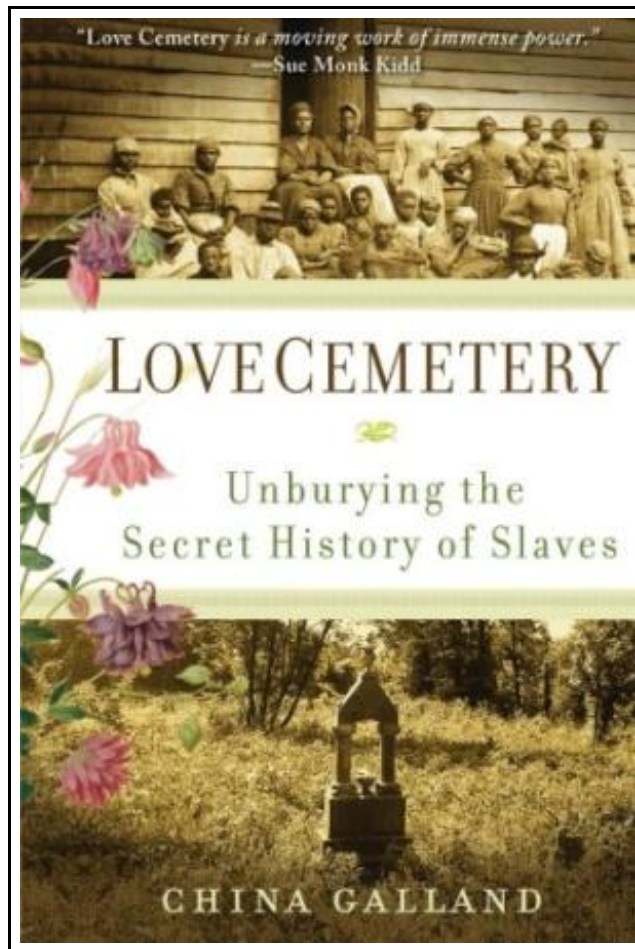


Love Cemetery: Unburying the Secret History of Slaves



Filesize: 5.56 MB

Reviews

*An extremely great ebook with perfect and lucid answers. This is certainly for anyone who statte that there was not a well worth looking at. Its been designed in an exceptionally simple way and is particularly only soon after i finished reading through this ebook in which actually transformed me, modify the way in my opinion.
(Libbie Farrell)*

LOVE CEMETERY: UNBURYING THE SECRET HISTORY OF SLAVES

[DOWNLOAD](#)

To save **Love Cemetery: Unburying the Secret History of Slaves** eBook, please access the button under and save the ebook or gain access to other information which are highly relevant to LOVE CEMETERY: UNBURYING THE SECRET HISTORY OF SLAVES book.

HarperOne. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Paperback. 288 pages. Dimensions: 7.9in. x 5.3in. x 0.8in. By the eve of the Civil War, there were four million slaves in North America, and Harrison County was the largest slave-owning county in Texas. So when China Galland returned to research her family history there, it should not have surprised her to learn of unmarked cemeteries for slaves. My daddy never let anybody plow this end of the field, a local matron told a startled Galland during a visit to her antebellum mansion. The slaves are buried there. Galland's subsequent effort to help restore just one of these cemeteries Love Cemetery unearths a quintessential American story of prejudice, land theft, and environmental destruction, uncovering racial wounds that are slow to heal. Galland gathers an interracial group of local religious leaders and laypeople to work on restoring Love Cemetery, securing community access to it, and rededicating it to the memories of those buried there. In her attempt to help reconsecrate Love Cemetery, Galland unearths the ghosts of slavery that still haunt us today. Research into county historical records and interviews with local residents uncover two versions of history one black, one white. Galland unpacks these tangled narratives to reveal a history of shame of slavery and lynching, Jim Crow laws and land takings (the theft of land from African-Americans), and ongoing exploitation of the land surrounding the cemetery by oil and gas drilling. With dread she even discovers how her own ancestors benefited from the racial imbalance. She also encounters some remarkable, inspiring characters in local history. Surprisingly, the original deed for the cemetery's land was granted not by a white plantation owner, but by Della Love Walker, the niece of the famous African-American cowboy Deadwood Dick. Through another member of the Love Cemetery committee, Galland discovers a connection to Marshalls...

[Read Love Cemetery: Unburying the Secret History of Slaves Online](#)[Download PDF Love Cemetery: Unburying the Secret History of Slaves](#)

Related Books



[PDF] Learn the Nautical Rules of the Road: An Expert Guide to the COLREGs for All Yachtsmen and Mariners

Follow the web link beneath to download "Learn the Nautical Rules of the Road: An Expert Guide to the COLREGs for All Yachtsmen and Mariners" PDF file.

[Read ePub »](#)



[PDF] Becoming Barenaked: Leaving a Six Figure Career, Selling All of Our Crap, Pulling the Kids Out of School, and Buying an RV We Hit the Road in Search Our Own American Dream. Redefining What It Meant to Be a Family in America.

Follow the web link beneath to download "Becoming Barenaked: Leaving a Six Figure Career, Selling All of Our Crap, Pulling the Kids Out of School, and Buying an RV We Hit the Road in Search Our Own American Dream. Redefining What It Meant to Be a Family in America." PDF file.

[Read ePub »](#)



[PDF] The Right Kind of Pride: A Chronicle of Character, Caregiving and Community

Follow the web link beneath to download "The Right Kind of Pride: A Chronicle of Character, Caregiving and Community" PDF file.

[Read ePub »](#)



[PDF] Do This! Not That!: The Ultimate Handbook of Counterintuitive Parenting

Follow the web link beneath to download "Do This! Not That!: The Ultimate Handbook of Counterintuitive Parenting" PDF file.

[Read ePub »](#)



[PDF] The Secret Life of Trees DK READERS

Follow the web link beneath to download "The Secret Life of Trees DK READERS" PDF file.

[Read ePub »](#)



[PDF] Help! I'm a Baby Boomer (Battling for Christian Values Inside America's Largest Generation

Follow the web link beneath to download "Help! I'm a Baby Boomer (Battling for Christian Values Inside America's Largest Generation" PDF file.

[Read ePub »](#)