

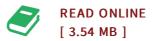




Night and Day (Paperback)

By Virginia Woolf

Read Books, United Kingdom, 2011. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 142 x 112 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Night and Day was Virginia Woolf s second novel and it has been overlooked by critics and readers in favor of her more experimental works. It is important for its treatment of women and modernity, in the city, in politics and in the workplace. It is a novel about social transition. Set before the First World War, but written after the war, Woolf hints at the sense of chaos and relativism which the war will bring about. The novel looks backwards as well as forwards. Katharine and her mother are engaged in the seemingly never-ending project of writing the biography of poet Richard Alardyce, Katharine s maternal grandfather. Woolf depicts the Victorian fetish for great men. As Ralph Denham, Katharine s eventual fiance, says, I hate great men. The worship of greatness in the nineteenth century seems to me to explain the worthlessness of that generation. His middleclass family in Highgate boasts no such great figures, and the cross-class relationship between Ralph and Katharine is a sign of the novel s modernity. Katherine is harnessed to...



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