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Tales of a Northern Vet

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Close to animals, people and the boundless beauty of nature

Tales of a Northern Vet is an intimate portrayal of a fascinating, but also demanding profession. At the same time, it is a tribute to life in all its forms, and to the boundless beauty of nature. In the book, we get up close to raw moments, life-and-death drama and tough choices to be made.

"I wish people could be a fly on the wall in the barn, at the clinic or in the car and see how complex and unpredictable a veterinarian's everyday life can be. In the intersection of people, animals and the environment." Hanna Marie Fosse Nes has worked as a veterinarian for several years. She writes captivatingly about the sweaty rush of rescuing a cow in labour, the invaluable conversation with the farmer on a remote island and the aching dilemmas of meeting a dog that has been in pain for too long.

Tales of a Northern Vet is a touching, warm and insightful story about a profession that involves much more than most people can imagine.

a vivid and up-to-date depiction of life as a veterinarian

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Hanna Marie Fosse Nes

Hanna Marie Fosse Nes is a trained veterinarian, from Ellingsøy on the western coast of Norway. She has worked with large and small animals around different parts of the country, and is particularly passionate about preventive health work for both animals, people and the environment. In addition to her veterinary profession, she works as a model, actress and artist.