

Virginia Woolf

# The Waves

Read by **Frances Jeater**

*The Waves* traces the lives of six friends from childhood to old age. It was written when Virginia Woolf was at the height of her experimental literary powers, and she allows the characters to tell their own stories, through powerful, poetic monologues. By listening to these voices struggling to impose order and meaning on their lives we are drawn into a literary journey which stunningly reproduces the complex, confusing and contradictory nature of human experience.



**Frances Jeater's** theatre work includes Gertrude in *Hamlet*; an American tour of *Much Ado About Nothing*; Middle and Far East tours of *Harvey*; and *Prisoner of Second Avenue*, Haymarket Theatre, London. She has also performed in *The Comedy of Errors*, *Solstice* and *Coriolanus* with the RSC and *Present Laughter* with the National Theatre. Frances has always enjoyed working for BBC Radio Drama and recording audiobooks. She has read Chaucer's *The Wife of Bath's Tale* in *The Canterbury Tales II* and contributed to *Great Explorers of the World* for Naxos AudioBooks.

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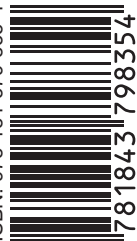
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