



## Adrift on the Nile (Paperback)

By Najaib Maohfauoz

Bantam Doubleday Dell Publishing Group Inc, United States, 1994. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Reprint. 198 x 130 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. First published in 1966, Naguib Mahfouz?s Adrift on the Nile is an atmospheric novel that dramatizes the rootlessness of Egypt?s cosmopolitan middle class. Anis Zani is a bored and drug-addicted civil servant who is barely holding on to his job. Every evening he hosts a gathering on a houseboat on the Nile, where he and a motley group of cynical and aimless friends share a water pipe full of kif, a mixture of tobacco and marijuana. When a young female journalist?an ?alarmingly serious person??joins them and begins secretly documenting their activities, the group?s harmony starts disintegrating, culminating in a midnight joyride that ends in tragedy.



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