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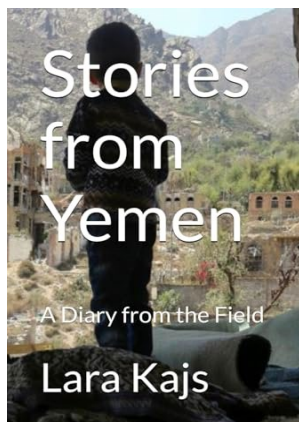
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Assad's Syria

Genre: Non-fiction | Pub Date: March 2025 | Publisher: Independent – Distributed by Ingram |
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For more than half a century, the Assad family brutalized the Syrian people. The amount of human suffering in Syria was compounded by more than a decade of forced displacement, indiscriminate attacks on civilians, chlorine barrel bombs, sarin gas attacks, forced disappearances, besiegement, starvation, torture, extrajudicial killings, unlawful imprisonment, and mass executions. And all of this lies at the feet of Bashar al-Assad. *Assad's Syria* by Lara Kajs is a first-person account of thirteen years of brutal conflict and the atrocities committed by the Assad regime. Kajs offers insight into how the country can heal and recover, and addresses the issues of accountability and justice for the people.



Stories from Yemen: A Diary from the Field

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Yemen is a magical place. Its beauty is in the land, its diversity of culture, its heritage, and its people. But that beauty has been marred by nearly a decade of conflict, which has led to the worst humanitarian crisis in recorded history. *Stories from Yemen: A Diary from the Field* by Lara Kajs shares the stories of nearly a hundred Yemeni men, women, and children, and how they have been impacted by the conflict in Yemen – through displacement, being unhoused, food insecurity, sickness, economic collapse, and concern for the safety and well-being of their children, and death. All of this while trying to avoid conflict, airstrikes, bullets, landmines, and traffickers. Revised and updated in March 2025.

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