Record Nr. UNINA9910367621403321 Autore Janiewski Dolores E. Titolo Sisterhood Denied: Race, Gender, and Class in a New South Community // Dolores E. Janiewski Philadelphia, Pennsylvania:,: Temple University Press,, 1985 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-4399-1788-4 1 online resource (xvii, 248 pages): illustrations Descrizione fisica Disciplina 305.4209756563 Soggetti Women textile workers Women tobacco workers Social conditions Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Foreword / LaGuana K. Gray -- Intentions -- Making factories without Nota di contenuto walls -- In the fields -- The human harvest -- Capitalists and patriarchs -- In the factory -- The other workplace -- Beyond the fragments. Sommario/riassunto The field of women's history was flourishing in the 1980s, encouraging the study of more and more aspects of women's lives, including their paid labor. In 1985 Dolores Janiewski's Sisterhood Denied: Race, Gender, and Class in a New South Community joined the ranks of books devoted to the study of women's work and its contribution to the wealth of their communities. Her study of Durham, North Carolina and her focused analysis of the work of both black and white southern women in particular makes Sisterhood Denied a classic of southern labor history and women's history. Janiewski examined how a "new," industrial South was built in part on women's labor, explored women's lives at the intersections, and analyzed the potential for and disconnect in women's relationships with labor unions, leaving a path for future

scholars of southern women workers to follow.