



## Novels 1993 - 1995: Operation Shylock / Sabbath s Theater (Hardback)

By Philip Roth

The Library of America, United States, 2010. Hardback. Book Condition: New. 201 x 132 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. The Library of America s definitive edition of Philip Roth s collected works continues with two novels that heralded the beginning of a more than decade-long creative explosion-one remarkable in an older writer and hailed by critics as unparalleled in American literary history. In the diabolically imaginative Operation Shylock (1993), a character named Philip Roth encounters a look-alike who claims Roth s identity and who tours Israel promoting a bizarre reverse exodus of the Jews-proselytizing the real Roth is intent on stopping, even if it means impersonating his impersonator. This splendidly wicked book is how the critic Frank Kermode described Sabbath s Theater (1995), a comic masterpiece of epic proportions whose gargantuan hero, Mickey Sabbath, grieving the loss of his unsurpassable mistress, embarks on a turbulent journey into his past besieged by the ghosts of those who loved and hated him most.



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