



The Portable Louisa May Alcott

By Louisa May Alcott

Penguin Books Australia, Australia, 2000. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 198 x 129 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Although the publication of Little Women in 1868 earned Louisa May Alcott tremendous popularity, for a long time she was thought of as a writer of children s stories and considered at best a minor figure in the American literary canon. Now, at the end of the twentieth century, Alcott s vast body of work is being celebrated alongside the greatest American writers, and this collection shows why. The Portable Louisa May Alcott samples the entire spectrum of Alcott s work: her novels, novellas, children s stories, sensationalist fiction, gothic tales, essays, letters, and journals. Presenting her more daring works, such as Moods and Behind a Mask (both reprinted in their entirety), alongside the familiar heroines of Little Women, this singular collection offers readers a rich and wide-ranging portrait of this talented, prolific, and influential writer.



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