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THE Secret OF THE MARSHBANKS • BY KATHLEEN NORRIS • W.N.U. RELEASE

THE STORY SO FAR: Charlotte (Cherry) Rawlings, an orphan, has been at Saint Dorothea's convent school since she was seven years old. She knows almost nothing about her early life, but has gradually realized that like other girls at the school she has no family and questions whether she has a right to her father's name. Judge Judson Marshbanks and Emma Haskell are her co-guardians. When she is twenty Marshbanks tells her that Emma has gotten her a secretarial position in San Francisco with wealthy old Mrs. Porteous Porter. She goes first to the Marshbanks mansion and lives alone with the Judge as Fran, his young wife, and his niece, Amy, are dining out. Kelly Coates, an artist, drops in, and Fran and Amy stop on their way out. As they leave, Cherry hears laughing reference to her convent clothes and she is bitter. Life with Mrs. Porter is monotonous, and she is thrilled when Kelly, horseback riding in the park with Fran, stops to talk with her while she is motoring with her employer. Later he sends her a box of candy and she is jealous when she sees him with Fran at a party given by Mrs. Porter. Emma tells Cherry that her sister, Charlotte, was Cherry's mother. Kelly takes Cherry along so Fran will visit his Sausalito studio, and it is evident that he is very much in love with Fran, but later he tells Cherry despondently that Fran has promised the judge she will not see him any more. Mrs. Porter dies, leaving Cherry \$1,500. Now continue with the story.

CHAPTER IX

"I'm in tr-ouble and I've been crying, and I wondered if you'd come—come and take me for a drive!" stammered Cherry. "Well, that—that—he went on talking about it, and that Aunt Emma was so fine even if she was rather cold, and then he said that his brother Fred was really a good person but impulsive and always getting into trouble..."

"His brother Fred!" Kelly had kneeled to straighten a slipped log in the fire. He shot her a look over his shoulder. "Fred was Amy's father?" "Yes. Amy's name is Amy Marshbanks." "That's right too. There was another brother?" "No. Only Amy's father." Kelly stopped his pipe halfway to his mouth and stared at her.

"Huh," he commented, in a brief sound like a grunt. "And it—it killed me," Cherry said, not crying now, but pale and beginning to be agitated again. "It killed me! She's always had everything—she'll have more now—but it's not that! It's that they all loved her and wanted her and they've made so much of her and she's always had—I mean, I don't want anything she has—but they love her..."

She steeled suddenly at the sight of his attentive but not too sympathetic face and for a moment looked at him in silence. "I mean," she went on presently, gaining self-control with every word, "I mean that it—it sickened me to think that Amy and I are half sisters, and that he, my father, could treat my mother so terribly—my mother was so gentle, and she was ill so long! And she got nothing, and I spent all those years at Saint Dorothea's while Amy was traveling..."

Her voice trailed off into an ashamed silence; the look she turned to Kelly became aggrieved and then apologetic. For a full minute neither spoke, and then Cherry said something timidly. "Don't you think that's terrible?" "You rather knew, I suppose," Kelly began, "that things in your background had been somewhat irregular?" "Oh, yes, I did. Indeed, I did! They don't tell you anything at Saint Dorothea's, you know, but of course the girls talk. And we read books."



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call or two to make in Atherton and Menlo Park, and who would pick Cherry up for the return trip after Cherry had introduced herself to her new landlady and inspected her quarters. When she and Fran were in the car, Fran said presently, "Run the window down, will you, Cherry? It's warm."

"Wouldn't you rather have the side windows down?" "No, I want to speak to Rousseau. Rousseau, go the old road, will you, please?" Fran asked, when she could speak to the chauffeur. "For I promised I'd stop at the antique shop." The young Frenchman did not turn his head. But he nodded slightly.

"No, wait a minute, I think we'll do that after we leave Miss Rawlings in Palo Alto," Fran changed it suddenly. "Now what's she about?" Cherry thought. "She's meeting someone!" "I've not seen Kelly Coates for weeks," Fran presently said thoughtfully, as if reading Cherry's mind. "He telephones, but I haven't happened to be in. I like him, too."

"He likes you," Cherry said darily. "You see Kelly now and then, don't you?" Fran asked. "Now and then." "Lately?" "The day we closed up Mrs. Porter's house—that was day before yesterday—I saw him then," Cherry said, omitting any mention of the Sausalito visit. "We walked a little while in the Presidio."

"You like him a lot, don't you?" the soft, hoarse voice with its hidden notes of laughter and of tears asked simply. Cherry felt the blood in her face. "I—guess so," she admitted, swallowing. "Too bad," Fran said absently. "I'm sorry about Kelly! I was very unhappy when I married Jud," she presently went on, "and I told him that although I didn't love him as I might love some man some day—he's twenty-two years older than I am, you know..."

"But that's all the more reason," Fran began again, after a pause, "why I should play fair with him." She paused. "Cherry, I wonder if you will do something for me." "I'd be so glad, Mrs. Marshbanks!"

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