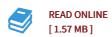




Love and Freedom: Three Lives in Hitler's Germany and Gandhi's India

By Laxmi Tendulkar Dhaul

Zubaan. Paperback. Book Condition: new. BRAND NEW, Love and Freedom: Three Lives in Hitler's Germany and Gandhi's India, Laxmi Tendulkar Dhaul, In the early 1930s. Ayii Tendulkar, a young journalist from a small town in Maharashtra, traveled to Germany to pursue a doctorate in statistics. In Berlin, Ayii became a well-known journalist, and he met and fell in love with the renowned filmmaker Thea von Harbou, the writer of the classic films "Metropolis" and "M" and former wife of legendary director Fritz Lang. They later married. In this unique account, Laxmi Tendulkar Dhaul - the daughter of Ayii and his third wife, Indumati Gunaji - traces the turbulent lives of her parents and that of Thea von Harbou against the backdrop of Nazi Germany and Gandhi's India. The book describes how Thea, many years Ayii's senior, became his support and mainstay in Germany, helping him in his attempts to bring young Indian students to the country. Hitler's rise to power put an end to that effort, and, on Thea's advice, Ayii returned to India, where the outspoken journalist became involved in Gandhi's campaign of noncooperation with the British, and where, with Thea's consent, he soon married Indumati, a Gandhian activist....



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