



THE CORINTHIAN YACHT CLUB OF PHILADELPHIA

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INFERNO at SEA

*Stories of Death and Survival
Aboard the Morro Castle*

Gretchen F. Coyle and Deborah C. Whitcraft



5:30 PM - Cocktails
& Hors d'Oeuvres

6:30 PM – Buffet of
Cuban/ Cruise line
fair

Speakers to Follow

\$30 per person

Books will be
available for
purchase and
signing



Wednesday,
September 21st
Speaker Series

Sailing back to New York from exotic, anything-goes Cuba in September 1934, the luxurious cruise ship *Morro Castle* was filled with passengers finding an escape from the Great Depression. But after the parties ended and guests were packing their belongings, preparing for arrival the next morning, the ship became a scene of panic as a raging fire quickly spread, killing 137, and sending most everyone overboard.

Co-authors Gretchen F. Coyle and Deborah C. Whitcraft are the first authors to tell the human side of the tragedy, the life stories of Americans and Cubans, passengers and crew members. They did intensive research and interviews in New Jersey, Cuba, and Miami. **Come hear their engaging presentation and stories.**

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