


[DOWNLOAD](#)

[READ ONLINE](#)

[ 6.79 MB ]

## Leaving the Sea: Stories (Vintage Contemporaries)

By Marcus, Ben

Vintage, 2014. Book Condition: New. Brand New, Unread Copy in Perfect Condition. A+ Customer Service! Summary: Praise for Ben Marcus's *Leaving the Sea* "Exhilarating, a treatment of both the world and the self as hostile strangers, where a man can become "an allergy to himself," and where language is both powerful and poisonous . . . But here the struggle to express oneself is also at times hilarious . . . A wonder and a cautionary tale all in one . . . Marcus presents a deeper range of identification for the reader, more emotional complexity, but still plenty of the chair-gripping alienation that marked his previous books . . . Thoroughly and perversely entertaining." -- *New York Times Book Review* "Utterly compelling. What's not said, or left out, implies infinite possibilities after almost every sentence: thus creating a constant state of anxiety in the text at all times . . . As the book progresses Marcus tears up the rulebook completely. And it works beautifully . . . If you enjoy writers like Samuel Beckett, Wallace Stevens and John Ashberry, who refuse to put language in a neat little box where conventional rules apply, then I'm sure you will..."

### Reviews

*Completely essential read through ebook. This can be for all who statte there was not a well worth reading. You wont really feel monotony at at any time of your own time (that's what catalogs are for relating to if you request me).*

-- **Maud Mitchell**

*Certainly, this is actually the greatest job by any publisher. It is really simplistic but shocks within the 50 % of the pdf. I am just happy to tell you that this is the very best ebook i have read in my own lifestyle and may be he greatest ebook for actually.*

-- **Marge Jacobson MD**