

Join us for an evening with poet Marc Woodward

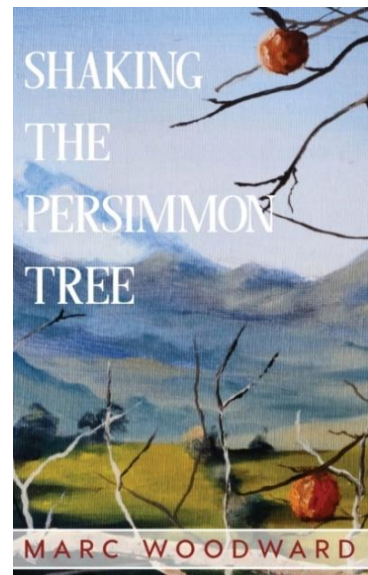
**At the East Gate Bookshop
7:00pm, Thursday 17th March**

In his new collection Marc writes of time spent in Italy, India and elsewhere, as well as drawing from the rural environment of his home in Devon

Shaking the Persimmon Tree

By: Marc Woodward

Published 2022, Paperback: £11.99



This collection, containing several prize-winning poems, takes you drinking sambuca with Van Gogh, fly fishing on the Ganges and rolling naked in elephant grass...

'His imagery elevates the natural world to its rightful place: birds, sky and trees glimmer like new-found things, while his pragmatism puts on its boots, picks up its keys and looks you straight in the eye'.

-Helen Ivory, author of [The Anatomical Venus](#) (Bloodaxe Books), editor of [Ink, Sweat and Tears](#)

If you'd like to attend, please let us know in person in the bookshop, or email us at info@eastgatebookshop.co.uk to reserve your place.