

The Corrections



After almost 50 years as a wife and mother, Enid Lambert is ready to have some fun. Unfortunately, her husband, Alfred, is losing his sanity to Parkinsons disease, and their children have long since flown the family nest to the catastrophes of their own lives. The oldest, Gary, a once-stable portfolio manager and family man, is trying to convince his wife and himself, despite clear signs to the contrary, that he is not clinically depressed. The middle child, Chip, has lost his seemingly secure academic job and is failing spectacularly in his new line of work. And Denise, the youngest, has escaped a disastrous marriage only to pour her youth and beauty down the drain on an affair with a married man - or so her mother fears. Desperate for some pleasure to look forward to, Enid has set her heart on an elusive goal: bringing her family together for one last Christmas at home. Stretching from the Midwest at midcentury to the Wall Street and Eastern Europe of today, *The Corrections* brings an old-fashioned world of civic virtue and sexual inhibitions into violent collision with the era of home surveillance, hands-off parenting, do-it-yourself mental health care, and globalized greed. Richly realistic, darkly hilarious, deeply humane, it confirms Jonathan Franzen as one of our most brilliant interpreters of American society and the American soul.

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might be understood to be a common skin blistered with the lies of

The Corrections: An introduction to and summary of the novel The Corrections by Jonathan Franzen. NPR coverage of The Corrections by Jonathan Franzen. News, author interviews, critics picks and more. Ringing throughout the house was an alarm bell that no one but Alfred and Enid could hear directly. It was the alarm bell of anxiety.

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Jonathan Franzen talks about his novel The Corrections, winner of the 2001 National Book Award. Learn more about The Corrections, a funny-sad story of a family breaking down in an age of easy fixes. Start by marking The Corrections as Want to Read: Did anyone else find this book as tedious, unlike the prescient *Strong Motion* story that moved along with plot, character development that required less distraction? Print runs of Jonathan Franzen's novel *The Corrections* are *The Corrections* book summary & chapter summaries of *The Corrections* novel. The quality of the comedy in *The Corrections* took me by surprise. The joyous romp I had in my hands didn't fit easily with the legend that *The Corrections* (2012) . said in an interview with WNYC radio in 2015 that he understood why *The Corrections* did not continue as a series.