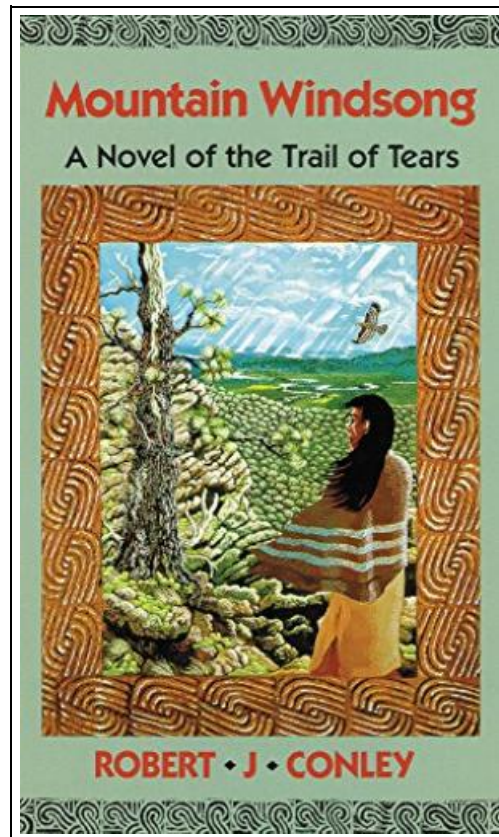


Mountain Windsong: A Novel of the Trail of Tears



Filesize: 3.78 MB

Reviews

Good e-book and helpful one. It can be written in basic phrases rather than confusing. I realized this ebook from my i and dad recommended this book to find out.

(Ozella Batz)

MOUNTAIN WINDSONG: A NOVEL OF THE TRAIL OF TEARS



University of Oklahoma Press, United States, 1995. Paperback. Book Condition: New. New edition. 214 x 136 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Set against the tragic events of the Cherokees removal from their traditional lands in North Carolina to Indian Territory between 1835-1838, Mountain Windsong is a love story that brings to life the suffering and endurance of the Cherokee people. It is the moving tale of Waguli (Whippoorwill) and Oconeechee, a young Cherokee man and woman separated by the Trail of Tears. Just as they are about to be married, Waguli is captured by federal soldiers and, along with thousands of other Cherokees, taken west, on foot and then by steamboat, to what is now eastern Oklahoma. Though many die along the way, Waguli survives, drowning his shame and sorrow in alcohol. Oconeechee, among the few Cherokees who remain behind, hidden in the mountains, embarks on a courageous search for Waguli. Robert J. Conley makes use of song, legend, and historical documents to weave the rich texture of the story, which is told through several, sometimes contradictory, voices. The traditional narrative of the Trail of Tears is told to a young contemporary Cherokee boy by his grandfather, presented in bits and pieces as they go about their everyday chores in rural North Carolina. The telling is neither bitter nor hostile; it is sympathetic but unsentimental. An ironic third point of view, detached and often adversarial, is provided by the historical documents interspersed through the novel, from the text of the removal treaty to Ralph Waldo Emerson's letter to the president of the United States in protest of the removal. In this layering of contradictory elements, Conley implies questions about the relationships between history and legend, storytelling and myth-making. Inspired by the lyrics of Don Grooms's song Whippoorwill,...



[Read Mountain Windsong: A Novel of the Trail of Tears Online](#)



[Download PDF Mountain Windsong: A Novel of the Trail of Tears](#)

Related PDFs

**DK Readers L1: Jobs People Do: A Day in the Life of a Firefighter**

DK Publishing. Paperback / softback. Book Condition: new. BRAND NEW, DK Readers L1: Jobs People Do: A Day in the Life of a Firefighter, Linda Hayward, DK Publishing, This Level 1 book is appropriate for...

[Save Document »](#)

**DK Readers L1: Jobs People Do: A Day in the Life of a Teacher**

DK Publishing (Dorling Kindersley), United States, 2001. Paperback. Book Condition: New. American.. 224 x 150 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. This Level 1 book is appropriate for children who are just beginning to...

[Save Document »](#)

**Pickles To Pittsburgh: Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2**

Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 2000. Paperback. Book Condition: New. No Jacket. New paperback print book copy of Pickles to Pittsburgh: Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs 2 written by Judi Barrett. Drawn by Ron...

[Save Document »](#)

**Oxford Reading Tree Read with Biff, Chip and Kipper: Phonics: Level 2: A Yak at the Picnic (Hardback)**

Oxford University Press, United Kingdom, 2014. Hardback. Book Condition: New. Mr. Nick Schon (illustrator). 177 x 148 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Read With Biff, Chip and Kipper is the UK's best-selling...

[Save Document »](#)

**Gideon and Otto: With Read-Aloud Download**

HOUGHTON MIFFLIN, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Reprint. 224 x 148 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Dunrea's keen awareness of young children's concerns and quirks translates into charmingly simple...

[Save Document »](#)

**Peter Rabbit: the Angry Owl - Read it Yourself with Ladybird: Level 2**

Penguin Books Ltd. Paperback. Book Condition: new. BRAND NEW, Peter Rabbit: the Angry Owl - Read it Yourself with Ladybird: Level 2, Peter Rabbit: The Angry Owl Squirrel Nutkin has lost Old Brown's glasses and

[Read Book »](#)

**I Am Reading: Nurturing Young Children s Meaning Making and Joyful Engagement with Any Book**

Heinemann Educational Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 234 x 185 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. It s vital that we support young children s reading in ways that nurture healthy

[Read Book »](#)

**Depression: Cognitive Behaviour Therapy with Children and Young People**

Taylor Francis Ltd, United Kingdom, 2009. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 242 x 174 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. In recent years there has been an increase in research into childhood depression, and it

[Read Book »](#)

**Peter Rabbit: Treehouse Rescue - Read it Yourself with Ladybird: Level 2**

Penguin Books Ltd. Paperback. Book Condition: new. BRAND NEW, Peter Rabbit: Treehouse Rescue - Read it Yourself with Ladybird: Level 2, This is based on the new Peter Rabbit animated TV series. Peter and Lily

[Read Book »](#)

**Games with Books : 28 of the Best Childrens Books and How to Use Them to Help Your Child Learn - From Preschool to Third Grade**

Book Condition: Brand New. Book Condition: Brand New.

[Read Book »](#)