



## John (Audio Book)

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Bolinda Publishing Pty Ltd, 2008. Book Condition: New. Unabridged. 0 x 23 cm. In the tradition of Jim Crace's *Quarantine* and Anita Diamant's *The Red Tent*, *John* is a stunning, lyrical reimagining of John the Apostle in the final years of his life, by the critically acclaimed and bestselling author of *Four Letters of Love*. To be published in print by Bloomsbury in February 2008. In the years following the death of Jesus Christ, John the Apostle, now a frail, blind old man, lives in forced exile on the desolate island of Patmos with a small group of his disciples. Together, the group has endured their banishment, but after years awaiting Christ's return, fissures form within their faith, and, inevitably, one of John's followers disavows Christ's divinity and breaks away from the community, threatening to change the course of Christianity. When the Roman emperor lifts the banishment of Christians, John and his followers are permitted to return to Ephesus, a chaotic world of competing religious sects where Christianity is in danger of vanishing. It is against this turbulent background-and inspired by Jesus's radical message of love and forgiveness-that John comes to dictate his Gospel. Immensely impressive-and based on actual historical events-*John* is at...



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