



The Palm Wine Drinkard (New edition)

By Amos Tutuola, Wole Soyinka

Faber & Faber. Paperback. Book Condition: new. BRAND NEW, The Palm Wine Drinkard (New edition), Amos Tutuola, Wole Soyinka, This classic novel tells the phantasmagorical story of an alcoholic man and his search for his dead palm-wine tapster. As he travels through the land of the dead, he encounters a host of supernatural and often terrifying beings - among them the complete gentleman who returns his body parts to their owners and the insatiable hungry-creature. Mixing Yoruba folktales with what T. S. Eliot described as a 'creepy crawly imagination', The Palm-Wine Drinkard is regarded as the seminal work of African literature. "Brief, thronged, grisly and bewitching." (Dylan Thomas, Observer). "Tutuola's art conceals - or rather clothes - his purpose, as all good art must do." (Chinua Achebe).



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