

## BY FLORIAN ZELLER TRANSLATED BY CHRISTOPHER HAMPTON

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## A SHARP COMEDY OF LIES AND INFIDELITY...

A slick, nimble labyrinth of deceit, THE LIE is the latest gem from the pen of FLORIAN ZELLER the highly acclaimed writer of the hit play THE FATHER.

Michel and Laurence are coming for dinner. But Alice has spotted Michel kissing another woman that very afternoon leaving her with a dilemma... should she tell her friend what she saw or not. Her husband Paul believes it is better to behave as if nothing has happened; Alice is far from sure. As their own relationship is held up to scrutiny it becomes clear that some truths are best left unsaid. In affairs of the heart the line between truth and lie can be a dangerous one to cross.

Fresh from a hot sold-out London run, THE LIE is a brilliantly ruthless comedy which dissects the hypocrisies that hold society together.

In a pitch perfect translation by Christopher Hampton, THE LIE is smart, thought-provoking and painfully funny.

A devious must see.

"I thought lying was a sign of love" — F. Zeller

## **STARRING**



BRONWYN TUREI



ANDREW FOSTER



CLAIRE DOUGAN



GAVIN RUTHERFORD

## CIRCA**ONE**7 APRIL - 5 MAY

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