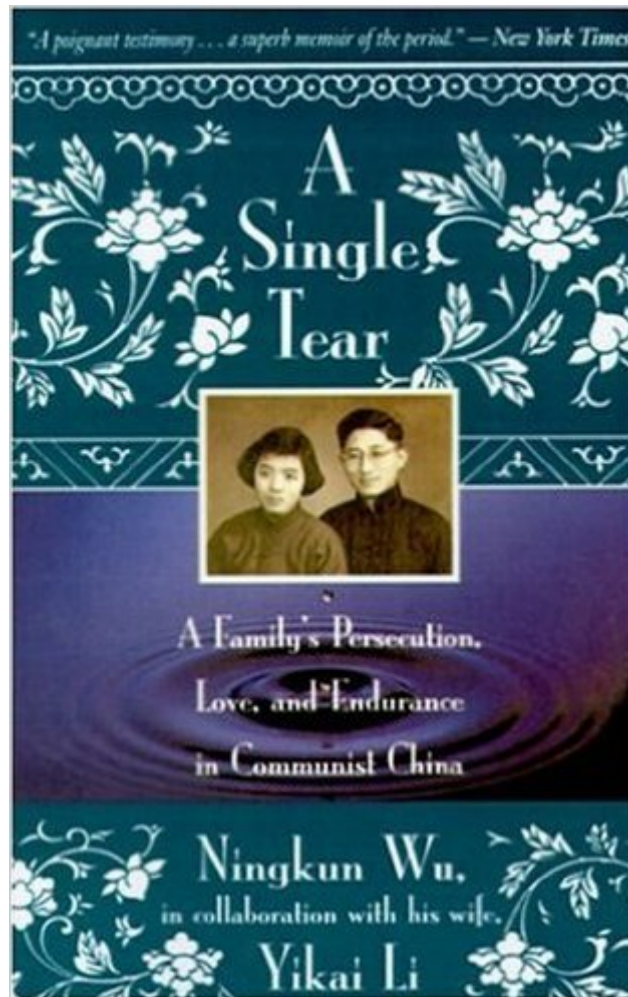


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A Single Tear: A Family's Persecution, Love, And Endurance In Communist China



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