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A major problem for many writers of the strange and supernatural is their deadpan seriousness. Jan Mark has no such problems. Her slightly wicked humour frequently cuts through and illuminates the quietly normal. These nine stories are both creepy and funny, leaving the reader tingling with the possibility of the ghostly. My only complaint is the repetition of a story from **Nothing to be Afraid Of**, but otherwise this is all pleasure - especially 'Efflorescence' with a wonderfully ingenious code to crack and a character with a huge vocabulary who becomes a Trappist monk.

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