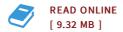


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Part of the Bargain (Paperback)

By Professor Scott Hightower

Copper Canyon Press, 2005. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book. Part of the Bargain, winner of the Hayden Carruth Award and selected from nearly 1,000 entries, is both a cabinet of curiosities and a sweep of philosophical idylls. Hightower s poems range in style and subject, with soliloquies, laments, eccentric ponderings, and contemplations of appetite and art. From Door to the Terrace You withdraw from me like a match From a final cigarette and dance every Abandonment. The strains of music That accompany you float away with you. The book s epigraph evokes a Faustian contract, which is echoed in the tensions between urban and rural, light and dark, moral and amoral action. Hightower s influences---Sappho, Virgil, Blake, and Wilde--make their presence known as he reflects upon life in urban America after growing up in rural Texas, about coming of age as a gay man, about art and artists, poetry and painting. From Spending the Night Now, in another part of the country, I hear it called staying over. Back then, a couple of years was a gaping difference. The ornately carved door covering the strings of an upright melded into the headboard of the bed



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