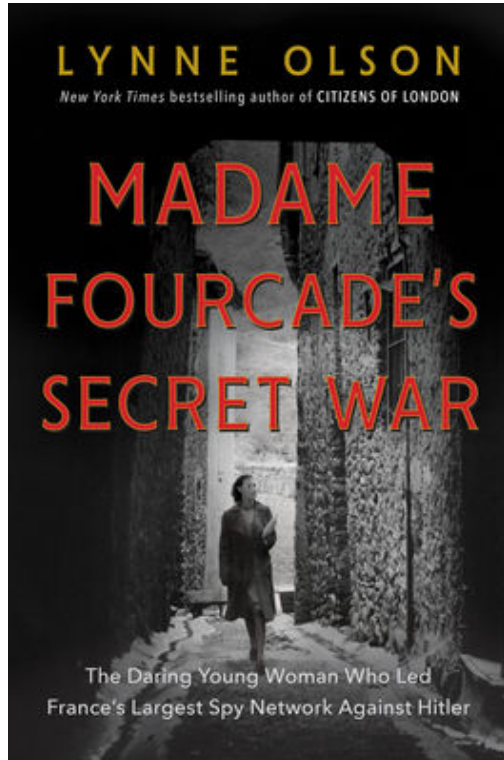


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Lynne Olson



The little-known true story of Marie-Madeleine Fourcade, the woman who headed the largest spy network in occupied France during World War II, from the bestselling author of *Citizens of London* and *Last Hope Island*

In 1941 a thirty-one-year-old Frenchwoman, a young mother born to privilege and known for her beauty and glamour, became the leader of a vast intelligence organization—the only woman to serve as a *chef de résistance* during the war. Strong-willed, independent, and a lifelong rebel against her country's conservative, patriarchal society, Marie-Madeleine Fourcade was temperamentally made for the job. Her group's name was Alliance, but the Gestapo dubbed it Noah's Ark because its agents used the names of animals as their aliases. The name Marie-Madeleine chose for herself was Hedgehog: a tough little animal, unthreatening in appearance, that, as a colleague of hers put it, "even a lion would hesitate to bite."

No other French spy network lasted as long or supplied as much crucial intelligence—including providing American and British military commanders with a 55-foot-long map of the beaches and roads on which the Allies would land on D-Day—as Alliance. The Gestapo pursued them relentlessly, capturing, torturing, and executing hundreds of its three thousand agents, including Fourcade's own lover and many of her key spies. Although Fourcade, the mother of two young children, moved her headquarters every few weeks, constantly changing her hair color, clothing, and identity, she was captured twice by the Nazis. Both times she managed to escape—once by slipping naked through the bars of her jail cell—and continued to hold her network together even as it repeatedly threatened to crumble around her.

Now, in this dramatic account of the war that split France in two and forced its people to live side by side with their hated German occupiers, Lynne Olson tells the fascinating story of a woman who stood up for her nation, her fellow citizens, and herself.

Praise for *Madame Fourcade's Secret War*

"In *Madame Fourcade's Secret War*, Lynne Olson tells one of the great stories of the French Resistance, a story of one woman's courage amid great danger, a story of heroism, defiance, and, ultimately, victory."—**Alan Furst, author of *A Hero of France***

"Much like Madame Fourcade herself, Olson goes to great lengths to unearth truth and preserve dignity for those who lived and died during Hitler's reign of terror—and for that, both the author and her daring subject deserve high praise."—**Former Secretary of State Madeleine K. Albright**

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Le bonheur est un but utopique qu'Alyssa a passé sa vie à essayer d'atteindre. Malgré tous ses efforts, le destin s'acharne et la place au cœur du danger, mettant sur sa route le ténébreux Hardy, agent du S.W.A.T. Un passé mystérieux, une...

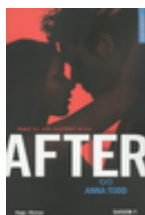
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Cela ne devait durer qu'une nuit. Il n'était pas censé bouleverser ma vie. CC Gray Lucas est tout ce que je déteste chez un homme. Arrogant, riche et privilégié, en plus d'être un séducteur invétéré. C'est...

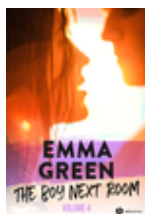
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AVANT, ELLE CONTRÔLAIT SA VIE. AFTER, TOUT A CHAVIRÉ... Tessa est une jeune fille ambitieuse, volontaire, réservée. Elle contrôle sa vie. Son petit ami Noah est le gendre idéal. Celui que sa mère adore, celui qui ne fera pas de vagues. Son avenir est...

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Son premier amour ? Son plus grand interdit. Hériter de quatre demi-frères d'un coup, c'est trop, beaucoup trop pour Céleste, éternelle solitaire, qui n'a jamais trouvé sa place nulle part. Envoyée chez son père biologique...

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J'ai toujours cru que deux fragments d'une même âme pouvaient se retrouver dans deux corps différents. La mienne appartient à Maxime depuis toujours. Inséparables, fusionnels, nous avons grandi ensemble, affrontant le meilleur comme le pire. Comme Bonnie...

[PDF] After Saison 2



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Il y avait la vie avant que Tessa rencontre Hardin, et il y a AFTER (après) ! Hardin n'a rien à perdre... sauf elle. Après leur rencontre la vie ne sera plus jamais la même. Après un début tumultueux, la relation de Tessa et Hardin semblait bien partie....

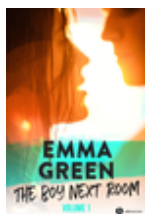
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L'inspectrice Renée Ballard, la nouvelle héroïne de Michael Connelly Reléguée au quart de nuit du commissariat d'Hollywood, l'inspectrice Renée Ballard se lance dans des enquêtes qu'elle n'a pas le droit de mener...

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Son premier amour ? Son plus grand interdit. Hériter de quatre demi-frères d'un coup, c'est trop, beaucoup trop pour Céleste, éternelle solitaire, qui n'a jamais trouvé sa place nulle part. Envoyée chez son père biologique...

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Écosse, XVe siècle. Le pays est déchiré par des rivalités sanglantes entre clans. Afin d'instaurer la paix, le roi ordonne le mariage de Ramsey Douglas avec une des filles du clan Kennedy. Les hommes du clan Douglas ont la réputation...