



## Life in the News

By Tony Parsons

Harbour Publishing. Hardback. Book Condition: new. BRAND NEW, Life in the News, Tony Parsons, To say that Tony Parsons is a household name and that his is one of the most recognisable faces in BC are almost understatements. Having served over 35 years as anchor of the "News Hour", the province's most popular television news program, Parsons is a virtual member of millions of BC families. Many British Columbians really don't believe a thing until they have heard Tony say it. In his first book Tony Parsons tells his own story, beginning in England during the London blitz and moving to small-town Ontario where his alcoholic father left his mother to raise six children on her own. He was set on his 50-year broadcasting career by a high school teacher who liked the way he read in class, and endured long years of low-power country radio stations before breaking into big-time television with CFTO in Toronto, where he became news anchor in Canada's biggest market. By the early 1970s he'd had enough of Toronto and gave up his prestigious position to move to Vancouver as a reporter for CTV, developing a taste for offbeat stories. In 1973 BCTV (now Global...



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