



The Shadows of June: (A Novel)

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Authors Press, New Delhi, 2012. Soft cover. Book Condition: New. 168 pp. Indian English fiction writers have often displayed a keen interest in portraying Indian bureaucrats in their novels or shorter fiction because this serves as a valid pretext for sharpening the readers? perspectives on the condition of the Indian state. Though the political slant in such novels is inevitable the writers take care to help us understand the finer nuances of human behaviour while confronting state power. However, very few Indian English novels have focused on the induction of young candidates into the administrative system. In other words, civil service aspirants stepping over the threshold to cross into the realms of hardcore bureaucracy have rarely been treated as a fit enough subject for a novel. This transitional phase or the ?rite of passage? has been sensitively portrayed in the novel The Shadows of June.



Reviews

This publication may be really worth a go through, and a lot better than other. It really is writter in simple terms and never difficult to understand. Once you begin to read the book, it is extremely difficult to leave it before concluding.

-- Natalie Abbott

This book will not be simple to get going on reading but extremely exciting to read through. Yes, it can be play, still an interesting and amazing literature. I am very easily could possibly get a delight of reading a written book.

-- Rene Olson