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| 1. Record Nr. | UNINA9910461945803321 |
| Titolo | Natural state [[electronic resource]] : a literary anthology of California nature writing / / selected and edited by Steven Gilbar ; with a foreword by David Brower |
| Pubbl/distr/stampa | Berkeley, : University of California Press, c1998 |
| ISBN | 1-283-64631-5 0-520-92033-3 |
| Descrizione fisica | 1 online resource (396 p.) |
| Altri autori (Persone) | GilbarSteven |
| Disciplina | 508.794 |
| Soggetti | Natural history - California Nature Electronic books. |
| Lingua di pubblicazione | Inglese |
| Formato | Materiale a stampa |
| Livello bibliografico | Monografia |
| Note generali | Description based upon print version of record. |
| Nota di bibliografia | Includes bibliographical references (p. 369-373). |
| Nota di contenuto | Natural State -- Front matter -- CONTENTS -- Foreword -- INTRODUCTION -- THE CREATION -- Grampa Ramsey and the Great Canyon -- THE MOUNTAINS -- An Elk Hunt -- Ramblings in Yosemite -- Lake Tahoe -- Climbing Matterhorn Peak -- A Mount for All Seasons -- Trumpets of Light -- The Fourth Dimension -- Climbing Half Dome -- THE HILLS AND VALLEYS -- Into the Valley -- The Sea Fogs -- On Sonoma Mountain -- Flight -- Spirits of the Valley -- A Reflection on White Geese -- In Condor Country -- Winter's Fog -- A Vanishing Land -- Remnants -- THE DESERT -- Desert Walking -- Death Valley -- Overlooking Carrizo Gorge -- The Palms in Our Hands -- THE COAST -- Gaviota Coast Trails -- Where the Mountains Meet the Sea -- Big Sur -- The Sundown Sea -- A Certain Moment -- Tapping the Source -- Santa Rosa -- Lost Coast -- EARTH, WIND, RAIN, AND FIRE -- Continental Drift -- The San Andreas Discrepancy -- A Wind-Storm in the Forest -- The Santa Ana -- Nurslings of the Sky -- The Storm -- After the Fire -- Afterword Coming into the Watershed -- FURTHER READING -- ACKNOWLEDGMENTS |
| Sommario/riassunto | This is the first anthology of nature writing that celebrates California, the most geographically diverse state in the union. Readers-be they |

naturalists or armchair explorers-will find themselves transported to California's many wild places in the company of forty noted writers whose works span more than a century. Divided into sections on California's mountains, hills and valleys, deserts, coast, and elements (earth, wind, and fire), the book contains essays, diary entries, and excerpts from larger works, including fiction. As a prelude to the collection, editor Steven Gilbar presents two California Indian creation myths, one a Cahto narrative and the other an A-juma-wi story as told by Darryl Babe Wilson. Familiar names appear in these pages-John Muir, Robert Louis Stevenson, John McPhee, M.F.K. Fisher, Gretel Ehrlich-but less familiar writers such as Daniel Duane, Margaret Millar, and John McKinney are also included. Among the gems in this treasure trove are Jack Kerouac on climbing Mt. Matterhorn, Barry Lopez on snow geese migration at Tule Lake, Edward Abbey on Death Valley, Henry Miller on Big Sur, and Joan Didion on the Santa Ana winds. Gary Snyder's inspiring Afterword reflects the spirit of environmentalism that runs throughout the book. *Natural State* also reveals the many changes to California's landscape that have occurred in geological time and in human terms. More than a book of "nature writing," this book is superb writing about nature.

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| 2. Record Nr. | UNISALENTO991003000159707536 |
| Autore | Trollope, Anthony |
| Titolo | He knew he was right / Anthony Trollope |
| Pubbl/distr/stampa | London : Oxford university press, 1963 |
| Descrizione fisica | 930 p. ; 15 cm. |
| Collana | The world's classics ; 507 |
| Disciplina | 823.8 |
| Lingua di pubblicazione | Inglese |
| Formato | Materiale a stampa |
| Livello bibliografico | Monografia |
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| 3. Record Nr. | UNINA9910786423103321 |
| Autore | Gonzalez-Murphy Laura Valeria |
| Titolo | Protecting immigrant rights in Mexico : understanding the state-civil society nexus / / Laura Valeria Gonzalez-Murphy |
| Pubbl/distr/stampa | New York : , : Routledge, , 2013 |
| ISBN | 1-136-16309-3 0-203-07991-4 |
| Descrizione fisica | 1 online resource (248 p.) |
| Collana | Routledge Research in Comparative Politics ; ; 54 |
| Classificazione | POL000000POL028000SOC007000 |
| Disciplina | 323.3/29120972 |
| Soggetti | Emigration and immigration - Government policy - Mexico Human rights - Mexico Immigrants - Mexico Mexico Emigration and immigration Government policy |
| Lingua di pubblicazione | Inglese |
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| Livello bibliografico | Monografia |
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| Nota di bibliografia | Includes bibliographical references and index. |
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""Acknowledgments""; ""Section I: Background""; ""Introduction: Mexico, a Country of Immigration?""; ""1 Who Are Mexicoa€™s Immigrants?""; ""2 Mexicoa€™s Immigration Policy in Perspective: Initiating a a€œFriendly Gatesa€? Policy""; ""Section II: Civil Society Flourishes""; ""3 Civil Society from the Mexican Perspective""; ""4 The Statea€™?Civil Society Nexus on Immigration Policy""; ""5 Civil Societya€™s Key Achievement: The New Migration Law of 2011""
""Section III: Comparison and Final Reflections""""6 Immigration and Civil Society in Spain and Italy: A Comparison with Mexico""; ""7 Conclusion and Final Remarks""; ""Appendix A: Interviewees""; ""Appendix B: Frequently Used Acronyms/Abbreviations""; ""Appendix C: Frequently Used Translations""; ""Notes""; ""References""; ""Index""
