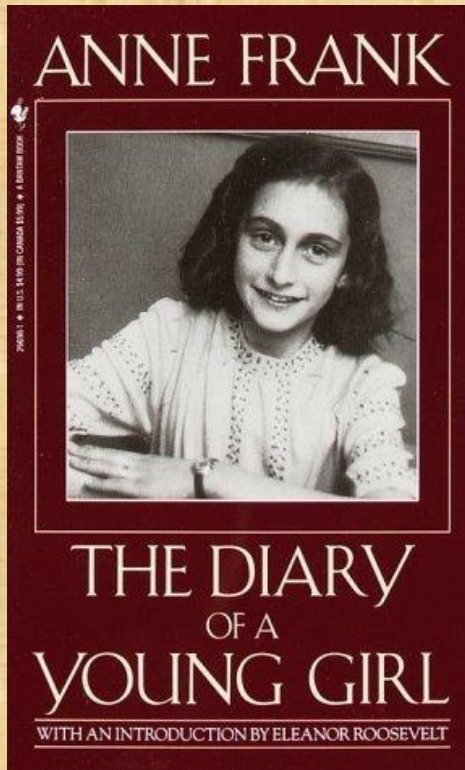


# The Diary of a Young Girl



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Discovered in the attic in which she spent the last years of her life, **Anne Frank's** remarkable diary has become a world classic—a powerful reminder of the horrors of war and an eloquent testament to the human spirit.

In 1942, with the Nazis occupying **Holland**, a thirteen-year-old **Jewish** girl and her family fled their home in **Amsterdam** and went into hiding.

For the next two years, until their whereabouts were betrayed to the Gestapo, **the Franks** and another family lived cloistered in the “**Secret Annexe**” of an old office building.

Cut off from the outside world, they faced hunger, boredom, the constant cruelties of living in confined quarters, and the ever-present threat of discovery and death.

In her diary **Anne Frank** recorded vivid impressions of her experiences during this period. By turns thoughtful, moving, and surprisingly humorous, her account offers a fascinating commentary on human courage and frailty and a compelling self-portrait of a sensitive and spirited young woman whose promise was tragically cut short.