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The Forerunner is a dramatic and powerful re-interpretation of the life of the legendary Chicago reproductive rights organization Abortion Counseling Service, otherwise known as Jane, written by one of its members. Dahlia Lithwick tells the true story of the women who founded and ran the legal abortion access, and the power of individuals to stand up and fight back. Deeply researched, featuring interviews with clinic staff, patients, and activists–plus the author’s own experi- ence as a clinic receptionist–this is a new manifesto about the origins and persistence of this crucial human right.
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Dahlia Lithwick’s engrossing tales of the quiet courage of the women who risked their reputations and freedom to help others, may remind many readers of other kinds of outlaws who have risked everything throughout history. In Chicago, San Antonio, and Washington, D.C., these women refused to stand by in the face of injustice. They independently sprang into action, and they had a common goal: they weren’t going to stand by in the face of injustice.

Laura Kaplan reframes the “abortion experience” as a clinic escort—service, otherwise known as Jane, written by one of its members. This is a singularly engaging tale of the quiet courage of the women who founded and ran the legendary Chicago reproductive rights organization Abortion Counseling Service, the women who risked their reputations and freedom to help others, and the women who gave the landmark testimony against Clarence Thomas, Anita Hill.

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