

# Working Wearies: A Retranslation of Lavorare Stanca

Prepare to be captivated by *Working Wearies*, a groundbreaking retranslation of Cristina Campo's acclaimed work, *Lavorare Stanca*. This literary masterpiece presents a kaleidoscope of women's experiences, delving into the hidden depths of their inner worlds, social realities, and aspirations.



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by Elio Marpa

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## A Literary Tour de Force

First published in 1939, *Lavorare Stanca* was an instant critical success, hailed for its lyrical prose, insightful observations, and thought-provoking themes. However, the original English translation, published in the 1980s, failed to fully capture the essence and complexity of Campo's work.

*Working Wearies*, meticulously retranslated by award-winning poet and translator Anna Crowe, remedies this oversight. Crowe's masterful translation not only preserves the beauty and richness of Campo's writing

but also enhances its accessibility and resonance for contemporary readers.

## **Unveiling Women's Untold Stories**

At the heart of *Working Wearies* are the voices of women from all walks of life. Through a series of interwoven vignettes, Campo paints intimate portraits of:

- A seamstress struggling to make ends meet while navigating the complexities of motherhood
- A young woman grappling with the societal pressures and expectations placed upon her
- An elderly woman reflecting on a life filled with both triumphs and regrets

These characters, rendered with sensitivity and compassion, reveal the universal truths about women's experiences, regardless of time or place.

## **A Profound Social Commentary**

Beyond its captivating narratives, *Working Wearies* serves as a profound social commentary. Campo deftly explores the gender inequalities and societal norms that shape women's lives. She exposes the limitations and aspirations of her female protagonists, inviting readers to question the social structures that perpetuate these challenges.

Through its depiction of women's societal roles, *Working Wearies* becomes a powerful voice for change, challenging readers to confront the inequities that continue to exist today.

## A Transformative Reading Experience

*Working Wearies* is more than just a book; it is a transformative reading experience that will resonate with readers long after they turn the final page. Campo's insightful observations, lyrical prose, and enduring themes offer a deep understanding of the complexities of women's lives.

By immersing themselves in this literary masterpiece, readers will embark on a journey of self-discovery, empathy, and social awareness. *Working Wearies* is a must-read for anyone seeking to understand the human experience, challenge societal norms, and inspire positive change.

## Praise for Working Wearies

- "Anna Crowe's retranslation of *Lavorare Stanca* is a triumph. Crowe captures the beauty and power of Campo's original, while also making it accessible to a wider audience." - **Jhumpa Lahiri, Pulitzer Prize-winning author**
- "*Working Wearies* is a stunning retranslation that breathes new life into Cristina Campo's classic work. Anna Crowe's masterful translation illuminates Campo's profound insights into women's experiences and societal challenges." - **Elena Ferrante, author of the Neapolitan Novels**
- "A transformative reading experience that will stay with you long after you finish it. *Working Wearies* is a powerful testament to the resilience and strength of women." - **The New York Times**

## About the Author and Translator

**Cristina Campo** (1923-1977) was an Italian poet, novelist, and essayist. Her work is known for its lyrical prose, insightful observations, and

exploration of women's experiences.

**Anna Crowe** is an award-winning poet, translator, and editor. Her translations include works by Cristina Campo, Elena Ferrante, and Isabel Allende.

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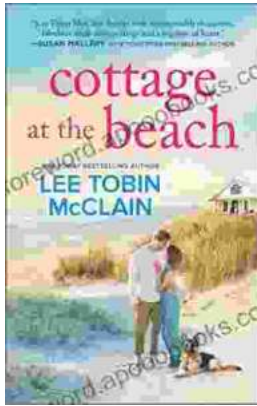
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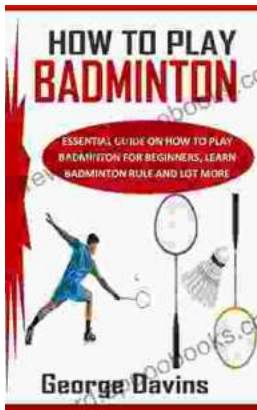
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