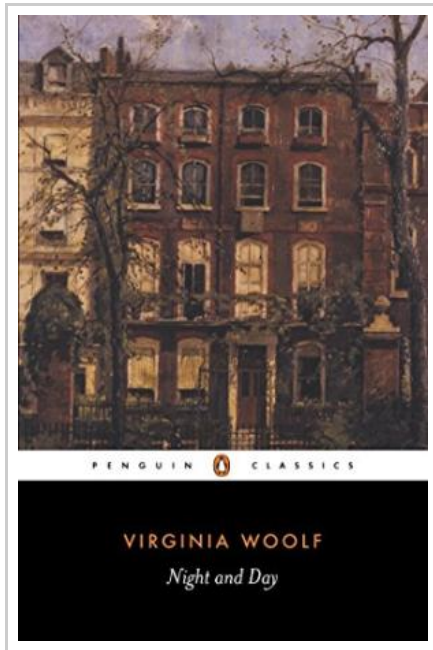




Night and Day Penguin Twentieth-Century Classics

By Virginia Woolf

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