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STORIES BY

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Jenny Eclair is the author of four critically acclaimed novels: *Camberwell Beauty*; *Having a Lovely Time*; *Life, Death and Vanilla Slices* and *Moving*. One of the UK's most popular writer/performers, she was the first woman to win the prestigious Perrier Award and has many TV and radio credits to her name. She lives in South-East London.



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