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In a crowded two-bedroom apartment in Tokyo, four Japanese twenty-somethings are waiting for their lives to begin. They have come from all over Japan, bringing with them dreams of success and romance, but life isn't exactly going as planned. Kotomi waits by the phone for a boyfriend who never calls, Ryosuke is sleeping with his best friend's girlfriend, and Mirai's drinking has become a serious problem. Only Naoki, an aspiring filmmaker and the glue that keeps them all together, seems to be on the right track. Meanwhile, their next door neighbors are up to something suspicious, and a mysterious attacker is terrorizing the neighborhood. When a homeless teenager suddenly appears, his arrival sets off a chain of events that will bring to light dark secrets the tenants of Apt. 401 have kept from one

another—and from themselves. Parade—from Shuichi Yoshida (“Japan’s Stieg Larsson” —The Wall Street Journal), the wildly popular author of *Villain*—is a shocking story of life in the big city. Izumi Shikibu (978-), a prominent member of the Heian court, was perhaps the greatest her country has ever known. In this diary Shikibu shares with every turn in her tempestuous relationship with Prince Atsumichi, a relationship that began with the casual exchange of poems, and culminated in her joining the prince at the imperial court. Short biographies of twenty writers from various countries and historical periods. I capolavori della letteratura giapponese, fin dall’antologia poetica della Raccolta delle 10.000 foglie nell’VIII secolo, mostrano come il Giappone abbia elaborato una tradizione letteraria profondamente originale, dai generi e dalle forme variegata. Rinnovata dal contatto con l’Occidente alla fine del XIX secolo, la letteratura giapponese fiorisce di nuovo nel XX secolo con scrittori come Natsume Soseki e Akutagawa Ryunosuke, mentre i romanzi dallo

straordinario successo di Haruki Murakami raccontano lo smarrimento di una generazione cresciuta nel benessere del dopoguerra. Questo libro condensa la narrazione delle più importanti opere dando un assaggio di letteratura e civiltà e avviando alla scoperta di raffinati modelli letterari che hanno un riflesso anche sulla letteratura occidentale. This clever bit of literary mischief is an "exquisite, exuberant, X-rated" ("Mirabella") novel about an imaginary eleventh-century Japanese writer. Onogoro, poet and concubine of the general Motosuke, hides a stable boy behind the screen at the head of her bed to spice up her love life with her master. An abridged edition of the world's first novel, in a translation that is "likely to be the definitive edition . . . for many years to come" (The Wall Street Journal) A Penguin Classic Written in the eleventh century, this exquisite portrait of courtly life in medieval Japan is widely celebrated as the world's first novel—and is certainly one of its finest. Genji, the Shining Prince, is the son of an emperor. He is a

passionate character whose tempestuous nature, family circumstances, love affairs, alliances, and shifting political fortunes form the core of this magnificent epic. Royall Tyler's superior translation is detailed, poetic, and superbly true to the Japanese original while allowing the modern reader to appreciate it as a contemporary treasure. In this deftly abridged edition, Tyler focuses on the early chapters, which vividly evoke Genji as a young man and leave him at his first moment of triumph. This edition also includes detailed notes, glossaries, character lists, and chronologies. Expressions of passion and heartbreak, written by Murasaki Shikibu 1,000 years ago, transcend time and culture in this new translation of the poetry in the first 33 chapters of *The Tale of Genji*. It is the relationship between the novel's characters and the poetry that creates the beauty and sustained erotic tone of Lady Murasaki's story. For the first time, these 400+ poems are presented in the increasingly popular format of tanka (5-7-5-7-7), along with extended notes

that reveal the hidden details and depth of meaning in Murasaki's real and fictional worlds. A monument to the literary genius of women throughout the ages, *A Book of Women Poets from Antiquity to Now* is an invaluable collection. Here in one volume are the works of three hundred poets from six different continents and four millennia. This revised edition includes a newly expanded section of American poets from the colonial era to the present. "[A] splendid collection of verse by women" (TIME) throughout the ages and around the world; now revised and expanded, with 38 American poets. L'emaki è un sistema narrativo che richiede la costruzione di una storia attraverso immagini pittoriche, quindi tutta la composizione si basa sulle transizioni da una scena all'altra sino alla risoluzione finale. A partire dal periodo Heian, gli emaki giapponesi si dissociano da quelli cinesi soprattutto nei temi: se infatti i rotoli cinesi avevano primariamente lo scopo di illustrare i principi trascendentali del buddismo e paesaggi sereni, suggerendone

