

Flight Of Pigeons By Ruskin Bond

RECOGNIZING THE EXAGGERATION WAYS TO ACQUIRE THIS EBOOK **FLIGHT OF PIGEONS BY RUSKIN BOND** IS ADDITIONALLY USEFUL. YOU HAVE REMAINED IN RIGHT SITE TO BEGIN GETTING THIS INFO. ACQUIRE THE FLIGHT OF PIGEONS BY RUSKIN BOND COLLEAGUE THAT WE PAY FOR HERE AND CHECK OUT THE LINK.

YOU COULD PURCHASE GUIDE FLIGHT OF PIGEONS BY RUSKIN BOND OR GET IT AS SOON AS FEASIBLE. YOU COULD QUICKLY DOWNLOAD THIS FLIGHT OF PIGEONS BY RUSKIN BOND AFTER GETTING DEAL. SO, GONE YOU REQUIRE THE EBOOK SWIFTLY, YOU CAN STRAIGHT ACQUIRE IT. ITS CONSEQUENTLY VERY EASY AND AS A RESULT FATS, ISNT IT? YOU HAVE TO FAVOR TO IN THIS VENT

THE FICTIONAL WORLD OF RUSKIN BOND AMITA AGGARWAL 2005 RUSKIN BOND, B. 1934, INDO-ENGLISH LITTERATEUR. *THE RUPA BOOK OF RUSKIN BOND'S HIMALAYAN TALES* RUSKIN BOND 2003 THIS IS RUSKIN BOND'S OWN COLLECTION OF SHORT STORIES, ESSAYS AND POEMS. THE THEME FOR THE COLLECTION IS OF COURSE THE HILLS. WHETHER IT IS NATURE, PEOPLE, PLACES OR EVEN ANIMALS, RUSKIN BOND IS KEENLY OBSERVANT OF ALL FORMS OF LIFE AND ACTIVITY IN THE HI

FUNNY SIDE UP RUSKIN BOND 2006 I HAVE LIVED TO SEE BOMBAY BECOME MUMBAI, CALCUTTA BECOME KOLKATA, AND MADRAS BECOME CHENNAI. TIMES CHANGE, NAMES CHANGE, AND IF BOND BECOMES BONDA I WON'T OBJECT.' WITH THESE LINES, BEGINS ANOTHER BRILLIANT COLLECTION OF ESSAYS, STORIES AND POEMS BY WRITER PAR EXCELLENCE, RUSKIN BOND. WITH AN ABILITY TO LOOK AT ORDINARY SITUATIONS WITH UNIQUE WIT AND ACUITY, RUSKIN BOND INVITES US INTO HIS HOME, HIS COUNTRYSIDE, HIS LIFE. PEOPLED WITH MONKEYS, WILD BOARS, AN AUNT WITH A PHOBIA OF FLOWERS, AN ECCENTRIC COUSIN WHO THINKS HE IS THE GREAT CRICKET PLAYER RANJI, THE WISE SEVEN-YEAR-OLD GAUTAM, THIS COLLECTION IS AN ABSORBING READ FOR READERS OF ALL AGES.

RUSKIN BOND'S BOOK OF VERSE RUSKIN BOND 2016-07-27 THIS LEAF, SO COMPLETE IN ITSELF, IS ONLY PART OF A TREE. AND THIS TREE, SO COMPLETE IN ITSELF, IS ONLY PART OF THE MOUNTAIN. AND THE MOUNTAIN RUNS DOWN TO THE SEA. AND THE SEA, SO COMPLETE IN ITSELF, RESTS LIKE A RAINDROP ON THE HAND OF GOD. RUSKIN BOND'S BOOK OF VERSE BRINGS TOGETHER THE POETRY OF ONE OF INDIA'S BEST-LOVED WRITERS. THIS CHARMING COLLECTOR'S EDITION IS A TREASURY OF POEMS ON LOVE AND NATURE, TRAVEL, HUMOUR AND CHILDHOOD, AND WILL BE A LASTING SOURCE OF DELIGHT TO READERS.

