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The ongoing dialogue about the choices that go into a life well lived, from the acclaimed author of How To Stop Time and The Comfort Book. Somewhere out beyond the edge of the world, a young woman's plane has crashed. She awakens in a dark place that is nothing like she imagined it. Nora Seed finds herself faced with this decision. Faced with the possibility of changing her life for a new one, following a different career, undoing old breakups, realizing her childhood dreams. She does whatever she wants. In the time that she has left. On the floor of this dark place, she begins to read a book: The Midnight Library. As she moves through the lives of the other people she considers, she comes face-to-face with her own choices and trade-offs. She finds that anything is possible. And that being yourself is enough. Sometimes life might not be exactly how you imagined. And sometimes life might just be brilliant. How do we get to the end of our lives with minimal regrets? We set aside lesser pursuits to seek lasting meaning. And we discover the joy of doing it differently. For Nora, that means choosing the life she's always wanted instead of the one she's settled for. Through heartbreak, humor, and unexpected twists and turns, she learns that life is what you make of it, and that even when it doesn't go according to plan, you can still build a life of fulfillment and fullness. The Midnight Library is a powerful and heartfelt story that reminds us all to never give up on our dreams and to always be true to ourselves.
Frances is a coolheaded and darkly observant young woman, vaguely pursuing a career in writing while studying in Dublin. Her best friend is the beautiful and endlessly self-possessed Bobbi. At a local poetry performance one night, they meet a well-known photographer, and as the girls are then gradually drawn into her world, Frances is reluctantly impressed by the older woman's sophistication and handsome husband, Nick. But however amusing Frances and Nick's flirtation seems at first, it begins to give way to a strange—and then painful—intimacy. Written with gemlike precision and marked by a sly sense of humor, Conversations with Friends is wonderfully alive to the pleasures and dangers of youth, and the messy edges of female friendship.

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