

HURA Hosts an Afternoon Conversation with Mystery Author Leta Serafim

Tuesday, October 11, 2016, 2:00-5:00 p.m.
The Living Room at Phillips Brooks House, Harvard Yard
Registration deadline is October 4, 2016.

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The Harvard University Retirees Association will host an afternoon conversation with mystery novelist Leta Serafim, who will share the alluring aspects of the Greek culture on which her work is based. Ms. Serafim is the author of the Greek Island Mystery series: *The Devil Takes Half*, *When The Devil's Idle*, and the World War II historical novel, *To Look on Death No More*.

Leta Serafim was born in Wisconsin, spent the first years of her life in San Diego, before moving to Washington, D.C. when NASA was created and her father went to work for that agency. She



attended Wells College in upstate New York for two years before transferring to George Washington University in Washington, DC, where she graduated with a degree in political science and Russian studies. She worked at the *Washington Post* while in college, writing obituaries and doing research for the national desk, before leaving to join the staff of the *Los Angeles Times* Washington Bureau. Following her marriage to

a Greek national, Philip Serafim, she moved to Athens where she was immersed in the Greek culture, taught art, and gave birth to two daughters, Amalia and Annie. Upon her return to the United States, she wrote feature stories for the *Boston Globe* before trying her hand at fiction with the Greek culture and history at its center.

There is no charge for this event, but registration is required. Limited free parking is available at the Broadway Parking garage. Please send your registration form to Margaret Carayannopoulos, 75 Villagewood Drive, Burlington, MA 01803; or register by email to margaretc15@comcast.net.

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