

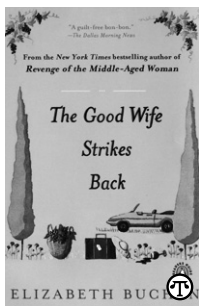


The Good Wife Strikes Back

(NAPSA)—After 19 years of being the perfect wife to an ambitious politician, Fanny Savage is restless. She's tired of merely keeping quiet and looking good at public engagements so she decides it's time to make a change and take charge of her life.

"The Good Wife Strikes Back" (Penguin, \$14) is the latest novel by Elizabeth Buchan, author of The New York Times bestseller "Revenge of the Middle-Aged Woman" (Penguin, \$14).

Buchan's wise and entertaining



new novel deftly describes what it's like to feel restless and in need of personal transformation. Fanny remembers the career she abandoned and the life she left behind as a successful part-

ner in her father's Italian wine business. After two decades of being the good wife, she wonders if it was worth it. Could it be time for a trip back to Italy—to the pleasures of sun, wine and food?

Fanny's transformation is not just sun, wine and food, nor is it meeting up with a love from her past. She must also overcome many hurdles and in the process learn about what matters most to her.

Women everywhere who are trying to do and have it all will see in Fanny a realistic and inspiring mirror. They will find an intelligent, thoroughly modern character who transcends stereotypes and shows that making time for one's self is perhaps the best and most rewarding thing any woman can do.

Buchan's new novel, "Everything She Thought She Wanted," (Viking, \$23.95) will be out in March. Available at your local bookstore.