la grandezza e la spiritualità, quelli giapponesi, invece, concentreranno la loro attenzione sulla vita quotidiana e sull'uomo, trasmettendo dramma, umorismo e romanticismo, e traendo ispirazione dalla letteratura, dalla poesia, dalla natura e soprattutto dalla vita quotidiana; forgeranno una nuova arte intima, a volte in contrapposizione alla ricerca della grandezza spirituale cinese. «Il capolavoro dei romanzi femminili giapponesi è La storia di Genji di Murasaki Shikibu. È un libro così bello, così complesso, così ramificato. Non posso che raccomandarne la lettura». Pietro Citati Il Murasaki Shikibu nikki (????? Diario di Murasaki Shikibu), una delle opere più rappresentative della diaristica femminile dell'XI secolo, descrive l'esperienza dell'autrice come dama articolandosi in due sezioni principali: la prima dedica grande attenzione ai preparativi e agli interminabili festeggiamenti per la nascita del Principe Atsuhira, il futuro erede al trono; la seconda, più frammentaria, propone, invece, descrizioni delle qualità fisiche,

dei pregi e dei difetti caratteriali delle donne al servizio dell'imperatrice Shōshi. La vita di corte, scandita da cerimonie fastose e da una ricerca quasi ossessiva della perfezione estetica, viene presentata al lettore attraverso aneddoti memorabili, rievocati da chi scrive con distaccato spirito critico o con grande partecipazione emotiva, senza mai perdere di vista lo scopo di celebrare la gloria di Fujiwara no Michinaga e dei suoi degni discendenti. A thousand years ago, a young Japanese girl embarked on a journey from deep in the countryside of eastern Japan to the capital. Forty years later, with the long account of that journey as a foundation, the mature woman skillfully created an autobiography that incorporates many moments of heightened awareness from her long life. Married at age thirty-three, she identified herself as a reader and writer more than as a wife and mother; enthralled by fiction, she bore witness to the dangers of romantic fantasy as well as the enduring consolation of self-expression. This reader's edition streamlines Sonja Arntzen and Moriyuki

It's acclaimed translation of the Sarashina Diary for general readers and classroom use. This translation captures the lyrical richness of the original text while revealing its subtle structure and ironic meaning, highlighting the author's deep concern for Buddhist belief and practice and the juxtaposition of poetic passages and narrative prose. The translators' commentary offers insight into the author's family and world, as well as the style, structure, and textual history of her work. This collection includes: How Wand-fo was Saved, Marko's Smile, The Milk of Death, The Last Love of Princess Genji, The Man Who Loved the Nereids, Our Lady of the Swallows, Aphrodisia; the Widow, Kali Beheaded, The End of Marko Kraljevic, The Sadness of Cornelius Berg, and a Postscript by the Author. "From China to Japan, the Balkans to India, Oriental Tales addresses love, conquest, betrayal, murder, religion, and passion in an eloquent and exquisite telling."--Kirkus Reviews. Each volume of the Dictionary of World Biography contains 250 entries on the lives of the

individuals who shaped their times and left their mark on world history. This is not a who's who. Instead, each entry provides an in-depth essay on the life and career of the individual concerned. Essays commence with a quick reference section that provides basic facts on the individual's life and achievements. The extended biography places the life and works of the individual within an historical context, and the summary at the end of each essay provides a synopsis of the individual's place in history. All entries conclude with a fully annotated bibliography. Considered one of the late Shusaku Endo's finest works, *THE SAMURAI* seamlessly combines historical fact with a novelist's imaginings. Set in the period preceding the Christian persecutions in Japan recorded so memorably in Endo's *SILENCE*, this book traces the steps of some of the first Japanese to set foot on European soil. An abridged edition of the world's first novel, in a translation that is "likely to be the definitive edition . . . for many years to come" (The Wall Street Journal) The inspiration behind The

Metropolitan Museum of Art's "The Tale of Genji: A Japanese Classic Illuminated" -- Now through June 16 at The Met Fifth Avenue A Penguin Classic Written in the eleventh century, this exquisite portrait of courtly life in medieval Japan is widely celebrated as the world's first novel—and is certainly one of its finest. Genji, the Shining Prince, is the son of an emperor. He is a passionate character whose tempestuous nature, family circumstances, love affairs, alliances, and shifting political fortunes form the core of this magnificent epic. Royall Tyler's superior translation is detailed, poetic, and superbly true to the Japanese original while allowing the modern reader to appreciate it as a contemporary treasure. In this deftly abridged edition, Tyler focuses on the early chapters, which vividly evoke Genji as a young man and leave him at his first moment of triumph. This edition also includes detailed notes, glossaries, character lists, and chronologies. Prince Genji adopts the daughter of his departed lover, but her beauty causes him to lose his good sense.

