



Plenty Ladylike: A Memoir (Hardback)

By Claire Mccaskill

SIMON SCHUSTER, United States, 2015. Hardback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. The female senator from Missouri shares her inspiring story of embracing her ambition, surviving sexist slings, making a family, losing a husband, outsmarting her enemies and finding joy along the way. Claire McCaskill grew up in a political family, but not at a time that welcomed women with big plans. She earned a law degree and paid her way through school by working as a waitress. By 1982 Claire had set her sights on the Missouri House of Representatives. Typically, one voter whose door she knocked on said: You're too young; your hair is too long; you're a girl. Go find yourself a husband. That door was slammed in her face, but Claire always kept pushing first as a prosecutor of arsonists and rapists and then all the way to the door of a cabal of Missouri politicians who had secret meetings to block her legislation. In this candid, lively, and forthright memoir, Senator McCaskill describes her uphill battle to become who she is today, from her failed first marriage to a Kansas City car dealer the father of...



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