



Summer Capricorn

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Flying Over the Cuckoo's Nest

Sweet coming-of-age story follows one man's quest for a job - and life's meaning

After abandoning a classical music career and finding no job in his new chosen career in computers, Adam Nicholas starts working at a psychiatric hospital while apprenticing at a goat farm and organic gardening center. Neither of these places were what he wanted in a career, but all seem to be giving him exactly what he needs in life: a deeper perspective.

In his first full-length book, author Terry Row presents *Summer Capricorn*, a fascinating look at how life's twists can create opportunity. While on a search for a "real" job, he comforts and befriends the psychiatric patients, learns the ins and outs of goat farming, and digs deep in the earth, experiencing food in its raw state.

Adam's journey is one that many Americans can relate to, that of discovering one's identity through what one does. As he changes his life, he changes himself, finding that though certain doors have shut, others have opened around him.

About the Author:

Terry Row began professional life as a musician. An outstanding oboe player, he attended the Juilliard School and the California Institute of the Arts. Early in his career, he performed throughout the United States and Europe in orchestras, chamber ensembles, and as a soloist. He made a dozen recordings and toured North America during five years as a member of the Los Angeles Chamber Orchestra.

At the age of 30, he chose a new direction for his life, returning to school and becoming a computer consultant and expert on relational database design, living and working in San Francisco, San Jose, and Los Angeles.

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