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# Regina Silsby's Secret War



## Synopsis

The daughter of a wealthy ship owner uses the superstitions of the day to divert the British forces and support the Sons of Liberty following the Boston Tea Party.

## Book Information

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## Customer Reviews

Loved how the author wove this story and its sequel into history. The characters and plot were complex and intriguing. This story can stand on its own, but trust me, book two is even better! I totally recommend this to any lovers of historical fiction - and anyone else of loves a good yarn that rides at a rapid pace to the end. I know it's doubtful, but I'm still hoping to see a third book someday.

I recently read "Regina Silsby's Secret War" as a primer to reading it with my 10 year old daughter and got hooked!! The vocabulary is rich, the pace is fast, and the entire story is extremely believable and engaging. My 10 year old daughter is now reading it and is thrilled with the antics and courage of Rachel, the main character. She's also excited about how well the plot ties in with her recent history lessons about the Boston Tea Party, Stamp Act, Quartering Act and the other Intolerable Acts. Kudos to Thomas Brodner for an extremely well written book that's fun to read for kids and adults!

My daughter had to read this for school. She says it was boring at the beginning, the middle was interesting, and she didn't like the ending.

Mr. Brodeur must have an adventurous daughter or granddaughter! As a former(??!!) teacher, I'm prone to turn every opportunity into a teaching moment; B's books make such a colorful statement about our country's birth. Stories like these make history fascinating for all readers, but especially for my granddaughters who are Descendants of Signers of the Declaration of Independence.

My kids and I love the Regina Silsby books. They are very exciting plots with lots of suspense. I love how effortlessly the historical detail is woven through the storyline, and we soak it in without any effort. As a follower of Christ, I also appreciate how the faith of the main character and her family are demonstrated. Teachable moments for my family.

I will purchase again and tell others about this product. It came fast and well packaged, Thanks again. We enjoyed it.

My 8th-grade-daughter had to read a fiction book set during the American Revolution for a school assignment. She tried a couple of other books and found them very dry. This story grabbed her imagination and she really connected with the characters. She's even interested in reading the sequel!

This book struck me as very unusual, captivating, unique, and tactfully written. Not only that, it is also packed full of action, suspense, and a little bit of horror. What really made this book stand out to me were the descriptions. Brodeur used just the right words to fully describe the various places, whether a gruesome site for hanging criminals or a church towering imposingly on a hill. The descriptions truly paint a vivid picture in the reader's mind. Perhaps the mention of a ghost makes you hesitant to read the book. Yet, while there are some frightening and horrifying parts in the book, this is what makes the book an exhilarating and enthralling read. Christian truths are also woven into the story to teach valuable lessons. I guarantee you'll be disappointed when it ends, and wishing for more.

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