

## From reviews of ON HOUNDED GROUND: HOME and THE CREATIVE LIFE — AN ESSAY WITH POEMS

So pleased to receive the in-print copy of *On Hounded Ground*, which lays out the primals of your ground in that transformative way that touches all our ground, from ancient ancestors up to this very moment and beyond. With it, you have truly "dance[d] into the circular light," dancing with all us queer sons and daughters who have evolved to be born in that fire and to spread its light. We must always remember that's what we are here for, the deep and primal purpose we serve in keeping faith with the sacred, the miraculous liveliness of being alive in every moment of our being here, and singing it in joyous celebration.

—Author **Michael Rumaker**

I wept reading the encomia for Lord Dog and the cats. And your home, shaped by your needs and desires—I can feel its vitality in your words. And I love the way that the natural world informs all that you write and do.

—Natural history writer, poet, and classicist **Janet Lembke**