



## **Bent Road (Paperback)**

By Lori Roy

Penguin Putnam Inc, United States, 2012. Paperback. Condition: New. Reprint. Language: English. Brand New Book. Winner of the Edgar Award for Best First Novel Don t be fooled by the novel s apparent simplicity: What emerges from the surface is a tale of extraordinary emotional power, one of longstanding pain set against the pulsating drumbeat of social change. -Sarah Weinman, For twenty years, Celia Scott has watched her husband, Arthur, hide from the secrets surrounding his sister Eve s death. But when the 1967 Detroit riots frighten him even more than his Kansas past, he convinces Celia to pack up their family and return to the road he grew up on, Bent Road, and the same small town where Eve mysteriously died. And then a local girl disappears, catapulting the family headlong into a dead man s curve. . . . On Bent Road, a battered red truck cruises ominously along the prairie; a lonely little girl dresses in her dead aunt s clothes; a boy hefts his father s rifle in search of a target; and a mother realizes she no longer knows how to protect her children. It is a place where people learn: Sometimes killing is...



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