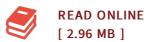




## Southland

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Akashic Books. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Paperback. 348 pages. Dimensions: 8.2in. x 5.2in. x 1.0in.An absolutely compelling story of family and racial tragedy. Revoyrs novel is honest in detailing southern Californias brutal history, and honorable in showing how families survived with love and tenacity and dignity. Susan Straight, author of Highwire MoonSouthland brings us a fascinating story of race, love, murder and history, against the backdrop of an ever-changing Los Angeles. A young Japanese-American woman, Jackie Ishida, is in her last semester of law school when her grandfather, Frank Sakai, dies unexpectedly. While trying to fulfill a request from his will, Jackie discovers that four African-American boys were killed in the store Frank owned during the Watts Riots of 1965. Along with James Lanier, a cousin of one of the victims, Jackie tries to piece together the story of the boys deaths. In the process, she unearths the long-held secrets of her familys history. Southland depicts a young woman in the process of learning that her own history has bestowed upon her a deep obligation to be engaged in the larger world. And in Frank Sakai and his African-American friends, it presents characters who find significant common ground in their...



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