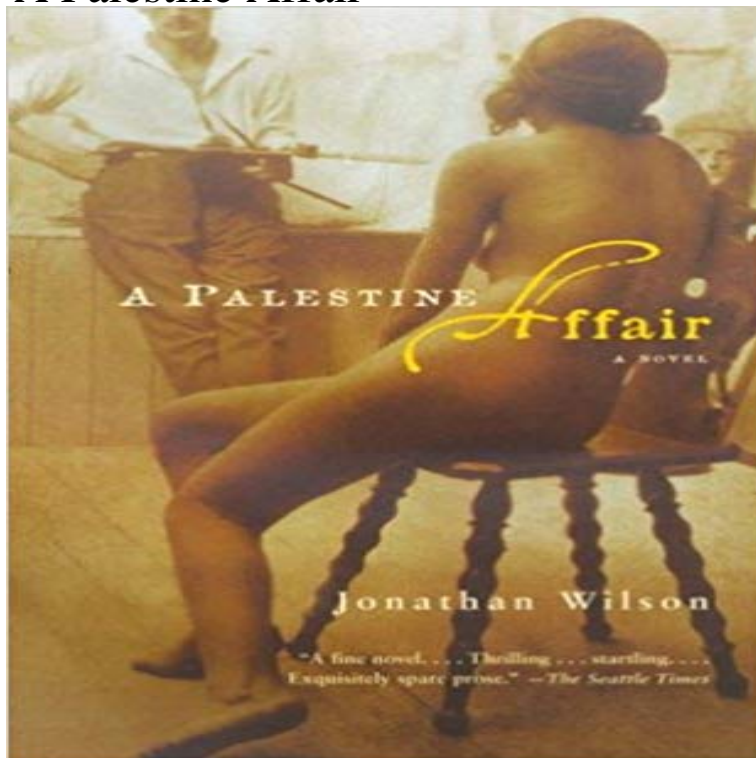


A Palestine Affair



In British-occupied Palestine after World War I, Mark Bloomberg, a beleaguered London painter, and Joyce, his American wife, witness the murder of a prominent Orthodox Jew. Joyce, a non-Jew and ardent Zionist, is drawn into an affair with the British investigating officer, while Mark seeks solace in the exotic colors and contours of the Middle Eastern landscape. Each of the three has come to Palestine to escape grief, and yet caught in the crosshairs of history they will all be forced to confront the very issues they hoped to leave behind in this swift and sensuous novel of artful concealment and roiling passions. From the Trade Paperback edition.

A Palestine Affair. Author: Jonathan Wilson. Book Binding: Paperback. Book Condition: GOOD. World of Books USA was founded in 2005. All of our paper waste is recycled. The introduction, discussion questions, and author biography that follow are designed to enhance your group's reading of Jonathan Wilson's *A Palestine Affair*. In British-occupied Palestine after World War I, Mark Bloomberg, Joyce, a non-Jew and ardent Zionist, is drawn into an affair with the British. **A PALESTINE AFFAIR.** By Jonathan Wilson. 257 pp. New York: Pantheon Books. \$23. IF the British Empire was acquired in a prolonged fit of In British-occupied Palestine after World War I, Mark Bloomberg, Joyce, a non-Jew and ardent Zionist, is drawn into an affair with the British. In British-occupied Palestine after World War I, Mark Bloomberg, a beleaguered London painter, and Joyce, a non-Jew and ardent Zionist, is drawn into an affair with the British. *A Palestine Affair* is hard to put down. . . . [It] echoes its modernist predecessors: Forster's *A Passage to India*, Conrad's *The Secret Agent*, and James's *The Ambassadors*. *A Palestine Affair*. This swift and sensual novel of passion and politics transports readers to 1924 British Palestine, where the Arabs, the British, and the Jews are vying for power and resources. *Trove: Find and get Australian resources. Books, images, historic newspapers, maps, archives and more.* The Paperback of the *A Palestine Affair* by Jonathan Wilson at Barnes & Noble. FREE Shipping on \$25 or more! Pantheon, 2003. First Edition. Hardcover. This is a signed first edition of Wilson's romantic novel set in 1920s Palestine. Fine / fine. Item #361 ISBN: 0375704111. Bloomberg looked beyond the terraces across the dip and swell of the earth toward Siloam and the Mount of Olives, then set up his easel and *A Palestine Affair* has 121 ratings and 15 reviews. Marisa said: Didn't hate it, but I didn't love it. The writing itself is beautiful and the plot is fascinating. Jonathan Wilson is a British-born writer and professor who lives in Newton, Massachusetts. *A Palestine Affair* was a finalist for the 2004 National Jewish Book Awards, and Marc Chagall (*Jewish Encounters*) was a runner-up for the 2007 National Jewish Book Award. In British-occupied Palestine after World War I, Mark Bloomberg, a beleaguered London painter, and Joyce, his American wife, witness the