

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910828455403321
Autore	Adler Nanci
Titolo	Keeping faith with the Party [[electronic resource]] : Communist believers return from the Gulag / / Nanci Adler
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Bloomington, : Indiana University Press, c2012
ISBN	1-280-12583-7 9786613529695 0-253-00571-X
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (259 p.)
Disciplina	364.80947
Soggetti	Ex-convicts - Soviet Union Ex-convicts - Soviet Union - Attitudes Allegiance - Soviet Union Political persecution - Soviet Union Labor camps - Soviet Union Communism - Soviet Union - Psychological aspects
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Introduction: enduring repression -- The Gulag prisoner and the Bolshevik soul -- Reconciling the self with the system -- Beyond belief: party identification and the "bright future" -- Striving for a "happy ending": attempts to rehabilitate socialism -- The legacies of the repression -- Epilogue: the "bright past," or whose (hi)story?.
Sommario/riassunto	How is it that some prisoners of the Soviet gulag-many of them falsely convicted-emerged from the camps maintaining their loyalty to the party that was responsible for their internment? In camp, they had struggled to survive. Afterward they struggled to reintegrate with society, reunite with their loved ones, and sometimes renew Party ties. Based on oral histories, archives, and unpublished memoirs, Keeping Faith with the Party chronicles the stories of returnees who professed enduring belief in the CPSU and the Communist project. Nanci Adler's probing investigation brings a deeper understa