



*House of Holes* 2012-02-07 in the new york times bestseller house of holes nicholson baker one of the most beautiful original and ingenious prose stylists to have come along in decades the new york times magazine returns to the terrain that made him famous with a gleefully provocative off the charts erotic novel that is unlike anything you ve read a filthy tour de force time shandee finds a friendly arm at a granite quarry ned drops down a hole in a golf course so begins nicholson baker s fuse blowing sexual escapade a modern day hieronymus boschian bacchanal set in a pleasure resort where normal rules don t apply house of holes one of the most talked about books in recent memory is a gleefully provocative novel sure to surprise amuse and arouse

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*A Box of Matches* 2004-03-09 emmett has a wife and two children a cat and a duck and he wants to know what life is about every day he gets up before dawn makes a cup of coffee in the dark lights a fire with one wooden match and thinks what emmett thinks about is the subject of this wise and closely observed novel which covers vast distances while moving no further than emmett s hearth and home nicholson baker s extraordinary ability to describe and celebrate life in all its rich ordinariness has never been so beautifully achieved

**The Anthologist** 2009-09-08 paul chowder is trying to write the introduction to a new anthology of rhyming verse but he s having a hard time getting started the result of his fitful struggles is the anthologist nicholson baker s brilliantly funny and exquisite love story about poetry a new york times notable book 2009 favorite fiction of 2009 los angeles times best books of 2009 the christian science monitor best of 2009 slate com a year s reading favorites 2009 the new yorker best books of 2009 seattle times

The Way the World Works 2013-08-20 baker s second nonfiction collection ranges over the map of life to examine what troubles us what eases our pain and what brings us joy baker moves from political controversy to the intimacy of his own life from forgotten heroes of pacifism to airplane wings telephones paper mills david remnick joseph pulitzer the oed and the manufacture of the venetian gondola he writes about kite string and about the moment he met his wife and he surveys our fascination with video games while attempting to beat his teenage son at modern warfare 2 in a celebrated essay on wikipedia baker describes his efforts to stem the tide of encyclopedic deletionism in another he charts the rise of e readers in a third he chronicles his freedom of information lawsuit against the san francisco public library provided by publisher

Understanding Nicholson Baker 1999 lauded by vanity fair as the best writer of our generation nicholson baker has earned a complex and controversial reputation among contemporary american authors in addition to being celebrated as a prose miniaturist for such works as the mezzanine and room temperature baker is known for highly erotic works such as vox and the fermata in understanding nicholson baker arthur saltzman engages these provocative fictions as well as baker s nonfiction to show how his seemingly disparate works derive from and demonstrate an unremitting zeal for explicit detail along with descriptive obsessiveness and linguistic virtuosity

**season of hope.** 2012-02-02 poetry drawn from a vast catalogue of themes which explore entropy decay frailty moods and shades of character in verse fresh reflective and new perspectives style and direction

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**Human Smoke** 2009-03-03 a study of the decades leading up to world war ii profiles the world leaders politicians business people and others whose personal politics and ideologies provided an inevitable barrier to the peace process and whose actions led to the outbreak of war

**Travelling Sprinkler** 2014-06-05 paul chowder is a poet but he s fallen out of love with writing poems he hasn t fallen out of love with his ex girlfriend roz though in fact he misses her desperately as he struggles to come to terms with roz s new relationship with a doctor paul turns to his acoustic guitar for comfort and inspiration and fills his days writing protest songs going to quaker meetings struggling through planet fitness workouts wondering if he could become a techno dj and experimenting with becoming a cigar smoker written in baker s beautifully unconventional prose and scored with musical influences from debussy to tracy chapman to paul himself travelling sprinkler is an enchanting hilarious and deeply necessary novel i think the job of the novelist is to write about interesting things including things that might not seem all that interesting at first glance and to offer evidence that life is worth living nicholson baker





potential of individual literary narratives narrative interrupted goes beyond the macro framing typical of postclassical narratology and sets out to sketch approaches more sensitive to generic specificities disturbing details and authorial interference unlike the mainstream cognitive approaches or even the emergent unnatural narratology the articles collected here explore the artifice involved in presenting something ordinary and realistic in literature the first section of the book deals with anti dynamic elements such as dialogue details private events and literary boredom the second section devoted to extensions of cognitive narratology addresses spatiotemporal oddities and the possibility of non human narratives the third section focuses on frame breaking fragmentarity and problems of authorship in the works of vladimir nabokov the book presents readings of texts ranging from the novels of don delillo and thomas pynchon to the animal man comics the common denominator for the texts discussed is the interruption of the chain of events or of the experiential flow of human like narrative agents

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書籍 2001-2003 2012-08-31 in these pathbreaking essays roy rosenzweig charts the impact of new media on teaching researching preserving presenting and understanding history negotiating between the cyberenthusiasts who champion technological breakthroughs and the digital skeptics who fear the end of traditional humanistic scholarship rosenzweig re envisions the practices and professional rites of academic historians while analyzing and advocating for the achievements of amateur historians while he addresses the perils of doing history online rosenzweig eloquently identifies the promises of digital work detailing innovative strategies for powerful searches in primary and secondary sources the increased opportunities for dialogue and debate and most of all the unprecedented access afforded by the internet rosenzweig draws attention to the opening up of the historical record to new voices the availability of documents and narratives to new audiences and the attractions of digital technologies for new and diverse practitioners though he celebrates digital history s democratizing influences rosenzweig also argues that the future of the past in this digital age can only be ensured through the active resistance to efforts by corporations to control access and profit from the

**Narrative, Interrupted** 2018-12-25 書籍 非フィクション 非フィクション 書籍 非フィクション 非フィクション 書籍 非フィクション 非フィクション

書籍 2011-01-27 this anthology includes among many other enlightening essays rick perlstein on paul cowan s the tribes of america nicholson baker on daniel defoe s a journal of the plague year marla cone on rachel carson s silent spring and much more

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