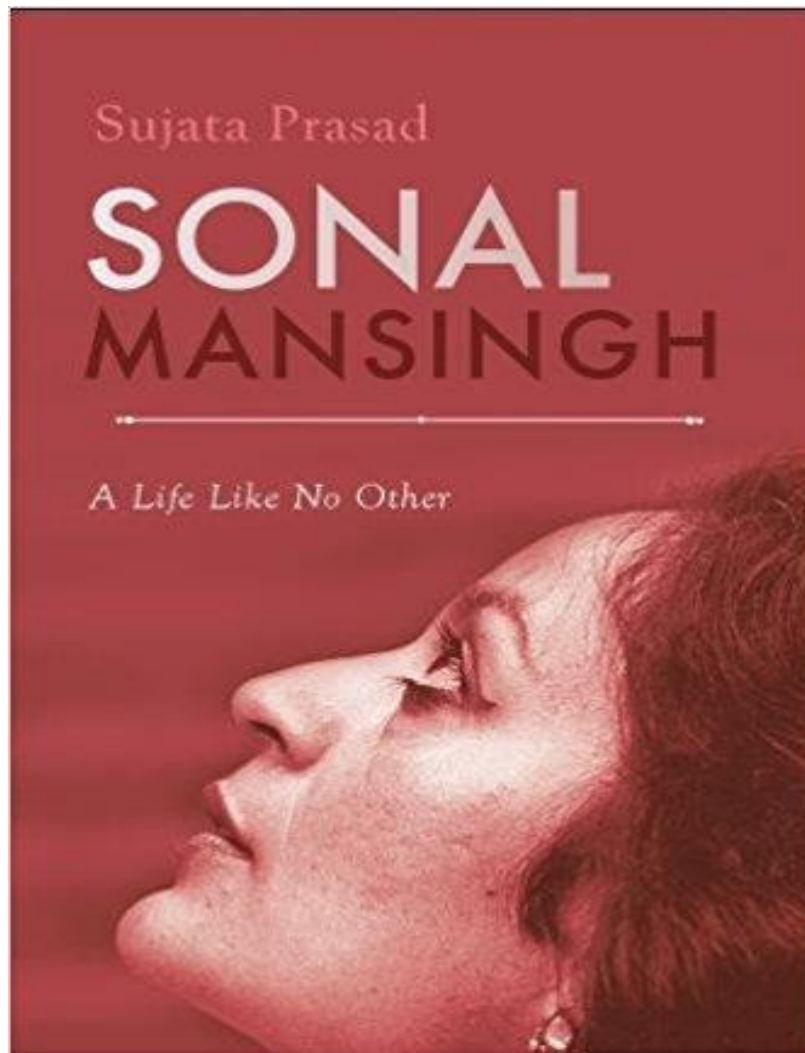


Sonal Mansingh: A Life Like No Other



The book 'Sonal Mansingh: A Life Like No Other' is the biography of Sonal Mansingh. She has lived a charmed life, her passion for dance challenged only by her passion for life. This book attempts to understand the woman and the artist behind the celebrated personality. What begins is a portrait of a beautiful, passionate woman who was perhaps years ahead of her time, whose life has been as tumultuous as it has been path-breaking, as fascinating as it has been heartbreaking.

Sonal Mansingh is widely adored, not just as a classical dancer with a legacy that spans three dance forms—Bharatanatyam, Odissi and Chhau—but also as an exemplary choreographer, teacher, composer, scholar with immense knowledge of the classical arts, and above all, a true friend. As a result, this book is as much about the contemporary history of India’s classical arts as it is a deeply personal biography.

