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Saturday, November 9, 2013  
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**AuthorSpeak**

where readers and authors meet and talk on recently published books.

**Mahru Ghashghaei**  
**Susan Snyder**



Susan Snyder and Mahru Ghashghaei

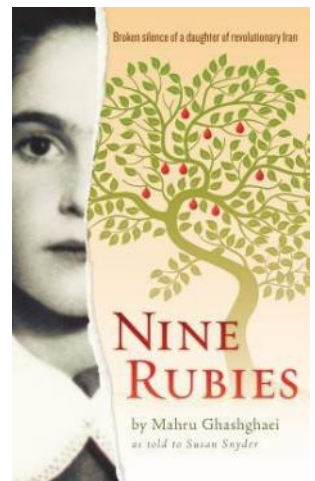
***Iranian Women***  
***Yesterday and Today***

Discover active women in Iran today: musicians, actors, writers, swimmers, activists – their lives and challenges - through the eyes of a heroic Iranian American and her co-writer.

Mahru Ghashghaei and Susan Snyder are our messengers to share past and present stories of triumph and challenge in Iran, and how Persian/ Iranian women continue to push forward to establish performance, athletic, academic and social equality in Iran and the world.

Mahru Ghashghaei, an Iranian Muslim nurse and counselor authored *Nine Rubies* with co-writer Susan Snyder an American Jewish educator, writer and entrepreneur.

It is a story of her universal, yet personal, recollections, each a metaphor for a larger human struggle for food and shelter, contentment, love, belonging, power, and self-determination .



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