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Marie Colvin was one of the world's most courageous and respected war correspondents. Over the course of her career, she reported from some of the most dangerous conflict zones in the world, including Iraq, Afghanistan, and Syria. In 2012, she was killed in a rocket attack while covering the siege of Homs, Syria.

Under The Wire is Colvin's final book, and it is a powerful and moving account of her time in Syria. The book is based on her personal diaries and interviews with her colleagues, and it offers a rare and intimate look at the life and work of a war correspondent.

Colvin's writing is clear, concise, and unflinching. She does not shy away from the horrors of war, but she also writes with great compassion and empathy for the victims of conflict. *Under The Wire* is a must-read for anyone interested in journalism, war, or the human spirit.

A Courageous Journalist

Marie Colvin was born in New York City in 1956. She began her career as a journalist in the early 1980s, and she quickly made a name for herself as a fearless and determined reporter. She covered some of the most important stories of her time, including the Bosnian War, the Iraq War, and the Arab Spring.

Colvin was known for her courage and her dedication to telling the truth about war. She was also known for her compassion for the victims of

conflict. She often put herself in danger to help others, and she never hesitated to speak out against injustice.

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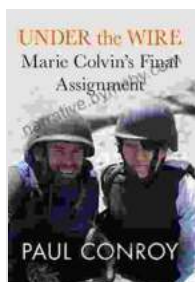
In 2012, Colvin traveled to Syria to cover the siege of Homs. The city was under siege by government forces, and the people of Homs were suffering from a severe humanitarian crisis. Colvin wanted to tell the world about what was happening in Homs, and she was determined to do so even if it meant putting her own life at risk.

On February 22, 2012, Colvin was killed in a rocket attack while covering the siege of Homs. She was 56 years old. Her death was a tragic loss for journalism and for the world.

A Legacy of Courage

Marie Colvin was a courageous and inspiring journalist. She dedicated her life to telling the truth about war, and she never hesitated to speak out against injustice. Her work has made a lasting impact on the world, and she will continue to be remembered as one of the world's greatest journalists.

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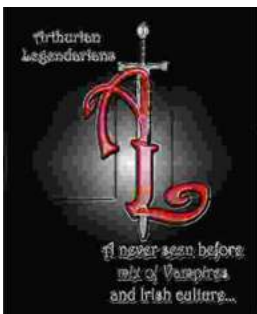
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