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BOOK PRESENTATION

Sunday, December 11, 2011, 3:00 p.m.

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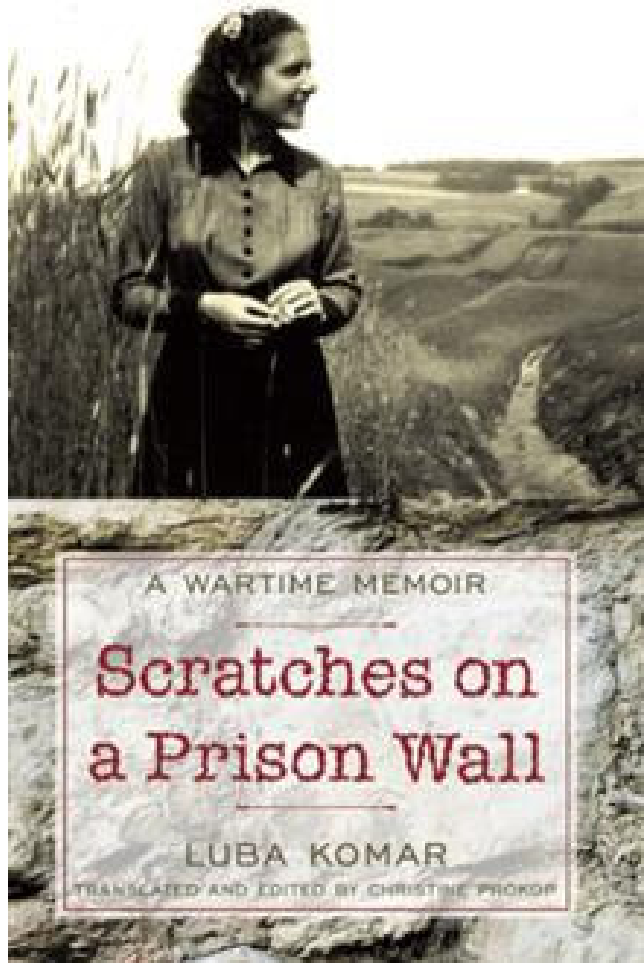
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*A wartime memoir written by Luba
Komar, translated and edited into
English by Christine Prokop.*

**Lida Prokop, Luba Komar's daughter,
will read excerpts of the memoir
and deliver a multimedia presentation
about her mother's experiences.**

Q&A to follow



Luba Komar was imprisoned, tortured and sentenced to death before escaping the Soviets and the Nazis while still a young Ukrainian student. This memoir describes her harrowing World War II experience.

"In this gripping memoir of a young Ukrainian woman's encounter with Communism and Nazism, Luba Komar experiences imprisonment, torture, death row, violence, escape, resistance, and, finally, flight to the West. Throughout, Luba retains her dignity and manifests a quiet heroism-convincingly demonstrating that totalitarianism is ultimately powerless in the face of individuals with the spiritual courage to speak the truth."

-Alexander J. Motyl, Rutgers University-Newark