His welcoming this girl, raising her to be a lady and arranging the best marriage for her was supposed to have been done out of parental affection. But heart swept away by her charm, he crosses a line as her adoptive father... Margaret Lock explicitly compares Japanese and North American medical and political accounts of female middle age to challenge Western assumptions about menopause. She uses ethnography, interviews, statistics, historical and popular culture materials, and medical publications to produce a richly detailed account of Japanese women's lives. The result offers irrefutable evidence that the experience and meanings—even the endocrinological changes—associated with female midlife are far from universal. Rather, Lock argues, they are the product of an ongoing dialectic between culture and local biologies. Japanese focus on middle-aged women as family members, and particularly as caretakers of elderly relatives. They attach relatively little importance to the end of menstruation, seeing it as a natural part of the aging process and not

a diseaselike state heralding physical decline and emotional instability. Even the symptoms of midlife are different: Japanese women report few hot flashes, for example, but complain frequently of stiff shoulders. Articulate, passionate, and carefully documented, Lock's study systematically undoes the many preconceptions about aging women in two distinct cultural settings. Because it is rooted in the everyday lives of Japanese women, it also provides an excellent entree to Japanese society as a whole. Aging and menopause are subjects that have been closeted behind our myths, fears, and misconceptions. Margaret Lock's cross-cultural perspective gives us a critical new lens through which to examine our assumptions. Il volume riporta due romanzi dello scrittore giapponese. Il primo romanzo racconta la storia del principe Genji, il secondo le vicende di due suoi discendenti, il nipote Niou e il presunto figlio Kaoru. In questi racconti Murasaki raggiunge una grande capacità di analisi. Dei due protagonisti maschili, Niou frivolo-sensuale, Kaoru frigidamente

contorto, è quest'ultimo il vero eroe negativo della narrazione. Ma sono le protagoniste femminili, le tre sorelle Agemaki, Kozeri e Ukifune, figlie del vecchio principe Hacı caduto in disgrazia, a suscitare il talento analitico di Murasaki. Each volume of the Dictionary of World Biography contains 250 entries on the lives of the individuals who shaped their times and left their mark on world history. This is not a who's who. Instead, each entry provides an in-depth essay on the life and career of the individual concerned. Essays commence with a quick reference section that provides basic facts on the individual's life and achievements. The extended biography places the life and works of the individual within an historical context, and the summary at the end of each essay provides a synopsis of the individual's place in history. All entries conclude with a fully annotated bibliography. Nel 1902 Yone Noguchi, scrittore giovanissimo emigrato da Tokyo a San Francisco, si calò nei panni di Asagao (alias Miss Morning Glory), diciottenne frivola e insieme

capace di acute riflessioni, e ne raccontò le peripezie alla scoperta del nuovo mondo. Nacque così il primo romanzo della letteratura scritto in lingua inglese da un autore giapponese, in cui la protagonista, proprio come l'autore, si diletta a giocare con la sua identità. Caustica nei confronti delle visioni stereotipate alla Madama Butterfly, l'eroina di Noguchi è una donna nuova, alla ricerca di qualcosa di diverso nella vita, e dispensa a ruota libera le sue opinioni irriverenti sulla cultura giapponese e sull'american way of life. Opera inedita in Italia e controversa come il suo autore – oggi discussa icona queer – Diario americano di una ragazza giapponese è considerato un romanzo rivoluzionario, un'opera ponte tra Oriente e Occidente tuttora oggetto di culto. Dai miti originari a quelli di oggi: la vicenda nipponica come non l'avete mai letta La storia del Giappone è un passe-partout in grado di rivelare i segreti di una affascinante realtà, spesso nota per le sue sgargianti e coloratissime manifestazioni di cultura pop. Se, da un

