The life story of a strong woman

Reading | Isabelle Müller describes her mother's odyssey / Alongside terrible experiences, there are also bright spots

It comes at just the right time. With her new book, "Loan -From the Life of a Phoenix," Schömberg-based author

Isabelle Müller aims to awaken people.

n By Bettina Bausch

Calw-Altburg. »The book about my mother's life is

also an anti-war book. Because in war. the civilians, the women and Children suffer the most, emphasizes the author. And In fact, the book presented in the foyer of the Börlind company made the audience extremely thoughtful, because they

had heard the unusual story of a strong woman who, despite all adversities, became a free,

self-determined life

fought through. The author describes her mother's childhood and youth in a dramatic way

The middle of the last century. The idiosyncratic and rebellious Vietnamese woman

Loan experiences a long and dangerous odyssey through Vietnam, France and Algeria.

According to the arrangement "married"

Even as a child, the girl is

supposed to be, after consultation with their a heartless despot

Author Isabelle Müller (right) answered questions in personal conversations after the reading.

»So everything is clear. As soon as Sister after an escape attempt. "Without a word Cúc is ripe, we arrange

the wedding. I get say, he hit me with the the field and her son Fist in the face, so hard that I fell to the ground. Then also brings us the two he grabbed me by the hair and Pigs," she hears her father say. dragged me into our When he suddenly dies, it is not the mother who has hut," Loan remembers.

> At the age of almost twelve Years ago, the young Girls with consent the mother. Hard

Years in which she has to struggle through life without the support and security of her family.

Time and again,

the exciting reading also historical background like the terrible suffering of the Vietnamese under the French colonial rulers, the Japanese attack in

Second World War and the

Division of Vietnam and later France's war against Algeria. The Away from Isabelle Müller's Mother spends some time Vietnam and later to Algeria and France. In addition bad experiences there are

her difficult life. »It There were also good people who took care of her and her

have helped us further," emphasize the daughter.

Tough fighting about human rights

always bright spots in

Loan married a Frenchman and lived with her family in France. The readings painted the unusual life of

strong woman who followed her liberating path despite all adversities. The listeners knew that

that shows how women's power directly to the city administration. and fights for elementary Human rights finally

can lead to success. Twelve-year-old Claudia

Peter from Neuhengstett accompanied the reading with demanding piano pieces and received thunderous applause. For a long time, a

subsequent drinks still discussed intensively about what they had heard. The proceeds f

The event benefits Oben-Auf, an association dedicated to promoting the arts among children and young people in the region.

n Briefly noted

Nicholas comes to

Workers' Welfare Association

Calw. At the Workers' Welfare Association (AWO) Calw.

Coffee house at Postgasse 2 A meeting will take place this Saturday, December 5, starting at 3 p.m. Visitors are

to sing together and celebrations. For Food and drink are provided. Santa Claus also has his

n reader opinion

A place in the sun

Coming announced.

SUBJECT: Complaints management

The city of Calw has on its Homepage the good facility of the ideas and complaints

managements. Here citizens can express their constructive criticism, their suggestions.

Send suggestions, praise and other information quickly and The Calw City Senior Citizens Council has

of this opportunity in the interest of the Calw senior citizens and seniors have often used it. This

It is about a defective and missing bench in Walkmühlenweg. A friendly employee

the city administration responded promptly. Now there is a Bench in the sun and a

mnthe will be set up as needed. The City Senior Citizens' Council would like to thank the senior citizens for the unbureaucratic and friendly

Thank you for your help. Here it was "only" about a bank, but it is good to know that there is a Suggestions from the public and, if possible. provides quick help.

Christine Kaschützke

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n We congratulate

SIMPLY

Ivan Baki, 70 years old. **NEUWEILER**

Annemarie Beck, Forststraße 8, Hofstett, 75 years old; Gerda Stoll, Mesnergässle 14, Oberkollwangen, 75 years old.

SUNDAY **OSTELSHEIM**

Ursula Kübler, Ostelsheim, 75 years

BAD LIEBENZELL

Helga Harpke, Luchsweg 9, Monakam, 85 years old; Erika Linde, Ginsterweg 9, Bad Liebenzell, 80 years old.

