1. Record Nr. UNINA9910827051703321 Autore Truett Joe C (Joe Clyde), <1941-> **Titolo** Circling back: chronicle of a Texas river valley / / by Joe C. Truett; foreword by Wayne Franklin Iowa City, IA,: University of Iowa Press, 1996 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-58729-240-8 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (230 p.) Collana The American land and life series Disciplina 976.4/18063/092 В **Ecologists - United States** Soggetti Natural history - Texas - Angelina River Valley Angelina River Valley (Tex.) Biography Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references (p. 209-212). Nota di contenuto Contents: Foreword: Acknowledgments: 1. The Angelina Country: 2. Clovis; 3. Corn; 4. Hole-in-the-Rock; 5. Trade Winds; 6. A Beast in Hand; 7. Off the End of a Gun; 8. Farewell, Angelina; 9. Beef Trail; 10. Frontier's End; 11. John Henry and the Iron Horse; 12. Fannie; 13. Mr. Ford's Car; 14. Hard Times and Little Animals; 15. Poppin' Johnny; 16. Wires; 17. Power Brokers; 18. The End of the River; 19. Corporate State; 20. Field to Field; 21. The Price of Subsidy; 22. Hope; Bibliography "There was so much space." These words epitomize ecologist Joe Sommario/riassunto Truett's boyhood memories of the Angelina River valley in East Texas. Years and miles later, back home for the funeral of his grandfather. Truett began a long meditation on the world Corbett Graham had known and he himself had glimpsed, a now-vanished world where wild hogs and countless other animals rustled through the leaves, cows ate pinewoods grass instead of corn, oaks and hickories and longleaf pines were untouched by the corporate ax, and the river flowed freely.

Truett's meditation resulted in this clear-sighted po