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role in the infamous nat turner slave uprising of 1831 dramatically alters her life in this heartrending novel kirkus reviews harriet whitehead is an outsider in her own family she feels accepted and important only when she is entrusted to write letters for her blind stepmother then nat turner a slave preacher arrives on her family s plantation and harriet befriends him entranced by his gentle manner and eloquent sermons about an all forgiving god when nat asks harriet for a map of the county to help him spread the word she draws it for him wanting to be part of something important but the map turns out to be the missing piece that sets nat s secret plan in motion and makes harriet an unwitting accomplice to the bloodiest slave uprising in u s history in the letter writer award winning historical novelist ann rinaldi has created a bold portrait of antebellum virginia and of an ordinary young girl thrust into a situation beyond her control and must make peace with herself in the wake of tragedy in this novel set at the beginning of the twentieth century a fifteen year old southern girl marries and moves to the unfamiliar world of brooklyn it s 1900 the dawn of a new century and fifteen year old rose frampton is beginning a new life she s left her family in south carolina to live with her handsome and wealthy husband in brooklyn new york a move that is both scary and exciting as mistress of the large victorian estate on dorchester road she must learn to make decisions establish her independence and run an efficient household these tasks are difficult enough without the added complication of barely knowing her husband as romance blossoms and rose begins to find her place she discovers that strength of character does not come easily but is essential for happiness writing in diary form ann rinaldi paints a sensual picture of time and place and gives readers an intimate glimpse into the heart of a child as she becomes a woman rinaldi describes the teen s first year of marriage with grace tact and sensitivity school library journal fans of romance will be swept up in the subtleties of her courtship by rene and readers will likely identify with rose as she balances the natural impulses of a teenager with her new role as mistress of the house publishers weekly a new york public library book for the teen age fourteen year old ipa struggles to survive a brutal time of change as the spanish begin the conquest of the native people along the texas border shares toys and games found in the southern appalachian region from a to z kidnapped from her home in senegal and sold as a slave in 1761 a young girl is purchased by the wealthy wheatley family in boston phillis wheatley as she comes to be known has an eager mind and it leads her on an unusual path for a slave she becomes america s first published black poet strong characterization and perceptive realism mark this thoughtful portrayal booklist how could lizzy enders s father abandon her at a girls school run by nuns she s surrounded by catholics but she s methodist shunned by the other boarders lizzy befriends a wandering carpenter named josé who with just three tools and unflagging faith builds an elaborate spiral staircase in the new chapel in mere weeks when he disappears without a trace lizzy realizes that the way she sees things is not always the way they are inspired by the legend of the miraculous staircase in the chapel of loretto in santa fe ann rinaldi skillfully blends the mystery surrounding the staircase s builder with the daily trials of a spunky thirteen year old girl growing up in the 1870s for young kay growing up in middle class america during world war ii is a confusing and sometimes painful experience her stepmother amazing grace is a selfish woman who takes her unhappiness out on those around her and for a little girl so concerned with pleasing others and doing the honorable thing life with amazing grace is nearly unbearable but kay is also a believer she s determined to keep smiling through as the song says knowing that one day she will do something extraordinary a bittersweet historical novel kirkus reviews sis goose is a beloved member of luli s family despite the fact that she was born a slave but the family is harboring a terrible secret and when union soldiers arrive on their texas plantation to announce that slaves have been declared free for nearly two years sis goose is horrified to learn that the people she called family have lied to her for so long she runs away but her newly found freedom has tragic consequences includes an author s note war is turning juliet bradshaw s world upside down her brother seth rides with william quantrill s renegade confederate army but he s helpless when the yankees arrest juliet along

