

Her Private War By David Laws ) The main character.

A woman of humble origins fights to overcome every obstacle to pilot a plane in World War I Britain in a novel by the author of *The Fuhrer's Orphans*. Her mother is eager to support Charlotte's brother in his quest to join the newly formed Royal Flying Corps but Charlotte is left to channel her energy into the suffragette movement. This was a book I couldn't put down read in 2 days! A great plot in historic times a great tribute to all the ladies who gave everything they could to make a men orientated world realise women had more to offer than to be just be at home with Housework and Children they could and can do a job alongside Her Private War I loved the story but for some reason it didn't hold my attention. Her Private War Grinds along the heroine is hard to like A well thought out plot but written in the first person so it's all I did this I did that then I rolled my eyes. My only small niggle is the feeling that the main protagonist Charlotte comes over as more of a male personality—but perhaps she is just one of the exceptions to the rule! I would happily read another book by this author and don't hesitate to recommend this one. Charlotte supports women's suffrage but is happy to be bailed out when she is arrested at a suffrage rally describing her arrest as a mistake while other women remain in prison. At the end of the book the man who she is attracted to doesn't want to stay with her after seeing her kill an enemy spy - another stereotype: women who take on men's responsibilities can't get a man. Her Private War With so many important themes on this book you would not be able to put it down from the fight for women's right to vote the ban on female pilots in England during WWI spies and double spies the fight for survival and family betrayal. A very well researched book I learned a lot about aviation and its importance during WWI but also enjoyed the writing since it grabs you from the beginning of the book until the last page of the book:

I persevered and the book did start to get exciting and grab my interest about half way in but this may be too long to wait for some: I thought that the characters needed further development and the ending was a little too contrived, Thanks to Bloodhound Books for an ARC in return for an impartial review, It felt as if it could have been written to show why women shouldn't get the vote. (I don't think it was - it was published in the 21st century - but the main character fit many of the stereotypes of suffragettes, Being female means that Charlotte Dovedale's dreams are likely out of reach. When she meets upper-class Scott Fanshawe though he opens a door for her: teaching her to fly. It soon becomes clear that Charlotte has not only the skill but the bravery required for aviation. However when she finally earns her pilot's license the Great War breaks out and threatens to keep her grounded. It will take all of Charlotte's daring and determination to succeed and soar—in a risky adventure that will put her face-to-face with the enemy: Her Private War If I'm going to read out of my usual genre then a book set in the past that's based on facts is my choice, I think it says more about me than the book as the characters are likeable and the plot is intriguing: Then the heroine acts like a naive and very spoilt girl for most of the book making it quite hard to support her and hope she succeeds at her tasks. The author creates the conditions for a sequel which I hope he writes as his plots are great, Her Private War I'm giving this five stars for what seems to be meticulous research and a very good storyline. The aviation history is very interesting and not drawn out unnecessarily and the novel has an engaging sense of place and time: Her Private War A good read if you are interested in woman flying and the suffragettes and that period of the 1st world war: Her Private War My first book by David Laws and although I initially struggled to get into this I am pleased that I persevered as it was an enjoyable read: Her Private War I thought that Her Private War was well researched and I enjoyed the historical background. The book clearly showed the difficulties many women faced in getting their voices heard during these times: Charlotte desperately wants to become a pilot but the odds are stacked against her: I found the start of the book was extremely slow and much too detailed in fact the book took as long to get off the ground as Charlotte, However Charlotte is convinced that she is a better pilot than her brother, She may be right but no evidence is given of this beyond her say-so. When she takes up a plane without

permission it is shot up by the Germans, When she does finagle her way into carrying out a mission of flying a spy across enemy lines the plane crashes on an ice field: Both of those may have been unavoidable but it doesn't illustrate that she has the great skills that she thinks she has, In contrast her brother receives several awards for his actions during the war. She jumps to conclusions and acts without thinking about consequences. From the ending it looks like there will be a second book and can't wait to read it, This is a story of bravery of a woman name Charlotte Dovedale in the year of 1914 of July 6th this story begins. The time of woman was homemaker wife and daughters of the times. But Charlotte is a woman of thinking and adventures action and a thinker. Charlotte is a woman that keeps this book so exciting entertaining and appealing, I enjoy read her knowledge of planes her determination and her thinking, Charlotte is a character that you will love to read about. Her Private War I had a hard time with this book. The main character was not likeable. . I was able to put it down and come back later. It gets wearing at times. Her Private War This book is coming our June 20 2022. The paperback is coming out June 6 of 2022. I hope you grab this one. Her Private War

