

APPENDIX I

BIOGRAPHY OF ROSAMOND SMITH

The book is "Lives of the Twins," a short psychological mystery supposedly written by Rosamond Smith. Rosamond Smith is the pseudonym name of Joyce Carol Oates. The pseudonym is a feminization of the name of Miss Oates's husband, Raymond Smith, a publisher. Joyce uses pseudonym name because she wants to try another genre of novel without showing her identity. "Lives of the Twins" is her first and last novel using pseudonym name.

Joyce Carol Oates was born June 16, 1938. She is an American writer. Oates published her first book in 1962 and has since published over 40 novels, as well as a number of plays and novellas, and many volumes of short stories, poetry, and nonfiction. Oates was born in Lockport, New York. She is the eldest of three children of Carolina (née Bush), a homemaker of Hungarian descent, and Frederic James Oates, a tool and die designer. Her brother, Fred Jr., was born in 1943, and her sister, Lynn Ann, who is severely autistic, was born in 1956. Oates grew up in the working-class farming community of Millersport, New York, and characterized hers as "a happy, close-knit and unextraordinary family for our time, place and economic status" but her childhood as "a daily scramble for existence".

Oates attended the same one-room school her mother attended as a child. She became interested in reading at an early age and remembers Blanche's gift of Lewis Carroll's *Alice's Adventures in Wonderland* (1865) as "the great treasure of my childhood, and the most profound literary influence of my life. This was love at first sight!" In her early teens, she devoured the writing of Charlotte Brontë, Emily Brontë, Fyodor Dostoevsky, William Faulkner, Ernest Hemingway, and Henry David Thoreau, whose "influences remain very deep". Oates began writing at the age of 14, when Blanche gave her a typewriter. Oates later transferred to several bigger, suburban schools and graduated from Williamsville South High School in 1956, where she worked for her high school newspaper. [citation needed] She was the first in her family to complete high school. As a teen, Oates also received early recognition for her writing by winning a Scholastic Art and Writing Award. Oates earned a scholarship to attend Syracuse University, where she joined Phi Mu. She was a Ph.D. student at Rice University when she made the decision to become a full-time writer. The Vanguard Press published Oates' first novel, *With Shuddering Fall* (1964), when she was 26 years old.

Oates taught in Beaumont, Texas, for a year, then moved to Detroit in 1962, where she began teaching at the University of Detroit. Influenced by the Vietnam

war, the 1967 Detroit race riots, and a job offer, Oates moved across the river into Canada in 1968 with her husband, to a teaching position at the University of Windsor in Ontario. In 1978, she moved to Princeton, New Jersey, and began teaching at Princeton University. Oates retired from teaching in 2014 and was honored at a retirement party in November of that year

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SUMMARY OF THE NOVEL

Molly Marks is a 27 years-old beautiful woman. She has a lover named Jonathan McEwan, her ex-psychotherapist. She has a happy life with Jonathan and decides to live together into the apartment in Lindesfarne. They fall in love so much to one another. Jonathan has a good job, otherwise Molly too. They just have a life like ordinarily couples, until one of falsehood cause a big error to their relationships. In the night where Jonathan and Molly ready for going to bed, Jonathan McEwan conveys the truth that he never tells to Molly. He has a twin brother—identical twins brother. He never told Molly because he thinks that his twins brother doesn't important for him. He hates his twins brother. From his lies, Molly who very curious about Jonathan's twin brother tries to contact his office to get more information about him.

James McEwan is also a psychotherapist just same as Jonathan. He lived in New York city. Molly who consumed with curiosity makes bad choices that has a big impact in her life. At the beginning, her goal is only to get more information about why Jonathan hides the truth about him and why Jonathan hates him so much. She also covers up her true identity by using another name and pretending to be his new patient. to has a meet with James But, she becomes attracted to James. She becomes often tells lie to Jonathan so that she can meets James. She tells many lies such as going to famous psychotherapist while in fact the therapist is James, going to take a night course while the truth she is staying one night with James, and many more. Jonathan doesn't suspicious at all to her, because he trusts her. He believes with every Molly words. Molly feels guilty for lying to Jonathan, but she has no choices to hide her bad acts. Although, Molly and James relationship not going well since James very different from Jonathan, she keeps coming back to him. James also gives the name of Sandra Shearer that makes Molly searches about who she is.

One day in Jonathan's psychotherapy conference, accidentally Molly makes an error by revealing the truth of her lie in front of Jonathan. The truth that Molly doesn't recognize the psychotherapist whom she goes all the time. Jonathan feels irritable because how can Molly doesn't recognize her, the one who she takes a therapy. Since then, Jonathan and Molly separates temporarily because Jonathan gets very mad to her. He feels that Molly betray his trust. He brings almost all his stuff out from the apartment.

Molly and Jonathan doesn't meet for a long time. Then, they meet in the restaurant near Molly's office, Molly tells the facts that she found from Sandra Shearer. The facts why Jonathan hates James. Jonathan feels humiliated because Molly pry into his private life to deep. James plays a trick to Molly by gathering in the twin's villa without telling her that Jonathan will be there too.