Women And The Law Stories
Synopsis
This book examines landmark cases establishing women’s legal rights, offering accounts of the litigants, history, parties, strategies, and theoretical implications. It will enrich any law school course and can serve as a text for a course on women and the law, gender and law, feminist jurisprudence, or women’s studies. This volume utilizes subject areas common to many women and law casebooks: history, constitutional law, reproductive freedom, the workplace, the family, and women in the legal profession. Several chapters explore issues of domestic violence and rape. Visit our author’s webpage, including questions for discussion and suggestions for further reading at http://law.scu.edu/socialjustice/women-and-the-law-stories-book.cfm

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Customer Reviews
The book is a collection of law stories on women issues throughout the 20th Century. Overall, a good collection. My one beef is that there is an overdose on employment law while criminal justice matters basically get no coverage. The early jury case and later ones (with involvement of Ruth Bader Ginsburg), e.g., would have made a good article/comparison. The first article also attempts to
provide a women's angle on a case that is usually cited as a race case. Only somewhat successful. Meanwhile, no early women's rights case in their own light is covered. There are multiple ones, such as Bradwell, so this too is unfortunate.

The book is engaging and eye opening, you don't have to be a radical feminist, the tales are current, and the discussions reveal a lot about women and the relationship with the world.

Great book with really powerful stories. The book came quickly and in perfect condition! I highly recommend the book for people interested in a different perspective behind important cases.

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