

Sleeping Arrangements Madeleine Wickham

Chloe, haar man Philip en de kinderen mogen een week logeren in de vakantievilla van Chloe's rijke vriend Gerard in Spanje - perfect. Hugh, zijn echtgenote Amanda en de kinderen accepteren dankbaar eenzelfde aanbod van Hughs oude vriend Gerard - perfect. Wanneer de afzonderlijke families na een vermoeiende reis op hun bestemming arriveren wacht hen een schok. Er is dubbel geboekt! Het dreigt een ongemakkelijke week te worden. En spoedig bereiken de spanningen in de hitte van de Spaanse zon het kookpunt. Tot overmaat van ramp begint het erop te lijken dat Gerard heel goed wist wat hij deed...

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Struggling with two mortgages when their former house does not sell, Liz and Jonathan are encouraged by a charismatic realtor to rent the house to a London couple, an arrangement that is complicated by extramarital desires and Liz and Jonathan's troubledteen daughter's obsession with the tenants.

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Kendra Tamale is just looking for a room to rent. Instead, she finds a young family that seems to need her, at least for a while. Roxanne: glamorous, self-confident, with a secret lover -- a married man Maggie: capable and high-achieving, until she finds the one thing she can't cope with -- motherhood Candice: honest, decent, or so she believes -- until a ghost from her past turns up At the first of every month, when the office has reached its pinnacle of hysteria, Maggie, Roxanne, and Candice meet at London's swankiest bar for an evening of cocktails and gossip. Here, they chat about what's new at The Londoner, the glossy fashion magazine where they all work, and everything else that's going on in their lives. Or almost everything. Beneath the girl talk and the laughter, each of the three has a secret. And when a chance encounter at the cocktail bar sets in motion an extraordinary chain of events, each one will find their biggest secret revealed. In Cocktails for Three, Madeleine Wickham combines her trademark humor with remarkable insight to create an edgy, romantic tale of secrets, strangers, and a splash of scandal.

The Secret Is Out! Madeleine Wickham is Sophie Kinsella, and The Gatecrasher is just as delicious as her internationally bestselling Shopaholic series. Everything's coming up roses for Fleur Daxeny, as she goes through more rich men than she does designer hats. Beautiful and utterly irresistible, her success at crashing funerals to find wealthy men is remarkable. Fleur wastes no time in seducing her latest conquest, the handsome and rich widower Richard Favour. His children are caught up in a whirlwind as their father's new girlfriend descends on the family estate. Fleur is not one to wear her heart on her Chanel sleeves, but she soon finds herself embracing Richard and his family. But just as Fleur contemplates jumping off the gold-digger train for good, a long-buried secret from her past threatens to destroy her new family. Take a wild and marvelous ride with The Gatecrasher, whose clever, chic, and sassy style will leave you desperately wanting more wonderful Wickham!

Simplified Chinese edition of Where the Mountain Meets the Moon

After an emergency police call from a lake house on Wisconsin's Lake Mondac, Deputy Brynn drives up to the deserted lake in search of answers. There, Brynn uncovers not only a gruesome murder, but a terrified witness to the murder, city-girl Michelle. And thus, a heart-pounding chase through the Wisconsin wilderness commences as the murderers pursue Brynn and Michelle, who must learn to trust each other if they want to survive.

Chloe behöver verkligen semester. Hon är så trött på att sy bröllopsklänningar och hennes man är deprimerad efter neddragningar på företaget där han jobbar. Då erbjuder hennes rike vän Gerard att låna ut sitt sommarhus i Spanien – perfekt! Hugh är olycklig. Hans fru ägnar sig åt shopping och renovering och han får arbeta hårt för att ha råd med allt. Han har nästan aldrig tid att umgås med sina barn och känner dem inte alls. Sådan tur att hans vän Gerard har erbjudit dem att låna ett hus i Spanien så att han kan vila ut. Båda familjerna anländer till sommarhuset och får en chock. Gerard har dubbelbokat dem. Besvärat försöker de komma överens, men spänningarna stiger i värmeböljan. Vem får ihop det med vem och vilka har ett förflutet tillsammans?

