



Loveswept: A Cross-Cultural Romance of 1950s Turkey (Paperback)

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Dionysus Books, United States, 2011. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Set in a beautiful and exotic country besieged by political and religious struggles, LOVESWEPT is a compelling story of a young Turkish woman s romantic encounters that transcend deep cultural differences. A must read. Once you start, you won t be able to put it down. --Helen S. Astin, Distinguished Professor Emeritus, UCLA, co-author of WOMEN OF INFLUENCE, WOMEN OF VISION LOVESWEPT beautifully portrays how the political and cultural transformation of a country deeply impacts personal lives. Standing at the crossroads between traditional values and a modern life, Neri must battle societal expectations on women as well as overcome her fears. Her journey is a journey of reclaiming one s own identity. --Almila Ozdek, Ph.D. English, George Washington University How long should a girl hold onto her first love? A beautiful Turkish girl, a handsome English merchant marine, a sympathetic American and a cheating husband. LOVESWEPT is a cross-cultural romance taking place during the social and political turmoil of 1950s Turkey where the line between state and mosque becomes blurred and American dollars flood the country. Postwar Ankara is a place...

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