Record Nr. UNINA9910162727403321 Autore Boyce Trudy Nan Titolo Old Bones Pubbl/distr/stampa East Rutherford:,: Penguin Publishing Group,, 2017 ©2017 **ISBN** 0-698-14071-0 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (317 pages) Collana A Detective Sarah Alt Novel;; v.2 Classificazione FIC022000FIC022020FIC050000 Disciplina 813.6 Soggetti Women detectives Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Sommario/riassunto "A timely and penetrating mystery about the intersection of policing, racism, and the community--set in a city at its boiling point--from an author who's been in the trenches and seen it all. A senseless act of violence. During a vigil calling for police reform, students from Spelman College, a historically black women's institution, are assaulted by rifle fire from a passing vehicle. On her way to interview witnesses, Detective Sarah "Salt" Alt confronts the fleeing vehicle of the suspects. but they get away. A city in turmoil. While other detectives take the lead on the Spelman murders. Salt is tasked to investigate the case of a recently discovered decomposed body. When she combs through the missing-persons reports, it becomes clear the victim is a girl Salt took into custody two years before, and Salt feels a grave responsibility to learn the truth about how the girl died. But before she can pursue any leads, Salt is called onto emergency riot detail--in the wake of theassault on the Spelman students, Atlanta has reached the boiling point. In a city burdened by history and a community erupting in pain

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and anger, Salt must delve into the past for answers. A gripping and astute story about what it means to serve and protect, Old Bones

solidifies Trudy Nan Boyce as an evocative, authoritative voice in crime