



A Life Apart: The Fate Of An Outsider (Paperback)

By Patrick Grigsby

Indepenpress Publishing Ltd, United Kingdom, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 216 x 140 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. This book is an autobiography with a difference, it is a cultural journey of a child that becomes a man across geographies, as his life starts in Egypt, early childhood passes in the port city of Mersin in Turkey, and then to England where education and later career prospects take him and later found love and marriage fixes him to Britain for good. Identity is a key resonating theme throughout this book, born of an Irish father, a sea captain operating in the Eastern Mediterranean from home port of Alexandria, who dies of an accident at sea while Patrick Grigsby is still a baby and a mother who is a mixture of English and Christian Arab of Syria. Mersin was a relatively minor port on the south coast of Turkey, reflecting Patrick s mixed origins, neither in Europe, Asia and Middle East, but having elements of all these realms, a multicultural, multilingual city, so common in the past in the Levant, now so rare. Yet ironically this diversity is now almost ubiquitous in Western Europe, the...



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