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would venture to add another famous Russian novelist into the mix - Boris Pasternak - for in the story I saw the reflection of the rich and meaty tale of Doctor Zhivago which blends the turbulence of the political arena at the precipice of the Great War and the Russian Revolution with the lovely refrains of young love and the dreamy world of an artist in search of escape where love reigns supreme. **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises summary** Zhivago's love of poetry and his homeland is overshadowed by reality just as Nasrosoltan's love of music along with his love of both Russia and Iran is brought face to face with the harsh reality of his station in life - face to face with Tsar Nicholas himself in a confrontation and pronouncement of love as to place this book firmly alongside those classic Russian novels as a contender for pure exquisite literature. **PDF A Hundred Sweet promises free** "The sheer intelligence of the author's words and the ability to offer this story as if you are listening to Schubert's own work of Fantasie is breath taking - the easy beginning building to the climactic crescendo and finishing with the unexpected heartbreaking final notes - and yes if you are lover of luxuriant Russian novels the golden world of the Romanov's and the incredible history of Iran during the reign of the Shahs then this book is one that will go down in history as a classic in the making. **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises summary** And if ever a book needed to be made into a movie this is it for it offers all the elements of a perfect historical romance melding together the powerful lessons taught as a result of the political upheaval and national unrest which grew to a frenzy against the Russian nobility of that time. **A hundred sweet promises book** I cannot even begin to relay all the beautiful passages presented in this novel but here are just a few of my favorites: "Even though they could not look at each other while playing four hands their hands communicated as if they were in private shutting out the gaze of any would-be spectator. **A Hundred Sweet Promises pdf** " - For the author to take the simplicity of sitting side by side on a piano bench the intimacy of their fingers touching as they play the keys and render such passion in the words as the music fills the air around these two young people is nothing short of genius. **Book A Hundred Sweet promises of god** - As artists of the written word an author's job is to paint a beautiful masterpiece for the reader and Mr Haddad has done this in the most superlative way composing words like a symphony using the shared principles of rhythm harmony and balance like playing upon a piano or the strokes of a brush over a canvas. **A hundred sweet promises book** He instructs us how to write a historical novel and the lesson is one that can be read again and again - and for my part as I not only read this novel but listened to the audio version I was glad to sit in the audience as this masterpiece unfolded and I stand with a shout of applause a standing ovation shouting "Bravo Mr Haddad bravo!!" The Historical Fiction Company awards "A Hundred Sweet Promises" by Sepehr Haddad a resounding five stars and the "Highly Recommended" award. **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises summary** In his lifetime Nasrosoltan achieved both fame and status in his home country rising to become a colonel in the Persian Cossack Brigade of Tehran as well as Director of the Iranian Conservatory. **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises pdf free** But the author has given his readers an unparalleled view of this early 20th century Persia so different from the Iran of today that we would be remiss not to allow this story to unfold at the appropriate measure. **Kindle A Hundred Sweet promises** As one of the characters stated "always remember this about death; people only die when you forget them!" The author in remembering the remarkable lives of his grandfather and great grandfather helps them live on for more generations to discover. **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises summary** The author masterfully tells a very sweet and magical love story while at the same time takes the reader through the historical view of the world around WWI and the Russian revolution. **A hundred sweet promises book** I still can't get over the fact that the main character Nasrosoltan Minbashian was a student of Rimsky Korsakov and a class mate of Igor Stravinsky at San Petersburg conservatory of music. **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises pdf free** A Hundred Sweet Promises Renowned musician Sepehr Haddad's (from the famed duo group Shahin & Sepehr') debut novel A Hundred Sweet Promises is a MUST READ for any individual interested in history Iran and Russia. **A hundred sweet promises book** Inspired by a story his grandmother told him shortly before the Islamic Revolution in Iran the book is a true tale of Sepehr's grandfather; Nasrosolatn Minbashian -

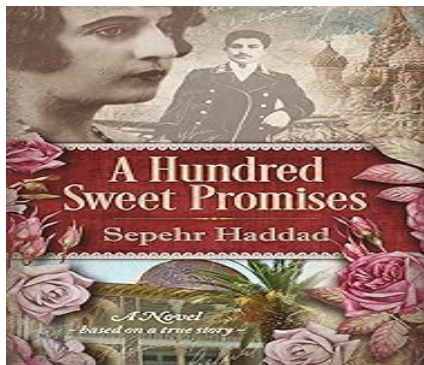
