

# Delve into the Spiritual and Philosophical Depths of Rumi's "The Masnavi": An Oxford World Classics Masterpiece

## Uncover the Timeless Wisdom of a Literary Luminary

Prepare to embark on an extraordinary literary expedition with "The Masnavi: Four Oxford World Classics," a definitive collection that unveils the profound wisdom and enchanting narratives of Jalaluddin Rumi's magnum opus. This four-volume edition, meticulously compiled by renowned Rumi scholar Rumi expert Camille Helminski, presents a comprehensive and accessible gateway into the spiritual and philosophical universe of one of the world's most revered Sufi poets.

Originally composed in the 13th century, "The Masnavi" is a vast poetic tapestry of over 25,000 verses, woven with allegorical tales, parables, and profound insights. Rumi's words, infused with a universal and timeless message, have captivated readers for centuries, inspiring spiritual seekers, poets, scholars, and anyone seeking a deeper understanding of the human condition.



## The Masnavi. Book Four (Oxford World's Classics)

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## Explore the Mystical Tapestry of Rumi's Poetry

Within the pages of this magnificent edition, readers will encounter a world teeming with characters, stories, and teachings that illuminate the path to spiritual enlightenment. Embark on a mystical journey alongside the wandering dervish who seeks his beloved, unravel the secrets of human nature through the parable of the elephant and the ant, and witness the transformative power of love through the tale of Majnun and Layla.

Rumi's poetry transcends cultural and religious boundaries, offering a profound exploration of universal themes: the nature of love, the search for meaning, the illusion of separation, and the longing for connection with the divine. His words resonate with a wisdom that speaks directly to the human heart, inviting readers to question their beliefs, embrace diversity, and cultivate a deeper understanding of themselves and the world around them.

## A Scholarly Edition for In-Depth Exploration

The Oxford World Classics edition of "The Masnavi" is not merely a literary masterpiece but also a scholarly treasure. The renowned Rumi scholar Camille Helminski has meticulously translated the original Persian text into English, preserving the beauty and complexity of Rumi's language while making it accessible to contemporary readers.

Each volume is accompanied by extensive notes and commentary, providing invaluable context and insights into the historical, cultural, and

spiritual background of the work. These annotations guide readers through the intricacies of Rumi's symbolism, illuminate cultural references, and explore the philosophical and theological themes that permeate the text.

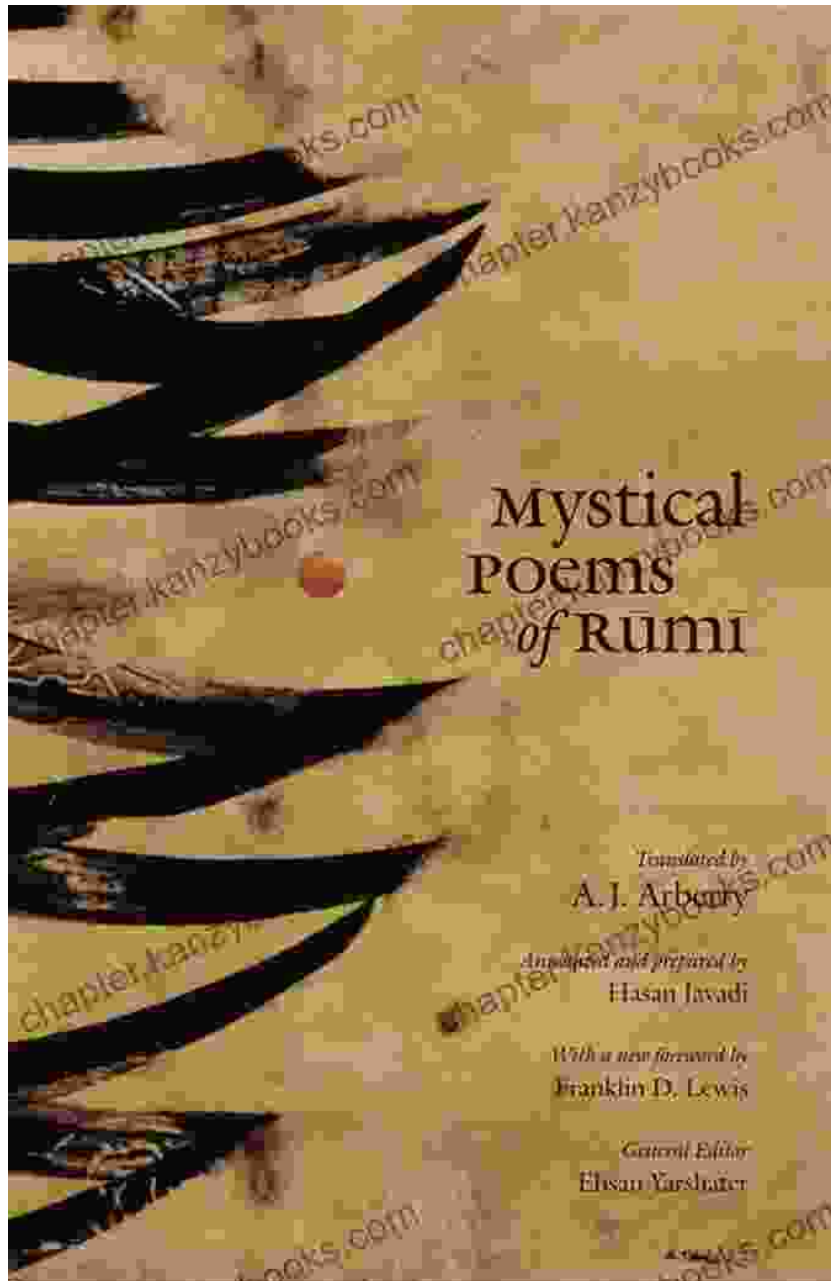
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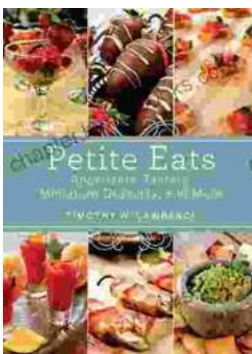
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