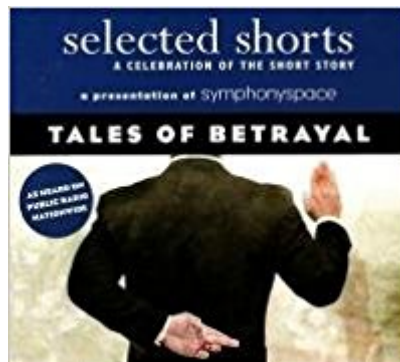




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# Selected Shorts: Tales Of Betrayal (Selected Shorts: A Celebration Of The Short Story)



## Synopsis

Recorded live at the Peter Norton Symphony Space in New York City and at venues across the United States, these audio anthologies feature short stories from the Selected Shorts program that airs nationwide. More than 300,000 listeners tune in to this offering weekly to hear some of their favorite tales read aloud by an assortment of distinguished actors. Abraham prepares to slay Isaac; siblings fall in love with the same man; a Thai man hides his secret guilt from his best friend on draft selection day; in each betrayal, characters make choices that define their lives and suffer consequences often dire or disquieting. Among this anthology's features are Tessa Hadley's "Mother's Son" read by Shohreh Aghdashloo, Adam Haslett's "Devotion" read by John Shea, Rattawut Lapcharoensap's "Draft Day" read by B. D. Wong, and Galina Vromen's "Sarah's Story" read by Jane Curtin.

## Book Information

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I ordered this disc especially to get a copy of the story 'Sarah's Story', which I had heard on the radio several years ago. It was all I remembered. Thank you for preserving it.

I have listened to several pod casts from Selected Shorts and been very pleased. They're great for when I exercise. I bought this set -- there are several others available -- because it had a couple of stories I wanted to share with friends. In addition to great short stories, they are read by trained actors, names you'll recognize. It makes all the difference in the world!

Bought 3 CD's to get Sarah's story on one of the CD's. This is a great story with unexpected ending.

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