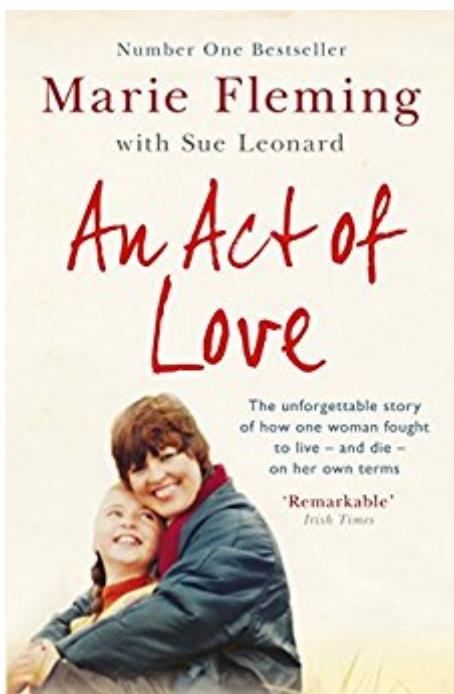


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A remarkable account on the strength of the human spirit and surprisingly well written for someone who is not a professional writer

I found this book so interesting I just could not put it down she was such a strong person it took allot of courage to tell her story.

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