

THE OTHER LIFE

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Happily married and pregnant with her second child, Quinn Braverman has a dark secret. Every time she makes a major life decision, an alternate reality exists in which she made the opposite choice. But the important part of the secret—the part that terrifies and thrills her—is that she knows it's possible to cross from one life to the other.

But even in her darkest moments—like when her mother committed suicide—Quinn hasn't been tempted to slip through. Then she gets devastating news: the baby she's carrying might have a terrible deformity. The grief lures her to peek across the portal, and before she knows it she's in the midst of the life she would have had if she never married her solid, stable husband and instead stayed with her neurotic and famous ex-boyfriend.

Before she gets a chance to rush back to the husband and six-year-old son she loves, the phone rings, and the voice she hears shakes Quinn to her core.

It's her mother, very much alive.

Quinn soon learns that crossing back and forth between her two lives is fraught with peril, as the portal is shrinking. It's about to close completely, and Quinn is forced to make a devastating choice.

The decision is more difficult than she ever imagined. Will Quinn stay with the family she loves, and face the possibility of raising a severely disabled child? Or will a more glamorous life—and the primal lure of being with her mother—win out?

This gripping emotional journey to Quinn's final choice will leave readers shocked and breathless, as the power of a mother's love is put to the ultimate test.

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