

LA STRADA DA SEGUIRE: THE ROAD TO FOLLOW

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DESCRIPTION In *La Strada da Seguire: The Road to Follow*, Susan Toscan uses fiction — inspired by her own family history — to tell the tale of two seemingly unrelated communities, one in Australia and the other in Italy.

In 1930s Griffith, New South Wales, a family works diligently to build a life on their farm. When Italian migrants move to the town, bringing invaluable knowledge and commitment to hard work, thriving businesses are born. In Italy, barely recovered from the Great War, they now find themselves caught up the inescapable wave of another.

As the Second World War breaks out, the young men from both of these communities are called to service. Life, love and tragedy are all part of this new world, and the members of these communities must now choose between being victims — or survivors.

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SELLING POINTS

+ A deftly woven tale of loss, change and love in the hands of an extremely talented author.

+ Well-written, intelligent, page-turning fiction for the mass market, especially women.



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