Nice Jewish Girls: A Lesbian Anthology

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Two such anthologies, Nice Jewish Girls: A Lesbian Anthology (1982) and Home Girls: A Black Feminist Anthology (1983), form themselves around the seemingly homogeneous identities of their contributors: Home Girls is comprised of African American working class lesbian feminists; Nice Jewish Girls, of Jewish lesbian feminists. Such specificity constitutes contributors' challenge to unified definitions of “woman” and also to Monique Wittig's concept of a “Lesbian Nation”—an international community and culture shared by all lesbians—promoted by white middle class le... Å Both anthologies have served as powerful models for women from other marginalized groups and have been greatly influential in various lesbian and feminist communities. Essays, poems, recorded conversations, stories, and prose are gathered to provide a consciousness-raising feeling of what it means to be Jewish and lesbian. Customer reviews. There are no customer reviews yet.