

Title: Diary of a Young Girl Author: Anne Frank Publisher: Everyman's Library Contemporary Classics On sale date: October 19, 2010 (Originally published in 1947) ISBN: 9780307594006 Format: Hardback

Age Range*: 10 & up

BOOK RESUME: DIARY OF A YOUNG GIRL or DIARY OF ANNE FRANK

BOOK SYNOPSIS

The Diary of a Young Girl is the record of two years in the life of a remarkable Jewish girl whose triumphant humanity in the face of unfathomable deprivation and fear has made the book one of the most enduring documents of our time.

REVIEWS AND PRAISE

"Parents need to know that Anne Frank's diary is a singular, moving look at World War II from a young girl's perspective. The Franks, along with another family, the Van Daans, hide in order to avoid capture during the German occupation of Holland." — *The Children's Book Review*

"Anne Frank: The Diary of a Young Girl is a powerful and emotional read that urges us never to forget the horrors of war and the necessity of striving for peace and love. This renowned classic is a poignant testament to the resilience of the human spirit that should be cherished and experienced by all." —The Children's Book Review

MEDIA AND RESOURCES

- The Diary of Anne Frank study guide
- <u>There's no defending this ban keeping students from reading Anne</u> <u>Frank's diary.</u>

RESPONSE TO CHALLENGES

• <u>Challenged at the Culpeper County (VA)</u> public school by a parent requesting that her daughter not be required to read the book aloud.

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