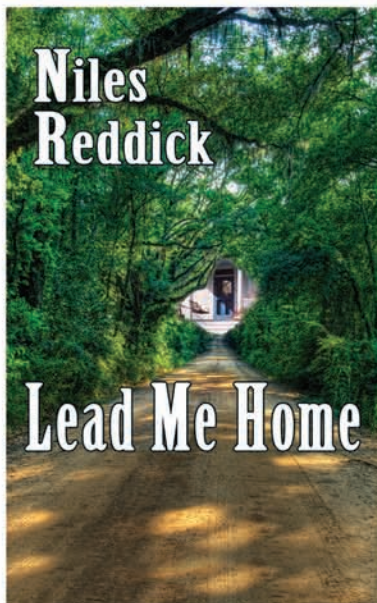


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Lead Me Home



RoseHeart Publishing takes great pleasure in announcing the release of *Lead Me Home*, a first novel by Niles Reddick, recounting a young man's journey back to his roots with lots of humor, soul-searching, and surprises.

Max Peacock returns home to attend his great Aunt Catfish's funeral. While there, he learns of possible job problems when he checks his email. He also discovers a history of mental illness in his family when he reads a personal letter of great aunt's. After the funeral, events take various humorous twists and turns in the life of the citizens of this rural town. His cousin ends up in detox. He attends a church service with his parents where the minister is asked

with his parents where the minister is asked to resign due to the rumors he's having an affair with a recent widow. The minister refuses to resign which causes the church to split. That recent widow recently shot her abusive husband in the privates then once again in the head for good measure.

When Max returns to Nashville, he discovers while he's been gone, his wife, Jaden was witness to a horrific crime against a homeless woman, his job is definitely being phased out, and his wife is pregnant with their first child. The novel ends on a happy note with his securing a new position, a move back home, and the delivery of their daughter.

With the release of *Lead Me Home*, Niles Reddick gives you a glimpse of a pragmatic, surreal and spiritual Southern journey proving one can go home again.

Niles Reddick's poignant depiction captures the essence of Southern living steeped in customs and traditions that offers a pleasurable read.

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