

THE NEW NOVEL BY JACK KEROUAC AUTHOR OF **ON THE ROAD** THE DHARMA BUMS

The sensational bestseller about two reckless wanderers out to scale the heights of life...and love

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Jack Kerouac put the Beat Generation on the literary map with his great bestseller On The Road. Now he takes the beatniks on another kind of journey in his lusty new novel The Dharma Bums.

This is his uninhibited story of two West Coast wanderers and their free-wheeling quest for Kicks and Truth. Their search begins with a passionate exploration of wine, week-end girls and oriental mysticism. But it comes to a soaring climax on a snow-capped mountain top . . . in the intimate solitude of the Sierras.

"Kerouac possesses a powerful talent . . . he is a writer to be watched."

-Chicago Tribune

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