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Sustenance & Desire: A Food Lover's Anthology of Sensuality & Humor

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David R. Godine, USA, 2004. Hardback/Cloth. Book Condition: New. 1st Edition. 160pp Illustrated. [In stock in Australia, for immediate delivery] This is a book-lover's book about food: about taste, smell, touch, appetite, and all the pleasures of the table. It features 77 poems and prose pieces by some of the world's finest writers, from Basho to Betty Fussell, Colette to Calvin Trillin - all selected and complemented with illustrations by artist/anthologist Bascope, the creator of the best-selling *Where Books Fall Open*. The witty selections are complemented by 15 full-colour paintings by the editor, paintings whose gently voluptuous figuration [is] beautiful. Their most deeply felt quality is a kind of animating tendresse all too rare today' (Gerrit Henry, *Art in America*). Beautifully conceived and lovingly produced, here is the perfect book for the most discriminating literary gourmet on your holiday gift list. The artwork and writing are vibrant, witty, thoughtful and often a bit saucy. Publishers Weekly Some of the authors represented in *Sustenance and Desire*: Diane Ackerman Roy Blount Jr. Anne Caston Lucille Clifton Billy Collins Robertson Davies Michael Dorris M.F.K. Fisher Betty Fussell Allen Ginsberg Donald Hall Jane Hirsch Weld Langston Hughes Jane Kenyon Barbara Kingsolver Maxine Kumin Stanley Kunitz Jhumpa...



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