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Looking for an interesting read to alleviate Pandemic-induced boredom? Fellow author Dr. Raquel Ramsey recently published **TAKING FLIGHT**, a fascinating biography of her distinguished sister-in-law Nadine Ramsey, a pioneering aviatrix whose flew far above and beyond any glass ceiling.

A natural born pilot, Nadine was among the earliest women to fly the U.S. mail; a Women Airforce Service Pilot (WASP) in WW II; the owner/operator of a flying service; a military flight instructor, an air show performer and the only women to personally own and fly a U.S. Army Lockheed P-38 Lightning fighter plane! (shown in photo)

Severely injured in a devastating prewar plane crash, Nadine refused a leg amputation and fought her way back to flight status, then when America entered World War II, served her country ably as a WASP ferry pilot, one of an elite few qualified to fly Uncle Sam's fastest fighters.

TAKING FLIGHT is also an interesting and insightful look at the WASPs - first women to pilot U.S. military aircraft - their training, adventures, tragedies and painful premature termination, followed by a decades-long fight to to win recognition and veteran status.

Order a copy through your local independent bookstore and "take off" with this biography of a lady flier who literally reached for the sky.

