



## American Spy: My Secret History in the CIA, Watergate and Beyond (Hardback)

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By E. Howard Hunt, Greg Aunapu

Turner Publishing Company, United States, 2007. Hardback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 160 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.A legendary CIA operative and central figure in the Watergate scandal at last tells his story. World War II covert agent E. Howard Hunt joined the CIA soon after its inception, becoming one of its most valuable operatives until his retirement in 1970. He blazed a trail for the agency in Latin America, helping to orchestrate the successful 1954 coup in Guatemala as well as the 1961 Bay of Pigs invasion of Cuba, which ended in disaster after an ill-fated decision by President John F. Kennedy. During the Nixon administration, he worked with the White House Special Investigations Unit (aka the plumbers). In the aftermath of the Pentagon Papers leak, he masterminded the burglary of Daniel Ellsberg's psychiatrist's office in 1971, and, with G. Gordon Liddy, he organized the break-in at the Democratic National Committee's Watergate headquarters in 1972. Hunt was ultimately convicted of burglary, conspiracy, and wiretapping and served 33 months in prison.



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