

**His
name's
Matthew
Neill Null.
He is
a gifted writer,
dynamic,
close to nature,
native of West Virginia,
American,
and from the American Academy
of Arts and Letters.
He worked at the Fine Arts Work Center.
He wrote *Allegheny Front* and *Honey from the Lion*.
In this book, we can find
his criticism of America and the capitalist society but also
suspense, mystery and action. It's a realistic fiction.
He received the Joseph Brodsky Rome Prize, the Mary McCarthy Prize,
the Michener–Copernicus Society of America Award
because his work is dazzling, deep , historically informed and poetic.
His goal is to give a voice to the victims of the society
and to honor
the gifts of nature.
Without trees,
there is no book.**

Realistic and magical, powerful and soothing, *Honey from the Lion* combines all the oppositions of the world around the amazing nature of West Virginia. Like an artist, Mathew Neil Null sculpts the words and takes you for a long journey to discover America's history and his story. Between the Wolves of the black camps of Helena in West Virginia and the Absentees, the landowners, he explains the context of the twentieth century and the revolution of this capitalistic country.

Mathew Neil Null wanted to give a voice to the people who have been erased from history and you can hear them shouting behind the poetic words rocked by the impressive and majestic descriptions of landscapes. As if he was drawing a planisphere of humanity, the author exposes the life of many different social groups and the massive industrial use of nature.

Follow the energy of very charming characters and breathe the fresh air of words. Don't be shy to take part in this fight between humans and nature and open the book to learn more about « America's shadow story ».



The paradoxical relationship between man and nature