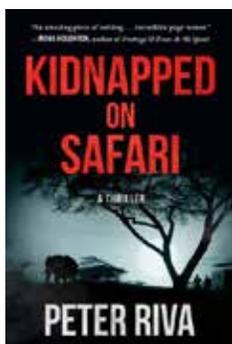


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#### Kidnapped On Safari by Peter Riva

**Description:** The wildlife safari team treks through East Africa on a rescue mission that pits them against Boko Haram in a thriller that will “chain you to your seat” (Bob van Laerhoven, author of Baudelaire’s Revenge). Expert guide Mbuno and TV producer Pero receive news: Mbuno’s son has been kidnapped. Tracing the kidnapers, they discover how far-reaching the terrorist network is. Rescuing Mbuno’s son could put the entire region at risk.



**ISBN:** 978-1510749009 \$22.99 288pp

**Wholesalers/Distributors:** Simon & Schuster

**Subject Category:** Fiction Thriller; Terrorism Thrillers

**Publisher:** Skyhorse Publishing [www.skyhorsepublishing.com](http://www.skyhorsepublishing.com)

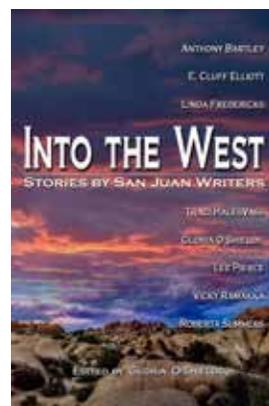
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#### Into The West by San Juan Writers

**Description:** Venture Into the West with New Mexico writers. This collection of short stories and novelettes will thrill you with accounts of the old west and enthrall you with episodes from today’s west. As you explore this wide-ranging group of tales you will encounter mystery, adventure, romance, humor, horror, and magical realism. Enjoy your journey. “There is never a dull moment on any page of this little collection.” —Don Bullis, NM Centennial Author



**ISBN:** 9781086568875, \$12.95, 195 pp, e-book \$3.99

**Distributor:** Amazon print and e-book

**Subject category:** Fiction/Short Stories

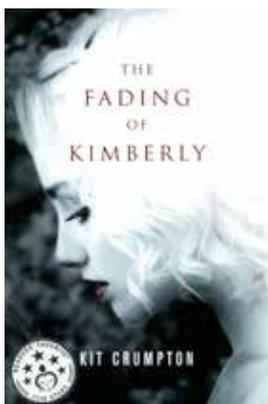
**Publisher:** KDP Publishing

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#### The Fading of Kimberly by Kit Crumpton

**Description:** Kimberly’s family history does little to protect her from the double standards applied to unconventional women in the early twentieth century. As a child Kimberly witnessed the murder of her friend by an astronomer named Riley Nacht. Riley becomes a resident of Elgin State Mental Hospital. Hospital attendant Eddie Fisk is strangely attracted to Riley and his mythological stories of the stars to the demise of both men.



**ISBN:** 978-0-99653-962-3, \$17.00, 265pp

**Wholesalers/distributors:** Amazon and Barnes and Noble

**Subject Category:** Historical Fiction, Women’s Issues

**Publisher:** Ro Bar Romaani LLC, [KitCrumpton.com](http://KitCrumpton.com), [Kit@KitCrumpton.com](mailto:Kit@KitCrumpton.com)

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#### A Year of Comfy, Cozy Soups, Stews, and Chilis: Cooking for Halflings & Monsters, Volume 2 by Astrid Tuttle Winegar

**Description:** Filled with comfort food often inspired by New Mexico and peppered with pop culture references to other literary and cinematic worlds, this quirky cookbook bursts with recipes that will help the reader evoke a sense of warmth and community. Ranging from easy to moderate, the recipes are fantastically delicious! Each recipe is accompanied by full-color photography and charming B/W graphics; warm family anecdotes are tempered by dry humor throughout.



