



Ujjain (Paperback)

By Steffen Horstmann

Partridge India, United States, 2017. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Praise for Ujjain -Steffen Horstmann s book Ujjain is a remarkable collection of Ghazals in Eng-lish. Steffen uses an ancient form of poetry to express the sensibility of a modern day poet, and by doing so, he crosses the boundaries of languages, cultures, and traditions. Agha Shahid Ali couldn t have been more proud of his Shagird Steffen Horstmann, who has kept the torch burning, that he passed on to him after writing Call Me Ishmael Tonight.- -Kalpna Singh-Chitnis, author of Bare Soul -The meditative and sublime states in Steffen Horstmann s radiant collection Ujjain render sonorous arias of cautionary tales for our time-those places of beauty, loss and pain collide into a longing for a vanished world. In these astute ghazals, myth and life and after-life send this poet on a path to claim where the self fits in: -Of a world that vanished before I existed.- Horstmann s luminous voice guides us to where beauty resides, -Through the dark like a train there, - These evocations torque into epiphanies rich with awe to light our way-And we are so...



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