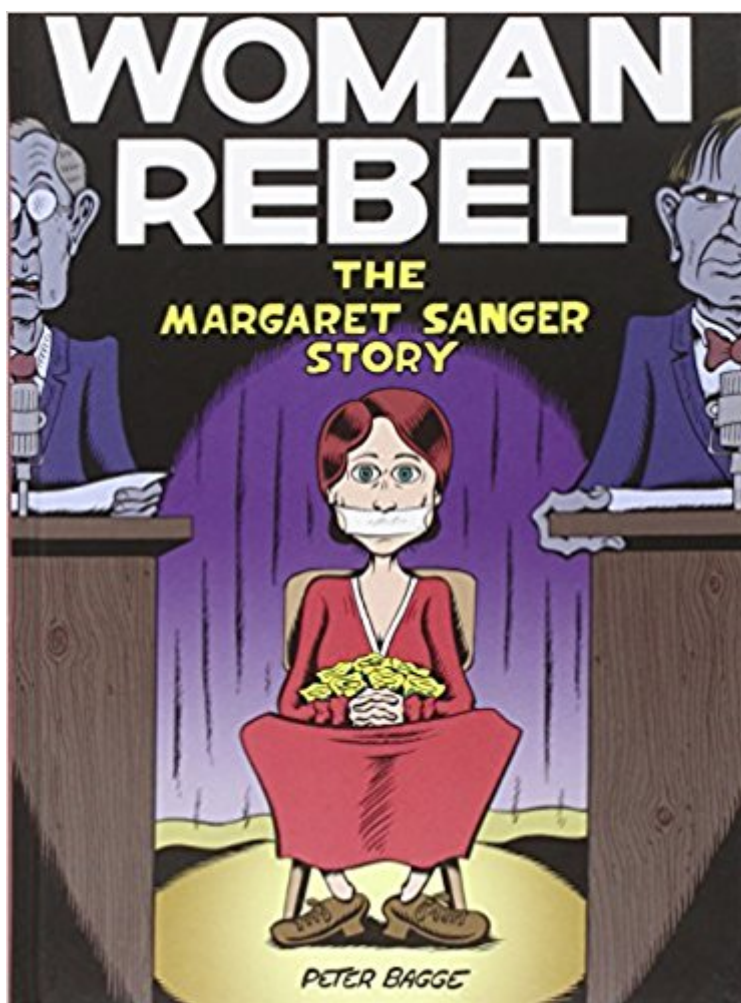


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# Woman Rebel: The Margaret Sanger Story



## Synopsis

The alternative-comics master offers an indelible and idiosyncratic take on the protofeminist "[Woman Rebel] is fine work from an excellent cartoonist and I urge you to jump right in." -Tom Spurgeon of The Comics Reporter, from his introduction Peter Bagge's *Woman Rebel: The Margaret Sanger Story* is a dazzling and accessible biography of the social and political maverick, jam-packed with fact and fun. In his signature cartoony, rubbery style, Bagge presents the life of the birth-control activist, educator, nurse, mother, and protofeminist from her birth in the late nineteenth century to her death after the invention of the birth control pill. Balancing humor and respect, Bagge makes Sanger whole and human, showing how her flaws fueled her fiery activism just as much as her compassionate nature did. Sanger's life takes on a whole new vivacity as Bagge creates a fast-paced portrait of a trailblazer whose legacy as the founder of Planned Parenthood is still incredibly relevant, important, and inspiring.

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Praise for Peter Bagge "Bagge is an indie star, famous for his wonderfully elastic cartooning style and punk-inflected comedies." --Roger Sabin, "The Observer" "Peter Bagge is one of the best comic storytellers ever." --"Vice" "[Woman Rebel] makes for a great read, full of politics, sex, controversy, yelling, feminism, and, of course, history." --"Paste" "I've been reading Peter Bagge's comics since I was 13 years old...So I do not say this lightly: I think Bagge's new biography of Sanger, "Woman Rebel: The Margaret Sanger Story, "is the best work of his career." --"The Stranger" ["Woman

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Peter Bagge is the Harvey Award-winning author of the acclaimed nineties alternative-comic series Hate, starring slacker hero Buddy Bradley, and a regular contributor to Reason magazine. A graduate of the School of Visual Arts in New York City, he got his start in comics in the R. Crumb-edited magazine Weirdo. Bagge lives in Seattle with his wife, Joanne, their daughter, and three cats.

Cool graphic novel of Margaret Sanger's life. Neat graphics. Kinda wish it was longer and the transitions were a bit smoother. It's a bit choppy of a story but it covers her whole life. Biography in graphic novel form.

Love, love, LOVE this book! Margaret Sanger spent her lifetime breaking the rules of societal expectations of what it meant to be a woman, and women now are certainly better off for it. That said, she was no saint, and certainly had missteps along the way. I'm not a big comic book fan, so it surprised me how much I enjoyed this format while reading this. The author CLEARLY did his research. Highly recommend!

I bought two copies - one for me and one for a friend. AMAZING BOOK- very insightful. Peter Bagge has a way of combining insight with humor that is unmatched by any artist!

Love this graphic novel! I read the graphic section through once, and then looked through it again while reading the many historic footnotes in the back. Very thought-provoking and informative. Parts were emotionally difficult to read. I now know 95% more about Margaret Sanger than I did before reading this. I have since lent it to a friend and I hope I get it back!

Well done and so truthful to her story; very cleverly integrated elements of her life not so well known but correct. Captures the whole person, at home and in public.

The visual aspects provide energy to keep reading when normally, with just words, i would dose

off. The story is gripping.

I always love Pete Bagge. This was a very informative page turner that I can't wait to read again. Thanks.

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