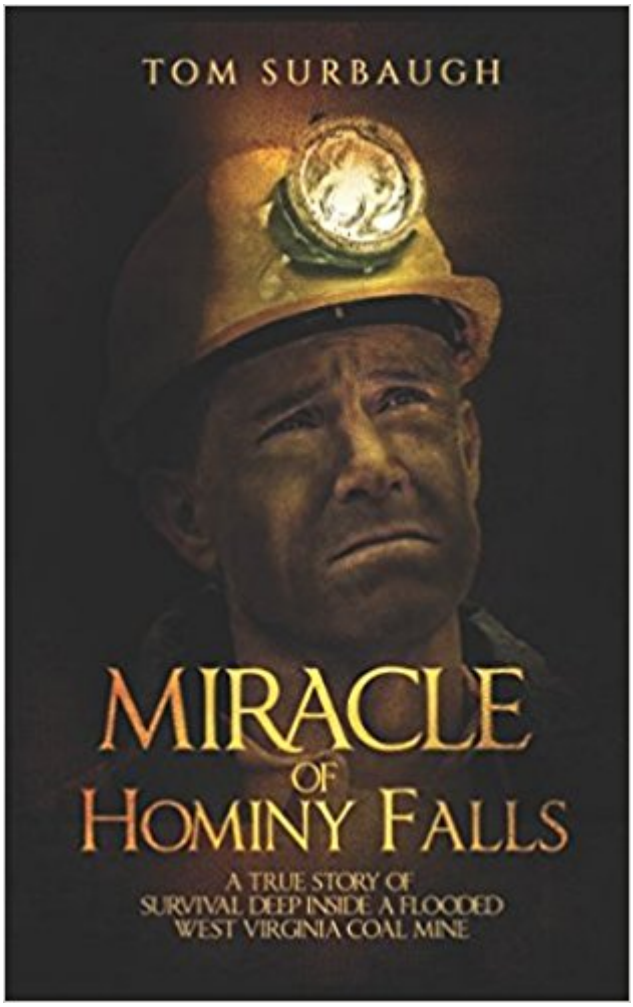
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Synopsis

Miracle of Hominy Falls... The against all odds story of survival during the 1968 Hominy Falls, West Virginia coal mine disaster is told through the hand-written journal of trapped miner John Moore. His daughter Vicki tells of the nearly two weeks of waiting and wondering if they would ever see her father and his co-workers alive after the flooded mine cut them off from the outside and the world. Faith and calm heads prevailed as all but four miners working nearly two miles inside Big Sewell Mountain would eventually make it out alive in what has been described as nothing short of a miracle.

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This book certainly took me down memory lane. I lived within a stone’s throw and was 15 years old when the Hominy Falls mining miracle took place. Two close neighbors were in the mines and lived to tell their stories. The book is well written and a tribute to all who were involved.

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The book was well written. My cousin was one of the miners that survived, Glen Amick of Leivasy WV, The rescue was also at the home place of my husband Patric Seabolt. His mother Ludella Seabolt owned the property where they rescued the miners. I enjoyed the book very much.

I was just a young child when this happened near the home where I was raised. Very good read and it really hit home for me.

Remember it happening...know some of the men personally... awesome telling of the truth

Takes you back in time when family, hard work, community and faith was the norm. All families experience sacrifice, and this story is captured in print so that all can remember. This should be a required educational read for students.

This is a true story that provides good factual information about coal mining, the daily life of a coal miner and the many hazards they may encounter. It's also a story of hope and faith on the part of these men and their families. Well written, well documented, easy read. The story of a mining tragedy, but also educational, uplifting and inspiring.

Great read! Compelling true story detailing the events of the Hominy Falls mine disaster. When many gave up, the community never lost their faith that survival was possible for the lost miners. Well written, gripping and highly educational.

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