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**Patricia Highsmith** (1921-1995)

(Crime fiction writer, b. Fort Worth, Texas; st. Barnard College; lesbian, lived many years in Switzerland and France; mostly ignored in US in spite of early success of *Strangers on a Train;* O. Henry Memorial Award, Edgar Allan Poe Award, Grand Prix de la Littérature Policière, Award of the Crime Writers' Association of Great Britain; d. Switzerland*)*

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