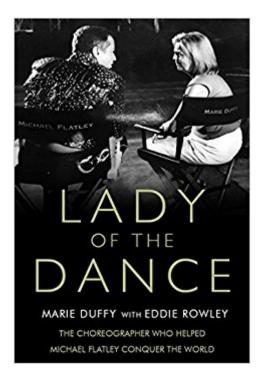


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Lady Of The Dance: The Choreographer Who Helped Michael Flatley Conquer The World





Synopsis

The autobiography of Irish dancing legend Marie Duffy, who has been Michael Flatley's right-hand woman for twenty years. She has trained more world champions than any other teacher and works tirelessly to promote Irish dance and culture internationally. In this honest and entertaining book, Marie gives us a behind-the-scenes glimpse into the world of professional Irish dance, and draws back the curtain on her own fascinating life.

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My dear friend Marie Duffy just published her biography - it's a great read -- www.michaelflatley.com

Born in Dublin's south inner city, Marie Duffy first found fame in the 1960s, dancing on entertainment shows on the newly launched Teilifis Eireann. She went on to become one of Ireland's foremost dancing teachers - at Inis Ealga and her own Marie Duffy Irish Dance School mentoring world champions and some of the performers from the original Riverdance line. Marie has collaborated with Michael Flatley for twenty years, on his shows Lord of the Dance, Feet of Flames, Celtic Tiger and Lord of the Dance: Dangerous Games, amongst others. She choreographed performances for the Oscars and The Prince's Trust, and for TV shows such as Dancing with the Stars and Britain's Got Talent. She has served on The Irish Dancing Commission (An Coimisiun) since 1969, and has worked as an examiner all over the world. In 2011 at the World Irish Dancing Championships, Marie was presented with a Lifetime Achievement Award in recognition of her dedication to Irish dance and culture. Eddie Rowley is the Sunday World's showbiz correspondent, covering the local and international music scene since 1983.

Great storyteller telling an amazing journey ... shows both the passion for dance as well as the passion for life

Really awesome book with a good message. Inspired my daughter

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