

# The Australian Women's Register

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**Entry type:** Person  
**Entry ID:** AWE3679

## Dark, Eleanor

(1901 - 1985)

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<b>Born</b>	26 August, 1901, Burwood, Sydney New South Wales Australia
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<b>Died</b>	1 September, 1985
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<b>Occupation</b>	Novelist
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### Summary

Eleanor Dark wrote for the *Australian Women's Mirror* and the *Bulletin* under the pseudonym of 'P.O'R': Pixie O'Reilly or Patricia O'Rane. Under her married name, she published *Slow Dawning* (1932), *Prelude to Christopher* (1934), *Return to Coolami* (1936), *Sun Across the Sky* (1937), *Waterway* (1938), *The Timeless Land* (1941), *The Little Company* (1945), *Storm of Time* (1948) and *No Barrier* (1953).

### Published resources

#### Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

#### Edited Book

200 Australian Women: A Redress Anthology, Radi, Heather, 1988

#### Journal Article

Eleanor Dark: Retrospective, Modjeska, Drusilla, 1986

#### Book

No Barrier, Dark, Eleanor, 1953

Lantana Lane, Dark, Eleanor, 1959

The Little Company, Dark, Eleanor, 1945

Prelude to Christopher, Dark, Eleanor, 1936

Return to Coolami, Dark, Eleanor, 1935

Slow Dawning, Dark, Eleanor, 1932

Storm of Time, Dark, Eleanor, 1948

Sun Across the Sky, Dark, Eleanor, 1937

The Timeless Land, Dark, Eleanor, 1946

Waterway, Dark, Eleanor, 1938

#### Resource Section

Dark, Eleanor (1901 - 1985), Wyndham, Marivic, 2006,  
<http://www.adb.online.anu.edu.au/biogs/A170295b.htm>

## Archival resources

### **National Library of Australia, Manuscript Collection**

Papers of Eleanor Dark, 1910-1974 [manuscript]

Papers of Hazel de Berg, 1959-1963 [manuscript]

### **Mitchell and Dixson Libraries Manuscripts Collection**

[Collection of pamphlets containing souvenir concert programmes and Australian biographies.]

### **State Library of New South Wales**

Eleanor Dark - papers, 1849-1980

### **Author Details**

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