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The Bookseller of Kabul 2003-12-01

this mesmerizing portrait of a proud man who through three decades and successive repressive regimes heroically braved persecution to bring books to the people of kabul has elicited extraordinary praise throughout the world and become a phenomenal international bestseller the bookseller of kabul is startling in its intimacy and its details a revelation of the plight of afghan women and a window into the surprising realities of daily life in today s afghanistan

The Bookseller Of Kabul 2008-09-04

the international bestseller an intimate portrait of afghani people quite unlike any other compelling christina lamb sunday times for more than twenty years sultan khan a bookseller in kabul defied the authorities be they communist or taliban to supply books to the people of kabul he was arrested interrogated and imprisoned by the communists and watched illiterate taliban soldiers burn piles of his books in the street a committed muslim khan is passionate in his love of books and hatred of censorship two weeks after september 11th award winning journalist Åsne seierstad went to afghanistan to report on the conflict there and the year after she lived with an afghan family for several months we learn of proposals and marriages suppression and abuse of power crime and punishment the result is a gripping and moving portrait of a family and a clear eyed assessment of a country struggling to free itself from history fascinating a portrait of people struggling to survive in the most brutal circumstances daily mail

The Bookseller of Kabul 2003-10-29

with the bookseller of kabul award winning journalist asne seierstad has given readers a first hand look at afghani life as few outsiders have seen it invited to live with sultan khan a bookseller in kabul and his family for months this account of her experience allows the khans to speak for themselves giving us a genuinely gripping and moving portrait of a family and of a country of great cultural riches and extreme contradictions for more than 20 years sultan khan has defied the authorities whether communist or taliban to supply books to the people of kabul he has been arrested interrogated and imprisoned and has watched illiterate taliban soldiers burn piles of his books in the street yet he had persisted in his passion for books shedding light in one of the world's darkest places this is the intimate portrait of a man of principle and of his family two wives five children and many relatives sharing a small four room house in this war ravaged city but more than that it is a rare look at contemporary life under islam where even after the taliban's collapse the women must submit to arranged marriages polygamous husbands and crippling limitations on their ability to travel learn and communicate with others

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Bookseller of Kabul 2004-10

an international phenomenon translated into 17 languages the bookseller of kabul has become not only the bestselling nonfiction book ever published in the author's native norway but also a tremendous success throughout europe and around the world a book that honestly portrays real life behind the veil and illuminates the plight of afghan women as no other book does like the current bestseller

reading lolita in tehran the paperback edition of the bookseller of kabul is certain to be popular with reading groups hardcover isbn 0 316 73450 0

A Hundred And One Days 2015-02-05

a fascinating personal and insightful account of the iraq war from the bestselling author of the bookseller of kabul in january 2003 Åsne seierstad entered baghdad on a ten day visa she was to stay for over three months reporting on the war and its aftermath a hundred and one days is her compelling account of a city under siege and a fascinating insight into the life of a foreign correspondent an award winning writer seierstad brilliantly details the frustrations and dangers journalists faced trying to uncover the truth behind the all pervasive propaganda she also offers a unique portrait of baghdad and its people trying to go about their daily business under the constant threat of attack seierstad s passionate and erudite book conveys both the drama and the tragedy of her one hundred and one days in a city at war Åsne seierstad is the supreme non fiction writer of her generation luke harding

A Hundred and One Days 2009-04-24

from january until april 2003 for one hundred and one days à ne seierstad worked as a reporter in bagdad for scandinavian german and dutch media through her articles and live television coverage she reported on the events in iraq before during and after the attacks by the american and british forces but seierstad was after a story far less obvious than the military invasion from the moment she arrived in baghdad seierstad was determined to understand the modern secrets of an ancient place and to find out how the iraqi people really live in a hundred and one days she introduces us to daily life under the constant threat of attack first from the iraqi government and later from american bombs moving from the deafening silence of life under hussein to the explosions that destroyed the power supply the water supply and security seierstad sets out to discover what happens to people when the dam bursts what do they choose to say when they can suddenly say what they like what do they miss most when their world changes overnight displaying the novelist s eye and lyrical storytelling that have won her awards around the world seierstad here brings to life an unforgettable cast of characters to tell the stories we never see on the evening news the only woman in the world to cover both the fall of kabul in 2001 and the bombings of baghdad in 2003 Ã ne seierstad has redefined war reporting with her mesmerizing book