**ISBN:** 978-0-9994179-1-1 35.95 258pp

**Subject Category:** Non-fiction / cookbook

**Publisher:** Ingram Spark [ingramspark.com](http://ingramspark.com)

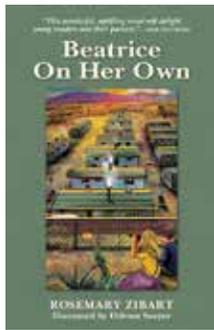
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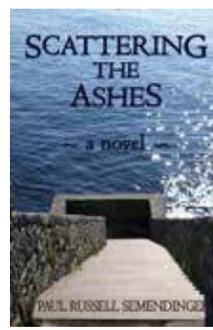
**Rosemary Zibart**

13-year-old Beatrice Simms must battle prejudice and fear when America enters World War II and a Japanese Internment Camp is constructed in sleepy Santa Fe, NM.

ISBN: 9781932926767 / Trade

Release: 09-03-2019 / \$14.95 / 198 pgs

"This wonderful, uplifting novel will delight young readers and their parents." - Anne Hillerman



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**Paul Russell Semendinger**

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ISBN: 9781932926781 / Cloth

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"Scattering The Ashes has all the feels. Semendinger's debut novel taps into every emotion." - Don Burke, NY Post



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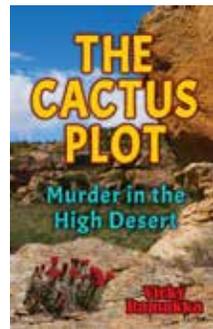
**Ricardo Victoria**

Fionn's days as a warrior were over. Gaby and Alex never expected to become heroes. Now they must join forces before an ancient evil rises to consume the land. In a world where magic and science intermingle, anything is possible.

ISBN: 9781932926743 / Trade

Release: 08-20-2019 / \$17.95 / 324 pgs

"A glorious sci-fi adventure for any reader of the fandom of the classic video game Soul Blade" - Booklist



### **The Cactus Plot**

**Vicky Ramakka**

Murders overshadow botanist Millie Whitehall's peaceful summer surveying endangered plants in northwest New Mexico. When autopsy reports show two seemingly unrelated deaths involve plants, Millie uses her knowledge of plant ecology to discover the culprit.

ISBN: 9781932926835 / Trade

Release: 11-05-2019 / \$15.95 / 284 pgs

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### **Untouchable**

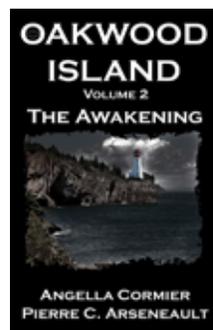
**Geoff Habiger & Coy Kisse**

Saul's life literally changed when Al Capone murdered him, and he was reborn as a vampire. But being a vampire isn't what he expected, and an offer from Capone to answer Saul's many questions about being one of the living dead comes at a price Saul is unwilling to pay.

ISBN: 9781932926859 / Trade

Release: 03-02-2020 / \$14.95 / 220 pgs

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A community beset by an ancient curse and stricken from within by an unseen terror is about to face evil once more. As old mysteries resurface with deadly consequences one man must determine if he can summon the courage to save the island from an ancient evil.

ISBN: 9781951122034 / Trade

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"Oakwood Island...is a story that will give you nightmares and warm your heart" - Sarah Butland, Author



### **No Place That Far**

**Bruce Wilson**

J.D. Hooper has done many evil deeds—murder, assault, and arson—for powerful men. Now he's on the run in the American Southwest, hounded by the law and haunted by his own memories. Can a man run away from trouble, from himself? There ain't no place that far.

ISBN: 9781951122058 / Trade

Release: 07-14-2020 / \$17.95 / 370 pgs



### **Joy of the Widow's Tears**

**Geoff Habiger & Coy Kisse**

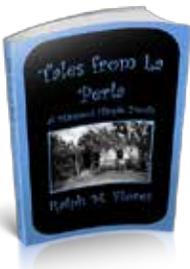
The murder victims and the missing persons seem like unrelated cases until it's discovered that they have become zombies with strange powers. For Constable Inspector Reva Lunaria, solving the case becomes harder after she's been suspended. It will take some unlikely allies to save Tenyl from the undead.

