



Ebook Directory
the best source of ebook

The book was found

Courageous Kate



Synopsis

Kate Moore Barry served as a scout and a spy and is credited with helping Gen. Daniel Morgan defeat the British at the Battle of Cowpens, a turning point in the war for independence. The author weaves together history, folklore and fiction to create a memorable story about three generations of Scots-Irish settlers who built a life in the wilderness of the South Carolina Upcountry during the 1700s. Illustrated by John Ingle, *Courageous Kate* tells riveting stories of Kate's encounters with cruel Tories and of the day she tied her youngest child to a bedpost so she could ride out to alert Patriot militiamen about gunfire at her parents' nearby home.

Book Information

Paperback: 130 pages

Publisher: Hub City Press (December 1, 2006)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1891885529

ISBN-13: 978-1891885525

Product Dimensions: 0.2 x 5 x 8 inches

Shipping Weight: 6.4 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.4 out of 5 stars 6 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #617,384 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #61 in Books > Teens >

Education & Reference > History > United States > Colonial & Revolutionary Periods #226

in Books > Teens > Biographies > Historical #23959 in Books > History > World

Customer Reviews

Spartanburg native and fiction writer Sheila Ingle is a graduate of Converse College and an adjunct instructor at USC Upstate, where she teaches both English and education. *Courageous Kate* is her first book. Ingle has been recognized by the South Carolina Society of the National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution with the organization's 2007 Historic Preservation Award. This award recognizes individuals with exceptional contributions to historic preservation.

I read this book during story-time to our first through third graders in our homeschool co-op and the kids thoroughly enjoyed it. We were studying the American Revolution and this book really gave them a feel for what life was like for the people of the time. Kate Moore Barry was a real person in South Carolina (you can visit her home at Walnut Grove Plantation). The book tells the story of the Scots-Irish settlers who built the upcountry of South Carolina and the brave and heroic acts of Kate

during the Revolution. I think the book is targeted for about age 9 to young adult, but even the younger kids loved it and couldn't wait to hear it everyday. It is well-written for a variety of ages to enjoy. I found this when I googled Walnut Grove Plantation: "1767 - Margaret Kathryn Moore (Kate), the first child of Charles and Mary Moore, married General Andrew Barry at the age of 15. During the Revolutionary War Kate helped her husband by spying on Tory troops, chasing them away from her home, and gathering men to help her husband fight. She was considered quite a heroine." So that is the basis of the book, but it opens even earlier when the family is just moving to the upcountry.

I might be a bit prejudiced -- the subject of this book, Margaret Catherine Moore Barry -- was my sixth great-grandmother. But even for those who are NOT her descendants, this is the amazing story of, as the title clearly states, a very courageous woman. If anyone wanted to make a modern-day film about a truly clever and courageous woman, this would be the place to start. You'll find yourself cheering for her! I supposed one might say "Bravery didn't ALWAYS just wear pants!" Sheila Ingle has done a wonderful job of bringing to life this amazing woman.

Of course I love Courageous Kate! She's my husband's 5th great grandmother.

Historical fiction, jumps around a bit but entertaining. Courageous Kate chronicles role played by Kate Barry in the Revolutionary War at the battle of Cowpens in South Carolina. Kate Barry was the Southern Paul Revere. In addition, the book gives insight into the day to day lives of the Scots-Irish who settled pre revolutionary South in the 18th century.

I am a descendant of Kate Moore Barry so found this interesting. Will pass along to my family for reading.

Bought it for my nieces.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Courageous Princess, The Volume 1 Beyond the Hundred Kingdoms (3rd edition) (The Courageous Princess) Island Kids: Courageous Kids (Courageous Kids) Courageous Kate Kate: The Kate Moss Book Courageous Aging: Your Best Years Ever Reimagined Love and Miss You: The Story of My Son Michael's Courageous Battle with Brain Cancer Breast Cancer Courageous - Prayer Journal: Biblical Affirmations for Breast Cancer Patients and Survivors Killing Leuk: A Story of The

Courageous Journey of Faith of a Mother and Son Who Both Battled Leukemia The Gathering Wind: Hurricane Sandy, the Sailing Ship Bounty, and a Courageous Rescue at Sea The Tigress of Forli: Renaissance Italy's Most Courageous and Notorious Countess, Caterina Riario Sforza de' Medici Real Kids, Real Stories, Real Change: Courageous Actions Around the World Courageous Princess, The Volume 2 The Unremembered Lands The Courageous Princess Volume 3 The Dragon Queen The Courageous Captain America (Marvel: Captain America) (Little Golden Book) Life in Rewind: The Story of a Young Courageous Man Who Persevered Over OCD and the Harvard Doctor Who Broke All the Rules to Help Him Street God: The Explosive True Story of a Former Drug Boss on the Run from the Hood--and the Courageous Mission That Drove Him Back Antique Book "Be Strong & Courageous" Bible / Book Cover - Joshua 1:9 (Large) Antique Book "Be Strong & Courageous" Bible / Book Cover - Joshua 1:9 (Medium) Be Strong and Courageous Two Tone LuxLeather Bible Cover The BE Series Bundle: The Gospels: Be Loyal, Be Diligent, Be Compassionate, Be Courageous, Be Alive, and Be Transformed (The BE Series Commentary)

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)