lato, il Paese del Sol Levante rappresenta nel nostro immaginario l'emblema della modernità e delle avanguardie tecnologiche, dall'altro il fascino misterioso dei suoi templi e delle vicende di imperatori e samurai suggerisce una storia millenaria, le cui tracce sono disseminate lungo tutto il territorio dell'arcipelago. Le epoche che hanno scandito la storia del Giappone, avvicinandosi in un alternarsi ciclico di chiusura e apertura verso il mondo esterno, sono presentate nei capitoli di questo libro in modo chiaro e sorprendente, ideale per avvicinarsi a una cultura molto distante dalla nostra. Fin dalle prime pagine, il lettore sarà invitato a partire per un viaggio nello spazio e nel tempo che lo condurrà al fianco di mercanti e condottieri, assassini ed esteti, sacerdotesse e filosofi: un mosaico ricco e variegato che vi conquisterà. I mille volti del Sol Levante attraverso i secoli Hanno scritto dei suoi libri: «Una guida culturale alla scoperta di quel – tanto o poco – che nel mito nipponico ci resta da mettere a

fuoco, ma soprattutto che punta a raccontare il Giappone visto dal suo lato emotivo.» Repubblica.it «Pernottare in un capsule hotel è una delle 101 cose da fare a Tokyo e in Giappone stilate da Antonio Moscatello. Per vivere nel sushi style. Provare per credere.» Corriere della Sera «Il fascino che il Giappone esercita sui visitatori è quello di un luogo situato in un tempo e in uno spazio quasi magici, e tra le pagine di questo libro si scoprono i mille volti di un paese dalle molteplici anime, con una narrazione divertente e appassionante.» Affari italiani Antonio Moscatello È pugliese ed è un giornalista dell'agenzia di stampa Askanews, per la quale si occupa di Asia. Laureato all'Orientale di Napoli, ha studiato e vissuto in Giappone ed è giornalista professionista dal 2001. È stato inviato in teatri di conflitto in Medio Oriente e corrispondente da Tokyo e da Budapest. Nel 2017 ha pubblicato Megumi. Storie di rapimenti e spie della Corea del Nord, un libro inchiesta sui rapimenti effettuati in Giappone dalle spie nordcoreane. Nel 2018 ha ottenuto il premio "Umberto

Agnelli" per il giornalismo. Con la Newton Compton ha pubblicato Forse non tutti sanno che in Giappone, 101 cose da fare a Tokyo e in Giappone almeno una volta nella vita, A tutto Giappone e Breve storia del Giappone. The Tale of Genji, written one thousand years ago, is a masterpiece of Japanese literature, is often regarded as the best prose fiction in the language. Read, commented on, and reimagined by poets, scholars, dramatists, artists, and novelists, the tale has left a legacy as rich and reflective as the work itself. This sourcebook is the most comprehensive record of the reception of The Tale of Genji to date. It presents a range of landmark texts relating to the work during its first millennium, almost all of which are translated into English for the first time. An introduction prefaces each set of documents, situating them within the tradition of Japanese literature and cultural history. These texts provide a fascinating glimpse into Japanese views of literature, poetry, imperial politics, and the place of art and women in society. Selections include an imagined

conversation among court ladies gossiping about their favorite characters and scenes in *Genji*; learned exegetical commentary; a vigorous debate over the morality of *Genji*; and an impassioned defense of *Genji*'s ability to enhance Japan's standing among the twentieth century's community of nations. Taken together, these documents reflect Japan's fraught history with vernacular texts, particularly those written by women. The Diary recorded by Lady Murasaki (c. 973-c. 1020), author of *The Tale of Genji*, is an intimate picture of her life as tutor and companion to the young Empress Shoshi. Told in a series of vignettes, it offers revealing glimpses of the Japanese imperial palace - the auspicious birth of a prince, rivalries between the Emperor's consorts, with sharp criticism of Murasaki's fellow ladies-in-waiting and drunken courtiers, and telling remarks about the timid Empress and her powerful father, Michinaga. The Diary is also a work of great subtlety and intense personal reflection, as Murasaki makes penetrating insights into human psychology

- her pragmatic observations always balanced by an exquisite and pensive melancholy. Murasaki Shikibu's *The Tale of Genji*, written in Japan in the early eleventh century, is acknowledged to be one of Japan's greatest literary achievements, and sometimes thought of as the world's first novel. It is also one of the earliest major works to be written by a woman. This introduction to the *Genji* sketches the cultural background, offers detailed analysis of the text, discusses matters of language and style and ends by tracing the history of its reception through nine centuries of cultural change. This book will be useful for survey courses in Japanese and World Literature. Because *The Tale of Genji* is so long, it is often not possible for students to read it in its entirety and this book will therefore be used not only as an introduction, but also as a guide through the difficult and convoluted plot. "An outgrowth of a doctoral dissertation submitted to Stanford University in December 1965."

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