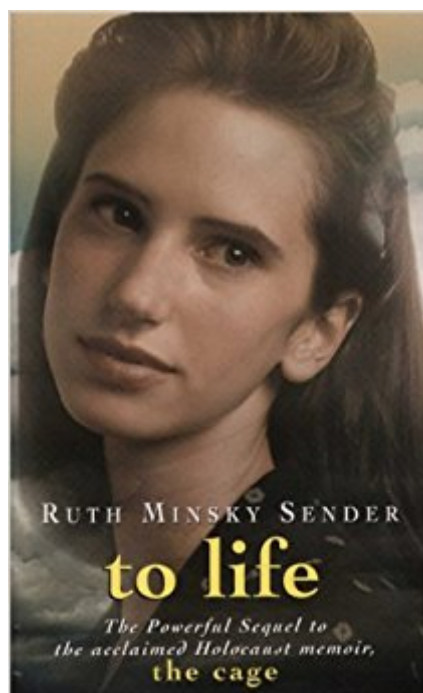


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Grade 6 Up This powerfully written sequel to *The Cage* (Macmillan, 1986) is aptly named. In recounting her experiences following World War II, Sender lays strong emphasis on life, the future, family, and especially children. The most poignant scenes in the book involve children. For all the

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I love this book and the other books written by Ruth Sender (Riva)

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