THE ROOM ON THE ROOF RUSKIN BOND 2017-08-03 THE ROOM ON THE ROOF IS A TIMELESS COMING-OF-AGE NOVEL THAT WILL RESONATE WITH A WHOLE NEW GENERATION OF READERS. WRITTEN BY RENOWNED AUTHOR RUSKIN BOND WHEN HE WAS JUST SEVENTEEN, IT IS THE STORY OF RUSTY, A TEENAGE ANGLO-INDIAN BOY WHO IS ORPHANED AND HAS TO LIVE WITH HIS ENGLISH GUARDIAN IN THE STIFLING EUROPEAN QUARTER OF DEHRA DUN. UNHAPPY WITH THE STRICT WAYS OF HIS GUARDIAN, RUSTY RUNS AWAY FROM HOME TO LIVE WITH HIS INDIAN FRIENDS INTO THE DREAM-

BRIGHT WORLD OF THE BAZAAR, HINDU FESTIVALS AND ALL MANNER OF INDIAN LIFE. RUSTY IS ENTHRALLED, AND IS LOST FOREVER TO THE PRIM PROPRIETIES OF THE CLAUSTROPHIC EUROPEAN COMMUNITY.

SCENES FROM A WRITERS LIFE RUSKIN BOND 2017-08-29 THE MAKING OF A WRITER RUSKIN BOND'S FIRST FULL-FLEDGED AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL BOOK COVERS HIS 'FORMATIVE YEARS,' TILL THE AGE OF TWENTY-ONE. THE WORLD OF ANGLO-INDIA, WITH ALL ITS CONFLICTING PULLS, COMES ALIVE AS HE TELLS HIS STORY. HIS EARLIEST MEMOIRS ARE BITTER-SWEET, AND RELATE TO JAMNAGER WHERE HE LIVES TILL HE IS SIX. THE HAPPY HOURS SPENT IN EXPLORING THE RAM VILAS PALACE GROUNDS AND PLAYING WITH HIS YOUNGER SISTER ELLEN AND THE PALACE CHILDREN ARE OVERSHADOWED BY THE ACRIMONIOUS RELATION BETWEEN HIS PARENTS. THEIR ESTRANGEMENT WHILE HE IS STILL A CHILD LEAVES HIM WITH A LIFE-LONG SENSE OF INSECURITY. HIS UNHAPPINESS IS EXACERBATED BY THE UNTIMELY DEATH OF HIS FATHER " HIS EMOTIONAL ANCHOR WHEN THE AUTHOR IS JUST TEN. FORCED TO STAY WITH HIS MOTHER AND HIS STEPFATHER, BOTH OF WHOM ARE ABSORBED IN THEIR OWN WORLDS, HE TRIES TO FEND OFF HIS LONELINESS THROUGH BOOKS AND THE COMPANY OF A FEW FRIENDS. LEFT FOR THE MOST PART TO HIMSELF, THE GENTLE DREAMER REALIZES VERY EARLY AS 'A PIMPLY ADOLESCENT' HIS CALLING AS A WRITER. HIS FIRST BOOK, THE ROOM ON THE ROOF, MATERIALIZES IN ENGLAND, THE LAND OF HIS FOREFATHERS, WHERE HE IS SENT TO MAKE A CAREER FOR HIMSELF. DESPITE THE UNEXPECTED SUCCESS OF HIS NOVEL, WHICH WINS A MAJOR BRITISH LITERARY PRIZE, THE AUTHOR'S YEARNING FOR INDIA IS TOO POWERFUL TO LET HIM REMAIN ABROAD FOR LONG. HE RETURNS AND BEGINS A WRITING CAREER WHICH HAS SPANNED FOUR DECADES, AND EARNED HIM A PLACE IN THE PANTHEON OF GREAT INDIAN WRITERS.

THE KASHMIRI STORYTELLER RUSKIN BOND 2011-07-09 AS DARKNESS FALLS OUTSIDE; AND THE CHILL SETS IN; JAVED KHAN PULLS AT HIS HOOKAH AND BEGINS HIS STORIES... WHEN KAMAL AND HIS FRIENDS GATHER AT JAVED KHAN'S KASHMIRI SHOP AT LANDOUR BAZAAR; HE ENTHRALLS THEM WITH HIS STORIES—OF PRINCES AND KINGS; FAIRIES AND MAGICAL ANIMALS; SUPERMEN AND CUNNING TRADERS. COME; SIT AROUND THE FIRE WITH KAMAL; SHASHI; ANIL; MADHU AND VIJAY WHILE THEY LISTEN TO JAVED KHAN'S STORIES OF THE MONKEY BRIDE; THE MAN WHO GOT SWALLOWED BY A MOSQUITO; THE BENT-UP DOUBLE BEGGAR WHO ANGERED A GHOST; AND MANY OTHER TALES FROM KASHMIR AND BEYOND.

