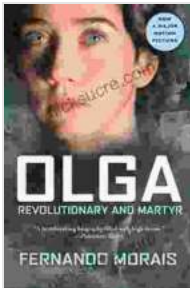


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Olga Constantinovna Ladyzhenskaya, known as Olga Revolutionary And Martyr, was a Russian mathematician who studied and taught at Leningrad University. Her work on partial differential equations is considered groundbreaking and had a significant impact on the field. She was the first woman to be awarded the Fields Medal, the most prestigious award in mathematics.

Early Life and Education

Olga Ladyzhenskaya was born on March 7, 1922, in Kologriv, Russia. Her father was a teacher and her mother was a doctor. Olga showed a talent for mathematics at an early age, and she excelled in her studies. In 1940, she began studying mathematics at Leningrad University.

Olga's studies were interrupted by the outbreak of World War II. She volunteered for the Red Army and served as a nurse. In 1945, she returned to Leningrad University and completed her studies.

Career and Research

After graduating from Leningrad University, Olga Ladyzhenskaya began working as a research mathematician at the Steklov Institute of Mathematics. In 1953, she published her groundbreaking work on partial differential equations. This work had a significant impact on the field and established her as one of the leading mathematicians of her time.

Olga Ladyzhenskaya continued to work on partial differential equations for the rest of her career. She published over 250 papers and wrote several books. Her work has been widely cited and has had a major impact on the field.

Awards and Recognition

Olga Ladyzhenskaya received numerous awards and honors for her work. In 1956, she was awarded the Stalin Prize. In 1990, she was awarded the Lenin Prize. In 2002, she was awarded the Fields Medal, the most prestigious award in mathematics.

Olga Ladyzhenskaya was the first woman to be awarded the Fields Medal. This award is a testament to her outstanding contributions to the field of mathematics.

Personal Life

Olga Ladyzhenskaya was married to Alexei Ivanovich Subbotin, a fellow mathematician. They had two children, a son and a daughter.

Olga Ladyzhenskaya died on January 12, 2004, in St. Petersburg, Russia. She was 81 years old.

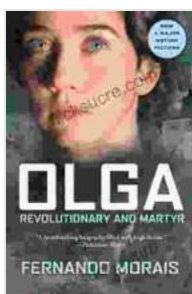
Legacy

Olga Ladyzhenskaya is remembered as one of the greatest mathematicians of the 20th century. Her work on partial differential equations has had a major impact on the field and has been widely cited by other mathematicians.

Olga Ladyzhenskaya is also remembered for her courage and determination. She overcame many obstacles to achieve her goals. She was an inspiration to other women mathematicians and she helped to pave the way for future generations of women in science.

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