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"Virginia was indeed a rare example  
of her kind" [PAGE 26]

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## A LETTER IN DEDICATION

MY DEAR H.:

*Almost as often as you have confided in me you have asked me to say, frankly, what I thought of you. And I have tried to tell you—I fear with small success.*

*The story contained in the following pages is your story, and the man, so far as I can make him so, is you. If he looks like you, if he feels like you, if he expresses your weakness, your strength, your charm, your scruples, your lack of them, and, above all, your philosophy of life and love, then I think I have succeeded.*

*I have tried, at all events, for truth, and if I have attained it you may see yourself, in these pages, exactly as you appear to your friend,*

THE AUTHOR.

CAIRO, Egypt.  
January third.





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