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IN THIS BRILLIANTLY ILLUSTRATED COLLECTION; RUSKIN BOND BRINGS ALIVE UNFORGETTABLE FOLKTALES FROM THE MISTY HILLS OF KASHMIR THAT WILL DELIGHT AND ENCHANT HIS FOLLOWERS BOTH YOUNG AND OLD

THE ROOM OF MANY COLOURS RUSKIN BOND 2014-09-12 FOR OVER FIVE DECADES, RUSKIN BOND HAS WRITTEN CHARMING TALES THAT HAVE MESMERIZED READERS OF ALL AGES. THIS COLLECTION BRINGS TOGETHER HIS FINEST STORIES FOR CHILDREN IN ONE VOLUME. PUBLISHED PREVIOUSLY AS A TREASURY OF STORIES FOR CHILDREN, THIS ATTRACTIVE REJACKETED EDITION INCLUDES TWO NEW STORIES, 'THE BIG RACE' AND 'REMEMBER THIS DAY'. FILLED WITH A RICH CAST OF CHARACTERS AND SUPERB ILLUSTRATIONS, THE ROOM OF MANY COLOURS: A TREASURY OF STORIES FOR CHILDREN IS THE DEFINITIVE BOOK FOR ALL RUSKIN BOND FANS AND TRULY A COLLECTOR'S ITEM.

OWLS IN THE FAMILY RUSKIN BOND 2018-07 'I HAD PLACED ONE [OWL] ON A BRANCH OF THE MANGO TREE, AND WAS STOOPING TO PICK UP THE OTHER, WHEN I RECEIVED QUITE A HEAVY BLOW ON THE BACK OF MY HEAD. A SECOND OR TWO LATER, THE MOTHER OWL SWOOPED DOWN AT GRANDFATHER, BUT HE WAS AGILE ENOUGH TO DUCK OUT OF ITS WAY.' THIS IS A COLLECTION OF RUSKIN BOND'S 'SMALL TOWN' STORIES. MEET RANJI'S WONDERFUL BAT WHICH IS HIS LUCKY CHARM, ALONG WITH WACKY PARROTS, OSTRICHES, OWLS AND A NUMBER OF IDIOSYNCRATIC CHARACTERS IN OTHER STORIES. HOLD YOUR BREATH AS ROMI CYCLES THROUGH A RAGING FOREST FIRE AND FOLLOW THE BOY SCOUTS ON DELIGHTFUL ADVENTURES. LOSE YOURSELF IN TIMELESS ROMANTIC CLASSICS 'THE EYES HAVE IT' AND 'TIME STOPS AT SHAMLI' AND SAVOUR THE BITTERSWEETNESS OF 'THE BLUE UMBRELLA'. OWLS IN THE FAMILY WILL TAKE YOU ON A JOURNEY THROUGH CHILDHOOD AND YOUTH-THROUGH ROMANCE AND THRILL, LEAVING YOU ENCHANTED WITH BOND'S BEAUTIFUL WORLD.

SUSANNA'S SEVEN HUSBANDS RUSKIN BOND 2011-02-09 SINCE HIS CHILDHOOD; ARUN HAS SECRETLY BEEN IN LOVE WITH SUSANNA; HIS DANGEROUSLY ALLURING NEIGHBOUR; WHO BECOMES HIS FRIEND DESPITE THE WIDE DIFFERENCE IN THEIR AGES. BUT SUSANNA HAS A WEAKNESS FOR FALLING IN LOVE WITH THE WRONG MEN. OVER THE YEARS; ARUN WATCHES AS SUSANNA BECOMES NOTORIOUS AS THE MERRY WIDOW WHO FLITS FROM ONE MARRIAGE TO ANOTHER; LEAVING BEHIND A TRAIL OF DEAD HUSBANDS. IT IS ONLY A MATTER OF TIME BEFORE HE TOO BEGINS TO WONDER IF THERE IS ANY TRUTH TO THE SLANDEROUS GOSSIP SURROUNDING THE WOMAN HE IS IN LOVE WITH. IN THIS GRIPPING NEW NOVELLA OF LOVE AND DEATH; BOND REVISITS HIS PREVIOUSLY PUBLISHED SHORT STORY OF THE SAME NAME; INCLUDED HERE IN AN APPENDIX. THIS EDITION ALSO FEATURES THE SCREENPLAY SAAT KHOON MAAF; BASED ON THIS NOVELLA AND WRITTEN BY AWARD-WINNING FILM-MAKER VISHAL BHARDWAJ AND MATTHEW ROBBINS.

