

The House I Loved

TATIANA DE ROSNAY

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FROM THE AUTHOR OF THE *NEW YORK TIMES* BESTSELLING NOVELS *SARAH'S KEY* AND *A SECRET KEPT* COMES AN ABSORBING NEW STORY OF ONE WOMAN'S RESISTANCE DURING AN *ÉPOQUE* THAT SHOOK PARIS TO ITS VERY CORE.

PARIS, FRANCE: 1860s. Hundreds of houses are being destroyed, entire neighborhoods reduced to ashes. By order of Emperor Napoleon III, Baron Haussmann has begun a series of large-scale renovations that will permanently alter the face of old Paris, molding it into a "modern city." The reforms will erase generations of history, but in the midst of the tumult, one woman will take a stand. Determined to fight against the destruction of her family home, Rose Bazelet stakes her claim in the basement of the old house on rue Childebart. And as she waits, she escapes into the past, writing letters to her beloved late husband, Armand. By delving into the ritual of remembering, Rose is forced to come to terms with a secret that has been buried deep in her heart for thirty years.

The House I Loved is both a powerful story of one woman's indelible strength and an ode to Paris, where houses harbor the joys and sorrows of their inhabitants, and secrets endure in the very walls.

Tatiana de Rosnay is the author of ten novels, including the *New York Times* bestsellers *Sarah's Key* and *A Secret Kept*. *Sarah's Key* is an international sensation with over five million copies sold in forty countries worldwide, and has now been made into a major motion picture. Together with Dan Brown and Stieg Larsson, Tatiana was named one of the top three fiction writers in Europe in 2010. She lives with her husband and two children in Paris, where she is at work on her next novel. Visit her online at www.tatianaderosnay.com.



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