



The Water Leveling with Us

By Donald Levering

Red Mountain Press, United States, 2014. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 211 x 132 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Poetry. Environmental Studies. Donald Levering takes us from ocean bottom to outer space, and from the jungles of Costa Rica to Arctic regions to the Andean heights of Chile, observing all the while the ways in which the earth s surface and its creatures labor to survive. These poems are never didactic, restrained and beautifully rendered as they are; rather, they evoke over and above the vulnerability man has imposed on nature, the vulnerability of man himself as he shares with them the shadow of extinction. Elegaic and observant, these poems illuminate the connections that inform our lives. Leslie Ullman Forche, Milosz, Neruda: all our true poets of witness are poets of what we can t not see, poets of the heightened awareness that comes from danger. Levering offers THE WATER LEVELING WITH US in the same spirit and tradition as these poets. It is a book rich with images of the natural world and with sympathy for the people who inhabit it. It is a book modest in its ambition of making us pay attention, but that is the...



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