

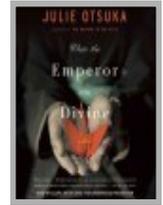
# World War II

Historical fiction or non-fiction related to WWII and the Holocaust.



## When the Emperor Was Divine by Julie Otsuka

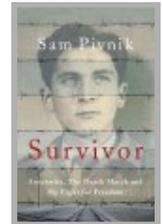
A story told from five different points of view chronicles the experiences of Japanese Americans caught up in the nightmare of the World War II internment camps. **FIC Otsuka**



## Survivor: Auschwitz, the Death March and My Fight For Freedom

by Sam Pivnik

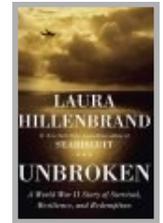
Documents the story of the author's survival of the Holocaust, relating his life in the ghettos of Bedzin after the Nazi invasion of Poland, his imprisonment at Auschwitz, and his near escapes from wartime brutalities. **BIO Pivnik**



## Unbroken: A World War II Story of Survival, Resilience and Redemption

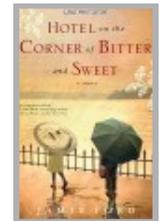
by Laura Hillenbrand

Tells the gripping true story of a U.S. airman who was the sole survivor when his bomber crashed into the sea during World War II and had to face thousands of miles of open ocean, leaping sharks, a foundering raft, thirst and starvation, enemy aircraft, and, beyond, a trial even greater. **940.5472 H**



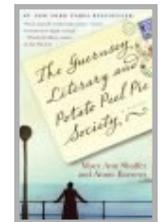
## Hotel on the Corner of Bitter and Sweet by Jamie Ford

When artifacts from Japanese families sent to internment camps during World War II are uncovered during renovations at a Seattle hotel, Henry Lee embarks on a quest that leads to memories of growing up Chinese in a city rife with anti-Japanese sentiment. **FIC Ford**



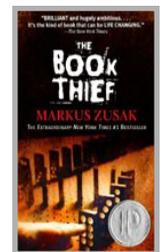
## The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society by Mary Ann Shaffer

January 1946: writer Juliet Ashton receives a letter from a stranger, a founding member of the Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society. And so begins a remarkable tale of the island of Guernsey during the German occupation, and of a society as extraordinary as its name. **FIC Shaffer**



## The Book Thief by Markus Zusak

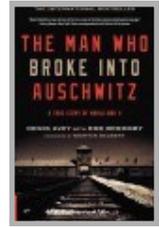
Trying to make sense of the horrors of World War II, Death relates the story of Liesel--a young German girl whose book-stealing and story-telling talents help sustain her family and the Jewish man they are hiding, as well as their neighbors. **FIC Zusak**



## The Man Who Broke Into Auschwitz: A True Story of World War II

by Denis Avey

Tells the true story of a British soldier who was held in a British POW labor camp in the summer of 1944 and willingly spent the night in Auschwitz, swapping places with a Jewish inmate to witness firsthand the cruelty there. **940.53 A**



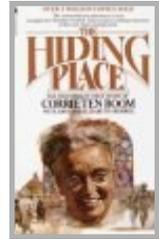
## Schindler's List by Thomas Keneally

This novel tells the true story of Oskar Schindler, a businessman who risked his life every day during the Second World War to save as many Jews as possible. **FIC Kineally**



## The Hiding Place by Corrie Ten Boom

Corrie Ten Boom's account of her amazing family's experiences during the German occupation of Holland. **BIO Ten Boom**



## Sarah's Key by Tatiana De Rosnay

On the anniversary of the roundup of Jews by the French police in Paris, Julia is asked to write an article on this dark episode and embarks on an investigation that leads her to long-hidden family secrets and to the ordeal of Sarah. **FIC Rosnay**



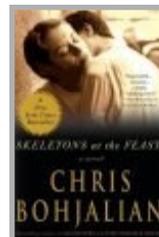
## Milkweed by Jerry Spinelli

Captures the hardships and cruelty of life in the ghettos of Warsaw during the Nazi occupation of World War II, through the eyes of a Jewish orphan who must use all his wits and courage to survive unimaginable events and circumstances. **T FIC Spinelli**



## Skeletons at the Feast by Chris Bohjalian

During the final months of World War II, a small group of people--including teenager Anna Emmerich, daughter of Prussian aristocrats; Callum Finnella, a twenty-year-old POW; and a young Wehrmacht corporal hiding his true Jewish identity--make their way westward across a ravaged Europe in a desperate attempt to reach British and American lines. **FIC Bohjalian**



## The Zookeeper's Wife: A War Story by Diane Ackerman

Documents the true story of Warsaw Zoo keepers and resistance activists Jan and Antonina Zabinski, who in the aftermath of Germany's invasion of Poland saved the lives of hundreds of Jewish citizens by smuggling them into empty cages and their home villa. **940.531 A**

