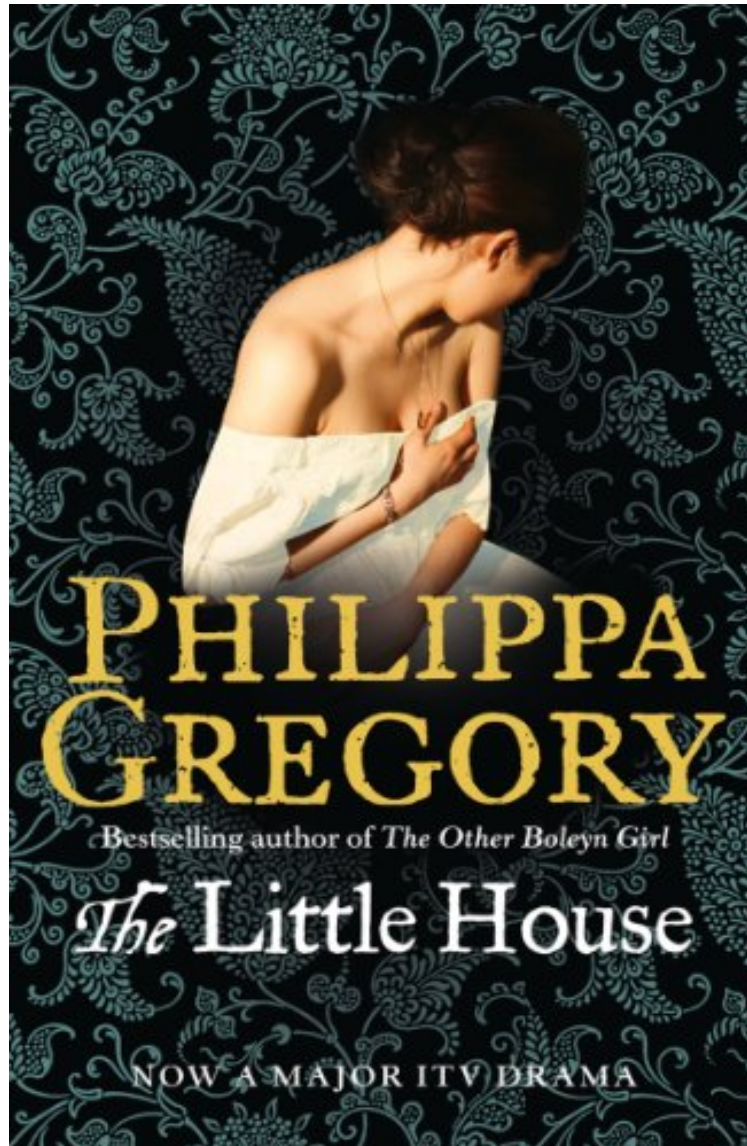


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Von Philippa Gregory : The Little House before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Little House:

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. loved it!Von Ein KundeThis book starts off as a sweet little relationship read, of an adopted woman, Ruth trying to get accepted into her in-laws' family. Unfortunately the mother-in-law has such lofty standards that no-one, besides herself is really good enough for her son and the daughter-in-law has no hopes of attaining them.The baby comes along, and

Ruth is just in the way then; as her mother-in-law literally casts her aside leaving Ruth to feel inadequate as an inexperienced mother, rather than being encouraged. RUTH FIGHTS BACK! Totally dependant, financially and mentally, Ruth sees that there's only one way to claim her space in the family and sets out to grasp it! The conclusion is brilliant, and leaves you mulling over the story line, long after you've finished reading it! 1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A frightening look at relationships in the modern day Von Ein Kunde The Little House is definitely scary. Even the people you root for in this book will frighten you with the things they do. The story starts out seeming simple enough. Ruth is married to Patrick. Ruth is a dedicated journalist, and does not want any children. However both her domineering husband and strong willed in laws are determined that she should have a baby - and soon. Ruth becomes pregnant, loses her job, and goes to live in the little house at the foot of her in laws driveway. Soon enough she finds herself in danger of losing her husband, her baby, and even her sanity to her demanding in laws. This is a book that WILL keep you up until the wee hours... and the ending will certainly give you a lot to think about it, even if it frustrates you (it certainly frustrated me!) Strongly reccomended! 1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A great storyline! Von Ein Kunde I found that I could not put this book down! Ms. Gregory's storytelling is wonderful and witty. I have never "talked back" to a book before, but The Little House was the exception; I was so caught up in the story. The ending was a little rough, but in my eyes, it was satisfying!

Kurzbeschreibung A contemporary psychological thriller in the style of Ruth Rendell, from one of today's most versatile and compelling storytellers. It was easy for Elizabeth. She married the man she loved, bore him two children and made a home for him which was the envy of their friends. It was harder for Ruth. She married Elizabeth's son and then found that, somehow, she could never quite measure up. Isolation, deceit and betrayal fill the gaps between the two individual women and between their different worlds. In this complex thriller, Philippa Gregory deploys all her insight into what women want and what women fear, as Ruth confronts the shifting borders of her own sanity. Laying bare the comfortable conventions of rural England, this spine-tingling novel pulses with suspense until the whiplash double-twist of the denouement. Pressestimmen 'Fiendishly plotted! this is Gregory at her most convincing. Sunday lunch with the in-laws will never be the same again' Cosmopolitan 'Insidiously gripping' Independent 'An excellent book! races along, raising all kinds of intriguing questions' Radio 4 Kaleidoscope 'Brilliant psychological chiller! utterly, nail-nibblingly plausible. You will relish its explosive climax and be gripped through to its final superb double-twist finish' Val Hennessy, Daily Mail Kurzbeschreibung A contemporary psychological thriller in the style of Ruth Rendell, from one of today's most versatile and compelling storytellers. It was easy for Elizabeth. She married the man she loved, bore him two children and made a home for him which was the envy of their friends. It was harder for Ruth. She married Elizabeth's son and then found that, somehow, she could never quite measure up. Isolation, deceit and betrayal fill the gaps between the two individual women and between their different worlds. In this complex thriller, Philippa Gregory deploys all her insight into what women want and what women fear, as Ruth confronts the shifting borders of her own sanity. Laying bare the comfortable conventions of rural England, this spine-tingling novel pulses with suspense until the whiplash double-twist of the denouement.