



Devotion: A Rat Story (Hardback)

By Maile Meloy

Riverhead Books, 2015. Hardback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book. From one of the most popular and acclaimed story writers of her generation, a single-volume short story from the author of 2017's *Do Not Become Alarmed*, a beautifully packaged palm-sized gift book. That the yellow house was thrillingly affordable might have been a warning sign, if Eleanor had known how to read it. But she'd been desperate. She was sharing a room with her four-year-old daughter, Hattie, in her parents' house, and she had to get out. From the award-winning novelist and short story writer Maile Meloy, *Devotion: A Rat Story* is an exquisitely unsettling tale about a young single mother whose new home becomes a kind of nightmare she must resolve on her own. Eleanor is in such a rush to move away from her parents that she allows an imperious realtor to rush her to close on the too-good-to-be-true home without an inspection. Shortly after the house becomes legally hers with every cent and all of her pride and future tied up in the property, the giant rats show themselves. In the yard, in the kitchen, on her daughter's bed. A walk around the block...



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