

Basic Detail Report

The author Mario Rigoni Stern

Date

1969-1979

Medium

gelatin silver print

Description

Mario Rigoni Stern (1921 – 2008) was an Italian author and World War II veteran. His first novel *Il sergente nella neve*, published in 1953 (and the following year in English as *The Sergeant in the Snow*), draws on his own experience as a Sergeant Major in the Alpini corps during the disastrous retreat from Russia in World War II. Other well-known works include *Le stagioni di Giacomo* (*Giacomo's Seasons*), *Storia di Tönle* (*The Story of Tönle*), and the collection of short stories *Sentieri sotto la neve* (*Paths Beneath the Snow*).

Dimensions

Overall: 30.9 x 24.4 cm (12 1/8 x 9 5/8 in.)