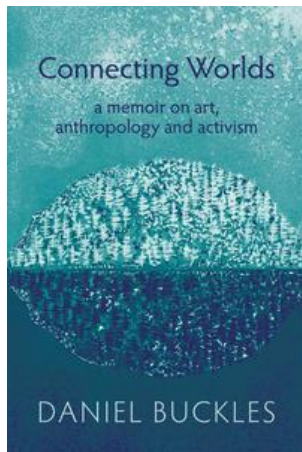


Connecting Worlds by Daniel Buckles



The artist, anthropologist and community activist Daniel Buckles shows how connection to self, others, and nature can become the catalyst for an engaged life.

The bush lifestyle of the 1970s Yukon, exposure to the complex culture of Mexico, and a battle with cancer at the age of thirty-two prompted the author to work with people living on the edge: Honduran peasants inventing new agricultural technologies for hillside agriculture; landless Bangladeshi women gleaning nutrient-rich food from their surroundings; small religious communities standing in solidarity at the centre of disaster relief efforts in the Philippines and Burkina Faso; grassroots organizations fighting to protect urban forests in Ottawa, Canada.

This story of personal discovery and engaged research offers a window into real-life social struggles and life's key challenges and professional choices. Richly illustrated with professional photography and paintings, *Connecting Worlds* shows how to make a difference, from the inside out.