The Afghans 2024-05-28

Åsne seierstad is the supreme non fiction writer of her generation luke harding no other recent book on the subject comes close cpw gammell author of the pearl of khorasan in her international bestseller the bookseller of kabul award winning journalist Åsne seierstad studied life in afghanistan before and after the fall of the taliban regime in 2001 now twenty years later the taliban is back in power and seierstad returns with the afghans a book to help us understand afghanistan s past present and future told through the lives of three unforgettable people in her compelling intimate and thought provoking new book seierstad introduces us to three people whose lives have been shaped by the fall and rise of the taliban jamila bashir and ariana as well their families friends foes and co fighters jamila is a women s rights activist bashir is a taliban commander ariana is a law student who had one semester left when the taliban came to power the stories of these three afghans encompass love loss revolt and war as well as the everyday rhythms of family life through them we experience and come to understand the lead up to the taliban retaking power in 2021 how the first year of taliban rule unfolded and where this leaves afghans today and tomorrow praise for Åsne seierstad an

intimate portrait of afghani people quite unlike any other sunday times on the bookseller of kabul has the feel of a non fiction novel irresistible new york times on one of us hauntingly written this book is both a masterpiece and a masterclass in investigative journalism christina lamb on two sisters meticulously documented full of drama kate adie on two sisters

Two Sisters 2018-03-13

Åsne seierstad is the supreme non fiction writer of her generation two sisters isn t only the story of how a pair of teenage girls became radicalised but an unsparing portrait of our own society of its failings and its joys luke harding on 17 october 2013 teenage sisters ayan and leila juma left their family home near oslo seemingly as usual later that day they sent an email to their unsuspecting parents confessing they were on their way to syria they had been planning the trip for months in secret Åsne seierstad working closely with the family followed the story through its many dramatic twists and turns this is in part a story about syria but most of all it is a story of what happens to apparently ordinary people when their lives are turned upside down by conflict and tragedy a masterpiece and a masterclass in investigative journalism christina lamb sunday times meticulously documented full of drama this is a tale fluently told and a thriller as well kate adie literary review a masterwork brilliantly conceived scrupulously reported and beautifully written this book is compulsive reading jon lee anderson

With Their Backs To The World 2015-02-05

from the bestselling author of the bookseller of kabul comes a remarkable exploration of the lives of ordinary serbs under the regime of slobodan milosevic during the dramatic events leading up to his fall and finally in the troubled years that have followed asne seierstad traveled extensively through serbia between 1999 and 2004 following the lives of people from across the political spectrum her moving and perceptive account follows nationalists titoists yugonostalgics rock stars fugitives and poets seierstad brings her acclaimed attention to detail to bear on the lives of those whom she encounters in with their backs to the world as she creates a kaleidoscopic portrait of a nation made up of so many different and often conflicting hopes dreams and points of view

With Their Backs to the World 2006-11-07

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Il libraio di Kabul 2015-11-12

novembre 2001 Åsne seierstad entra a kabul e nella vita di sultan khan il libraio che ha pagato con il carcere lo scontro per la dignità della sua nazione la giovane reporter norvegese diventa per quasi un anno la figlia bionda di sultan ospite nella sua casa e testimone di amori proibiti crimini punizioni ribellioni giovanili e ingiustizie che segnano la vita quotidiana della famiglia khan divisa tra l onore e le umiliazioni subite soprattutto dalle donne sotto il regime talebano il libraio di kabul è il resoconto di

quell'esperienza straordinaria la voce di un popolo che cerca di risollevarsi dopo la guerra i sogni di riscatto che squarciano il buio di una società in lotta per la sopravvivenza

Bokhandlaren i Kabul 2021-01-07

hösten 2001 reser journalisten Åsne seierstad till afghanistan för att skriva om människorna i ett trasigt land under uppbyggnad talibanerna har nyligen flytt och ett stort hopp hägrar en dag träff ar hon en bokhandlare som bjuder hem henne till sin familj hans två fruar hans söner och döttrar mamma och systrar efter ett par besök erbjuder han henne att stanna en tid bokhandlaren i kabul 2002 är Åsne seierstads debut och stora genombrott som författare det är en berättelse om bokhandlarens liv och öde men också en skildring av talibanernas våldsamma styre Åsne seierstad prisbelönt norsk journalist och författare har varit korrespondent i ryssland och kina och bland annat rapporterat från krigshärdar på balkan i afghanistan och irak

