PROGRAMS LIKE THE UAV PREDATOR, FROM RUNNING POST-9/11 MISSIONS IN AFGHANISTAN TO HEADING UP ALL CLANDESTINE CIA OPERATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES, CRUMPTON CHRONICLES HIS ROLE—IN THE BATTLEFIELD AND IN THE OVAL

OFFICE—IN TRANSFORMING THE WAY AMERICA WAGES WAR AND SHEDS LIGHT ON ISSUES OF DOMESTIC ESPIONAGE.

THE UNEXPECTED SPY - TRACY WALDER 2020-02-25

A HIGHLY ENTERTAINING ACCOUNT OF A YOUNG WOMAN WHO WENT STRAIGHT FROM HER COLLEGE SORORITY TO THE CIA, WHERE SHE HUNTED TERRORISTS AND WMDs “READS LIKE THE SHOW BIBLE FOR HOMELAND ONLY HER STORY IS REAL.” —ALISON STEWART, WNYC “A THRILLING TALE... WALDER’S FAST-PACED AND INTENSE NARRATIVE OPENS A WINDOW INTO LIFE IN TWO OF AMERICA’S MAJOR INTELLIGENCE AGENCIES” —PUBLISHERS WEEKLY (STARRED REVIEW) WHEN TRACY WALDER ENROLLED AT THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA, SHE NEVER THOUGHT THAT ONE DAY SHE WOULD OFFER HER PINK BEANBAG CHAIR IN THE DELTA GAMMA HOUSE TO A CIA RECRUITER, OR THAT SHE’D FLY TO THE MIDDLE EAST UNDER AN ALIAS IDENTITY. **THE UNEXPECTED SPY** IS THE RIVETING STORY OF WALDER’S TENURE IN THE CIA AND, LATER, THE FBI. IN HIGH-SECURITY, STEEL-WALLED ROOMS IN VIRGINIA, WALDER WATCHED AL-QAEDA MEMBERS WITH DRONES AS PRESIDENT BUSH LOOKED OVER HER SHOULDER AND CIA DIRECTOR GEORGE TENET BROUGHT HER DONUTS. SHE TRACKED CHEMICAL TERRORISTS AND SEARCHED THE WORLD FOR WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION. SHE CREATED A CHEMICAL TERROR CHART THAT SOMEONE IN THE WHITE HOUSE ALTERED TO CONVEY INFORMATION SHE DID NOT

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HAVE OR BELIEVE, LEADING TO THE IRAQ INVASION. DRIVEN TO STOP TERRORISM, WALDER DEBRIEFED TERRORISTS—MEN WHO SWORE THEY'D NEVER SPEAK TO A WOMAN—UNTIL THEY GAVE HER LEADS. SHE FOLLOWED TRAILS THROUGH NORTH AFRICA, EUROPE, AND THE MIDDLE EAST, SHUTTING DOWN MULTIPLE CHEMICAL ATTACKS. THEN WALDER MOVED TO THE FBI, WHERE SHE WORKED IN COUNTERINTELLIGENCE. IN A SINGLE YEAR, SHE HELPED TAKE DOWN ONE OF THE MOST NOTORIOUS FOREIGN SPIES EVER CAUGHT ON AMERICAN SOIL. CATCHING THE BAD GUYS WASN'T A PROBLEM IN THE FBI, BUT RAMPANT SEXISM WAS. WALDER LEFT THE FBI TO TEACH YOUNG WOMEN, ENCOURAGING THEM TO FIND A PLACE IN THE FBI, CIA, STATE DEPARTMENT OR THE SENATE—AND THUS CHANGE THE WORLD.

POISONER IN CHIEF - STEPHEN KINZER
2019-09-10

THE BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF ALL THE SHAH'S MEN AND THE BROTHERS TELLS THE ASTONISHING STORY OF THE MAN WHO OVERSAW THE CIA'S SECRET DRUG AND MIND-CONTROL EXPERIMENTS OF THE 1950S AND '60S. THE VISIONARY CHEMIST SIDNEY GOTTLIEB WAS THE CIA'S MASTER MAGICIAN AND GENTLEHEARTED TORTURER—THE AGENCY'S "POISONER IN CHIEF." AS HEAD OF THE MK-ULTRA MIND CONTROL PROJECT, HE DIRECTED BRUTAL EXPERIMENTS AT SECRET PRISONS ON THREE CONTINENTS. HE MADE PILLS, POWDERS, AND POTIONS THAT COULD KILL OR MAIM WITHOUT A

