



Strength: Broadsides from Disability on the Arts (Paperback)

By Paddy Masefield

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 Language: English . Brand New Book. A revealing account of the arts industries attempts to exclude Disability Arts. Readers will be astonished by the potential of disabled artists to refresh the arts world with a new honesty and insight in this wonderfully illustrated anthology. There is a wealth of extraordinary material. Paddy Masefield's observations are touching, scary, funny, but above all human. -- Liz Lynne MEP, Vice Chair of the European Parliament's All Party Disability Intergroup. This remarkable book is the first to focus on disability arts. It eschews the historical, charity-based, patrician assumptions about disabled people and the barriers and prejudices that have kept them invisible in education, the arts and every day life. Instead, it offers readers the excitement and diversity of disability arts and the artistic expression of formerly excluded sectors of society, such as people with learning disabilities and survivors of the mental health system. It is concerned not with their medical impairments, but with the insight and originality of their art works that are beginning to fill a space on the canvas of arts history that has too long been blank. Strength...



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