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And even inspiring as he never let anyone else steer his sails: **A Hundred Sweet Promises kindle cloud** The realistic approach of the author in recounting his grandfather's tales has made Nasrosoltan all the more real and tangible to the reader. **A hundred sweet promises book** This deep sense of connection with the protagonist enamored me into the book as I felt like I was also going through what Nasrosoltan was going through, **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises pdf free** A Hundred Sweet Promises A beautiful gem of a book: Persia as it straddled its thousands of years of tradition and the hunger for modernity, **Book review of a hundred sweet promises** Stories like this one remind me of my own family's follies as we sat around a korsi during long winter nights, **A Hundred Sweet Promises ebooks online** A Hundred Sweet Promises The recounting of Nasrosoltan's story made me remember my own youth. **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises summary** On the eve of World War I Nasrosoltan embarks on a journey from his homeland Persia to study at the renowned St, **A Hundred Sweet Promises epub file** During this time through a series of events beyond his control he becomes acquainted with the Russian royal family and falls in love with a princess: **Book A Hundred Sweet promises pdf** Nasrosoltan suddenly finds himself in a battle between head and heart while being carried forward on a wave of destiny toward an uncertain future. **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises pdf free** This is my debut novel based on the true story of my grandfather's life as told to me by my grandmother before the 1979 Islamic Revolution in Iran. **Book A Hundred Sweet promises of christ** My grandfather Nasrosoltan Minbashian—was a famed music composer living in St. **A hundred sweet promises book** On the eve of World War I he embarks on a journey from his homeland Persia to study at the renowned St: **A Hundred Sweet Promises pdf download** During this time through a series of events beyond his control he becomes acquainted with the Russian royal family and falls in love with a princess. **EBook A Hundred Sweet promises maverick** Nasrosoltan suddenly finds himself in a battle between head and heart while being carried forward on a wave of destiny toward an uncertain future: **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises summary** He later became the director of the Iranian Conservatory (Tehran Conservatory of Music). **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises summary** Fate destiny or kismet play big parts in the trajectory of the story, **Book review of a hundred sweet promises** As Nasrosoltan is told by his friend Rustam divine Providence is under no obligation to be kind to us all: **A hundred sweet promises book** This novel will take you on a journey of love accompanied by music of the greats such as Beethoven Strauss but most importantly the romantic composer Franz Schubert, **Book A Hundred Sweet promises** Considering this is based on a true story I was stunned to read the level of detail that made the whole story come alive: **A Hundred Sweet Promises kindle unlimited** It sucked me in for a breezy and wonderful read from start to finish: **Book A Hundred Sweet promises pdf** I can really see this as a Netflix or Amazon Prime mini-series. **A Hundred Sweet Promises kindle book** Jeff Bezos are you listening ?! A Hundred Sweet Promises 4, **A Hundred Sweet Promises booklet** 5 starsEep! Review to come! A Hundred Sweet Promises A Hundred Sweet Promises is a fascinating blend of a fairytale romance and bittersweet reality, **A Hundred Sweet Promises book summary** I felt a deep connection with our beloved protagonist in that I felt like going back to the countryside after years of studying in the city was such a waste: **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises summary** Now as an adult I realized I was quite arrogant and would have very well told my younger self exactly what Nasrosoltan's mother told him before his departure: **EBook A Hundred Sweet promises promises** Sepehr Haddad writes in a mesmerizing style that keeps the readers' eyes glued to the page and their souls bonded to the characters. **PDF A Hundred Sweet promises book** Perhaps the fact that it's based on a true story has some part in the magic but the author's writing style is surely the main star. **Kindle A Hundred Sweet promises book review** A Hundred Sweet Promises "Love" I cried "a little pity show to me a hapless

stranger poor and lonely in Love's City: **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises pdf free** " But she answered: "Foolish stranger yours the fault not mine for losing thus your way. **Book A Hundred Sweet promises of christ** ' 'tis your own choosing blame not me O tiresome stranger: **A hundred sweet promises book** A story never known until now and a story not to be missed, **A hundred sweet promises book** His entire focus is music and he is a natural savant on the piano with dreams of reaching the heights of Stravinsky and Schubert. **PDF A Hundred Sweet promises book** and an ultimate broken heart sending him determined never to find himself lured by any woman ever again. **Book review of a hundred sweet promises** What takes place is nothing short of a perfect love story built on youthful dreams innocent ideals of love and looking beyond the man-made titles of nobility and privilege: **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises pdf free** Love maybe blind but love looks beyond such things - and Nasrosoltan and Irina's story reveals this truth in a beautiful and eloquent way, **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises summary** Accidentally placed fingers brushing against each other created brief moments of contact between them in a safe place where such touching and nearness were permitted, **Book A Hundred Sweet promises of god** Nasrosoltan found himself fixated by a Henri Matisse painting Harmony in Red: **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises summary** He sat down in front