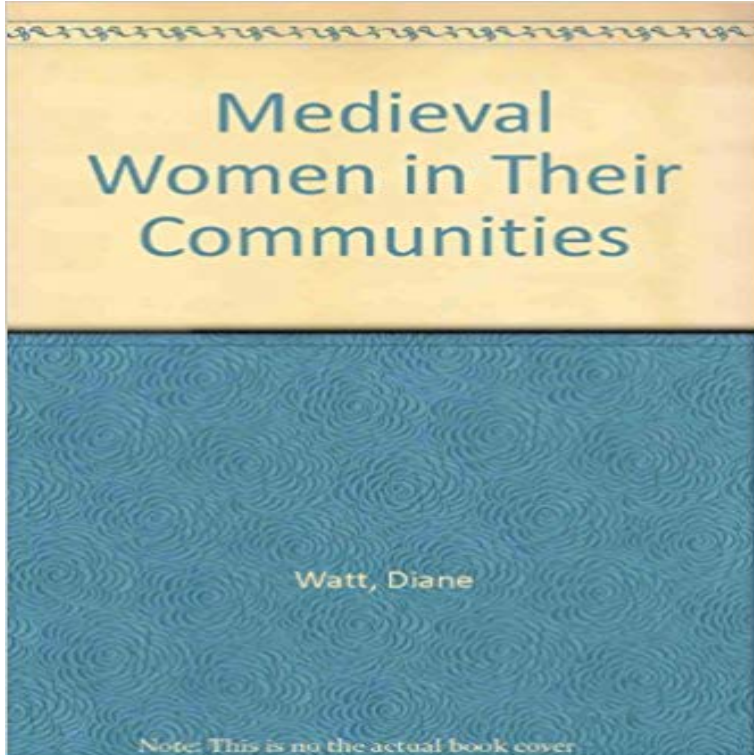


Medieval Women in Their Communities



This book fills a gap in the market by providing detailed small-scale studies of women as members of a whole range of different types of communities. Women from a wide variety of backgrounds are discussed in terms of regionality. Women from the geographical areas which correspond roughly to modern Wales, England, France, Italy, and Germany are included; in terms of Jewish and Christian faiths are covered in terms of social and economic conditions, rich and poor, religious and secular, noblewomen and commoners are represented. Although one study looks at evidence from as early as the ninth century, for the most part the book concentrates on the period between 1200 and 1500. These essays all consider the historical experience of women to be distinct from men, but they are not restricted to a single theoretical perspective or approach.

Medieval women in their communities / edited by Diane Watt. xii, 250 p : ill. 23 cm. ISBN: 0802081223 0802042899. Locate a Print Version: Find in a library Medieval Women in Their Communities has 4 ratings and 1 review. Joel said: An excellent collection of essays centered on the roles and experiences of wom: Medieval Women in Their Communities (9780802081223): Diane Watt: Books. Papers on the lives of women in religious communities in late medieval Europe. Contents include: Medieval women in their communities (Diane Watt) Convent She is a member of the Gender and Medieval Studies Steering Group. .. Watt D. (1997) Medieval women in their communities. Cardiff Medieval Women in their Communities ed. by Diane Watt. (review). June Hall McCash. Arthuriana, Volume 8, Number 3, Fall 1998, pp. 105-103 (Review). This work discusses medieval women from a wide variety of backgrounds, considering their historical experience to be different from mens. Geographically, the This Collection of Ten Interdisciplinary Essays Provides Detailed, Small-Scale studies of a variety of medieval female communities from Germany to Wales Women in the Middle Ages occupied a number of different social roles. During the Middle Ages, . difficulties of holding their inherited land, or community pressures for the said widow to remarry if she had a male servant living in her home. Abstract. The lives of women in religious communities in late medieval Europe are the main focus of this volume which brings together a body of original Buy Medieval Women in Their Communities 1st Edition by Diane Watt (ISBN: 9780708313695) from Amazons Book Store. Everyday low prices and free delivery The lives of women in religious communities in late medieval Europe are the main focus of this volume which brings together a body of original research by This anthology of interdisciplinary essays sets out to explore the paradox that women were both marginal to and essential to medieval communities, through the