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Swimming Pool Sunday by Sophie Kinsella, writing as Madeleine Wickham One shimmeringly hot Sunday in May, the Delaneys open their pool to the whole village for charity. Louise is there with her daughters, and while the children splash and shriek in the cool blue waters, she basks in the sunshine, attempting to ignore her estranged husband and dreaming of the new man in her life, a charismatic lawyer. The day seems perfect. Then a sudden and shocking accident changes everyone's lives forever. Recriminations start to fly. Whose fault was it? Louise's new lover insists that she sues the Delaneys. Her ex-husband isn't so sure. Opinion in the village is split. Old friendships start to crumble. New ones are formed. Will the repercussions from the accident ever end? "A fine entertainment."- The Times

Representing a broad range of ethnic diversity, these in-depth profiles present fascinating accounts of lives and careers, the circumstances under which works were produced, and their literary significance. Each profile also includes critical evaluation, a list of the author's principal works with date first published, a list of major critical works, and a portrait or photograph where available. Traditional Chinese edition of Last Night at Chateau Marmont by The Devil Wears Prada author Lauren Weisberger. In Traditional Chinese. Distributed by Tsai Fong Books, Inc.

Chloe needs a holiday. She's sick of making wedding dresses and her partner Philip has trouble at work. Her wealthy friend Gerard has offered the loan of his luxury villa in Spain - perfect... Hugh is not a happy man. His immaculate wife Amanda seems more interested in the granite for the new kitchen than in him. But his old schoolfriend Gerard has lent them a luxury villa in Spain - perfect. Both families arrive at the villa and get a shock: Gerard has double-booked! An uneasy week of sharing begins, and tensions soon mount in the soaring heat.

Offering a fresh perspective on women's fiction for a broad reading audience—fans as well as librarians—this book defines and maps the genre, and describes hundreds of relevant titles.

Traditional Chinese edition of *Twenties Girl* by Sophia Kinsella of the shopaholic series fame. However, this is not a shopaholic novel. It's a ghost novel set in the present about friendship between a ghost from the 1920's and a girl of the 21st century. In Traditional Chinese. Distributed by Tsai Fong Books, Inc.

At the age of eighteen, in that first golden Oxford summer, Milly was up for anything. Rupert and his American lover, Allan, were an important part of her new, exciting life, so when Rupert suggested to her that she and Allan should get married to keep Allan in the country, Milly didn't hesitate. Ten years later, Milly is a very different person and engaged to Simon—who is wealthy, serious, and believes her to be perfect. Milly's secret history is locked away so securely she has almost persuaded herself that it doesn't exist—until, only four days before her elaborate wedding. To have and to hold takes on a whole new meaning when one bride's past catches up with her and bring the present crashing down. With her trademark style of keen insight, and razor sharp wit, Madeleine Wickham introduces her fanatical fan-base, plus a host of new readers to a fresh and irresistible heroine in *The Wedding Girl*.

Provides timely and informative profiles of the world's most interesting people.

Cocktails for Three: Each month, three staffers of glamorous magazine *The Londoner* gather at a nearby lounge for an evening of cocktails and gossip. One April evening, Maggie relishes her last weeks of normalcy before the birth of her first child, while Roxanne breezes through between glamorous foreign assignments. But Candice's chance encounter with a girl from her past reveals secret depths in the clean-scrubbed reporter, and the events that follow have permanent repercussions for the trio. With the graceful storytelling and dark humor that have made her books beloved international bestsellers, Wickham introduces a trio of irrepressibly charming women whose adventures will keep readers riveted through the last page. *The Wedding Girl*: Milly is engaged to Simon - who is wealthy, serious, and believes her to be perfect. Now she is facing the biggest and most elaborate wedding imaginable. Her mother has it planned to the finest detail. But Milly also has a secret that could jeopardize everything. It's been hidden away so long she has almost persuaded herself that it doesn't exist - until, with only four days to go, her past catches up with her. With her trademark humor and remarkable insight, Madeleine Wickham requests our attendance to this wry and insightful comedy about modern marriage.

Traditional Chinese edition of *The Kill Room* by Jeffery Deaver. Investigating the assassination of a US citizen, the investigative team of Lincoln Rhyme and Amelia Sachs discover there is more at play, and their lives are also in grave danger. In Traditional Chinese. Annotation copyright Tsai Fong Books, Inc. Distributed by Tsai Fong Books, Inc.

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Everyone wins this game of literary tennis, a comedy of manners about envy in which Wickham skewers the nouveau riche. At their country estate, Patrick Chance and his wife host a weekend tennis party. As four couples gather on the sunny terrace, it seems obvious who among them is succeeding, and who is falling behind. But by the end of the party, nothing will be quite as certain. While the couples' children amuse themselves with pony rides and rehearsals for a play, the adults suffer a series of personal revelations and crises. Wickham's nonstop action reveals at every turn that matters may not be as they seem, and in the end one thing is crystal clear: the weekend is about anything but tennis.

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