



Notes from the Divided Country: Poems (Paperback)

By Suji Kwock Kim

Louisiana State University Press, United States, 2003. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Notes from a Divided Country, Kim s first collection of poetry, confronts a number of difficult subjects - colonialism, the Korean War, emigration, racism, and love. She considers what a homeland would be for a divided nation and a divided self: what it means to enter language, the body, the family, the community; to be a daughter, sister, lover, citizen, or exile. In settings from New York to San Francisco, from Scotland to Seoul, her poems question what threads hold / our lives together in cities and gardens, battlefields and small towns. Across the no-man s-land between every you and I, her speakers encounter, quarrel with, or honor others, traveling between the living and the dead, between horror over the disastrous events of the past and hope for the future. Drawing upon a wide range of voices, styles, and perspectives, Notes from the Divided Country bears witness to the vanishing world. Here is a rare new talent in American poetry, showcased in this dazzling debut. Whatever you meant to love, in meaning to You changed yourself: you are not who...



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