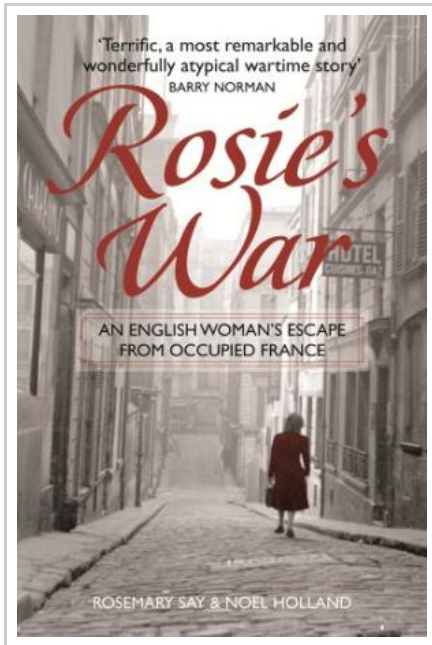




Rosie's War: An English Woman's Escape from Occupied France

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