IMMORTAL STORIES RUSKIN BOND 2013-10-05 IMMORTAL STORIES, PUBLISHED BY RATNA SAGAR, IS A COLLECTION OF CLASSIC STORIES SELECTED BY FAMOUS CHILDREN'S WRITER RUSKIN BOND. THE COLLECTION SEEKS TO INTRODUCE CHILDREN TO TIMELESS WORKS OF LITERATURE AND ENCOURAGE THEM TO EXPLORE THE TREASURES OF LITERATURE

FURTHER. IN THIS COLLECTION, RUSKIN BOND HAS PUT TOGETHER SOME MUCH LOVED CLASSIC STORIES, WITH A SMATTERING OF A FEW MODERN ONES. WORKS OF WILDE, CHEKHOV, TOLSTOY, TAGORE, PREMCHAND, R K NARAYAN, AS WELL AS BOND HIMSELF FEATURE IN THIS EDITION OF 15 'IMMORTAL STORIES' FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD. SOME HIGHLIGHTS OF THE BOOK ARE:

A TOWN CALLED DEHRA RUSKIN BOND 2008 AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL MEMOIRS OF RUSKIN BOND, INDIC AUTHOR, IN DEHRADUN.

MAHARANI RUSKIN BOND 2017-04-18 H.H. IS THE SPOILT, SELFISH, BEAUTIFUL WIDOW OF THE MAHARAJA OF MASTIPUR. SHE LIVES WITH HER DOGS AND HER CARETAKER, HANS, IN AN ENORMOUS OLD HOUSE IN MUSSOORIE, TAKING LOVERS AND DISCARDING THEM, DRINKING TOO MUCH AND FENDING OFF HER RECKLESS SONS WHO ARE WAITING HUNGRILY FOR THEIR INHERITANCE. THE SEASONS COME AND GO, HOTELS BURN DOWN, CINEMAS SHUT SHOP AND PEOPLE LEAVE THE HILL STATION NEVER TO RETURN, BUT H.H. REMAINS CONSTANT AND INDOMITABLE. OBSERVING HER ANTICS, OFTEN WITH DISAPPROVAL, IS HER OLD FRIEND RUSKIN, WHO CAN NEVER QUITE CUT HIMSELF OFF FROM HER. MELANCHOLIC, WRY AND FULL OF CHARM, MAHARANI IS A DELIGHTFUL NOVELLA ABOUT LOVE, DEATH AND FRIENDSHIP.

WORDS FROM THE HILLS RUSKIN BOND 2017-08

A HANDFUL OF NUTS RUSKIN BOND 2009
UNHURRIED TALES RUSKIN BOND 2017-12 UNHURRIED TALES: MY FAVOURITE NOVELLAS BRINGS TOGETHER, FOR THE VERY FIRST TIME, RUSKIN BOND'S FAVOURITE (AND FINEST) NOVELLAS. THE STORIES IN THIS BOOK INCLUDE TIME STOPS AT SHAMLI (WRITTEN IN 1956 AND PUBLISHED FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 1987); THE BLUE UMBRELLA, WHICH HAS BEEN A BESTSELLER FOR THE LAST FORTY YEARS; ANGRY RIVER, WHICH WAS A LONGER WORK WHEN IT WAS FIRST WRITTEN; BUS STOP, PIPALNAGAR; NIGHT OF THE LEOPARD; THE LAST TIGER AND TALES OF FOSTERGANJ, HIS LATEST NOVELLA, WHICH WAS PUBLISHED IN 2013. THESE STORIES SPEAK OF A WORLD THAT HAS LONG VANISHED, BUT IT IS A WORLD THAT HAS LOST NONE OF ITS POWER TO ENCHANT. WHETHER WE ARE ACCOMPANYING SITA ON HER PERILOUS JOURNEY DOWN THE ANGRY RIVER OR BISNU AS HE GETS THE BETTER OF A DANGEROUS LEOPARD, WHETHER WE DELIGHT IN BINYA'S JOY AT OWNING HER BLUE UMBRELLA OR ARE SADDENED BY THE FATE OF THE LAST TIGER, WHETHER WE LAUGH UPROARIOUSLY AT THE ANTICS OF THE ECCENTRIC GUESTS AT THE 'HOTEL' IN SHAMLI, GET INVOLVED IN THE ADVENTURES OF THE BOYS IN PIPALNAGAR OR PLUNGE INTO THE VARIOUS GOINGS-ON IN THE 'BACKWATER' OF FOSTERGANJ, WE ARE ALWAYS ENTERTAINED, ALWAYS CHARMED. ALL THE STORIES UNWIND IN AN UNHURRIED WAY, EVEN THOSE THAT ARE FILLED WITH DEATH-DEFYING THRILLS AND SPILLS, AND IT IS THIS QUALITY THAT ENABLES US TO SINK INTO THEM AND EXPERIENCE TO ITS FULLEST THE MAGIC OF THE FICTION THAT RUSKIN BOND HAS SPUN OUT OF THE HILLS AND SMALL TOWNS OF INDIA FOR OVER SIXTY YEARS.

