

SERVICE
a novel



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'Masterful' *Irish Independent*
'Absolutely compelling' *Rebecca Wait*

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GILMARTIN**

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By Sarah Gilmartin



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*Dinner
Party*

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"A book guaranteed to get people talking... a big topic requiring care, and Gilmartin tackles it with aplomb... both chewy and meaty fare, rare and well done."

Irish Times

"The exhausting and exhilarating life of a high-end restaurant is beautifully recreated in this masterful novel... deeply satisfying..."

A writer correctly confident in her recipe."

Irish Independent



A "powerful and compelling" novel about power, consent, and complicity in our #MeToo era – for fans of *Sweetbitter* and *I Have Some Questions for You* (Joseph O'Connor, author of *My Father's House*)

Tensions are at an all-time high in an upscale Dublin restaurant as its employees grapple with the fallout from a shocking scandal involving its head chef

"This coolly furious dissection of sexual assault and its aftermath is as carefully constructed as anything served up in the Michelin-starred restaurant run by the chef whose alleged behaviour sets the novel in motion... compelling."

Marie Claire

"Gilmartin lays bare both the power imbalances generated in a hothouse, hierarchical environment, and the schism between women's rights in the wake of MeToo and a country still in thrall to the old patriarchal order."

Daily Mail