with the wives and sisters of Quantrell's soldiers as spies imprisoned in a dilapidated old house in Kansas City. Juliet is one of a handful of survivors after the building collapses, killing most of the young girls inside. When she is reunited with her brother, Juliet finds the life she had previously known is gone, surrounded by secrets, lies, murder, and chaos. She must determine just how far she will go to protect the people and things she holds dear. A teenage orphan is caught up in President Lincoln's assassination and another macabre plot. In this fast-paced and dramatic historical novel, Publishers Weekly, Emily's mother always told her that she should avoid Uncle Valentine, a doctor that he was involved in things she shouldn't know about, but after Emily is orphaned as Washington DC is in chaos due to the end of the Civil War, she has nowhere else to go. Now, in addition to coping with the loss of her mother, the fourteen-year-old finds herself involved in two mysteries. First, she wonders about her best friend Annie Surratt and the Surratt family. Annie has a signed picture of the handsome actor John Wilkes Booth in her room, but there seems to be more of a connection between Booth and the Surratt family than Emily thought, possibly including the plot to kill Lincoln at the same time. Uncle Valentine's odd behavior leads Emily to suspect that he is involved with body snatching as dark secrets swirl around her. Emily must figure out who she can trust in this suspenseful tale. With a wealth of interesting background information, Publishers Weekly, Rinaldi has woven two interesting plots here into a fine coming-of-age historical novel. Makes readers feel as if they are living in history. Booklist, a vivid account of the moral ambiguities surrounding body snatching for medical research at the close of the Civil War. Publishers Weekly, Pulitzer Prize-winning historian Laurel Thatcher Ulrich has remarked, much of the social history of early America has been lost to us precisely because women were expected to use needles rather than pens. This book, part of the multivolume series of the International Quilt Study Center Collections, recovers a swath of that lost history and shows us some of America's treasured material culture as it was pieced and stitched into place. American Quilts in the Modern Age, 1870-1940, examines the period's quilts from both an artistic and a historical perspective, from pieced block to crazy style to colonial revival examples, as well as one-of-a-kind creations. The full array of style and design appears in this book, covering seven decades of quilting. The contributing authors provide critical information regarding the modern and anti-modern tensions that persisted throughout this era of America's coming of age, from the Civil War to World War II. They also address the textile technology and cultural context of the times in which the quilts were created, with an eye to the role that industrialization and modernization played in the evolution of techniques, materials, and designs. With full-color photographs of over 587 quilts, American Quilts in the Modern Age, 1870-1940, offers a new visual and tactile understanding of American culture and society, bridging the transition from traditional folk culture to the age of mass production and consumption. Traces the history of the United States during the 1990s through such primary sources as memoirs, letters, contemporary journalism, and official documents. Magdalena Murphy and Clarence Stirling almost got married fifty years ago, but one of them left the other stranded at the altar. The rest was history. The Murphys and the Stirlings were at war two generations later. Sandy Murphy and Drew Stirling just naturally locked horns when they were thrown together over a yogurt campaign, which prompted a renewed debate in Tyler over the wedding that never was. They were destined to feud, it seemed, and to love just as passionately as their kin, but would they at least make it to the altar?

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The Secret of Sarah Revere 1995-11-01

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Appalachian Children's Literature 2010-04-13

ann rinaldi the author of many young adult historical novels has found her niche and run with it this historical novelist started as a columnist for the trentonian in 1970 and has evolved into a prolific and insightful fiction writer who introduces history to young adults through engaging and universal stories mcglinn explores the life and works of this inspirational author illustrating the level of historical detail captured in each of rinaldi s novels and highlighting the themes that she interweaves with american history and the personal development of her characters covering everything from america s colonial beginnings through the nineteenth century ms rinaldi s novels will interest everyone from librarians and teachers to students included is a discussion of the recent controversy that has flared over her portrayal of native american boarding school experiences in my heart is on the ground

Library Materials and Services for Teen Girls 2002-08-14

having survived the 1906 san francisco earthquake photographer edith irvine and her assistant daisy valentine documented the devastation this true story includes many of irvine s photos an ala best book for young adults

Ann Rinaldi 2000

in 1851 thirteen year old cecilia has her eyes opened to the horrors of slavery when she accompanies her ornithologist uncle on an expedition in search of the rare scarlet ibis and watches as he shows slaves the way to the underground railroad

