

The Mountain Poems of Stonehouse (Paperback)

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Copper Canyon Press, 2014. Paperback. Condition: New. New. Language: English . Brand New Book. Winner of the 2015 Washington State Book Award in Poetry Translation The Mountain Poems of Stonehouse [is] a tough-spirited book of enlightened free verse. —Kyoto Journal The Zen master and mountain hermit Stonehouse--considered one of the greatest Chinese Buddhist poets--used poetry as his medium of instruction. Near the end of his life, monks asked him to record what he found of interest on his mountain; Stonehouse delivered to them hundreds of poems and an admonition: Do not to try singing these poems. Only if you sit on them will they do you any good. Newly revised, with the Chinese originals and Red Pine s abundant commentary and notes, The Mountain Poems of Stonehouse is an essential volume for Zen students, readers of Asian literature, and all who love the outdoors. After eating I dust off a boulder and sleep and after sleeping I go for a walk on a cloudy late summer day an oriole sings from a sapling briefly enjoying the season joyfully singing out its heart true happiness is right here why chase an empty name Stonehouse was born in 1272 in Changshu, China,...





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