



## The Journals of Constant Waterman: Paddling, Poling, and Sailing for the Love of It (Paperback)

By Matthew Goldman

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