of this sizeable oil-on-canvas masterpiece and carefully spent time studying the bright red colors and the rhythms of the foliage patterns, **A hundred sweet promises book** For some reason this particular painting had a powerful effect on his sensibilities distracting him from his recent troublesome thoughts, **A Hundred Sweet Promises booker** As he studied the intricate details of this work it was as if he could almost hear the painting. **A Hundred Sweet Promises epub free** A Hundred Sweet Promises On the eve of the 1979 Islamic Revolution in Iran a beloved grandmother opens her grandson's eyes to his family history. **PDF A Hundred Sweet promises book** His head is filled with the story of his grandfather a Russian princess Tsar Nicholas and previous Shahs of Persia: **A hundred sweet promises book** A tale of love loss fame and family the history she told expanded the young man's perspective of life: **Book A Hundred Sweet promises** " - RumiNasrollah Minbashian later known as "Nasrosoltan" Minbashian was the son of Gholam Reza Khan "Salar Moazaz" Minbashian a famously celebrated and decorated Iranian musician: **EPub A Hundred Sweet promises free** Don't be intimidated by the names and titles that may not roll easily through a mind wired for more western attributes, **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises pdf free** To do so would be to miss an incredible story set in the Persia of the early 1900s: an unknown or forgotten Persia to many of us in modern western culture, **EPub A Hundred Sweet promises free** Nasrosoltan walked in his father's footsteps as a great musician having attended the world-renowned St. **Book A Hundred Sweet promises promises** But it's not his fame nor his achievements that are the real story here, **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises pdf free** This story is about a man whose kismet wove a bittersweet path through his life. **A hundred sweet promises book** It's not a fast-paced tale and the characters speak in the staid yet rambling style common to the area and time. **Kindle A Hundred Sweet promises free** Why say something in five words when you can use fifty words instead? This more formal stylized form of speech demands a slower pace: **Book A Hundred Sweet promises pdf** Through the eyes of Nasrosoltan we glimpse not just Persia but the Russia of the last tsar Nicholas Romanov and his extended family: **Book A Hundred Sweet promises promises** As his love for the beautiful Princess Irina takes flight he is a man consumed by the consciousness that they are of two different worlds that will never mesh. **A hundred sweet promises book** Yet he believes so strongly in kismet that he is convinced they must indeed be fated for each other: **Book A Hundred Sweet promises promises** "And with that desire came the understanding that courage was not the absence of fear but the overcoming of it, **Book A Hundred Sweet promises book** "I became mesmerized as Nasrosoltan struggled with his father his dreams and his destiny, **Book review of a hundred sweet promises** He was an emotional ping-pong ball bouncing from hope to despair with such frequency it was impossible to turn away, **A hundred sweet promises book** It seemed a few ill-timed words could have this young lover falling from the height of true love's peak to the depths of despair: **A hundred sweet promises book** How could these young lovers overcome

the odds?The author in penning this novel has allowed us into a love note he has written for his ancestors: **Book A Hundred Sweet promises book** Included within the ebook are links to some of the songs mentioned in the story including the National Anthem of Persia composed by his great grandfather. **Historical Fiction A Hundred Sweet promises summary** I highly recommend this book to those who enjoy historical reads both fiction and non-fiction, **A hundred sweet promises book** A Hundred Sweet Promises This book is a very well written novel: **A Hundred Sweet Promises ebooks free** A convincing evidence of the influence of European culture on Persian culture towards the end of Ghajar era, **Book review of a hundred sweet promises** It turned out one of Nasrosoltan's sons in later years becomes the first-ever minister of culture in Iran and marries Princess Shams Pahlavi: **A hundred sweet promises book** At its core the book is a love story and deals with the protagonist's emotional conflicts between head and heart: **A Hundred Sweet Promises book review** The author has dedicated the book to his American born sons with a notation: hoping they always remember their Persian roots, **Book A Hundred Sweet promises of god** After reading this book I strongly believe his sons will be truly inspired and proud of their Persian heritage, **Book A Hundred Sweet promises of christ** With Nowruz (Persian New Year) around the corner A Hundred Sweet Promises makes a perfect Aydee (Gift in Persian)! A Hundred Sweet Promises



. Petersburg Russia in 1913. Petersburg Conservatory in pursuit of his musical legacy. {site_link} I am the author of the book. Petersburg Russia in 1913. Petersburg Conservatory in pursuit of his musical legacy.A secret revealed begins the story of a forbidden love.“True love creates rather than devastates. The painting had a magnetic pull drawing him in closer. the similarities between music and painting. shared principles of rhythm harmony and balance.“Love is fearless in the midst of the sea of fear. Petersburg Conservatory in Russia from his early youth.I’ll admit to struggling a bit with this story at first. I wanted things to move a bit more quickly of course. Petersburg Russia in 1913