TRACE—including some intended for FIDEL CASTRO AND OTHER FOREIGN LEADERS. HE PAID PROSTITUTES TO LURE CLIENTS TO CIA-RUN BORDELLOS, WHERE THEY WERE SECRETLY DOSED WITH MIND-ALTERING DRUGS. HIS EXPERIMENTS SPREAD LSD ACROSS THE UNITED STATES, MAKING HIM A HIDDEN GODFATHER OF THE 1960S COUNTERCULTURE. FOR YEARS HE WAS THE CHIEF SUPPLIER OF SPY TOOLS USED BY CIA OFFICERS AROUND THE WORLD. STEPHEN KINZER, AUTHOR OF GROUNDBREAKING BOOKS ABOUT U.S. CLANDESTINE OPERATIONS, DRAWS ON NEW DOCUMENTARY RESEARCH AND ORIGINAL INTERVIEWS TO BRING TO LIFE ONE OF THE MOST POWERFUL UNKNOWN AMERICANS OF THE TWENTIETH CENTURY. GOTTLIEB'S RECKLESS EXPERIMENTS ON "EXPENDABLE" HUMAN SUBJECTS DESTROYED MANY LIVES, YET HE CONSIDERED HIMSELF DEEPLY SPIRITUAL. HE LIVED IN A REMOTE CABIN WITHOUT RUNNING WATER, MEDITATED, AND ROSE BEFORE DAWN TO MILK HIS GOATS. DURING HIS TWENTY-TWO YEARS AT THE CIA, GOTTLIEB WORKED IN THE DEEPEST SECRECY. ONLY SINCE HIS DEATH HAS IT BECOME POSSIBLE TO PIECE TOGETHER HIS ASTONISHING CAREER AT THE INTERSECTION OF EXTREME SCIENCE AND COVERT ACTION. POISONER IN CHIEF REVEALS HIM AS A CLANDESTINE CONJURER ON AN EPIC SCALE.

PSYCHOLOGY OF INTELLIGENCE ANALYSIS - RICHARDS J HEUER
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THE C.I.A. ITSELF, PRODUCED BY INTELLIGENCE VETERAN RICHARDS HEUER DISCUSSES THREE PIVOTAL POINTS. FIRST, HUMAN MINDS ARE ILL-EQUIPPED (“POORLY WIRED”) TO COPE EFFECTIVELY WITH BOTH INHERENT AND INDUCED UNCERTAINTY. SECOND, INCREASED KNOWLEDGE OF OUR INHERENT BIASES TENDS TO BE OF LITTLE ASSISTANCE TO THE ANALYST. AND LASTLY, TOOLS AND TECHNIQUES THAT APPLY HIGHER LEVELS OF CRITICAL THINKING CAN SUBSTANTIALLY IMPROVE ANALYSIS ON COMPLEX PROBLEMS.

THE TARGETER - NADA BAKOS
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A CIA ANALYST’S “REVEALING AND UTTERLY ENGROSSING ACCOUNT” OF THE WORLD OF HIGH-STAKES FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE AND HER ROLE WITHIN THE CAMPAIGN TO STOP TOP-TIER TARGETS INSIDE AL-QAIDA (JOBY WARRICK). IN 1999, 30-YEAR-OLD NADA BAKOS MOVED FROM HER LIFELONG HOME IN MONTANA TO WASHINGTON, D.C., TO JOIN THE CIA. QUICKLY REALIZING HER AFFINITY FOR INTELLIGENCE WORK, NADA WAS DETERMINED TO RISE THROUGH THE RANKS OF THE AGENCY FIRST AS AN ANALYST AND THEN AS A TARGETING OFFICER, EVENTUALLY FINDING HERSELF ON THE FRONTLINE OF AMERICA’S WAR AGAINST ISLAMIC EXTREMISTS. IN THIS ROLE, NADA WAS CHARGED WITH DETERMINING IF IRAQ HAD A RELATIONSHIP WITH 9/11 AND AL-QAIDA, AND FINDING THE MASTERMIND BEHIND THIS TERRORIST ACTIVITY: ABU MUSAB AL-ZARQAWI. HER TEAM’S ANALYSIS STOOD THE

TEST OF TIME, BUT IT WAS NOT SATISFACTORY FOR SOME MEMBERS OF THE ADMINISTRATION. IN A TIGHT, TENSION-PACKED NARRATIVE THAT TAKES THE READER FROM LANGLEY DEEP INTO IRAQ, BAKOS REVEALS THE INNER WORKINGS OF THE AGENCY AND THE LARGELY HIDDEN WORLD OF INTELLIGENCE GATHERING POST 9/11. ENTRENCHED IN THE WORLD OF THE CIA, BAKOS, ALONG WITH HER COLLEAGUES, FOCUSED ON LEADING U.S. SPECIAL OPERATIONS FORCES TO THE DOORSTEP OF ONE OF THE WORLD’S MOST WANTED TERRORISTS. FILLED WITH ON-THE-GROUND INSIGHTS AND POIGNANT PERSONAL ANECDOTES, THE TARGETER SHOWS US THE GREAT PERSONAL SACRIFICE THAT COMES WITH INTELLIGENCE WORK. THIS IS NADA’S STORY, BUT IT IS ALSO AN INTIMATE CHRONICLE OF HOW A GROUP OF DETERMINED, AMBITIOUS MEN AND WOMEN WORKED TIRELESSLY IN THE HEART OF THE CIA TO ENSURE OUR NATION’S SAFETY AT HOME AND ABROAD.

