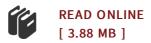




Servants Hall: A Real Life Upstairs, Downstairs Romance

By Margaret Powell

St. Martin's Griffin, United States, 2014. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Reprint. 208 x 137 mm. Language: English. Brand New Book. The sequel to New York Times bestseller Below Stairs, Servants Hall tells a gripping real-life tale reminiscent of Downton Abbey's Lady Sybil and Tom Branson. Margaret Powell s Below Stairs became a sensation among readers reveling in the luxury and subtle class warfare of Masterpiece Theatre s hit television series Downton Abbey. Now in the sequel Servants Hall, Powell tells the true story of Rose, the under-parlourmaid to the Wardham Family at Redlands, who took a shocking step: She eloped with the family s only son, Mr. Gerald.Going from rags to riches, Rose finds herself caught up in a maelstrom of gossip, incredulity and envy among her fellow servants. The reaction from upstairs was no better: Mr. Wardham, the master of the house, disdained the match so completely that he refused ever to have contact with the young couple again. Gerald and Rose marry, leave Redlands and Powell looks on with envy, even as the marriage hits on bumpy times: To us in the servants hall, it was just like a fairy tale . . . How...



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