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Sommario/riassunto	The bed, dressed in hand sewn quilt or threadbare blanket, may in and of itself be memorable, but it is what happens in the bed n the sex and lovemaking, the dreams, the reading, the nightmares, the rest, giving birth and dying n which give ebedi special meaning. Whether a bed is

shared with a book, a child, a pet or a partner, whether lovers lie in ecstasy or indifference, whether ebedi relates to intimacy or betrayal, it is memories and recollections of ebedi, in whatever form, which have triggered the writing of these thirty stories by women from southern Africa. Well known writers Joanne F