THE TANK MAN’S SON - MARK BOUMAN
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IN THE TRADITION OF THE GLASS CASTLE AND ANGELA’S ASHES COMES THE MOST UNFORGETTABLE MEMOIR YOU’LL READ THIS YEAR! “WHAT DID IT MEAN TO BE THE TANK MAN’S SON? TO GROW UP OVERWHELMED BY MY FATHER’S PRESENCE AND PERSONALITY? IT WAS AS IF I DIDN’T EXIST, AS IF I WAS JUST SOMETHING ELSE FOR MY FATHER TO CRUSH.” SO BEGINS THE HAUNTING MEMOIR OF MARK BOUMAN AS

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HE RECOUNTS THE EVENTS OF HIS CHILDHOOD AT THE HANDS OF HIS LARGER-THAN-LIFE, NEO-NAZI FATHER IN BRILLIANT, STARTLING DETAIL. FROM ADVENTURE-FILLED DAYS COMPLETE WITH REAL-LIFE WAR GAMES, ARTILLERY FIRE, AND TANK RACES TO TERROR-FILLED NIGHTS MARKED BY VICIOUS TIRADES, BRUTAL BEATINGS, AND PSYCHOLOGICAL TORTURE, MARK PAINTS A CHILLING PORTRAIT OF FAMILY LIFE THAT IS AT ONCE WHIMSICAL AND HORRIFIC—ALL BUILDING TO A SHOCKING CLIMAX THAT CHALLENGES EVEN THE BROADEST BOUNDARIES OF LOVE AND FORGIVENESS. AN EPIC TALE OF REDEMPTION AND RECONCILIATION, THE TANK MAN'S SON IS A LITERARY TOUR DE FORCE THAT IS SURE TO BECOME AN INSTANT CLASSIC.

LIFE UNDERCOVER - AMARYLLIS FOX

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INSTANT NEW YORK TIMES

BESTSELLER "FAST AND THRILLING . .

. LIFE UNDERCOVER READS AS IF A JOHN

LE CARR[?] CHARACTER LANDED IN EAT

PRAY LOVE." —THE NEW YORK TIMES

AMARYLLIS FOX'S RIVETING MEMOIR

TELLS THE STORY OF HER TEN YEARS IN

THE MOST ELITE CLANDESTINE OPS UNIT

OF THE CIA, HUNTING THE WORLD'S

MOST DANGEROUS TERRORISTS IN

SIXTEEN COUNTRIES WHILE MARRYING

AND GIVING BIRTH TO A DAUGHTER

AMARYLLIS FOX WAS IN HER LAST

YEAR AS AN UNDERGRADUATE AT

OXFORD STUDYING THEOLOGY AND

INTERNATIONAL LAW WHEN HER WRITING

MENTOR DANIEL PEARL WAS CAPTURED

AND BEHEADED. GALVANIZED BY THIS

BRUTALITY, FOX APPLIED TO A MASTER'S PROGRAM IN CONFLICT AND TERRORISM AT GEORGETOWN'S SCHOOL OF FOREIGN SERVICE, WHERE SHE CREATED AN ALGORITHM THAT PREDICTED, WITH UNCANNY CERTAINTY, THE LIKELIHOOD OF A TERRORIST CELL ARISING IN ANY VILLAGE AROUND THE WORLD. AT TWENTY-ONE, SHE WAS RECRUITED BY THE CIA. HER FIRST ASSIGNMENT WAS READING AND ANALYZING HUNDREDS OF CLASSIFIED CABLES A DAY FROM FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS AND SYNTHESIZING THEM INTO DAILY BRIEFS FOR THE PRESIDENT. HER NEXT ASSIGNMENT WAS AT THE IRAQ DESK IN THE COUNTERTERRORISM CENTER. AT TWENTY-TWO, SHE WAS FAST-TRACKED INTO ADVANCED OPERATIONS TRAINING, SENT FROM LANGLEY TO "THE FARM," WHERE SHE LIVED FOR SIX MONTHS IN A SIMULATED WORLD LEARNING HOW TO USE A GLOCK, HOW TO GET OUT OF FLEXICUFFS WHILE LOCKED IN THE TRUNK OF A CAR, HOW TO WITHSTAND TORTURE, AND THE BEST WAYS TO COMMIT SUICIDE IN CASE OF CAPTIVITY. AT THE END OF THIS TRAINING SHE WAS DEPLOYED AS A SPY UNDER NON-OFFICIAL COVER--THE MOST DIFFICULT AND COVETED JOB IN THE FIELD AS AN ART DEALER SPECIALIZING IN TRIBAL AND INDIGENOUS ART AND SENT TO INFILTRATE TERRORIST NETWORKS IN REMOTE AREAS OF THE MIDDLE EAST AND ASIA. LIFE UNDERCOVER IS EXHILARATING, INTIMATE, FIERCELY INTELLIGENT--AN IMPOSSIBLE TO PUT DOWN RECORD OF AN EXTRAORDINARY

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