

Riding the Rapids: the story of Sylvia Jeanes
by **Ashleigh Hooker with Jack Johnston**

"Sylvia's anxiety twisted into knots within her. She was given a life-jacket to wear. Sometimes the sea crossing can be very rough, she was told. The Resident's launch pulled out at last and steamed across Sandakan Bay where the ocean bit into the harboured waters.

Sylvia looked out onto its choppy surface. She'd been told that crocodiles lingered down there. Logs bobbed up from time to time threatening to rip open the hull of the boat. Then the launch headed into the mouth of the Kinabatangan River. She was on her way to the Interior."

In 1967 twenty-five year old Sylvia Jeanes left the suburbs of Brisbane for the jungles of Borneo. *Riding the Rapids* is the story of a woman who chooses a life of costly service. In the face of danger, spiritual warfare and her own human frailty, God's power keeps carrying her along. Now after 40 years in North Borneo, Sylvia's work continues.

Her story is both encouraging and challenging.

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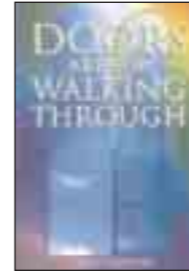
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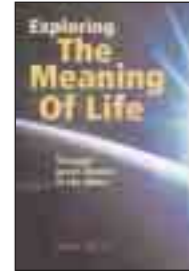


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