Record Nr. UNINA9910789466203321 Suffer and be still: women in the Victorian Age / / edited by Martha **Titolo** Vicinus Pubbl/distr/stampa Oxon [England]:,: Routledge,, 2013 **ISBN** 1-135-04526-7 0-203-45827-3 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (258 p.) Collana Routledge revivals Altri autori (Persone) VicinusMartha Disciplina 301.41/2/0942 Soggetti Women - Great Britain - History - 19th century Women - Great Britain - Social conditions Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia First published in 1972 by Methuen. Note generali Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto Cover; Title Page; Copyright Page; Original Title Page; Original Copyright Page; Table of Contents; Introduction: The Perfect Victorian Lady; 1: The Victorian Governess: Status Incongruence in Family and Society; 2: From Dame to Woman: W. S. Gilbert and Theatrical Transvestism; 3: Victorian Women and Menstruation; 4: Marriage, Redundancy or Sin: The Painter's View of Women in the First Twenty-Five Years of Victoria's Reign; 5: A Study of Victorian Prostitution and Venereal Disease; 6: Working-Class Women in Britain, 1890-1914; 7: The Debate over Women: Ruskin vs. Mill 8: Stereotypes of Femininity in a Theory of Sexual Evolution9: Innocent Femina Sensualis in Unconscious Conflict; 10: The Women of England in a Century of Social Change, 1815-1914: A Select Bibliography; Notes: Index Sommario/riassunto <P>First published in 1972, this book contains a collection of ten essays that document the feminine stereotypes that women fought against, and only partially erased, a hundred years ago. It offers a valuable insight into Victorian culture and society.</P>