WORLD WAR I & II FOR YOUNGER TEENS



The Boy Who Dared

by Susan Campbell Bartoletti Raised during the rise of the Nazi party, Helmuth believed all he was taught & joined the Party with pride, yet as the country he once knew began to fall apart & he witnessed many horrific events, Helmuth found it increasingly difficult to remain loyal & silent.



A Boy at War: A Novel of Pearl Harbor

by Harry Mazer
While fishing with his friends off
Honolulu on December 7, 1941, teenaged
Adam is caught in the midst of the
Japanese attack and through the chaos of
the subsequent days tries to find his
father, a naval officer who was serving on

the U.S.S. Arizona when the bombs fell.



Shadow on the Mountain

by Margi Preus

Swept up by the Norwegian Resistance when Nazi German troops invade his home, 14-year-old Espen performs illicit courier services before becoming a Gestapo-dodging spy throughout five years during which he loses friends, falls in love and plots a daring escape to

Sweden.



Flygirl

by Sherri L. Smith
Dreaming of being a pilot her whole life,
Ida Mae Jones sees her chance during
World War II, but she cannot be accepted
into the WASP because she is black,
forcing Ida Mae to choose between her
racial heritage and chasing her dream.

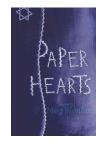


Milkweed: a novel

by Jerry Spinelli
The hardship and cruelty of life in the
ghettos of Warsaw during the Nazi
occupation of World War II is captured
through the eyes of a young Jewish
orphan who must use all his wit and

courage to survive unimaginable

circumstances

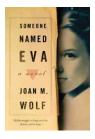


Paper Hearts

by Meg Wiviott

This gorgeous novel in verse tells the true story of Fania and Zlatka, a tale of a friendship forged in deepest adversity. Paper Hearts follows them from their detention and entrance into Auschwitz to their eventual liberation at the hands of the Russians. It is respectful, elegant and

heartbreaking—a graceful and powerful addition to Holocaust literature.

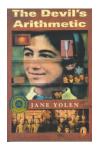


Someone Named Eva

by Joan M. Wolf

Inspired by real events, a young girl is separated from her family in Czechoslovakia and made to go to the Lebensborn center in Poland in order to become the perfect German citizen, yet despite the constant pressures put upon her, Milada stays true to herself and waits

with hope for the day she will be reunited with her rightful family.

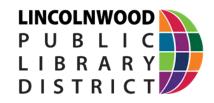


The Devil's Arithmetic

by Jane Yolen

Hannah resents stories of her Jewish heritage and of the past until, when opening the door during a Passover Seder, she finds herself in Poland during World War II where she experiences the horrors of a concentration camp, and learns why she-- and we--need to

remember the past.



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