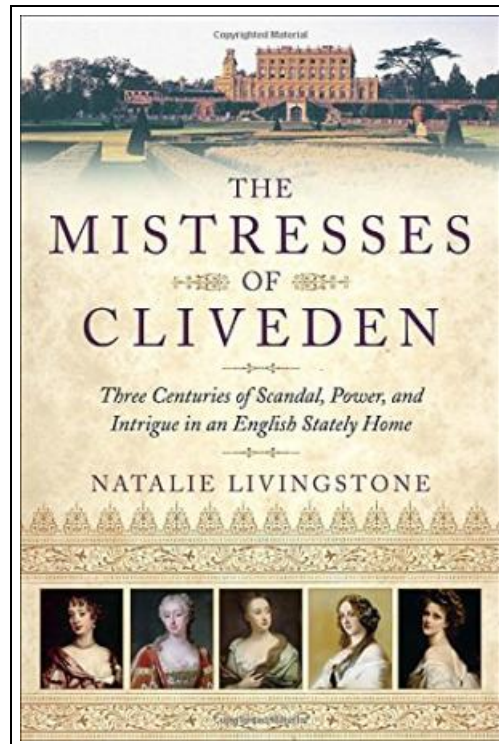


## The Mistresses of Cliveden: Three Centuries of Scandal, Power, and Intrigue in an English Stately Home (Hardback)



Filesize: 6.79 MB

### **Reviews**

*Definitely among the best book I have possibly read. I have study and i am sure that i will going to go through once more once more later on. Your lifestyle span is going to be convert when you full looking at this publication.*  
(Prof. Damon Kautzer III)

## THE MISTRESSES OF CLIVEDEN: THREE CENTURIES OF SCANDAL, POWER, AND INTRIGUE IN AN ENGLISH STATELY HOME (HARDBACK)



To save **The Mistresses of Cliveden: Three Centuries of Scandal, Power, and Intrigue in an English Stately Home (Hardback)** eBook, make sure you refer to the hyperlink beneath and download the file or get access to additional information which might be highly relevant to THE MISTRESSES OF CLIVEDEN: THREE CENTURIES OF SCANDAL, POWER, AND INTRIGUE IN AN ENGLISH STATELY HOME (HARDBACK) ebook.

Ballantine Books, 2016. Hardback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book. For fans of Downton Abbey comes an immersive historical epic about a lavish English manor and a dynasty of rich and powerful women who ruled the estate over three centuries of misbehavior, scandal, intrigue, and passion. Five miles from Windsor Castle, home of the royal family, sits the Cliveden estate. Overlooking the Thames, the mansion is flanked by two wings and surrounded by lavish gardens. Throughout its storied history, Cliveden has been a setting for misbehavior, intrigue, and passion--from its salacious, deadly beginnings in the seventeenth century to the 1960s Profumo Affair, the sex scandal that toppled the British government. Now, in this immersive chronicle, the manor's current mistress, Natalie Livingstone, opens the doors to this prominent house and lets the walls do the talking. Built during the reign of Charles II by the Duke of Buckingham, Cliveden attracted notoriety as a luxurious retreat in which the duke could conduct his scandalous affair with the ambitious courtesan Anna Maria, Countess of Shrewsbury. In 1668, Anna Maria's cuckolded husband, the Earl of Shrewsbury, challenged Buckingham to a duel. Buckingham killed Shrewsbury and claimed Anna Maria as his prize, making her the first mistress of Cliveden. Through the centuries, other enigmatic and indomitable women would assume stewardship over the estate, including Elizabeth, Countess of Orkney and illicit lover of William III, who became one of England's wealthiest women; Augusta of Saxe-Gotha, the queen that Britain was promised and then denied; Harriet, Duchess of Sutherland, confidante of Queen Victoria and a glittering society hostess turned political activist; and the American-born Nancy Astor, the first female member of Parliament, who described herself as an ardent feminist and welcomed controversy. Though their privileges were extraordinary, in Livingstone's hands, their...



[Read The Mistresses of Cliveden: Three Centuries of Scandal, Power, and Intrigue in an English Stately Home \(Hardback\) Online](#)



[Download PDF The Mistresses of Cliveden: Three Centuries of Scandal, Power, and Intrigue in an English Stately Home \(Hardback\)](#)

## Related Books



[PDF] **Bully, the Bullied, and the Not-So Innocent Bystander: From Preschool to High School and Beyond: Breaking the Cycle of Violence and Creating More Deeply Caring Communities**

Click the hyperlink below to get "Bully, the Bullied, and the Not-So Innocent Bystander: From Preschool to High School and Beyond: Breaking the Cycle of Violence and Creating More Deeply Caring Communities" PDF document.

[Save PDF](#)

»



[PDF] **Kindergarten Culture in the Family and Kindergarten; A Complete Sketch of Froebel s System of Early Education, Adapted to American Institutions. for the Use of Mothers and Teachers**

Click the hyperlink below to get "Kindergarten Culture in the Family and Kindergarten; A Complete Sketch of Froebel s System of Early Education, Adapted to American Institutions. for the Use of Mothers and Teachers" PDF document.

[Save PDF](#)

»



[PDF] **California Version of Who Am I in the Lives of Children? an Introduction to Early Childhood Education, Enhanced Pearson Etext with Loose-Leaf Version -- Access Card Package**

Click the hyperlink below to get "California Version of Who Am I in the Lives of Children? an Introduction to Early Childhood Education, Enhanced Pearson Etext with Loose-Leaf Version -- Access Card Package" PDF document.

[Save PDF](#)

»



[PDF] **Who Am I in the Lives of Children? an Introduction to Early Childhood Education, Enhanced Pearson Etext with Loose-Leaf Version -- Access Card Package**

Click the hyperlink below to get "Who Am I in the Lives of Children? an Introduction to Early Childhood Education, Enhanced Pearson Etext with Loose-Leaf Version -- Access Card Package" PDF document.

[Save PDF](#)

»



[PDF] **Who am I in the Lives of Children? An Introduction to Early Childhood Education**

Click the hyperlink below to get "Who am I in the Lives of Children? An Introduction to Early Childhood Education" PDF document.

[Save PDF](#)

»



[PDF] **Who Am I in the Lives of Children? an Introduction to Early Childhood Education with Enhanced Pearson Etext -- Access Card Package**

Click the hyperlink below to get "Who Am I in the Lives of Children? an Introduction to Early Childhood Education with Enhanced Pearson Etext -- Access Card Package" PDF document.

[Save PDF](#)

»