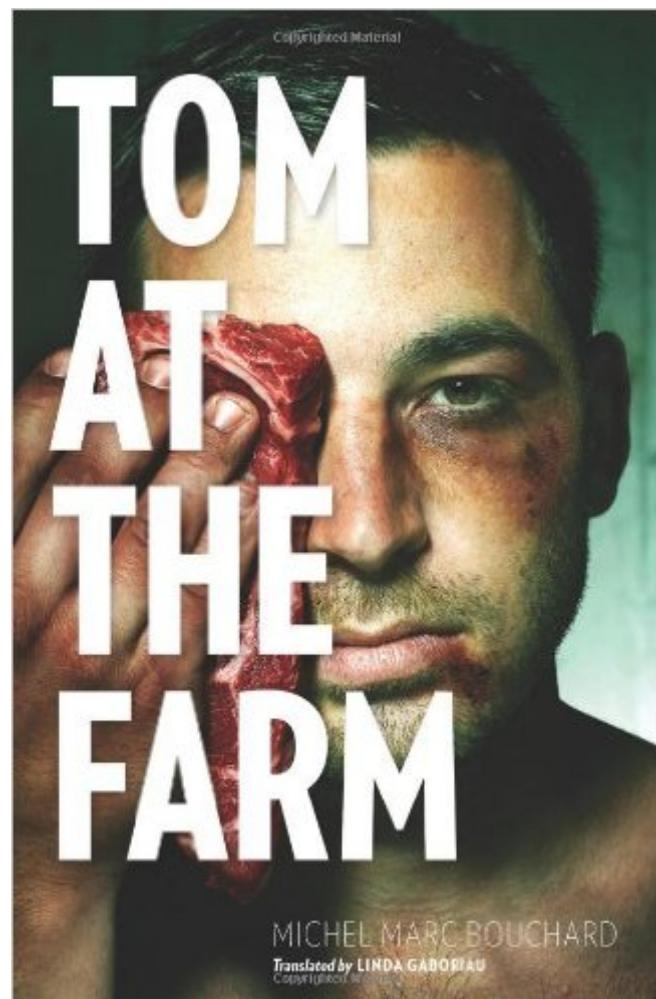


The book was found

Tom At The Farm



Synopsis

Following the accidental death of his lover, and in the throes of his grief, urban ad executive Tom travels to the country to attend the funeral and to meet his mother-in-law, Agatha, and her son, Francis; neither of whom know Tom even exists. Arriving at the remote rural farm, and immediately drawn into the dysfunction of the family's relationships, Tom is blindsided by his lost partner's legacy of untruth. With the mother expecting a chainsmoking girlfriend, and the older brother hellbent on preserving a facade of normalcy, Tom is coerced into joining the duplicity until, at last, he confronts the torment that drove his lover to live in the shadows of deceit. The lover & the friend, the son, the brother, the nameless dead man; has left behind a fable woven of false-truths which, according to his own teenage diaries, were essential to his survival. In this same rural setting, one young man had once destroyed another young man who loved yet another. Like an ancient tragedy, years later, this drama will shape the destiny of Tom. In a play that unfolds with progressively blurred boundaries between lust and brutality, between truth and elaborate action, Bouchard dramatizes how gay men often must learn to lie before they learn how to love. Throughout 2011 and 2012, Tom at the Farm was produced in Quebec and France, as Tom à la ferme, and in Mexico, as Tom en la granja. Award-winning Quebec director Xavier Dolan adapted the play for the screen in 2013, with Caleb Landry Jones in the leading role.

Book Information

Paperback: 96 pages

Publisher: Talonbooks; Reprint edition (May 14, 2013)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0889227594

ISBN-13: 978-0889227590

Product Dimensions: 0.2 x 5.5 x 8.5 inches

Shipping Weight: 4.8 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 3.7 out of 5 stars Â See all reviews Â (3 customer reviews)

Best Sellers Rank: #1,467,061 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #105 in Books > Literature & Fiction > Dramas & Plays > Regional & Cultural > Canadian #121 in Books > Gay & Lesbian > Literature & Fiction > Drama > Gay #2472 in Books > Self-Help > Death & Grief > Grief & Bereavement

Customer Reviews

It's kinda funny because it's about an weird and awkward encounter between a guy and his

deceased lover's family. It's a thriller because there is a tense and secret between them and the ending was unexpected. Would recommend it and I read because Xavier Dolan is making a movie based on this play.

I had seen the movie at the Boston Museum of Fine Arts at the Gay and Lesbian Film Festival and was blown away at how powerful it was.

A mediocre play which does not work well in translation. Unfortunately, Bouchard still has to follow up Lillies with a worthy successor.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Tom at the Farm Farm Crawlers (Farm Tractor Color History) Fortress Farm Trilogy: Volumes 1, 2 & 3 (Fortress Farm Series) Electricity for the Farm: Light, Heat and Power by Inexpensive Methods from the Water Wheel Or Farm Engine It's OK: Tom and Ally Visit the Doctor! (It's OK!) Warman's Matchbox Field Guide: Values and Identification (Warman's Field Guides Matchbox: Values & Identification) 2nd (second) Revised Edition by Larson, Tom published by KP Books (2008) Tom Stevenson's Champagne & Sparkling Wine Guide Tom Kerridge's Proper Pub Food Tom Wolfe Carves Wood Spirits and Walking Sticks (Schiffer Book for Woodcarvers) Tom Douglas' Seattle Kitchen The Tom Mix Cord: Saga of a Western Film Star's Classic Motocar Tom's Special Talent - Dyslexia (Moonbeam book award winner 2009) - Special Stories Series 2 Tom Dokken's Retriever Training Armored Cav (Tom Clancy's Military Referenc) Tom Gilmartin: The Man Who Brought Down a Taoiseach and Exposed the Greed and Corruption at the Heart of Irish Politics The Adventures of Tom Bombadil The Adventures of Tom Sawyer (Dramatized) LA CABALA DEL TIO TOM (Spanish Edition) The History of Tom Jones, A Foundling and Other Works by Henry Fielding (Unexpurgated Edition) (Halcyon Classics) Tom Clancy Duty and Honor (A Jack Ryan Jr. Novel)

[Dmca](#)