



## Memory of a Miner: A True-Life Story from Harlan County's Heyday

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Growth Resources, United States, 2014. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.It's a cool, foggy morning in early April 1941. Miners gather at Crummies Creek to organize the day's picket, standard picketing routine. But this morning's different, and it doesn't take long to find that out. We was just a-millin about, a-talkin about how we was gonna set up our picket line. All of a sudden, it sounded to me like we was in a war! Bullets was flyin all around us. Miners was a-callin out to take cover and took to runnin . The miners had been ambushed by gun thugs - the dirty law hired by the coal owner/operators of that day to strong arm miners and keep them from unionizing. The place was a killing field. and the old miner was right in the thick of it. And because of what he soon discovers, he describes it as the saddest day of his life. Memory of a Miner is the true account of one man's journey as an old-school miner in the southern Appalachian coal mining region of Harlan County,...

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