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Escaping Communist Hungary 1956

By Irene Korponay

Createspace Independent Publishing Platform, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Against the backdrop of the Nazi invasion, the Soviet occupation, and the Hungarian Revolution, this memoir poignantly recounts a young girls experience of the events that shattered an idyllic childhood and an elegant era of Hungarian history. SUMMARY: Nine-year-old Kinga is cosseted in the cocoon of an idyllic childhood along the banks of the Danube. Then come the Germans. Suddenly the streets and squares of the historic city of Esztergom are bulging with blonde, square-faced soldiers; shrieking sirens, announcing Allied air raids, paralyze the city with fear. In October of 1944, as the Nazis take over the medieval metropolis, Kinga watches her friend Rebecca, along with hundreds of other Jews, being herded into wagons for deportation. The child feels as if an enormous bird has blacked out the light, bringing death and destruction on its wings. This evocative personal narrative recounts the authors life from just prior to World World II to the 1950s, when Hungarian freedom stormed Budapests Stalin Square, toppling dictators monumental statue and demanding Soviet withdrawal from Hungary. This richly-textured, gripping account...



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