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Hedi Wyss

Swiss writer and journalist

Birthday: October 17, 1940, Bern
Nation: Switzerland

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origin

Hedwig Elisabeth (Hedi) Wyss was born on October 17, 1940 as the daughter of the businessman Hans Wyss in Bern, where she grew up. The native and dialect poet Peter Halter is one of her ancestors on her mother's side. Her brother, Hansjörg Wyss, former CEO and owner of Synthas, is known as a patron of nature conservation, art and social matters on a large scale, especially in the USA. Her sister Susi Berger-Wyss is an artist, graphic artist, and designer and, together with her husband, the well-known Bernese artist Ueli Berger († 2008), has designed a wide range of works in public spaces.

training

Hedi Wyss attended the seminar for teachers and after completing her primary and secondary teacher diploma at the University of Bern, she continued studying German, Romance studies, art history and other things that interested her for a few more semesters.

Act

In 1965 W. became an editorial assistant on the culture section of the "Bund" Bern, and in 1966 editor for culture at the magazine "die Frau". She has been a freelance journalist and writer since 1969.

As a journalist, W. worked for various media, including ...

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