ISBN: 9781951122010 / Trade

Release: 06-02-2020 / \$17.95 / 350 pgs

## Tales from La Perla: A Misspent Hippy Youth by Ralph M. Flores

**Description:** Though cast as fiction, these stories show what dropping into a small New Mexico town at the end of the highway in the Rio Abajo was like for freaks rejecting the madness of the Vietnam War and mainstream U.S. culture. This posthumous collection by the author of *The Horse in the Kitchen* includes photographs by Bob Christensen and others and depicts Ralph's evolution from a 1970s dropout to a man finding his way to connections with others. A section at the end, *Beyond La Perla*, shows the author's further evolution as he came to realize what he values most.



**ISBN:** 978-1-7328852-1-9 \$12 215pp

**Wholesalers/distributors:** Geri Rhodes

**Subject category:** Southwestern Fiction

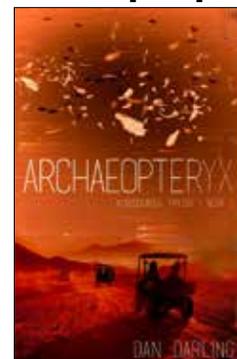
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## Archaeopteryx (Book One, The Albuquerque Trilogy) by Dan Darling

**Description:** When John Stick, a zookeeper with giantism, discovers a breed of chupacabra monsters trained to hunt down undocumented migrants, he begins unraveling a mystery within the mountains of New Mexico. To solve the crisis facing his homeland, Stick must face his family's secret history, bare the scars on his own heart, and make tough choices about his identity. *Archaeopteryx* is a finalist for the New Mexico/Arizona books awards.



**ISBN:** 9781948099332 \$20.99 pp336

**Distributor:** Ingram

**Subject Category:** Southwest, Mystery

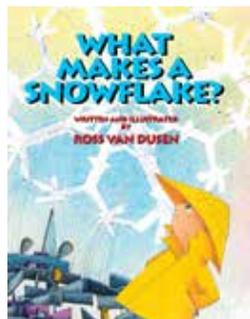
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## What Makes a Snowflake? by Ross Van Dusen

**Description:** The wonder of a snowflake can only be matched by the wonder and imagination of a child. The story of how snowflakes are made is wonderful but the illustrations are fun and fanciful. Even adults will love them! This book makes the perfect gift for a child or a child at heart. The second in the "What Makes" series.



**ISBN:** 978-1-936744-48-0 \$21.95 pb 42pp

**Wholesalers/distributors:** Ingram, Baker & Taylor

**Subject Category:** Childrens' Picture Book

**Publisher:** Rio Grande Books, [www.LPDPress.com](http://www.LPDPress.com) [LPDPress@q.com](mailto:LPDPress@q.com)

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## Voices from the Past by Robert Torr ez

**Description:** *Voices From the Past: The Comanche Raid of 1776 & Other Tales of New Mexico History* is an exploration of the vast treasure of untold and forgotten stories found in New Mexico's Spanish, Mexican, and Territorial period archives.

**ISBN:** 978-1-943681-18-1 \$18.95 196pp

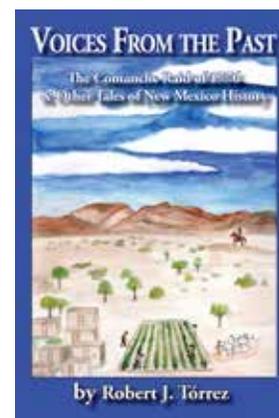
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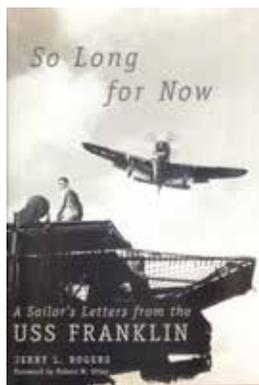
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## So Long for Now: A Sailor's Letters from the USS Franklin by Jerry L. Rogers

**Description:** 2018 NM/AZ Book Award Finalist. A poignant history of small town America during WWII, young love, humor, and lasting tragedy told through the daily experiences of one sailor among more than 3,000 crew members of a giant aircraft carrier that sailed directly into the teeth of the enemy's war machine. A lesson in leadership and, in the end, simple luck and circumstance, in determining who lives and who does not.



