



The Phoenician Women

By Burian/Swann

Oxford University Press Inc, United States, 1992. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Revised ed.. 203 x 136 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Peter Burian and Brian Swann recreate Euripides The Phoenician Women, a controversial play about the fateful history of the house of Laios following the tragic fall of Oedipus, King of Thebes. Adding to the impressive Greek Tragedy in New Translations series, this translation displays the cohesion and rigid organization of this complex and much debated play. Through use of dramatic, fast-paced poetry, this version captures the original spirit of Euripides focus on classic repercussions of fate, interspersed with the everpresent power of will. The edition is accompanied by critical introductions, expositions of translators principles, stage directions, a glossary of mythical Greek terms, and commentary on difficult passages.



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