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"Complex and woeful, Milanés's rich ensemble act may remind readers of Junot Diaz's *Drown* and Denis Johnson's *Jesus' Son*."—*Publishers Weekly*

"In *Marielitos, Balseros, and Other Exiles*, Cecilia Rodríguez Milanés presents an amazing diversity of characters. Here are voices I have never heard before in American Literature. With clarity, tenderness, but unflinching courage, she fills in some of the blank faces that have been left out of our minority mosaic. Here are the lowest of the low, marginalized even by their own, but springing to full, complex, rich, engaging reality. Cecilia Rodríguez Milanés creates a big enough imaginative space for their lives and their stories. We are all the richer for having this new storyteller with this first, promising collection join our Latino and American literature circles."—Julia Alvarez, author of *How the García Girls Lost Their Accents*, *In the Time of the Butterflies*, *Saving the World and Return to Sender*.

A panoramic portrait of the Cuban American community, *Marielitos, Balseros and Other Exiles* shares the joys, tragedies, and amazing resiliency of the Cuban immigrants who arrived in this country via the Mariel boat lift of 1980 (marielitos) and the "rafters" (balseros) who came in the years afterward. The stories in this debut collection reveal the full social, economic and emotional scope of the immigrant experience, from the repression that many of the "boat people" experienced in Castro's Cuba, the discrimination they encounter upon their arrival in America, and their struggles to build a new life in the United States. Written in an arresting style that marries English with the native Spanish of the characters, *Marielitos, Balseros and Other Exiles* is an important achievement by a new voice in Latino Literature.

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