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A Hundred and One Days 2006-03-07

for one hundred and one days asne seierstad worked as a reporter in baghdad always in search of a story far less obvious than the american military invasion seierstad brings to life the world behind the headlines in this compelling and heartbreaking account of her time among the people of iraq from the moment she first arrived in baghdad on a ten day visa she was determined to unearth the modern secrets of an ancient place and to find out how the iraqi people really live what do people miss most when their world changes overnight what do they choose to say when they can suddenly say what they like seierstad reveals what life is like for everyday people under the constant threat of attack first from the iraqi government and later from american bombs displaying the novelist s eye and lyrical storytelling that have won her awards around the world seierstad here brings to life an unforgettable cast of characters from foreign press apparatchik uday to zahra a mother of three to aliya the guide and translator who becomes a friend putting their trust in a european woman with no obvious agenda these and other iraqis speak for themselves to tell the stories we never see on the evening news

One of Us 2015-03-05

the story of anders breivik and the inspiration for the netflix film 22 july from the bestselling author of the bookseller of kabul on 22 july 2011 anders behring breivik killed 77 of his fellow norwegians in a terrorist atrocity that shocked the world one of us is the definitive account of the massacres and the subsequent trial but more than that it is the compelling story of anders breivik and a select group of his victims as we follow the path to their inevitable collision it becomes clear just what was lost in that one day shortlisted for the cwa non fiction dagger 2015 a new york times bestseller

EL LIBRERO DE KABUL 2013

su mezcla de crónica política fábula doméstica y denuncia social ha cautivado a los lectores el mundo versión para méxico y centroamérica un magistral retrato familiar y un reportaje sobre una nación en conflicto en afganistán tras la caída del régimen talibán una joven periodista noruega se hospeda en casa del librero sultán khan hombre culto y defensor de las libertades rumanas allí convive con las dos esposas y los cinco hijos de khan y conoce sus costumbres y forma de vida el resultado de esta experiencia es un libro que sorprende y conmueve al mismo tiempo los dramas domésticos de una familia islámica que se debate entre las tradiciones y la modernidad encuentran eco en la historia de un país marcado por la intolerancia la guerra y la esperanza

El librero de Kabul 2011-10-01

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this the daily life of a middle class family in kabul the family of bookseller sultan khan sultan has lived through several repressive regimes all of which burned and censored his books now with the taliban gone he is free to pursue his business and his dreams of turning his large collection into a library for afghanistan

Księgarz z Kabulu 2005

asne seierstad a vécu le printemps qui suivit la défaite des taliban chez sultan khan libraire à kaboul elle nous fait partager dans ce récit très vivant et toujours respectueux la vie quotidienne des épouses enfants frères et sueurs d'une famille où chaque destin est riche d'émotion et dont le chef incontestable est sultan l'amoureux des livres quand les communistes sont arrivés raconte t'il ils ont brûlé tous mes livres après il y a eu les moudjahidin trop occupés à se battre entre eux pour se soucier de moi mais une fois le régime des taliban installé mes livres étaient de nouveau condamnés au bûcher À travers cette chronique saisissante c est un afghanistan aux mille facettes que l'on découvre un pays en ruine et en pleine renaissance où un peuple tente timidement de se défaire du passé dans l'espoir d'une vie meilleure

Le libraire de Kaboul 2004

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Księgarz z Kabulu 2009

als die journalistin Åsne seierstad von sultan khan einem buchhändler aus kabul eingeladen wird für fünf monate bei ihm und seiner familie zu leben ahnt sie nicht was sie erwartet seit mehr als zwanzig jahren trotzt sultan khan den autoritäten ob kommunisten oder taliban um die bevölkerung von kabul mit büchern zu versorgen er wurde verhaftet und musste mit ansehen wie seine bücher

auf offener straße verbrannt wurden dennoch hat er seine leidenschaft für das lesen nie aufgegeben und licht in einen der dunkelsten orte der welt gebracht während er gleichzeitig mit harter hand seinen haushalt führte dies ist das intime porträt eines mannes und seiner familie zwei ehefrauen fünf kinder und viele verwandte und ein einzigartiger einblick in ein land der extremen widersprüche

