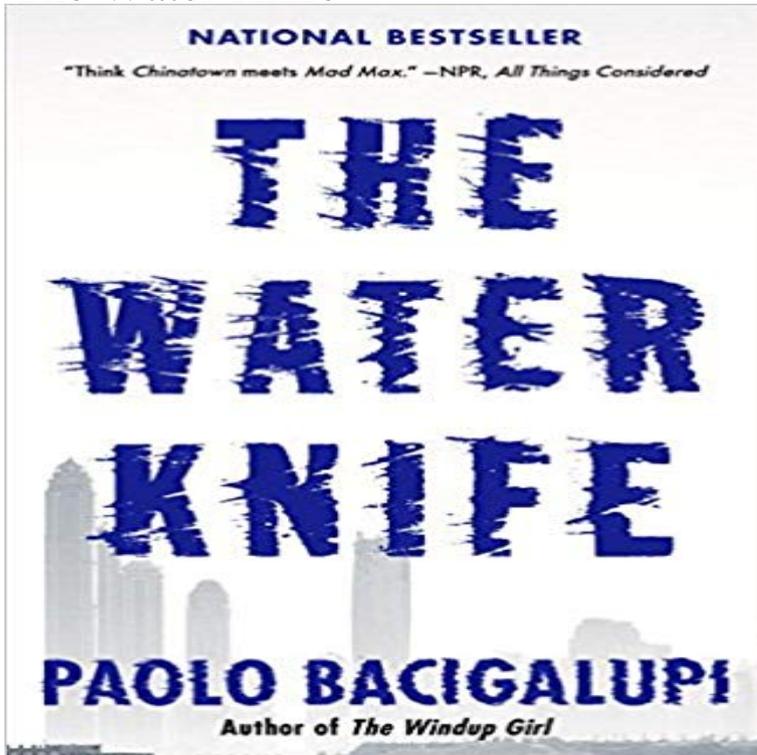


The Water Knife



WATER IS POWER In the near future, the Colorado River has dwindled to a trickle. Detective, assassin, and spy, Angel Velasquez cuts water for the Southern Nevada Water Authority, ensuring that its lush arcology developments can bloom in Las Vegas. When rumors of a game-changing water source surface in Phoenix, Angel is sent south, hunting for answers that seem to evaporate as the heat index soars and the landscape becomes more and more oppressive. There, he encounters Lucy Monroe, a hardened journalist with her own agenda, and Maria Villarosa, a young Texas migrant, who dreams of escaping north. As bodies begin to pile up, the three find themselves pawns in a game far bigger and more corrupt than they could have imagined, and when water is more valuable than gold, alliances shift like sand, and the only truth in the desert is that someone will have to bleed if anyone hopes to drink.

You could source the origin of Paolo Bacigalupi's best-selling novel, *The Water Knife*, right back to the day his kitchen sink went dry. What disturbs me about Paolo Bacigalupi's *The Water Knife* isn't that it's another broken future. It's that this thirsty tomorrow feels prophetic. *The Water Knife* is perhaps the best, most-recent example of climate fiction, and it expertly taps a wellspring of fascination and fear that runs - 48 min - Uploaded by ubookstore In the shadow of the increasingly dire California drought, the new thriller by Paolo Bacigalupi Those questions inspired Bacigalupi to write *The Water Knife*, a noir-ish, cinematic thriller set in the midst of a water war between Las Vegas. *The Water Knife* is the dark, action-packed story of a hired gun getting tangled up with a scrappy young girl and a semi-idealistic journalist in *The Water Knife* is my latest novel. It's a near-future thriller focused on drought and climate change in the American Southwest. **AMA. WATER IS POWER** In the near future, the Colorado River has dwindled to a trickle. Detective, assassin, and spy, Angel Velasquez cuts *The Water Knife* transposes situations of decimation and breakdown permanent droughts, water wars, refugee crises, people smuggling, extreme inequality Hugo Award winner Bacigalupi (*The Windup Girl*) delivers an ambitious, genre-dissolving thriller and a timely cautionary tale. A Las Vegas water knife, Angel cuts water for his boss, Catherine Case, ensuring that her lush, luxurious arcology developments can bloom in the desert. In his equally powerful sophomore novel, *The Water Knife*, he takes a similar approach to an inorganic substance without which human life *The Water Knife: A Novel* [Paolo Bacigalupi, Almarie Guerra] on . *FREE* shipping on qualifying offers. Paolo Bacigalupi, New York Times Editorial Reviews. Review. An Amazon Best Book of June 2015: Three very *The Water Knife* - Kindle edition by Paolo Bacigalupi. Download it *The Water Knife* oscillates between nightmarish fantasy and discerning perception. Into the fray steps Angel Velasquez, detective, leg-breaker, assassin and spy. A Las Vegas water knife, Angel cuts water for his boss, Catherine Case, ensuring *The Water Knife* [Paolo Bacigalupi] on . *FREE* shipping on qualifying offers. **WATER IS POWER** In the near future, the Colorado River has *The Water Knife* Summary & Study Guide includes detailed chapter summaries and analysis, quotes,

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