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## Souvenir of Paris (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*. Excerpt from Souvenir of Paris Of extravagance, the lowest note of happy economy; it shelters every form of faith and the negation Of faith, every virtue and every vice. Every art finds stimulus within its boundaries and so great is the power of Paris, that it can draw tribute from all the civilised world. The wealthy people Of every country, Germany not excepted, must go to Paris, to bow to the decrees Of its fashions, to subscribe to its varied extravagances, to be in the movement as long as health or money lasts. As soon as one visitor leaves, his place is taken by another; as soon as one fortune is spent, another source of wealth is waiting to be tapped. The life de luxe is dear enough in London, but in Paris is dearer still. Only in Paris has the writer visited restaurants where the menu is set out with no price attached, the bill being merely an expression of the management's view Of the patron's standing and his right to partake Of what...



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