



The City, Awake (Paperback)

By Duncan B Barlow

Stalking Horse Press, 2017. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book *****
Print on Demand *****. Barlow s metaphysical noir The City, Awake is a novel of chemically induced amnesia, doppelgAngers, fanatics, and killers. Saul, a man without a history, awakes in a hotel room with a note in his pocket. Hunting for answers, he must survive rival assassins, a millionaire with an axe to grind, a shape-shifting femme fatal, a silent hit man, and a psychotic who is only looking for an exit. Barlow evokes a vast mid-century modernist cityscape in prose that is by turns hard-boiled, then unexpectedly psychedelic and delicate. With temporal and spatial distortions reminiscent of A. E. van Vogt s The World of Null-A, the novel that inspired Godard s Alphaville, this is a vivid investigation of identity, scientific speculation, and Biblical Apocrypha. The City, Awake is a mirror maze of dark streets and darker secrets.



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