Der Buchhändler aus Kabul 2020-09-01

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Le libraire de Kaboul 2003

chasing tales is the first exclusive study of journalism travel writing and the history of british ideas about afghanistan it offers a timely investigation of the notional afghanistan's that have prevailed in the popular british imagination casting its net deep into the nineteenth century the study investigates the country's mythologisation by scrutinising travel narratives literary fiction and british news media coverage of the recent conflict in afghanistan this highly topical book explores the legacy of nineteenth century paranoias and prejudices to contemporary travellers and journalists and seeks to explain why afghans continue to be depicted as medieval murderous warlike and unruly its title chasing tales conveys the circulation and indeed the circularity of ideas commonly found in british travel writing and journalism the tales component stresses the pivotal role played by fictionalised sources especially the writing of rudyard kipling in perpetuating traumatic nineteenth century memories of afghan british encounter the subject matter is compelling and its foci of interest profoundly relevant both to current political debates and to scholarly enquiry about the ethics of travel

El librero de Kabul 2018

when the taliban was ousted as the ruling party of afghanistan the iconic images of newfound freedom were those of men shaving their beards and women removing their veils in women of afghanistan french journalist isabelle delloye goes beyond the images and behind the veils and collects the crucial and fascinating stories of afghani women from the last quarter century delloye began doing interviews while working as a teacher in kabul shortly before the soviet invasion of 1980 upon returning to france she felt compelled to offer a forum in which the voices of her interviewees could be heard she compiled their words along with her own memories and observations into this book and it has become regarded as a classic of french journalism since its first publication women of afghanistan has been updated twice and this edition features a large section written at the height of the taliban s power as well as two short moving pieces written just after september 11 2001 women of afghanistan is an important work of social history allowing previously silenced subjects to speak without judgment more than that it presents a personal glimpse into the highs and lows of daily life in a nation where threats of war starvation and natural disaster coexist with deep family ties and love for

the land women of afghanistan is a slowly woven tapestry in which the subjects find their own natural place in history all of them are terribly alive on paper and between the lines women and men children and the elderly lenouvel observateur isabelle delloye lived and taught in kabul from 1975 through 1978 since then she has lived in her native france and is well knownfor her multiple talents as a videographer muralist ceramics artist editor and publisher

Chasing Tales 2007

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Bokhandleren i Kabul: et familiedrama 2002

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Women of Afghanistan 2003

the riveting true story of two sisters journey to the islamic state and the father who tries to bring them home two sisters by the international bestselling author Åsne seierstad tells the unforgettable story of a family divided by faith sadiq and sara somali immigrants raising a family in norway one day discover that their teenage daughters leila and ayan have vanished and are en route to syria to aid the islamic state seierstad s riveting account traces the sisters journey from secular social democratic norway to the front lines of the war in syria and follows sadiq s harrowing attempt to find them employing the same mastery of narrative suspense she brought to the bookseller of kabul and one of us seierstad puts the problem of radicalization into painfully human terms using instant messages and other primary sources to reconstruct a family s crisis from the inside eventually she takes us into the hellscape of the syrian civil war as sadiq risks his life in pursuit of his daughters refusing to let them disappear into the maelstrom even after they marry isis fighters two sisters is a relentless thriller and a feat of reporting with profound lessons about belief extremism and the meaning of devotion

XZ Z Z 2001-09

the best book in english about one of the world's most brutal and under reported conflicts fascinating christina lamb sunday times in the early hours of new year's eve 1994 russian troops invaded the republic of chechnya plunging the country into a prolonged and bloody conflict asne seierstad

reported regularly on the war describing its effects on those trying to live their daily lives amidst the violence in 2006 and 2007 she returned travelling in secret in constant danger the tragedy of chechnya had continued but the world had moved on in a broken and devastated society she meets the orphans the wounded the lost and tells their stories at last i devoured this in a few hours a powerful book of heartbreaking yet flamboyant reportage from a forgotten hell simon sebag montefiore invaluable she has a real eye for detail and the human heart of a story observer

Bokhandlaren i Kabul 2020

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