

KIM CHERNIN

- Thursday, Apr. 21, 7:30 p.m.
- Author of *Crossing the Border and The Hungry Self*

ROCKY MTN. HIGH SCHOOL POETRY CONTEST AWARDS CEREMONY

- Saturday, Apr. 23, 8:00 p.m.
- Students will read their winning poems

WILL SELF

- Monday, Apr. 25, 7:30 p.m.
- Author of *My Idea of Fun*

DOUGLAS RUSHKOFF

- Wednesday, Apr. 27, 7:30 p.m.
- Author of *Cyberia*

For more information, call 447-2074.

Recommended Reading



Rudolfo Anaya

Bless Me, Ultima by Rudolfo Anaya

Warner, two new editions: special illustrated hardcover, \$19.95 and paperback, \$5.50

Reviewed by Denise B. Hernandez, book store staff

From one of the founders of contemporary Chicano literature, *Bless Me, Ultima* lyrically portrays the conflict of growing up in dual cultures that often clash and seem to force choice. For young Antonio the struggle ultimately produces a broader perspective and deeper spiritual view. Ultima, a *curandera* (a woman who cures with herbs and magic), is linked to Antonio's *familia* through births, deaths, illnesses, and celebrations, and what Antonio learns from Ultima is the wisdom of the ages - "...to take life's experiences and build strength from them, not weakness." This universal quest for a clarity of *corazon*, of heart, will touch every reader regardless of cultural background.

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