

Sudden Flash Youth: 65 Short-Short Stories By Christine Perkins-Hazuka **Sudden Flash Youth bookworm** Their young protagonists face matters of great consequence such as the death of a parent unwanted pregnancy and bullying as well as lighter if perplexing circumstances: how to hold a prom when being home-schooled; what to do when the babysitter suddenly sees the Rapture. **Book Sudden Flash youth edition** The stories are of this moment--a girl who falls in love and then is pressured to lose her virginity in a cyberspace world--and they also remember the past: the Nixon era the Vietnam War slavery. **Sudden Flash youthcare illinois** And because the stories are so short some of them only half a page or even less the connection with the reader is made quickly with detailed paragraphs which drew me in from the very first words. **Book Sudden Flash youth cast** It's only March but as we ride from the airport past houses that look like someone's taken a baseball bat to them trees burst with white and pink blossoms unabashed and strange beauty is everywhere. **Sudden Flash Youth pdf reader** The strangest thing about it is that on my way home I saw a dead sparrow - just like the girl in the story - and when I did my thoughts flew back to the words on that half page and I saw it too the world moving fast impatient and oblivious to life and its endings. **Book Sudden Flash youth tv** Every story in the book centers on childhood or adolescence: fragments of life seen through a youngster's eyes a first love the lure of the virtual world teen pregnancy the loss of a parent a birthday celebration. **Book Sudden Flash youth cast** Stories that made me remember my own childhood summer days spent lying under a tree on a blanket with a book in my hands golden plums I ate half-peeled pretending they were ice-cream the smell of grass and of a big black dog with a spatter of white on its chest who found its untimely death under the wheels of a car. **Book Sudden Flash youthworks** The quality of all the selections is quite good and the styles of writing range from the realistic to post-modern but the criterion for selection for the anthology seems to be quality which is quite refreshing.

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Christine Perkins Hazuka has taught English in public and private secondary schools for than thirty years. **Sudden Flash youthland** In these stories of no more than 1000 words well-known and emerging American authors spotlight crucial moments of change during coming-of-age, **EBook Sudden Flash youth** Here is a glimpse into the way we live now from the point of view of those who will determine the future: **Sudden Flash Youth pdfescape** Among the contributors are Steve Almond Peter Bacho Richard Bausch Gayle Brandeis Richard Brautigan Ron Carlson Kelly Cherry Dave Eggers Pia Z. **Sudden Flash youthful offender** Ehrhardt Jim Heynen Victor Lavalle Meg Kearney Naomi Shihab Nye Maryann O'Hara Sonia Pilcer Pamela Painter Bruce Holland Rogers Robert Shapard and Alice Walker, **Book Sudden Flash youthful** Sudden Flash Youth: 65 Short-Short Stories When planning over the summer for the creative writing elective that I am teaching this year I noticed this collection on amazon. **Book Sudden Flash youth edition** The pieces which are between one and four pages in length are well chosen literature shorts: **Sudden Flash Youth kindle paperwhite** My student enjoyed them and any of the pieces will fit nicely into a short story unit. **Sudden Flash Youth pdf free** Sudden Flash Youth: 65 Short-Short Stories I'm starting to like short stories more and more: **Book Sudden Flash youth edition** The stories are so short that I found myself wondering how the writers managed to express an idea in so very few words: **Book Sudden Flash youth edition** In Heartland by Daphne Beal there's a striking paragraph with an amazing contrast: "In New Orleans the air has body it's so thick. **Sudden Flash Youth kindle paperwhite** "Little Brother by Bruce Holland Rogers is a story about a boy getting a little brother as a Christmas present. **Sudden Flash Youth book summary** But as innocent as that may sound it really wasn't and as the story progressed I had the feeling that something was wrong. **Sudden Flash Youth kindle fire** Not until the last sentence did I get to find out what it was and I have to admit that was unexpected and unsettling: **Sudden Flash youthhope** Currents by Hannah Bottomy Voskuil is an unusual story in the way it's told - like playing a video of a wave in reverse - I read it