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Pastor in Ostelsheim

Image film for music school

Student project | Cooperation with SRH

n By Annette Selter-Gehring

Calw. For an image film, the six students of the SRH University of Business and Media in Calw in

Framework of an examination paper students for the Calw Music School, they did

only a good grade. At the public presentation in the SRH rewarded the young men and

women for their work

great praise from all sides. Music school director Dieter Haag said: »This image film is for

Not only the

direct proximity between music and university in Calw gives hope for further cooperation. Initial interest in a

Project has already been the national and international well-known Aurelius singer-

boys have been expressed, so Haag, who promotes the creative potential of students and the emphasized the pleasant cooperation.

»At the joint meetings, the

the project together with

the family has the say.

not only good ideas, but always in a good mood." savs Haag, who was pleased that SRH lecturer Simon Heidt, who

Lecturer Eva Waas accompanied the group, and a former Calw music student was also on board. Overall, it is a win-win situation, which, according to Haag, in other areas of city should be used.

Department gains profile

For SRH Director Andreas König, the project was a successful cooperation between the university and regional institutions, »So

must be university," said

King in relation to the linking of

Content and practical implementation. He was enthusiastic

The image film that the students created for the course »Audiovisual Communication« emphasized the head of the department, Thomas Müller, who further cooperation

with the music school hopes because: »Such projects give

the Media Department

Profile.« The tasks of the Students were responsible for planning the film, customer meetings, filming,

the presentation of the work.

In the film, the The diverse offerings of the Calw Music School are presented. Orchestra and instrument training

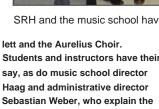
are also presented in impressive sequences and Pictures with surprising

Perspectives shown how Bal-



Students and instructors have their say, as do music school director Haag and administrative director Sebastian Weber, who explain the

through music. With the



of the circle of friends is addressed as well as the Sponsors.

Final word »small in and



Photo: Selter-Gehring big out« it is also shown that the

institution's concept. The work

Personality-building

The effect of the film is of course

music school can have a personality-forming Responsible for the film the students

Marissa Halenke, Jessica

Szabo, Rasina Wedel, Bernhard Zeitler and Kibrom Zereyohannes. Image film via a link

the homepage of the Calw Music School, on the homepage of the SRH Calw and on YouTube.

A word for Saturday

Those who share become rich and not poor

Dear reader,

we Protestants have Legends about saints are certainly a problem for us, but there's one about Saint Nicholas, whom we'll be thinking about tomorrow, that's truly worth considering. It particularly touches me because it expresses profound wisdom.

At the beginning of the fourth century, Nicholas became bishop of the port city of Myra in Asia Minor. One year later, a famine struck the city, and the population lost all courage

Hope. Three imperial ships entered the harbor, fully loaded with grain to be transported onward to Constantinople

People learned that and ran to the harbor. Bishop Nicholas also set out to speak with the captain, but he refused to accept any of the grain.

give, after all it belonged to the emperor and he himself was a loyal, dutiful man.

Bishop Nicholas did not allow

relaxed, he appealed urgently to see the people's suffering and to

What happened? The captain relented and had the grain carried from the ship to the people by the sackful. A miraculous thing happened: The ship was unloaded,

When Pitän finally arrived in Constantinople with the remains of the cargo, not a single sack was missing.

but it didn't get any lighter. And when

Isn't that wonderful? Yes, that's it! And the deep ur-

Christian wisdom contained in this story is this: whoever shares, whoever gives away, whoever



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who is generous will not become poor, but truly rich. Whoever opens his heart to others, to the weaker, to the poor, the sick or those in need, He himself is given a gift. Gifted with joy, gifted with gratitude, gifted with love. Just as a candle does not diminish when its light is shared. so it is with love. Sharing and passing it on makes it shine even brighter.

I wish you a

Happy St. Nicholas Day tomorrow, may your heart be wide, may it give freely and also receive happily!

u Heike Ehmer-Stolch is