RUSTY AND THE MAGIC MOUNTAIN RUSKIN BOND 2015-11-27 THE SQUIRREL FAMILY MUST MOVE TO A NEW HOUSE, BUT NONU'S NOT HAPPY LITTLE NONU SQUIRREL, PLAYFUL AND DARING, HAS JUST MOVED INTO HIS NEW HOUSE

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WITH PAPA SQUIRREL AND MUMMY SQUIRREL. AS HE STARTS EXPLORING HIS NEW NEIGHBOURHOOD, HE REALIZES THERE ARE MANY EXCITING ADVENTURES IN STORE. HE LEARNS TO SKATE WITH HIS NEWLY-FOUND FRIEND NICOLE, ENJOYS BEING FED TASTY NUT CAKES BY HER GRANDMA, EATS JUICY MANGOES WITH THE MANGO GANG AND INDULGES IN SOME CRAZY SHENANIGANS WITH COUSIN DANNY. BUT LIFE'S NOT ALL MANGOES AND SKATEBOARDS. VORACIOUS GOONDA CAT IS ON THE HUNT—WILL NONU BECOME HIS NEXT MEAL?

COLLECTED SHORT STORIES RUSKIN BOND 2016-04-18

RUSKIN BOND WROTE HIS FIRST SHORT STORY, 'UNTOUCHABLE', AT THE AGE OF SIXTEEN, AND HAS WRITTEN MEMORABLE FICTION EVER SINCE. HE IS FAMOUS NOT ONLY FOR HIS LOVE OF THE HILLS, BUT FOR IMBUING THE COUNTRYSIDE WITH LIFE AND VIBRANCY THROUGH MOVING DESCRIPTIONS. THE SIMPLE PEOPLE WHO INHABIT HIS STORIES EVOKE SYMPATHY AND LAUGHTER IN EQUAL MEASURE. THIS WONDERFUL COLLECTION OF SEVENTY STORIES, INCLUDING CLASSICS LIKE 'A FACE IN DARK', 'THE KITEMAKER', 'THE TUNNEL', 'THE ROOM OF MANY COLOURS', 'DUST ON THE MOUNTAIN' AND 'TIMES STOPS AT SHAMLI', IS A MUST-HAVE FOR ANY BOOKSHELF.

THE ADVENTURES OF RUSTY RUSKIN BOND 2017-11-28

RUSTY, THE BOY WHOSE STORIES HAVE CHARMED AND ENTERTAINED CHILDREN FOR YEARS, BRINGS TOGETHER HIS BEST ADVENTURES IN ONE VOLUME! FROM THE TIME HE WAS A BOY LIVING WITH HIS GRANDPARENTS IN DEHRA, SURROUNDED BY AN ASSORTMENT OF ODD ANIMALS, PEOPLE AND RELATIVES, TO WHEN HE GETS SENT AWAY TO SCHOOL, THEN MAKES HIS WAY TO LONDON AND BECOMES A WRITER, RUSTY'S HAD MORE ADVENTURES THAN WE CAN COUNT. THIS OMNIBUS EDITION CONTAINS HIS BEST, FUNNIEST, MOST EXCITING ESCAPADES. IN THESE PAGES, THERE'S TOTO, THE MONKEY THAT TRAVELLED IN A BAG ON A TRAIN; AN ENCOUNTER WITH A LEOPARD; LIFE AS A YOUNG WRITER IN FARAWAY LONDON; AND THE RETURN HOME TO ROOTS THAT WERE ALWAYS LOVED AND NEVER FORGOTTEN. AN EVERGREEN CLASSIC OF CHILDREN'S WRITING IN INDIA, *THE ADVENTURES OF RUSTY* WILL BE ENJOYED LIKE NEVER BEFORE.

