Record Nr. UNINA9910819437803321 Autore Remarque Erich Maria <1898-1970> Titolo Eight Stories: Tales of War and Loss // Erich Maria Remarque; introduction by Maria Tatar and Larry Wolff New York: .: Washington Mews Books, an imprint of New York Pubbl/distr/stampa University Press, , 2018 Baltimore, Md.:,: Project MUSE,, 2021 ©2018 **ISBN** 1-4798-6633-4 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (59 pages) Collana Washington Mews;;3 Disciplina 833/.912 Soggetti Post-traumatic stress disorder Soldiers War stories LITERARY COLLECTIONS / American / General Electronic books. Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Seven of the eight short stories in this collection were originally published in Collier's magazine. The eighth story, Dreamt Last Night, was published in Redbook magazine. Includes bibliographical references. Nota di bibliografia Nota di contenuto Remarque at Collier's: writing about war for the American public in the 1930s / Maria Tatar and Larry Wolff -- The enemy -- Silence -- Where Karl had fought -- Josef's wife -- Annette's love story -- The strange fate of Johann Bartock -- On the road -- I dreamt last night. A compelling set of short stories from the author of World War I classic. Sommario/riassunto All Quiet on the Western Front German-American novelist Erich Maria Remarque captured the emotional anguish of a generation in his World War I masterpiece, All Quiet on the Western Front, as well as in an impressive selection of novels, plays, and short stories. This exquisite

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