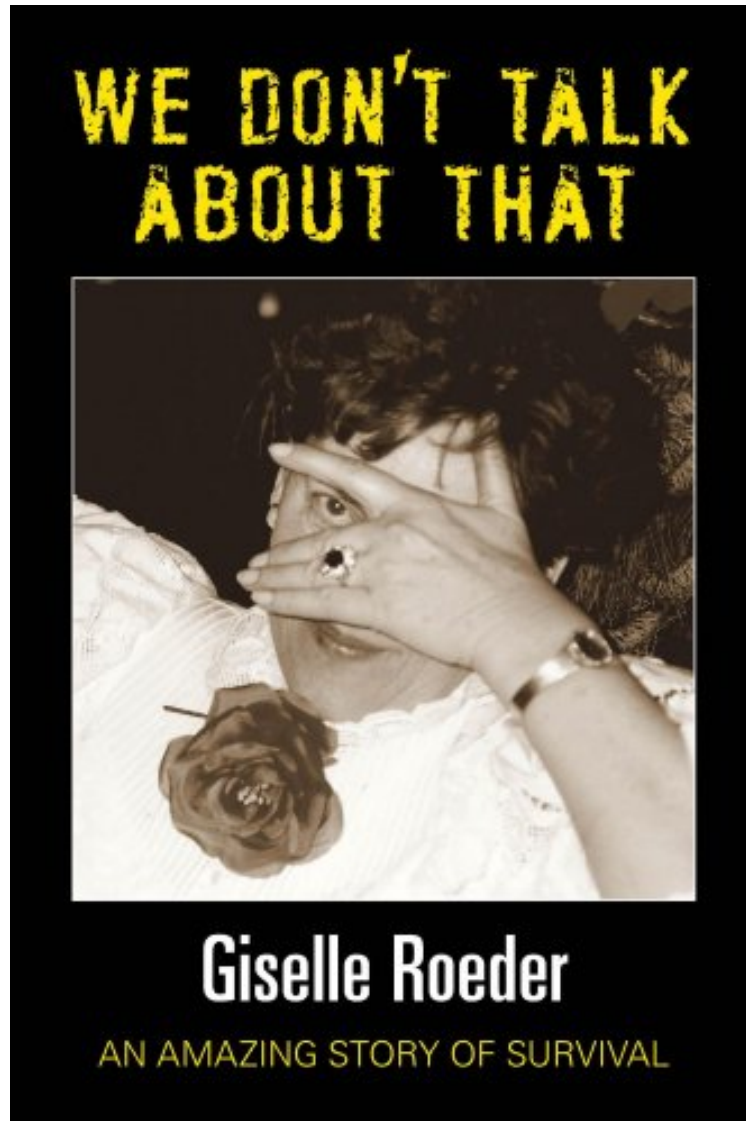


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Familie wie es viele gibt. Es ist eine zu Herzen gehende Darstellung des Leidens der kleinen Bürger aus der Neumark und Pommern was keines Nachweises der Echtheit und Wahrheit bedarf. Ich wurde selbst als Baby aus der "City" mit meiner Mutter, Großeltern und Tante vertrieben, weil unser Haus mit einer polnischen Familie besetzt wurde welche selbst aus ihrer angestammten Heimat in Ostpolen ausgewiesen wurden. Die Schilderungen der Autorin kenne ich aus den Erzählungen meiner Großeltern und Mutter - nur mit anderen handelnden Personen - die Fakten bleiben und sollten niemals vergessen werden, auch wenn " We Dont Talk About That" - der Jugend mu man davon erzählen, damit sich dieser Wahnsinn nicht wiederholt!

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