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The Right-Hand Shore (Paperback)

By Christopher Tilghman

Picador USA, United States, 2013. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 208 x 140 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. A New York Times Notable Book of the Year A masterful novel that confronts the dilemmas of race, family, and forbidden love in the wake of America's Civil WarFifteen years after the publication of his acclaimed novel Mason s Retreat, Christopher Tilghman returns to the Mason family and the Chesapeake Bay in The Right-Hand Shore. It is 1920, and Edward Mason is making a call upon Miss Mary Bayly, the current owner of the legendary Mason family estate, the Retreat. Miss Mary is dying. She plans to give the Retreat to the closest direct descendant of the original immigrant owner that she can find. Edward believes he can charm the old lady, secure the estate and be back in Baltimore by lunchtime.Instead, over the course of a long day, he hears the stories that will forever bind him and his family to the land. He hears of Miss Mary s grandfather brutally selling all his slaves in 1857 in order to avoid the reprisals he believes will come with Emancipation. He hears of the doomed efforts by Wyatt Bayly, Miss...



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