



## The Next Rodeo: New and Selected Essays (Paperback)

By William Kittredge

Graywolf Press,U.S., United States, 2008. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 213 x 132 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. William Kittredge s relationship to the spare, often unforgiving Western landscape is fraught with contradictions. Having grown up on a cattle ranch in Oregon, he has an intimate connection to the vast landscape that was once vital to his family s trade. He has also witnessed, over many decades, the depletion of the West s natural resources due to overuse. In The Next Rodeo, the author s luminous essays move effortlessly from the personal to the political. With grace and integrity, Kittredge directly confronts the myths that lie at the heart of the Western experience: male freedom and female domesticity, the wild and the tame, self-interest and the love of the land. On the heels of Kittredge s first novel, The Willow Field, published to wide critical acclaim in 2006, we are pleased to offer the best of his nonfiction writings.



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