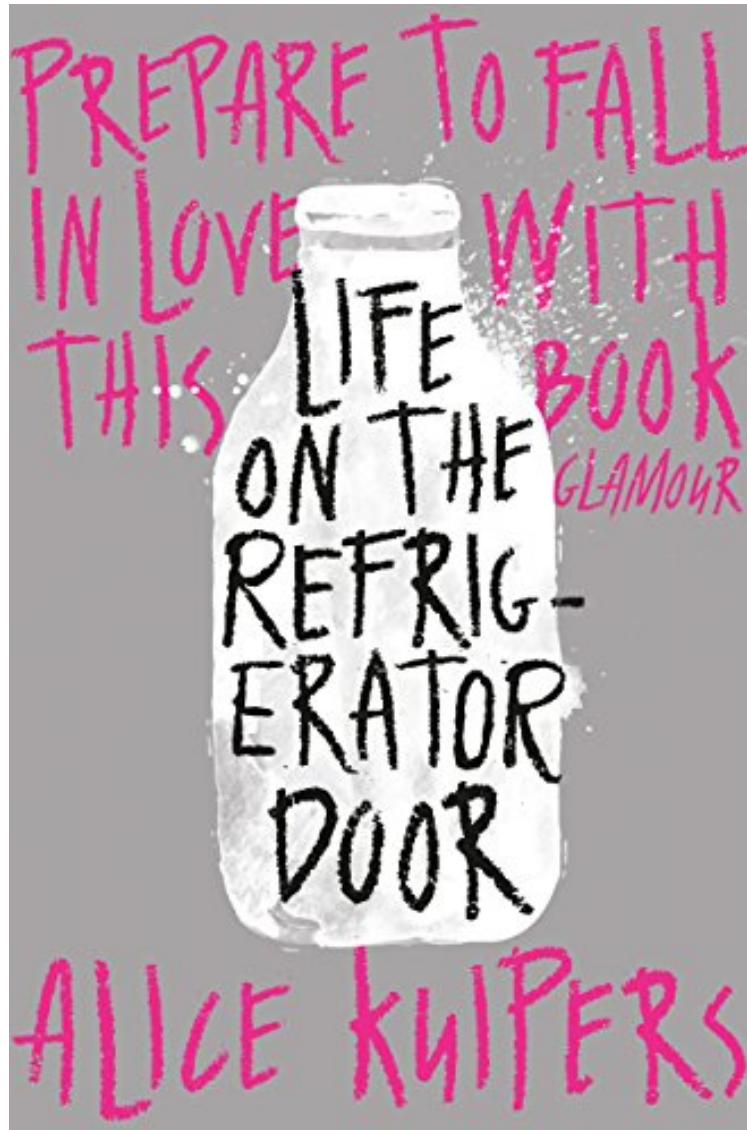


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Von Alice Kuipers : Life on the Refrigerator Door (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Life on the Refrigerator Door (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. The shortest saddest bookVon JuliaIt took me about 45min to read the book, but even in this short amount of time it totally captivated me. The book is written in more or less short notes between Claire and her mother, which they leave on the fridge door. They developed this way of communication because they barely see each other. Even if they use such few words Alice Kuipers could give her two main characters depth and complexity. It's what they say and what they don't

say in these short notes that gives the reader a total and full picture of the relationship between Claire and her mom that ends in such a sad way. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A novel in NOTES Von L. Schwarz "A novel in notes" heißt es so schön auf dem Deckblatt des Buches. Und dies ist tatsächlich wörtlich zu verstehen, was heißt, es sind wirklich immer nur sehr kurze Notizen, also ein paar Zeilen pro Seite. Obwohl "Life on the refrigerator door" schon was schönes hat, und mich am Ende zu Tränen rührte, ist der Preis doch ungerechtfertigt, dafür, dass man wenig Text zum Lesen hat. ⇒ Hab das Buch in etwa einer Stunde ausgelesen. Trotzdem guter Stoff. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Atemberaubend Von Birgit Ebert Das ist das kürzeste Buch, das ich je gelesen habe. Mitunter aber auch eines der Besten. Definitiv auf meiner Liste der Lieblingsbücher. Wer es herzerwärmend mag, für den ist das genau richtig.

Kurzbeschreibung Mom, I went to the store. See inside the fridge. I watered the plants. I cleaned out Peter's cage. I tidied the sitting room. And the kitchen. And I did the washing up. I'm going to bed. Your live-in servant, Claire Life on the Refrigerator Door is told exclusively through notes exchanged by Claire and her mother, Elizabeth, during the course of a life-altering year. Their story builds to an emotional crescendo when Elizabeth is diagnosed with breast cancer. Stunningly sad but ultimately uplifting, this is a clever, moving, and original portrait of the relationship between a daughter and mother. It is about how we live our lives constantly rushing, and never making time for those we love. It is also an elegy to how much can be said in so few words, if only we made the time to say them. A new edition of this simultaneously heartbreaking and heart-warming novel by Alice Kuipers. From Publishers Weekly Kuipers's haunting debut unfolds like a flip book of half-drawn images too swiftly ended, a compilation of tantalizing notes posted on a refrigerator by a single working mom and Claire-bear, her wistful teen daughter. Bittersweet, funny and achingly real, the nameless mother (an overworked obstetrician) and bubbly Claire communicate through these notes instead of talking, e-mailing or text messaging. Missives range from the daughter's plainly impassioned (Hi MOM! (Who I never see anymore EVER!)) to her mother's soothing, tough-upper-lip responses written during her breast cancer treatment. Kuipers captures the anxiety surrounding tragedy and conveys the importance of fully experiencing life. Although the format has its limits (notably in character development and narrative momentum), Kuipers delivers a strong, emotional reminder about the importance of loved ones, even through times of unceasing complications and challenges. (Sept.) Copyright Reed Business Information, a division of Reed Elsevier Inc. All rights reserved. Pressestimmen "Very original and touching" -- Joanne Harris