



Into the Fray: How NBC's Washington Documentary Unit Reinvented the News

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Potomac Books Inc. Hardback. Book Condition: new. BRAND NEW, Into the Fray: How NBC's Washington Documentary Unit Reinvented the News, Tom Mascaro, This title demonstrates how a unique group of documentary filmmakers reshaped how we think about war and American values. It chronicles the integrity of documentary journalists and their efforts to make a difference in war and society. It describes the contributions of women and African Americans in documentary journalism. During the Berlin Wall era (1961-89), a committed unit of documentary journalists from the National Broadcasting Company (NBC) reported the stories of America's overseas conflicts. Stuart Schulberg supplied film evidence to prosecute Nazi war criminals and built documentary units in postwar Berlin and Paris. NBC newsman David Brinkley created the template for prime-time news in 1961 and bore the scars to prove it. In 1964, Ted Yates and Bob Rogers produced a documentary warning of the pitfalls in Vietnam. Ted Yates was later shot and killed in Jerusalem on the first day of the Six-Day War while producing a documentary for NBC News. "Into the Fray" is the story of the characters and experiences that helped create a unique, colorful documentary film unit based at the Washington bureau of...



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