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Marilyn June Coffey, a Nebraska native, lived for 30 years in New York City. While there, her controversial novel *Marcella* broke a world record for frankness and her wry poem “Pricksong” won a national prize. Now an internationally published author, Coffey lives in Omaha with a feisty orange cat and an undisciplined garden. She writes history books. *Atlantic* featured her *Great Plains Patchwork* on its cover and again on-line. Amazon and Kindle named Coffey’s *Mail-Order Kid* best sellers. Amazon called her *Thieves, Rascals & Sore Losers* a best history book. Coffey’s latest—*That Punk Jimmy Hoffa!*—details her trucker father’s clash with the Teamsters.