**ISBN:** 9780806156323 \$29.95 432 pp

**Distributor:** University of Oklahoma Press

**Subjects:** World War 1939-1945; Personal narratives, American

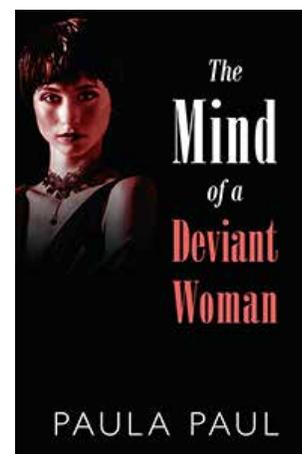
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## The Mind of a Deviant Woman by Paula Paul

**Description:** Carrie Buck gives birth to a child out of wedlock in the 1920s. Because of this, she is considered "deviant," and must be sterilized. A young researcher delves deeper into the identity of "deviants" and uncovers something that sends her life spinning off course. The book is a fictionalized account of Carrie's life, her trial, and the Supreme Court decision that eventually influenced actions taken against citizens in Nazi Germany.



**Wholesaler/distributor:** Ingram

**Category:** Fiction

**Publisher:** Outskirts Press, [outskirtspress.com](http://outskirtspress.com)

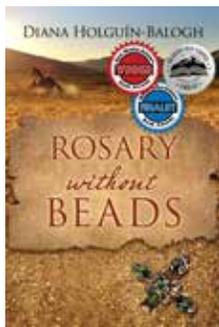
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## Rosary without Beads

by Diana Holguin-Balogh

**Description:** Rosary without Beads is a back-hills narrative for 1800's Lincoln County War. It reboots Billy the Kid's academic legend and gives voice to the haunting New Mexico mountain story. Local shepherd's daughter Ambrosia Salazar mourns her mother's death, cares for a disabled sister, and searches for a run-away sister. The Kid chances by and explodes her world. The story takes you to turbulent times, shakes every emotion, and gives hope.



**ISBN:** 9781432844745 - 311 pages

**Distributors:** Available through all major wholesalers and distributors; 1-800-223-1244, ext. 4.

**Subject Category:** Historical, Frontier Fiction

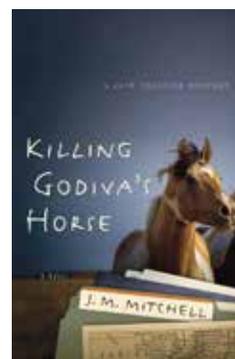
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## Killing Godiva's Horse by J.M. Mitchell

**Description:** "Rhinos, wild horses, politics - and dead bodies - set a frenetic pace from D.C. to Kenya. Do you like books that hit the ground running and pull you in with multiple plotlines that converge, 200 pages later, in a heart-thumping climax? Then Killing Godiva's Horse is right up your wheelhouse." -Colorado Sun. NM/AZ Book Award, mystery/crime fiction; Colorado Authors' League Award, (contemporary) western; and, Colorado Book Award finalist, thriller.



