

### **Third UK print as *The Flower in the Desert* is published in Italy**

*Published just a few months ago, The Flower in the Desert is already in its third print and has just been published in Italy*

With sales driven to date primarily through word-of-mouth, *The Flower in the Desert* is fast building a substantial and growing readership. Already in its third print within six months of its release in the UK, it has also recently been published in Italy and been chosen as a recommended school reader – both in English and Italian – for schools in the Belluno district in the north east of the county.

*The Flower in the Desert* is an inspirational and moving allegory. It tells the story of Sati; the unfolding of his life and his journeys of discovery across the apparent emptiness and harshness of the vast desert landscape. It is a tale of adventure and of healing.

The simplicity, quietness and depth of the story resonates with something deep within us all. It is a beautiful tale that echoes the essential nature of the journey we all share – a journey that has no beginning and no end; the fundamental journey of the heart, of the soul. A journey that is, in truth, not a journey at all.

“Our deepest fear is not that we are inadequate. Our deepest fear is that we are powerful beyond measure.” *Marianne Williamson (writer and speaker), A Return to Love.*

In *The Flower in the Desert*, author Neil del Strother leads and encourages us to dive within and beyond the pressures and stresses of our busy everyday lives and experience this place of connection, of wholeness, that Marianne Williamson speaks of. We are nothing; we are everything.

Feedback for the *The Flower in the Desert* has been overwhelmingly positive from adults from all walks of life and from young people. A number of parents have also reported that younger children enjoy the book when it is read to them. The book holds a peace and warmth assessable to all.

*"The Flower in the Desert* beautifully addresses the longing in many people's hearts to get direct access to their own infinite nature and live life from a place of pure love, peace and unbridled freedom." *Naraya Urban-Winterfeldt, businesswoman, workshop leader and Journey Practitioner.*

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