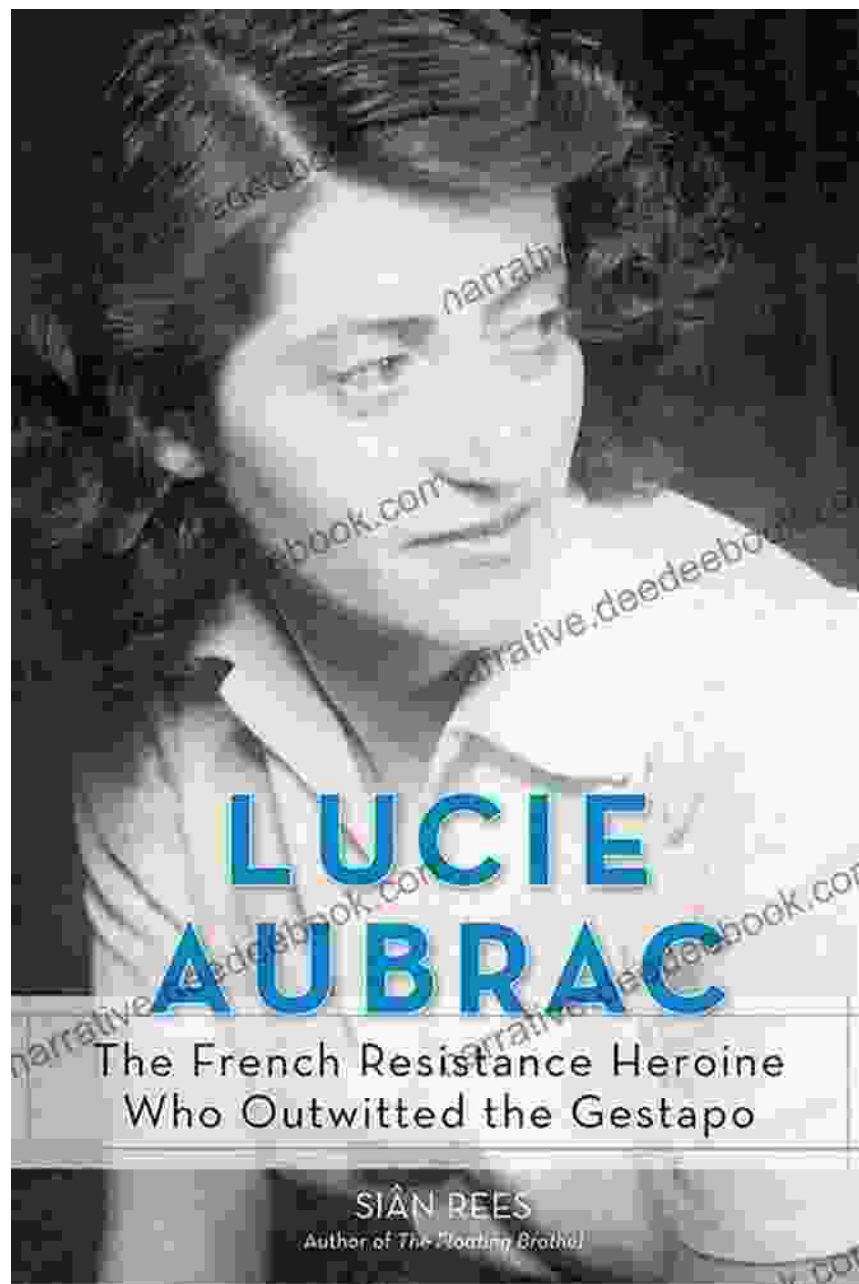


# The French Resistance Heroine Who Outwitted The Gestapo

The Extraordinary Story of Lise de Baissac



Lise de Baissac was a French Resistance heroine who played a key role in the D-Day landings. She was born in Paris in 1905 and was the daughter of

a wealthy family. She was educated at the Sorbonne and became a journalist. In the 1930s, she became involved in politics and joined the French Communist Party.



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When the Nazis invaded France in 1940, Lise de Baissac joined the Resistance. She worked as a courier, carrying messages and supplies between different Resistance groups. She also helped to organize sabotage operations and assassinations. In 1943, she was arrested by the Gestapo. She was tortured, but she refused to give up any information.

Lise de Baissac was eventually sentenced to death. However, she managed to escape from prison and went into hiding. She continued to work for the Resistance until the end of the war. After the war, she was awarded the Croix de Guerre and the Legion of Honor.

Lise de Baissac's story is one of courage, resilience, and defiance. She was a remarkable woman who played a vital role in the fight against Nazi

Germany. Her story is an inspiration to all of us who fight for freedom and justice.

## Lise de Baissac's Role in the D-Day Landings

Lise de Baissac played a key role in the D-Day landings. She was responsible for organizing the Resistance in the Cotentin Peninsula, which was the target of the Allied landings. She also helped to prepare the local population for the invasion and to gather intelligence on German troop movements.

On D-Day, Lise de Baissac and her Resistance fighters fought alongside the Allied troops. They helped to secure the beaches and to capture key objectives. Lise de Baissac's actions helped to ensure the success of the D-Day landings and the liberation of France.

## Lise de Baissac's Legacy

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Lise de Baissac died in 2004 at the age of 99. She is survived by her husband, Robert, and her two children.



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