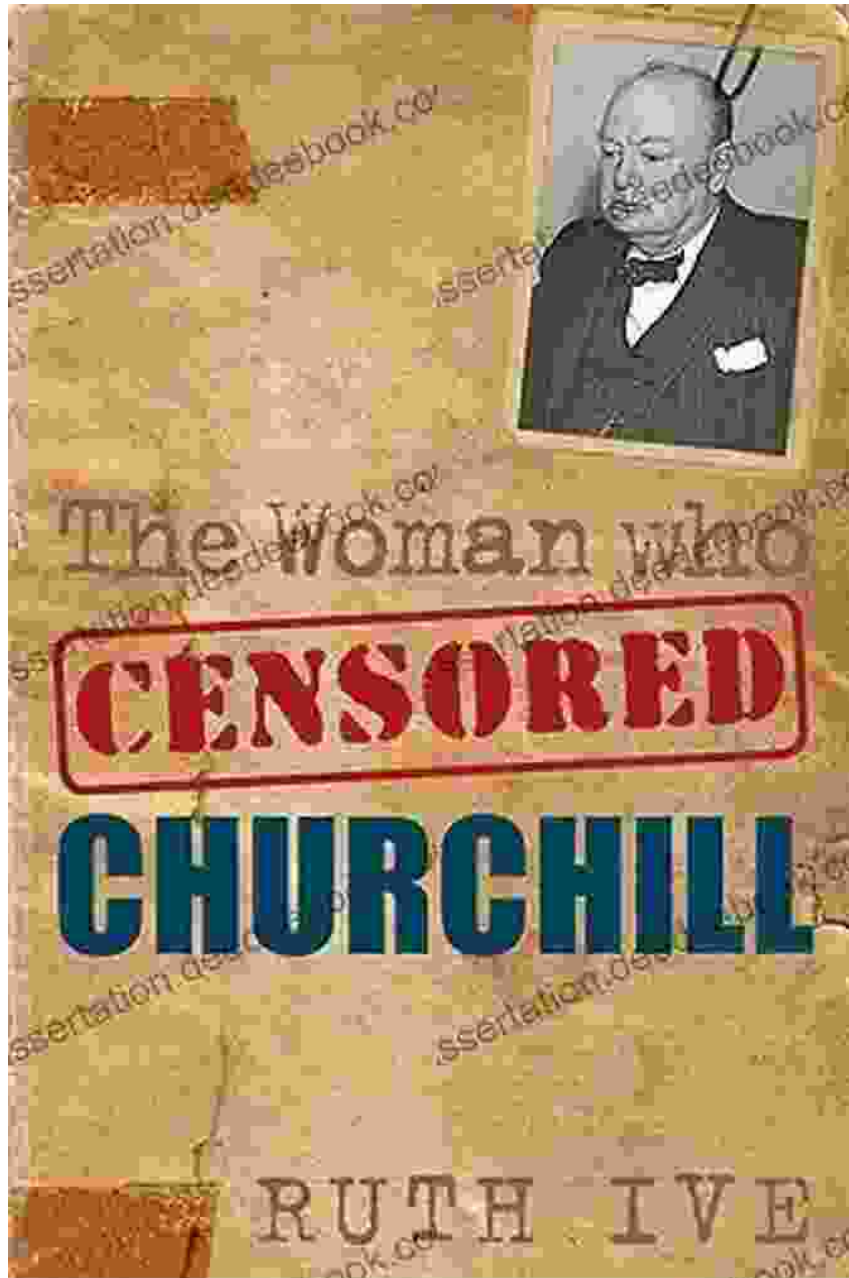
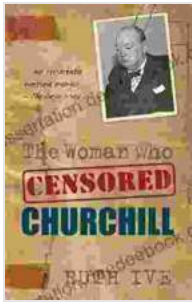


Ruth Ive: The Woman Who Censored Churchill



Ruth Ive was a British journalist and author who served as the editor of the BBC's weekly magazine, "The Listener," from 1946 to 1959. She was a close friend and confidante of Winston Churchill, and her influence over

him was such that she was often referred to as "the power behind the throne."



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Ive was born in London in 1896. Her father was a successful businessman, and her mother was a socialite. Ive was educated at St. Paul's Girls' School, and she later studied at the Sorbonne in Paris. After graduating from university, Ive worked as a journalist for several different newspapers and magazines. In 1941, she was hired by the BBC to edit "The Listener."

Ive's editorship of "The Listener" was a controversial one. She was accused of being too pro-Churchill and of censoring articles that were critical of him. In 1959, she was forced to resign from her position after she refused to publish an article that was critical of Churchill's handling of the Suez Crisis.

Ive's relationship with Churchill was a complex one. She was his close friend and confidante, but she was also a strong critic of his policies. In her

memoirs, she wrote that she "loved and hated" Churchill, and that he was "the most difficult man I have ever known."

Churchill was equally complex in his feelings towards Ive. He admired her intelligence and her loyalty, but he was also frustrated by her stubbornness and her high-handedness. He once said that Ive was "the only woman who could make me feel like a naughty schoolboy."

Despite their differences, Ive and Churchill remained close friends until his death in 1965. Ive continued to write and edit after she left the BBC, and she published several books about Churchill and her own experiences during World War II. She died in 1983.

Ive's Influence on Churchill

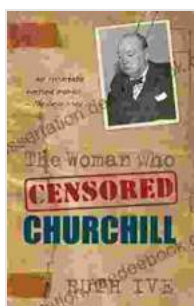
Ive's influence on Churchill was significant. She was one of his closest advisors, and she played a major role in shaping his public image. She also helped to shape his policies, and she was a strong advocate for his wartime leadership.

Ive's influence on Churchill was not always positive. She was known for her strong opinions, and she was not afraid to express them, even if they were unpopular. This sometimes led to conflict between her and Churchill, and it could also damage his relationships with other people.

However, despite their differences, Ive was a loyal friend and supporter of Churchill. She was always there for him, both in good times and in bad. And she played a major role in shaping his legacy as one of the greatest leaders of the 20th century.

Ruth Ives was a complex and controversial figure. She was a brilliant journalist and editor, and she had a significant influence on Winston Churchill. But she was also a strong-willed and opinionated woman, and she could sometimes be abrasive and difficult to deal with.

Despite her flaws, Ives was a remarkable woman. She was a pioneer in her field, and she played a major role in shaping the course of British history. She will be remembered as one of the most influential women of the 20th century.



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