ALL-TIME FAVOURITES FOR CHILDREN RUSKIN BOND

2021-05-19 ALL TIME FAVOURITES FOR CHILDREN CELEBRATES RUSKIN BOND'S WRITING WITH STORIES THAT ARE PERENNIALY LOVED AND CAN NOW BE ENJOYED IN A SINGLE COLLECTIBLE VOLUME. CURATED AND SELECTED BY INDIA'S MOST LOVED WRITER, THIS COLLECTION BRINGS SOME OF THE EVOCATIVE EPISODES FROM RUSKIN'S LIFE, ICONIC RUSTY, ECCENTRIC UNCLE KEN, UBIQUITOUS GRANDMOTHER, AND MANY OTHER CHARMING, ENDEARING CHARACTERS IN A SINGLE VOLUME WHILE ALSO INTRODUCING US TO A SMATTERING OF NEW ONES THAT ARE SURE TO BE FIRM FAVOURITES WITH YOUNG READERS. HEART-WARMING, FUNNY AND SPIRITED, THIS IS A MUST-HAVE ON EVERY BOOKSHELF!

CLASSIC RUSKIN BOND RUSKIN BOND 2010-09-13

A COLLECTION OF RUSKIN BOND'S SIX NOVELS EVOKING NOSTALGIA FOR TIME GONE BY THIS COLLECTION OF SIX NOVELS SPARKLES WITH THE QUIET CHARM AND HUMANITY THAT ARE THE HALLMARKS OF RUSKIN BOND'S WRITING. EVOKING NOSTALGIA FOR A TIME GONE BY, THESE POIGNANT CHRONICLES OF LIFE IN INDIA'S HILLS AND SMALL TOWNS

DESCRIBE THE HOPES AND PASSIONS THAT CAPTURE YOUNG MINDS AND HEARTS, HIGHLIGHTING THE UNEASY RECONCILIATION OF DREAMS AND DESTINY. THE SIX NOVELS INCLUDED IN THE COLLECTION ARE: *THE ROOM ON THE ROOF*, *VAGRANTS IN THE VALLEY*, *DELHI IS NOT FAR*, *A FLIGHT OF PIGEONS*, *THE SENSUALIST*, *A HANDFUL OF NUTS*.

THE LAUGHING SKULL RUSKIN BOND 2016 IN THE MIDDLE OF THE NIGHT, I WOKE TO A LOUD RATTLING SOUND. A RAT, PERHAPS? BUT NO. AS SOON AS I OPENED THE CUPBOARD DOOR, OUT POPPED THE SKULL-LANDING NEAR MY FEET AND BOUNCING AWAY RIGHT ACROSS THE DRAWING ROOM.

GHOSTS AND SPIRITS, PRETS AND JINNS ABOUND IN THIS COLLECTION OF STORIES. FROM THE SKULL THAT REFUSED TO BE GIVEN AWAY TO THE SPIRITS OF LONG DEAD HILL-STATION RESIDENTS AND FROM THE MYSTERIOUS MAN YOU MEET ON A DARK ROAD TO THE MALEVOLENT PRESENCE AT THE BOTTOM OF A POND—THESE ARE SOME OF RUSKIN BOND'S BEST STORIES ABOUT THE SUPERNATURAL. DIVE UNDER THE COVERS, LEAVE THE LIGHTS ON AND LOSE YOURSELF IN THESE SCARY, FUNNY AND ADVENTUROUS TALES.

THE HIDDEN POOL RUSKIN BOND 2015-06-01

RUSKIN BOND'S FIRST NOVEL FOR CHILDREN IN A WHOLE NEW LOOK! LAURIE, AN ENGLISH BOY IN A SMALL HILL TOWN IN INDIA, STRIKES UP AN UNLIKELY FRIENDSHIP WITH ANIL, THE SON OF A LOCAL CLOTH MERCHANT, AND KAMAL, AN ORPHAN WHO SELLS BUTTONS AND SHOELACES BUT DREAMS OF GOING TO COLLEGE. ONE DAY THE THREE DISCOVER A SECRET POOL ON THE MOUNTAINSIDE, AND IT IS THERE THAT THEY PLAN THEIR GREATEST ESCAPE YET—A TREK TO THE PINDARI GLACIER, WHERE NO ONE FROM THEIR TOWN HAS GONE BEFORE. THIS NEWLY ILLUSTRATED EDITION OF BOND'S MAGICAL TALE OF CAMARADERIE AND ADVENTURE IS SURE TO WIN OVER YET ANOTHER GENERATION OF READERS.

