1. Record Nr. UNINA9910136090803321 Autore Choyce Lesley <1951-> Titolo Dance the rocks ashore: stories new and selected / / Lesley Choyce Goose Lane Editions Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 0-86492-825-4 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (223 p.) 813/.54 Disciplina Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Lesley Choyce writes rings around most Canadian authors. This Sommario/riassunto collection of short stories, Dance the Rocks Ashore, is certainly choice Choyce.Dance the Rocks Ashore contains substantial new stories including "Dance the Rocks Ashore," a bittersweet account of an elderly couple's decline; the hilarious and bizarre "My Father Was a Book Reviewer" "The Third or Fourth Happiest Man in Nova Scotia," with a peculiar hero reminiscent of Noah; and "The Wreck of the Sister Theresa," in which spring fever hits like "a handshake in hell." Favourite stories from previous books include "Losing Ground," the pivotal chapter in Choyce's acclaimed 1989 novel The Second Season of Jonas

complex and disturbing "Conventional Emotions."

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