



Ballads of Boy and Beak (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Condition: New. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Excerpt from Ballads of Boy and Beak Unlinked by any ties of kin I chanced into your caravan, You entertained and took me in - No angel but a prickly man. You made me welcome to your best And gave me stranger and unknown, As brother rather than as guest, A home more homelike than my own. If to my sight have been unfurled Some glimpses of the point of view, From which the boy surveys the world, I learnt it every whit from you. From you and from your Mother - she Whose gentle influence controlled With guiding hand we did not see, And touch that turned our dross to gold. For idle tongues that scattered free Their froth of gossip fleck d with gall, Would hush their chatter to agree - She sits apart above us all. You never show d by word or sign, That boyish faults had power to fray Your patience at its edge, when mine Wore threadbare twenty times a day. About the Publisher Forgotten Books publishes hundreds of thousands of rare and classic books. Find...



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