Earthquake at Dawn 2003

claire louise corbett and her confederate family flee their home as union soldiers shell their town of vicksburg mississippi they venture out from the safety of a cave only three times a day when the union army takes their meals at eight in the morning noon and eight at night although many of the townspeople suffer from a lack of food the corbetts receive extra rations from claire louise s brother landon a doctor with the union army when claire louise discovers her brother tending to a confederate soldier who is responsible

for robert e lee s lost order causing the south to lose the battle of antietam she is forced to make a difficult choice between family and friends award winning historical novelist ann rinaldi paints a story of family courage and secrets during the forty seven day siege of vicksburg a battle that has sometimes been ignored in history because it ended the same day as the battle of gettysburg

The Ever-After Bird 2009

a surprising revolutionary war tale of a family beset by a mother s mental illness often gripping the portrayal of patrick henry is unusually complex publishers weekly patrick henry the famous statesman of the american revolution has a secret he keeps his wife in the cellar it s the only alternative to an asylum for slowly losing her mind sarah henry has become a serious danger to herself and her children narrated by the henrys two daughters patsy and anne who must take on new responsibilities this compassionate novel explores the possibility that patrick henry s immortal cry of give me liberty or give me death may have first been spoken by his wife as she pled for her freedom and delivers another intriguing spin on history from the popular author of young adult fiction kirkus reviews includes a reader s guide

My Vicksburg 2009

an 11 year old girl s inadvertent role in the infamous nat turner slave uprising of 1831 dramatically alters her life in this heartrending novel kirkus reviews harriet whitehead is an outsider in her own family she feels accepted and important only when she is entrusted to write letters for her blind stepmother then nat turner a slave preacher arrives on her family s plantation and harriet befriends him entranced by his gentle manner and eloquent sermons about an all forgiving god when nat asks harriet for a map of the county to help him spread the word she draws it for him wanting to be part of something important but the map turns out to be the missing piece that sets nat s secret plan in motion and makes harriet an unwitting accomplice to the bloodiest slave uprising in u s history in the letter writer award winning historical novelist ann rinaldi has created a bold portrait of antebellum virginia and of an ordinary young girl thrust into a situation beyond her control and must make peace with herself in the wake of tragedy

Or Give Me Death 2004-08-01

in this novel set at the beginning of the twentieth century a fifteen year old southern girl marries and moves to the unfamiliar world of brooklyn it s 1900 the dawn of a new century and fifteen year old rose frampton is beginning a new life she s left her family in south carolina to live with her handsome and wealthy husband in brooklyn new york a move that is both scary and exciting as mistress of the large victorian estate on dorchester road she must learn to make decisions establish her independence and run an efficient household these tasks are difficult enough without the added complication of barely knowing her husband as romance blossoms and rose begins to find her place she discovers that strength of character does not come easily but is essential for happiness writing in diary form ann rinaldi paints a sensual picture of time and place and gives readers an intimate

glimpse into the heart of a child as she becomes a woman rinaldi describes the teen s first year of marriage with grace tact and sensitivity school library journal fans of romance will be swept up in the subtleties of her courtship by rene and readers will likely identify with rose as she balances the natural impulses of a teenager with her new role as mistress of the house publishers weekly a new york public library book for the teen age

The Letter Writer 2010-05-24

fourteen year old ipa struggles to survive a brutal time of change as the spanish begin the conquest of the native people along the texas border

Brooklyn Rose 2006-05-01

shares toys and games found in the southern appalachian region from a to z

Indio 1995

kidnapped from her home in senegal and sold as a slave in 1761 a young girl is purchased by the wealthy wheatley family in boston phillis wheatley as she comes to be known has an eager mind and it leads her on an unusual path for a slave she becomes america s first published black poet strong characterization and perceptive realism mark this thoughtful portrayal booklist

Appalachian Toys and Games from a to Z 2013-02-18

how could lizzy enders s father abandon her at a girls school run by nuns she s surrounded by catholics but she s methodist shunned by the other boarders lizzy befriends a wandering carpenter named josé who with just three tools and unflagging faith builds an elaborate spiral staircase in the new chapel in mere weeks when he disappears without a trace lizzy realizes that the way she sees things is not always the way they are inspired by the legend of the miraculous staircase in the chapel of loretto in santa fe ann rinaldi skillfully blends the mystery surrounding the staircase s builder with the daily trials of a spunky thirteen year old girl growing up in the 1870s

