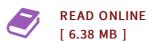




The Browser's Ecstacy: A Meditation on Reading

By O'Brien, Geoffrey

Book Condition: New. Ships From Canada. New in new dust jacket. Sewn binding. Cloth over boards. 224 p. Audience: General/trade. Book Description From one of the most original writers now at work, an expansive, learned, and utterly charming reverie on what it means to be lost in a book Louis Menand, writing in The New Yorker, called Geoffrey O'Brien's The Phantom Empire "'"a prose poem about the pleasures and distractions of movie-watching, "'" "'"an ambitiously literary attempt to write about the [mystery of the] medium as though it were a dream the author had just awakened from. "'" Now, in The Browser's Ecstasy, O'Brien has written a prose poem about reading, a playful, epigrammatic nocturne upon the dream-state one falls into when "'"lost in a book, "'" upon the uncanny, trancelike pleasure of making silent marks on paper utter sounds inside one's head. We call The Browser's Ecstasy a ""Meditation on Reading, "" but like any truly original bookand especially the short book that goes both far and dee.



Reviews

It is simple in read through safer to comprehend. This is for anyone who statte that there was not a really worth reading through. It is extremely difficult to leave it before concluding, once you begin to read the book.

-- Samanta Klein

This is actually the best book i actually have go through right up until now. It generally will not price an excessive amount of. I discovered this book from my dad and i suggested this book to understand.

-- Norma Carroll