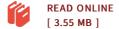




## Butterfly Valley: A Requiem

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New Directions Publishing Corporation, United States, 2004. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 201 x 135 mm. Language: English,Danish . Brand New Book. Inger Christensen, often cited as a Nobel contender and one of Europe s most revered poets, is perhaps best known for her groundbreaking work Det (It), a cycle of poems published in 1969. Her first book published in the U.S., alphabet (New Directions, 2001), met with a tremendous response: Seductive, said Boston Review. A visionary reincarnation of the natural world in the atomic age, wrote The Chicago Review. Butterfly Valley: A Requiem collects four medium-length works, each startling for its beauty and formal innovation. Butterfly Valley is a sonnet cycle in which the glowing colors and beauty of butterflies are described, and yet also their obvious fragility and mortality: memory is uncovered in the poem like the fluttering of their wings. In Watersteps, the fountains and piazzas of Rome coalesce, brought alive by the imagination in the poem s shifting rhythms, lines, and overall structure. In Poem on Death the poet seeking immortality faces the whiteness of the page as the blankness of death: it feels so odd/ immodest to think/ about death when no one/ you know has...



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