



American Queen: The Rise and Fall of Kate Chase Sprague--Civil War Belle of the North and Gilded Age Woman of Scandal (Hardback)

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