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The Secret of Scent: Adventures in Perfume and the Science of Smell (Main)

By Luca Turin

Faber & Faber. Paperback. Book Condition: new. BRAND NEW, The Secret of Scent: Adventures in Perfume and the Science of Smell (Main), Luca Turin, "Meet Luca Turin, a renegade scientist and perfume critic with an extraordinary sense of smell." (Newsday). Funny, irreverent and passionate, The Secret of Scent opens the lid on two worlds - the glamorous and highly lucrative realm of the perfume makers, and the equally rivalrous domain of smell science. Smell is our forgotten sense. Long neglected by science in favour of more prestigious areas of research, it's also barely understood in general life. At the core of our sense of smell lies an enigma: why do things smell the way they do? How is smell written into the molecules? This book is the story of the quest to solve this puzzle. Luca Turin has been described in The Economist as 'a man with a powerful nose and a bizarre obsession with perfume.' Starting with a tour of the great perfumes and their gifted makers, he shows how few people have an idea of what perfume is or how it is made, let alone how smell works and what part it plays in other pleasures like food....

Reviews

This is the finest publication we have read through right up until now. Better than never, though i am quite late in start reading this one. Its been written in an remarkably easy way in fact it is only after i finished reading through this book by which basically altered me, affect the way i think.

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Complete guideline! Its such a excellent read. This really is for all who statte there had not been a worth studying. It is extremely difficult to leave it before concluding, once you begin to read the book.

-- **Timothy Lynch**