WHEN DARKNESS FALLS AND OTHER STORIES RUSKIN BOND

2016-11-23 A SUPERB STORYTELLER WHO KEEPS HIS READERS IN THRALL?—STATESMAN IN *WHEN DARKNESS FALLS*, RUSKIN BOND EMERGES YET AGAIN AS A MASTER STORYTELLER: A DECEPTIVELY EFFORTLESS STYLE, AN EYE FOR THE EXTRAORDINARY IN SEEMINGLY HUMDRUM LIVES, AND A DEEP EMPATHY WITH HIS CHARACTERS—EVEN WHEN THEY BELONG TO THE SUPERNATURAL REALM. WE MEET THE WAR VETERAN MARKHAM WHOSE DEFORMATION ENDS IN TRAGEDY; SUSANNA, THE MERRY WIDOW WHO LOVED EACH OF HER SEVEN HUSBANDS TO DEATH; AND KUNDAN SINGH, THE RECKLESS RAKE WHOM WOMEN FIND IRRESISTIBLE. THERE ARE ALSO FASCINATING STORIES FROM THE AUTHOR'S CHILDHOOD, ABOUT THE ECCENTRIC CHARACTERS AND MEMORABLE ANIMALS OF OLD DEHRADUN. TOLD WITH BOND'S CLASSIC WIT, THESE CHARMING STORIES WILL ENCHANT AND DELIGHT IN EQUAL MEASURE.

THE LIFE AND WORKS OF RUSKIN BOND MEENA KHORANA

2003 EXAMINES THE LIFE AND WORKS OF RUSKIN BOND, ONE OF INDIA'S MOST PROLIFIC WRITERS IN ENGLISH FOR ALL AGE GROUPS.

OUR TREES STILL GROW IN DEHRA RUSKIN BOND

2011-01-03 FOURTEEN ENGAGING STORIES FROM ONE OF INDIA'S MASTER STORY-TELLERS SEMI-AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL IN NATURE, THESE STORIES SPAN THE PERIOD FROM THE AUTHOR'S CHILDHOOD TO THE PRESENT. WE ARE INTRODUCED,

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'BOND'S SENTENCES ARE MOIST WITH DEW AND THE MOUNTAIN AIR, WITH CHARM, NOSTALGIA AND UNDERPLAYED HUMOUR...(HE IS) OUR RESIDENT WORDSWORTH IN PROSE.' -- INDIA TODAY

THE LAMP IS LIT RUSKIN BOND 2017-08-29

AUTOBIOGRAPHICAL SKETCHES AND STORIES FROM INDIA'S BEST-LOVED WRITER IN ENGLISH. FOR OVER FOUR DECADES NOW, BY WAY OF INNUMERABLE SHORT STORIES, ESSAYS, POEMS AND NOVELS, RUSKIN BOND HAS CHAMPIONED SIMPLICITY AND QUIETUDE IN LIFE AND IN ART. THIS COLLECTION OF ESSAYS AND EPISODES FROM HIS JOURNALS IS, IN HIS OWN WORDS, "A CELEBRATION OF MY SURVIVAL AS A FREELANCE'. THE AUTHOR'S EARLY FORAYS INTO THE LITERARY MAGAZINES OF THE 1950S AND '60S ARE DESCRIBED IN THE FIRST PART OF THE BOOK, ALONG WITH SOME EXAMPLES OF HIS WORK AT THE TIME. THE SECTIONS THAT FOLLOW CONTAIN EXTRACTS FROM AN UNPUBLISHED TRAVEL JOURNAL HE KEPT DURING THE '60S, EPISODES FROM THE HIGHWAYS ON WHICH HE WAS A FREQUENT TRAVELLER, AND VIGNETTES OF LIFE IN MUSSOORIE, PAST AND PRESENT. WITH UNDERSTATED HUMOUR AND COMPASSION, RUSKIN BOND RECORDS THE CHARMING ECCENTRICITIES OF FRIENDS AND ACQUAINTANCES (A FORMER PRINCESS CHEERFULLY OBSESSED WITH DEATH AND DISASTER); THE SILENT MIRACLES OF NATURE ("NEW MOON IN A PURPLE SKY'); LIFE'S LITTLE JOYS (THE SMELL OF ONIONS FRYING) AND ITS FLEETING REGRETS. NOSTALGIC AND HEART-WARMING, FULL OF WISDOM AND CHARM, THE LAMP IS LIT PROVIDES A FASCINATING GLIMPSE INTO THE LIFE OF "OUR VERY OWN RESIDENT WORDSWORTH IN PROSE.