**ISBN:** 978-0-9852272-7-2; \$16.95; 448pp

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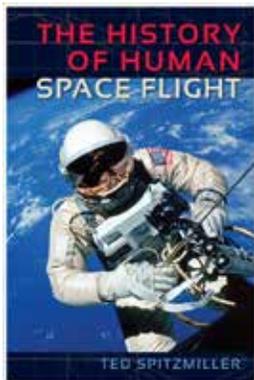
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## The History of Human Space Flight by Ted Spitzmiller

**Description:** Gold Medal Winner of the 2019 Military Writer's Society of America Book Awards (History). Highlights those who dedicated themselves to pushing the limits of space exploration, while surveying the programs, and technology employed. It recreates the space race between the United States and the Soviet Union, and the excitement felt of Yuri Gagarin and John Glenn's first orbital flights. Recounts triumphs and tragedies, such as Neil Armstrong's "one small step" and the Challenger and Columbia disasters.



**ISBN:** 978-0-8130-5427-8 Hardcover 634 pgs. \$26.89

**Subject Category:** History

**Publisher:** University Press of Florida <http://upress.ufl.edu>

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## Miguel & Michelle Visit Spaceport America by Loretta Hall

Come along with Miguel & Michelle as they learn the answers to these questions: What is a spaceport? Where is Spaceport America? Are there space aliens there?

Learn about New Mexico's long history and exciting future!

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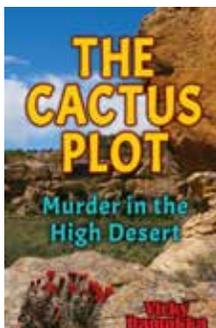
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## The Cactus Plot by Vicky Ramakka

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Murders overshadow botanist Millie Whitehall's peaceful summer surveying endangered plants in northwest New Mexico. When autopsy reports show two seemingly unrelated deaths involve plants, Millie must use her knowledge of ecology as she races to identify the murderer - before she becomes the next victim.



**ISBN:** 978-1-932926-83-5 / 284 pgs

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**Subject Category:** Cozy Mystery

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## The Angel's Chair by Dennis Jung

**Description:** A story of love and friendship between three people estranged by time and remorse forced to revisit a shared tragedy when an investigative journalist reopens their wound in an unexpected way. Set against a backdrop of drug smuggling, corrupt Mexican politics, and abduction, their journey leads them from present day Austin to a remote ranch in northern New Mexico as they struggle to come to terms with their past.

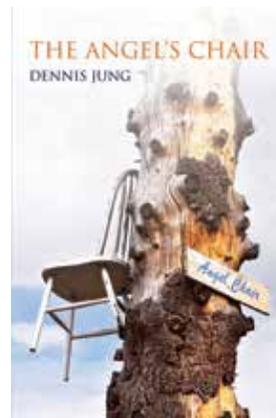
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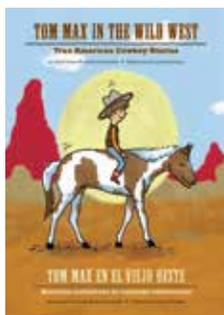
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**Tom Max in the Wild West /  
Tom Max en el viejo oeste  
by Tomás Maximiliano Benavidez**

**Description:** It's a sweet collection of true stories told by a native New Mexican. His stories take place when he was a young cowboy and the son of a broncbuster in Hatch, New Mexico. Tom Max had many unforgettable childhood adventures. The stories tell of his daily life lessons: from chasing jackrabbits in desert, to saving his brother's life, and hunting with his father and brother in the nearby mountains. Brings an authentic New Mexican voice and is a thoroughly entertaining book from beginning to end.



**ISBN:** 978-1-60448-042-9, 24 pp

**Wholesalers/distributors:** Brodart, Follett and Publisher

**Subject Category:** Children's, Non-fiction

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**Fatal Winds by Roberta Summers**

**Description:** Young physicist, Reese Mayfield, applies his genius to developing the first atomic bomb. The atom speaks warning scientists of its power. When Reese learns the effect of radioactive fallout on people, he's deeply disturbed. Despite evidence, and in a flagrant abuse of power and cover-ups, the government denies culpability when cancer clusters occur, children being the most vulnerable. The U. S. must win the Cold War.



