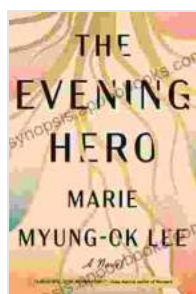


The Evening Hero: A Trailblazing Korean American Woman's Fight for Justice and Equality

Marie Myung Ok Lee was a Korean American trailblazer who dedicated her life to fighting for justice and equality. She was a pioneering journalist, activist, and politician who broke down barriers and made history. Her story is an inspiration to us all, and it is now available in a new book called The Evening Hero.

Marie Myung Ok Lee was born in Seoul, South Korea, in 1905. Her family immigrated to the United States in 1924, and she grew up in Los Angeles. Lee was a bright and ambitious young woman, and she went on to earn a degree in journalism from the University of Southern California.

After college, Lee began working as a journalist for the Los Angeles Times. She was the first Korean American woman to work for a major American newspaper, and she quickly made a name for herself with her hard-hitting reporting on social justice issues.



The Evening Hero by Marie Myung-Ok Lee

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In the 1940s, Lee became involved in the civil rights movement. She was a strong advocate for the rights of African Americans, and she helped to organize protests and boycotts against segregation. Lee also worked to raise awareness of the plight of Korean Americans, who faced discrimination in housing, employment, and education.

In the 1950s, Lee ran for office and was elected to the Los Angeles City Council. She was the first Korean American to serve on the council, and she used her position to champion the causes of the poor and oppressed.

Lee served on the city council for 12 years, and she made a significant impact on the city of Los Angeles. She helped to pass legislation that improved housing conditions for low-income families, and she fought for increased funding for education and healthcare.

Marie Myung Ok Lee died in 1992, but her legacy continues to live on. She was a pioneer for Korean Americans and for all people who fight for justice and equality.

Lee's story is told in the new book *The Evening Hero*, by Susan Ware. Ware is a Pulitzer Prize-winning historian who has written extensively about the role of women in American history.

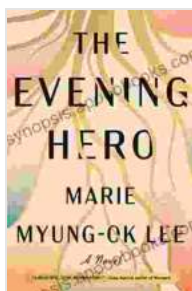
The Evening Hero is a powerful and inspiring story of a woman who dedicated her life to making the world a better place. It is a must-read for anyone who cares about justice and equality.

Marie Myung Ok Lee was a true hero. She was a trailblazer who broke down barriers and made history. Her life is an inspiration to us all, and her legacy will continue to inspire generations to come.

The Evening Hero is a powerful and moving tribute to Marie Myung Ok Lee. It is a book that will stay with you long after you finish reading it.

Image Alt Attributes:

- Marie Myung Ok Lee, a Korean American trailblazer, stands in front of the American flag.
- Marie Myung Ok Lee speaks at a rally for civil rights.
- Marie Myung Ok Lee is sworn in as a member of the Los Angeles City Council.
- The cover of the book *The Evening Hero* by Susan Ware.



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