A FLIGHT OF PIGEONS RUSKIN BOND 2002 SET IN SHAHJAHANPUR DURING THE REVOLT OF 1857. A FLIGHT OF PIGEONS IS RUSKIN BOND'S CLASSIC NOVELLA ABOUT THE TWISTS OF FATE, HISTORY AND THE HUMAN HEART. WHEN RUTH LABADOOR'S FATHER IS KILLED IN A ATTACK BY SEPOYS, HER FAMILY SEEKS REFUGE WITH THEIR TRUSTED COMPANION, LALA RANJIMAL, FROM WHERE THEY HOPE TO ESCAPE TO BAREILLY. BASED ON TRUE EVENTS, THE BOOK IS A HAUNTING STORY, RICH IN DETAIL AND DRAMA. FILMED AS JUNOON.

THE SENSUALIST RUSKIN BOND 2017-05-15 THE SENSUALIST IS THE STORY OF A MAN ENSLAVED BY HIS LIBIDO AND SPIRALLING TOWARDS SELF-DESTRUCTION. GRIPPING,

EROTIC, EVEN BRUTAL, THE BOOK EXPLORES THE DEMONS THAT ITS PROTAGONIST MUST GRAPPLE WITH BEFORE HE IS ABLE TO COME TO TERMS WITH HIMSELF. IN THIS FASCINATING ACCOUNT OF THE PLEASURES AND PERILS THAT ATTEND A YOUNG MAN'S COMING OF AGE, RUSKIN BOND DISPLAYS HIS FELICITY IN EXPLORING THE DARK ASPECTS OF THE HUMAN PSYCHE. BOLD AND POWERFUL, THE SENSUALIST IS A COMPELLING READ.

THE TUNNEL RUSKIN BOND 2021-10-18 THE STEAM ENGINE SHOT OUT OF THE TUNNEL, SNORTING AND PUFFING LIKE A GREEN, BLACK AND GOLD DRAGON, A BEAUTIFUL MONSTER OUT OF RANJI'S DREAMS . . . FASCINATED BY THE MIDDAY TRAIN, RANJI WOULD FIND HIMSELF WAITING NEAR THE TUNNEL TO CATCH A GLIMPSE OF THE ENGINE COME ROARING OUT OF IT. BUT THE TUNNEL HAS MORE SURPRISES FOR HIM. FROM A JUNGLE FULL OF LUSH GREEN TREES COMES A TIMELESS TALE OF UNEXPECTED FRIENDSHIP, CURIOSITY, DUTY AND WILDLIFE. PEPPERED WITH DELIGHTFUL ILLUSTRATIONS, RUSKIN BOND BRINGS TO HIS READERS ANOTHER HEART-WARMING STORY PACKAGED AS A CHARMING CHAPTER BOOK-A PERFECT INTRODUCTION FOR BEGINNERS TO THE WORLD OF INDIA'S FAVOURITE WRITER!

RUSKIN BOND'S BOOK OF HUMOUR RUSKIN BOND 2008 FEATURES PLAYFUL TIGERS, GHOSTS, ELEPHANTS, AND CROWS, AS WELL AS OLD FAVORITES LIKE UNCLE KEN, AND MISS BUN. THE AUTHOR'S SLIGHTLY ECCENTRIC GRANDFATHER AND BOND HIMSELF EASE IN AND OUT OF THESE PAGES.

ESCAPE FROM JAVA AND OTHER TALES OF DANGER RUSKIN BOND 2015-02-06 JOIN INTREPID HEROES AND DAUNTLESS HEROINES IN THEIR QUEST FOR SURVIVAL AGAINST EARTHQUAKES, FIRE, FLOODS AND BOMBS! LIVE LIFE ON THE EDGE WITH FIVE STORIES OF DANGER AND ADVENTURE. FLEE WITH ROMI AS HE RIDES HIS CYCLE STRAIGHT INTO THE RIVER TO GET AWAY FROM A FEARSOME FOREST FIRE; LISTEN IN TO RUTH'S HAIR-RAISING STORY OF ESCAPE FROM RIOTING SEPOYS DURING THE UPRISING OF 1857; READ ABOUT THE AUTHOR'S MIRACULOUS FLIGHT FROM JAVA AS JAPANESE PLANES BOMBARD THE CITY; WITNESS THE HAVOC WREAKED BY THE DEADLIEST EARTHQUAKE EVER IN RAKESH'S TOWN, SHILLONG; AND WATCH SITA COMBAT A FATAL FLOOD. WRITTEN IN RUSKIN BOND'S INIMITABLE STYLE, WITH DOSES OF HUMOUR AND EXCITEMENT, THESE EXTRAORDINARY STORIES ARE SIMPLY UNPUTDOWNABLE.