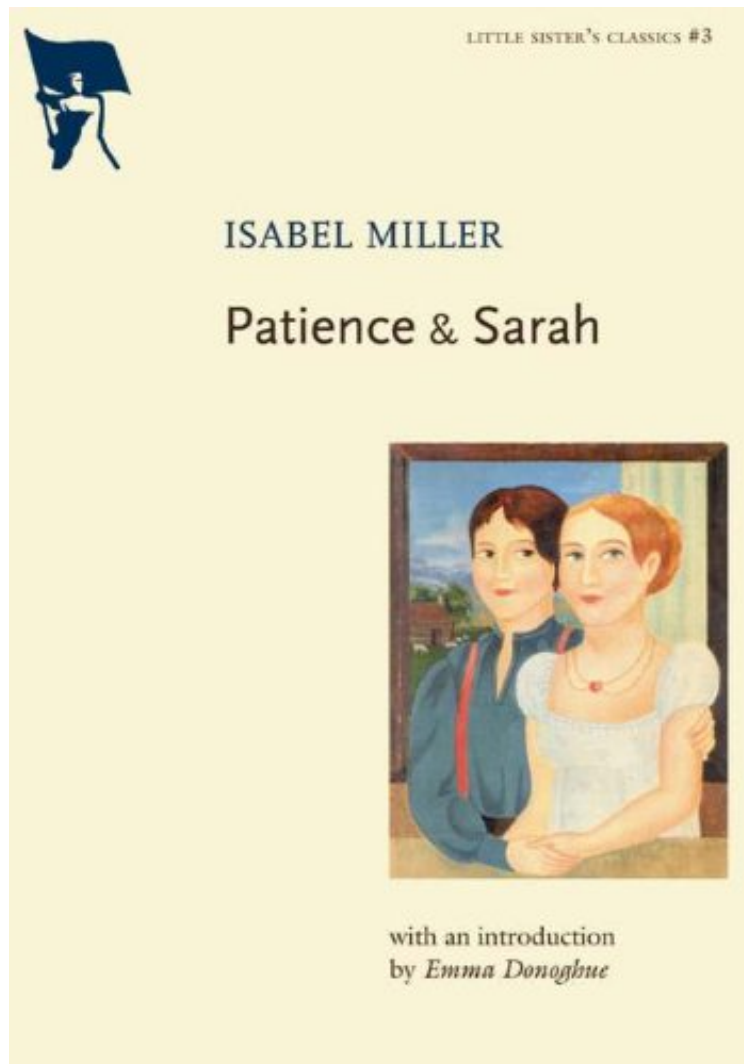


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Von Isabel Miller : Patience Sarah (Little Sister's Classics) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Patience Sarah (Little Sister's Classics):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A wonderful and deeply moving lesbian love storyVon Ein KundeI first read this book about 20+ years ago. I loved it then, and I love it every bit as much now. It's a beautiful story of two women who fall in love in puritanical New England. Their love story is exquisite. (By the way, anyone who enjoyed PS will also love Nanci Little's THE GRASS WIDOW. It's out of print now, but worth a search.)0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A warm, fuzzy, lovely book.Von Ein KundeI picked up this book out of curiosity and because of the "sensational" subject, and

was totally captivated by the personalities of the two heroines, the warmth and passion of their relationship, their quest for "a place for us," and the lyrical writing. The plot is a bit too good to be true, but who cares? It's a book to love.0
von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. warm - fuzzy - sappy - dullVon Al KihanoOriginally published in 1969 under the title *_A Place for Us_*, this work may have been a breakthrough in its time, but now its a giant step backward for lesbian fiction. The characters in this book, while touchingly in love, have not the realist punch necessary to keep this book going. MOre importantly, if we are to analyze this book from a socially aware perspective, it seems that the social interactions are poisoned by a ``butch-femme" conflation of expression and orientation. There currently no shortage of far, far better novels out there, both lesbian and not.

KurzbeschreibungA remarkable story.Publishers WeeklySet in the nineteenth century, Isabel Millers classic lesbian novel traces the relationship between Patience White, an educated painter, and Sarah Dowling, a cross-dressing farmer, whose romantic bond does not sit well with the puritanical New England farming community in which they live. They choose to live together and love each other freely, even though they know of no precedents for their relationship; they must trust their own instincts and see beyond the disdain of their neighbors. Ultimately, they are forced to make life-changing decisions that depend on their courage and their commitment to one another.First self-published in 1969 in an edition of one thousand copies, the author hand-sold the book on New York street corners; it garnered increasing attention to the point of receiving the American Library Associations first Gay Book Award in 1971. McGraw-Hills version of the book a year later brought it to mainstream bookstores across the country.Patience Sarah is a historical romance whose drama was a touchstone for the burgeoning gay and womens activism of the late 1960s and early 1970s. It celebrates the joys of an uninhibited love between two strong women with a confident defiance that remains relevant today.This edition features an appendix of supplementary materials about Patience Sarah and the author, as well as an introduction by Emma Donoghue, the Irish novelist whose numerous books include the contemporary Dublin novels *Stir Fry* and *Hood*, the latter of which won the ALAs Gay and Lesbian Book Award in 1995.Little Sisters Classics is an Arsenal Pulp Press imprint dedicated to reviving lost and out-of-print gay and lesbian classic books, both fiction and nonfiction. The series is produced in conjunction with Little Sisters Books, the heroic gay Vancouver bookstore well-known for its anti-censorship efforts.Isabel Miller was the author of numerous novels, including two under her real name, Alma Routsong. She died in 1996.