

"It was the best of times, it was the worst of times"

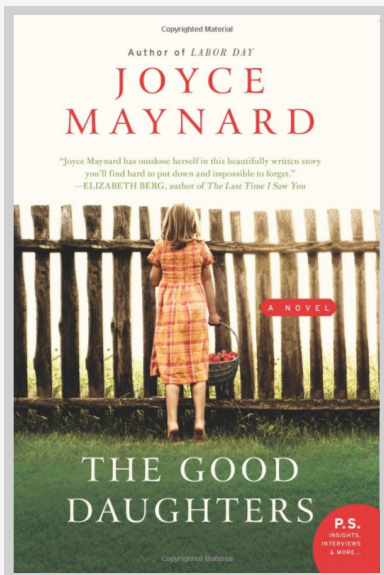
Book Discussions with Marianne

"Give a biscuit, Potter."
"and, borne back ceaselessly into the past."



Book Discussion
Adults

September 15th 1:00 PM
Main Library



THE GOOD DAUGHTERS BY JOYCE MAYNARD

Come join us for a stimulating discussion of *The Good Daughters* by Joyce Maynard. Copies of the book are available at the Circulation Desk.

They were born on the same day, in the same small New Hampshire hospital, into families that could hardly have been less alike.

Ruth Plank is an artist and a romantic with a rich, passionate, imaginative life. The last of five girls born to a gentle, caring farmer and his stolid wife, she yearns to soar beyond the confines of the land that has been her family's birthright for generations.

Dana Dickerson is a scientist and realist whose faith is firmly planted in the natural world. Raised by a pair of capricious drifters who waste their lives on failed dreams, she longs for stability and rootedness.

Different in nearly every way, Ruth and Dana share a need to make sense of who they are and to find their places in a world in which neither has ever truly felt she belonged. They also share a love for Dana's wild and beautiful older brother, Ray, who will leave an indelible mark on both their hearts.