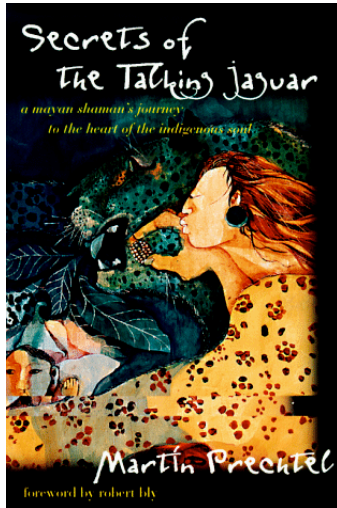




The Institute of World Culture Presents
A Book Discussion Forum:



Secrets of the Talking Jaguar:

Memoirs from the Living
Heart of a Mayan Village
By Martín Prechtel

Saturday, June 3, 2006 4:00–6:00 pm 1407 Chapala Street, Santa Barbara

Ingrid Head will offer a report with selected readings from this poetically eloquent story from the shores of Lake Atitlán in Guatemala. Martín Prechtel's book offers a privileged and rare glimpse into the complex and spiritually rich life of a contemporary Mayan village and chronicles the author's shamanic "journey to the heart of the indigenous soul". Discussion will follow. The book is available for purchase at local bookstores and through the public library and you are encouraged to read it in advance of the meeting.

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