

Young Man With A Horn - Dorothy Baker

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Rick Martin loved music and the music loved him. He could pick up a tune so quickly that it didn't matter to the Cotton Club boss that he was underage, or to the guys in the band that he was just a white kid. He started out in the slums of LA with nothing, and he ended up on top of the game in the speakeasies and nightclubs of New York. But while talent and drive are all you need to make it in music, they aren't enough to make it through a life. Dorothy Baker's *Young Man with a Horn* is widely regarded as the first jazz novel, and it pulses with the music that defined an era. Baker took her inspiration from the artistry though not the life of legendary horn player Bix Beiderbecke, and the novel went on to be adapted into a successful movie starring Kirk Douglas, Lauren Bacall, and Doris Day. Author: Baker, Dorothy Publisher: NYRB Classics Illustration: N Language: ENG Title: Young Man with a Horn Pages: 00000 (Encrypted EPUB) On Sale: 2012-09-11 SKU-13/ISBN: 9781590175774 Category: Fiction : Biographical Category: Fiction : Literary Category: Music : Genres & Styles - Jazz

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