



Knock 'em Cold, Kid

By Elaine Morgan

Troubador Publishing. Paperback. Book Condition: new. BRAND NEW, Knock 'em Cold, Kid, Elaine Morgan, Knock 'em Cold, Kid is the autobiography of award-winning Welsh writer Elaine Morgan. Born in the Rhondda Valley in 1920, Elaine vividly describes the relationship between her father and mother as they coped with life on the dole. Her grammar school decided to groom her for the Oxford entrance exam and she entered Lady Margaret Hall in 1939. It was a very different world from the one she knew, but she enjoyed the experience. In 1945 she married Morien Morgan, a Welsh schoolmaster and embarked on a full time role of wife and mother when rationing was at its tightest and the housing shortage was acute. After 7 years as a housewife, she claimed some time for herself and took up pen and paper. Initially, the new medium of TV could not coax serious writers to feed it and so Elaine got in at the ground floor and started a prolific career as a TV dramatist. She wrote for programmes such as *How Green Was My Valley* (1975) and *Testament of Youth* (1979), winning two BAFTAs, two Writers' Guild awards, the Prix Italia and the Writer...



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