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Widow adds to a best-seller to expose lies and cover-ups

Co-author of a controversial best-seller on the RAF, Susan Phoenix lives in Spain and has written an explosive new chapter exposing a 'miscarriage of justice'. Nicole Hallett reports.

Tell us about the 1996 best-seller 'Phoenix, Policing the Shadows':

I wrote it with Jack Holland, a former Northern Ireland and now New York journalist. Already sold 90,000 copies, and now available on Kindle, it's about the Northern Ireland troubles. A love story and a tragedy, with 29 men losing their lives when the RAF Chinook crashed in 1994 over the Mull of Kintyre.

What makes the new chapter 'explosive'?

It illustrates the UK's Ministry of Defence lack of ethics. Senior aviation experts were ignored but in 2011 the government was caught out in half truths, lies and media cover ups.

Current job?

As a doctor of psychology I run several 'energy medicine' workshops. The next will be 'A Matter of Life and Death'. www.susanphoenix.com.

Previous jobs?

Psychologist for the deaf.

Fondest memory?

I took a photo of my pilot son's aura with an electromagnetic camera. He's a sceptic but we were both shocked to see a white column of light within his aura. He said, "That'll be Dad won't it? I feel him beside me in the cockpit when I fly into Iraq." This has given hope to many people because it shows the soul continues after the physical body dies.

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Vital Statistics

- Originally from: Peterborough, England
- Lives: Near Estepona, Costa del Sol.
- Age: 63
- Status: Widow, two children
- Hobbies: Reading and walking
- In Spain: Eight years
- Best thing about Spain: Sea and mountains.
- Worst: Dishonesty and lack of integrity.
- Always in fridge: Good wine