**ISBN** 978107705821 Price: \$12.95 - 241 pages

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**Subject category:** Historical Fiction

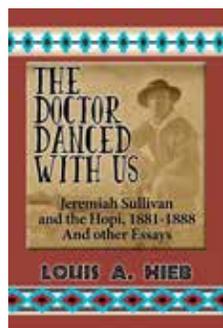
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**The Doctor Danced with Us by Louis Hieb**

From early in 1881 until the summer of 1888, Jeremiah Sullivan lived on the Hopi First Mesa, practicing medicine, participating in the social and ceremonial life of the community, and recording songs and narratives. Soon dismissed as agency physician, arrested, threatened with expulsion by military force, blacklisted from employment by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs and the Smithsonian Institution, slandered by Frank Hamilton Cushing, and all but forgotten in the history of anthropology, Sullivan's residence among the Hopi was the immediate cause of the creation of the 1882 Executive Order Moqui [Hopi] Pueblo Indian Reservation.



**ISBN:** 978-1-943681-25-9 370pp \$19.95

**Subject:** Hopi Indians; Southwest History

**Publisher:** Rio Grande Books

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**Grace in the Wings by Kari Bovee**

When Ziegfeld Follies costume designer Grace Michelle's sister, Ziegfeld's brightest star, dies mysteriously, Grace steps from behind the curtain of her introversion and shyness into the bright lights of Broadway fame to find the truth—only to learn that someone might be out to get her, too. "Not one page of this captivating tale bores, whether it's the latest scandal hitting the Follies or a glance between Grace and Chet. The perfect blend of noir mystery, romance, action, and historical fiction, with a few comedic moments thrown in, This is a page-turning 1920s mystery set against the smoky and sometimes seedy world of the famous Ziegfeld Follies." —Indie Reader



**ISBN:** 978-1-947905-02-3, 344 pages \$14.99

**Subject:** Historical Mystery, 1920, Broadway/Hollywood

**Publisher:** Bosque Publishing

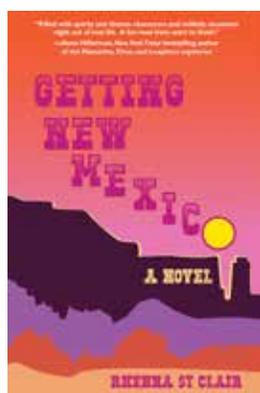
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**Getting New Mexico by Rhenna St. Clair**

**Description:** Can the quirky, anti-elitist culture of New Mexico save the soul of an unrepentant jerk? Aaron Schuyler, a crooked financier, cheating husband, neglectful husband, sponging drunk, and lifelong New Yorker, is exiled to Santa Fe, where he meets the love of his life. For the first time ever, Schuyler wants to be a better person. Can he change his life before he alienates all of New Mexico?



**ISBN:** 978-1-61035-344-1 \$14.95 230 pp

**Wholesalers/Distributors:** Ingram Publisher Services

**Subject Category:** Fiction/Humorous Fiction

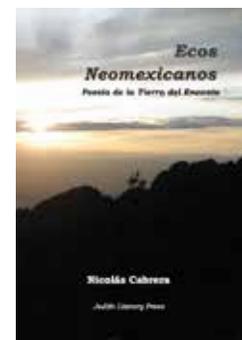
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**Ecos Neomexicanos by Nicolás Cabrera**

**Description:** Winner of the 2019 New Mexico-Arizona Book Awards in the Spanish language book category, Ecos Neomexicanos is a bilingual poetry collection in English and Spanish inspired by the unique New Mexican experience. The poems capture the significance of family, the excitement of making homemade bizcochitos, an autumn walk through the bosque, the beauty of the high desert the Diné call home, springtime in the Sangre de Cristo Mountains, and more.



**ISBN:** 978-0996210751 Paperback \$10.00

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**Wholesalers/Distributors:** Judith Literary Press

**Subject Category:** Poetry – Bilingual (English/Spanish)

**Publisher:** Judith Literary Press

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