



A Fireproof Home for the Bride (Hardback)

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St. Martin's Press, United States, 2015. Hardback. Book Condition: New. 239 x 155 mm. Language: English. Brand New Book. Emmaline Nelson and her sister Birdie grow up in the hard, cold rural Lutheran world of strict parents, strict milking times, and strict morals. Marriage is preordained, the groom practically predestined. Though it's 1958, southern Minnesota did not see changing roles for women on the horizon. Caught in a time bubble between a world war and the ferment of the 1960s, Emmy doesn't see that she has any say in her life, any choices at all. Only when Emmy's fiancé shows his true colors and forces himself on her does she find the courage to act falling instead for a forbidden Catholic boy, a boy whose family seems warm and encouraging after the serene Nelson farm life. Not only moving to town and breaking free from her engagement but getting a job on the local newspaper begins to open Emmy's eyes. She discovers that the KKK is not only active in the Midwest but that her family is involved, and her sense of the firm rules she grew up under and their effect changes...



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