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[A] small gem from a writer of great talent and originality.

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(*Words Without Borders*)

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(*Publishers Weekly*)

Levé's text is a fluid, absorbing -- and often beautiful -- read. A fascinating piece of work.

(*The Complete Review*)

About the Author

Edouard Leve was born on January 1, 1965 in Neuilly-sur-Seine. A writer, photographer, and visual artist, Leve was the author of four books of writing-"Oeuvres", "Journal", "Autoportrait", and "Suicide"-and three books of photographs. "Suicide", published in 2008, was his final book.

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