



Saving Grandmother's Face: And Other Tales from Christian Teachers in China (Paperback)

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Wipf Stock Publishers, United States, 2010. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 226 x 150 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****.Description: An elderly peasant woman lives with her coffin in the kitchen. An American teacher is adopted by a village family. An eccentric grandfather teaches Chinese to his American student by jumping around the room and other perilous pantomimes. China is a vast and populous nation which demands our understanding. But while newspaper headlines commonly focus on politics and economics, Saving Grandmother's Face, written by Christian university teachers in China, recounts their experiences in the classroom and in the countryside, celebrating a child's birth and mourning a child's death, grading papers and discussing Chinese literature. Through these stories you will see a side of China often left out--the human side. Endorsements: This collection of authentic and engaging vignettes conveys the flavor and feelings of being an American teacher in China, and opens a set of windows onto aspects of daily life in China that most American visitors would not otherwise get to see. These stories invite the reader into a fascinating variety of experiences--and also invite the reader to respond thoughtfully and reflectively...



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