



How Long Is Exile?: Book III the Long Road Home (Paperback)

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Xlibris, United States, 2016. Paperback. Condition: New. Reprint. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.At the end of Book I How Long is Exile? ? The Song and Dance Festival of Free Latvians ? widowed Milda Araj's had taken a new direction in her life. She had decided to break solidarity with her mainstream ethnic community and make good her promise to her daughter Ilga that they would make a pilgrimage to Soviet Latvia at Christmas time (1983) and welcome the baby Kri?janis, born to American Mara and Latvian Igors, as the symbol of a new era. Also, Milda had chosen to give herself to Peteris Vanags, the one-armed veteran she encountered in the Esslingen DP camp after the war. (Story in Book II?Out of the Ruins of Germany.) They married shortly before the momentous trip, and soon thereafter Milda joined him in Washington, D.C. For a decade they lived happily, making up for lost years of forbidden longing and desire?until the Soviet Union fell, and the Kingdom of Exile felt the shocks and aftershocks. Unbeknown to herself, Milda's Christmas trip behind the Iron Curtain, with all its revelations, was her first step on her...



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