Hang a Thousand Trees with Ribbons *2005-03-01*

for young kay growing up in middle class america during world war ii is a confusing and sometimes painful experience her stepmother amazing grace is a selfish woman who takes her unhappiness out on those around her and for a little girl so concerned with pleasing others and doing the honorable thing life with amazing grace is nearly unbearable but kay is also a believer she s determined to keep smiling through as the song says knowing that one day she will do something extraordinary a bittersweet historical novel
kirkus reviews

The Staircase *2002-06-01*

sis goose is a beloved member of luli s family despite the fact that she was born a slave but the family is harboring a terrible secret and when union soldiers arrive on their texas plantation to announce that slaves have been declared free for nearly two years sis goose is horrified to learn that the people she called family have lied to her for so long she runs away but her newly found freedom has tragic consequences includes an author s note

Keep Smiling Through *1996-05-01*

war is turning juliet bradshaw s world upside down her brother seth rides with william quantrill s renegade confederate army but he s helpless when the yankees arrest juliet along with the wives and sisters of quantrill s soldiers as spies imprisoned in a dilapidated old house in kansas city juliet is one of a handful of survivors after the building collapses killing most of the young girls inside when she s reunited with her brother juliet finds the life she had previously known is gone surrounded by secrets lies murder and chaos she must determine just how far she will go to protect the people and things she holds dear

Come Juneteenth *2009-05-04*

a teenage orphan is caught up in president lincoln s assassination and another macabre plot in this fast paced and dramatic historical novel publishers weekly emily s mother always told her that she should avoid uncle valentine a doctor that he was involved in things she shouldn t know about but after emily is orphaned as washington dc is in chaos due to the end of the civil war she has nowhere else to go now in addition to coping with the loss of her mother the fourteen year old finds herself involved in two mysteries first she wonders about her best friend annie surratt and the surratt family annie has a signed picture of the handsome actor john wilkes booth in her room but there seems to be more of a connection between booth and the surratt family than emily thought possibly including the plot to kill lincoln at the same time uncle valentine s odd behavior leads

emily to suspect that he is involved with body snatching as dark secrets swirl around her emily must figure out who she can trust in this suspenseful tale with a wealth of interesting background information publishers weekly rinaldi has woven two interesting plots here into a fine coming of age historical novel makes readers feel as if they are living in history booklist a vivid account of the moral ambiguities surrounding body snatching for medical research at the close of the civil war publishers weekly

Juliet's Moon *2010-01-18*

pulitzer prize winning historian laurel thatcher ulrich has remarked much of the social history of early america has been lost to us precisely because women were expected to use needles rather than pens this book part of the multivolume series of the international quilt study center collections recovers a swath of that lost history and shows us some of america s treasured material culture as it was pieced and stitched into place american quilts in the modern age 1870 1940 examines the period s quilts from both an artistic and a historical perspective from pieced block to crazy style to colonial revival examples as well as one of a kind creations the full array of style and design appears in this book covering seven decades of quilting the contributing authors provide critical information regarding the modern and anti modern tensions that persisted throughout this era of america s coming of age from the civil war to world war ii they also address the textile technology and cultural context of the times in which the quilts were created with an eye to the role that industrialization and modernization played in the evolution of techniques materials and designs with full color photographs of over 587 quilts american quilts in the modern age 1870 1940 offers a new visual and tactile understanding of american culture and society bridging the transition from traditional folk culture to the age of mass production and consumption

An Acquaintance with Darkness *2005-03-01*

traces the history of the united states during the 1990s through such primary sources as memoirs letters contemporary journalism and official documents

Appalachian Heritage *2000*

magdalena murphy and clarence stirling almost got married fifty years ago but one of them left the other stranded at the altar the rest was history the murphys and the stirlings were at war two generations later sandy murphy and drew stirling just naturally locked horns when they were thrown together over a yogurt campaign which prompted a renewed debate in tyler over the wedding that never was they were destined to feud it seemed and to love just as passionately as their kin but would they at least make it to the altar

American Quilts in the Modern Age, 1870-1940 2009-04

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