once and then again backwards: **EPub Sudden Flash youth tv** I wonder if the author wrote it using the normal sequence of events and then just rewrote it starting with the end, **Book Sudden Flash youthful** Accident by Dave Eggers is most of all an emotional encounter: **EPub Sudden Flash youth baseball** The collision of two cars makes the driver of one of them aware of something missing in his life: a connection with people. **Sudden Flash youthcare illinois** Bullhead by Leigh Allison Wilson is about a woman remembering a long lost love, **Sudden Flash Youth pdf converter** She not only remembers it but clings to the memory with the desperation of one who lives in a fantasy world. **Sudden Flash Youth kindle paperwhite** I loved the last paragraph: "Every story is true and a lie: **Sudden Flash Youth kindle cloud** The true part of this one is: Love and the memory of love can't be drowned: **Book Sudden Flash youth villages** "After He Left by Matt Hlinak one of the shortest stories in the book is about half a page long. **Sudden Flash Youth kindle paperwhite** Forgotten by Anne Mazer captures the essence of childhood play so beautifully: "All day they followed paths forded streams and climbed trees. **Sudden Flash youthjobaba** They discovered countries crossed oceans and deserts explored jungles teeming with life. **Sudden Flash Youth bookworm** They were animal and human villain and hero rich and poor fearless and timid. **Kindle Sudden Flash youth version** They tunneled under mountains built and destroyed worlds flew to the moon and sun and reached the beginnings and ends of time, **Kindle Sudden Flash youth** "There are many more wonderful stories in the book but I'm not going to run through all, **Book Sudden Flash youthful** Some of them like the ones mentioned above struck a chord with me; others I enjoyed for their flow or characters or the rhythm of the words, **Sudden Flash youthberk** Stories tied with emotion loss love and regret stories about a time we all went through. **Book Sudden Flash youththeory** I already went back to reread some of the stories and they were just as good as the first time. **Sudden Flash Youth publishing** Sudden Flash Youth: 65 Short-Short Stories This collection of short stories addresses the theme of childhood/youth experience, **Sudden Flash Youth epublishing** Most selections are shorter than 2000 words and there is a well-chosen range of writers from Richard Brautigan to several first time published writers, **Book Sudden Flash youth football** Sudden Flash Youth: 65 Short-Short Stories I picked this book up hoping it would give me some good material to teach to my 10th graders, **PDF Sudden Flash youthworks** Virtually every story in the collection is teach-able and would hold the interest of HS students, **Sudden Flash Youth epub** I strongly prefer this volume to MicroFiction: An Anthology of Really Short Stories by Jerome Stern. **Sudden Flash youthfront camp** This stories in this volume are much more accessible while still being subtle--there's still plenty to unpack/analyze. **Book Sudden Flash youthworks** Furthermore all of the protagonists of the stories are young people which means that they are relevant to young readers. **Sudden Flash youthcare illinois** Sudden Flash Youth: 65 Short-Short Stories



Every story is true and a lie, **Sudden Flash Youth kindle books** The true part of this one is: Love and the memory of love can't be drowned: **Sudden Flash Youth ebook pdf** - Leigh Allison Wilson Bullhead Sudden Flash Youth: 65 Short-Short Stories The thing about flash fiction I've learned is that it's good in little bits. **Book Sudden Flash youth tv** Reading too many flash fiction stories at a time can be detrimental: **Book Sudden Flash youth edition** There's not enough time to consider the characters or let all the stories sink in and there's too much time to recognize the formulas which can quickly wear thin. **Sudden Flash youthland** This particular collection is meant for young

adult readers and aims to display a variety of angles of adolescence: **Book Sudden Flash youththeory** And in this regard it largely succeeds showcasing stories about various religions relationships sex school body images and growing up in general: **Sudden Flash Youth ebook free download** The best story is a classic: Alice Walker's The Flowers which depicts the loss of innocence in a quick subtle and profound way. **Sudden Flash Youth kindle paperwhite** Although generally my favorites were the stories that went for a laugh: **Sudden Flash Youth kindle books** Often they would describe a universal moment of ignorance or a mistake relatable to us all. **Sudden Flash youthful offender** Others had a good message and compelling components but just couldn't tie those things together in a fitting way in such a short amount of time, **Book Sudden Flash youth cast** The Engines of Sodom by Jonathan Papernick is a good example: **Book Sudden Flash youth cast** There was a real opportunity here to merge youth culture with old school Jewish identity but it just doesn't happen in a satisfying way. **Sudden Flash Youth book summary** Overall though there were just too many stories I couldn't find myself caring about. **Book Sudden Flash youth edition** Maybe next time I should slow down and take more time to consider each one. **Book Sudden Flash youth football** Sudden Flash Youth: 65 Short-Short Stories This collection offers stories about growing up in America and each story contains a protagonist who is under the age of majority, **Sudden Flash youthink** It targets the pivotal moments of growing up the times when the mind undergoes a moment of clarity or change: **Book Sudden Flash youthworks** Each of these stories is a flash fiction story and is under a thousand words. **Book Sudden Flash youth tv** This would be a great book for teachers to use in the classroom especially those teaching creative writing, **Book Sudden Flash youth villages** One of my favorite stories was Corporal by Richard Brautigan: **Sudden Flash youthhope** It is about collecting paper during World war II but it is really about the haves and the have-nots, **Sudden Flash youthberk** Sudden Flash Youth: 65 Short-Short Stories Another book I intended to read more of but only read the Dave Eggers two-pager, **PDF Sudden Flash youthful** Sudden Flash Youth: 65 Short-Short Stories Some of the stories really didn't do anything for me but others were gorgeous and haunting. They are very refreshing especially after a big book. However I have never read a collection like this one. This was my favorite story. The lie part is that this is a good thing. They were born and died hundreds of times. New races of people spilled from their fingers. A very good book that I will certainly read again. Sudden Flash Youth: 65 Short-Short Stories Some gems. Great for a classroom. Can be read and discussed in one class. It served that role perfectly. Most of the stories in Stern's volume were really confusing. The lie part is that this is a good thing. Many of these stories will leave the reader thinking. I definitely have some new authors to check out. Sudden Flash Youth: 65 Short-Short Stories.