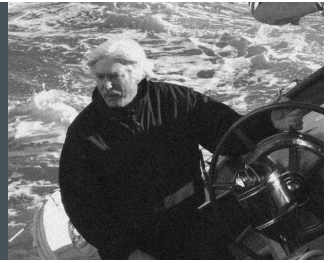
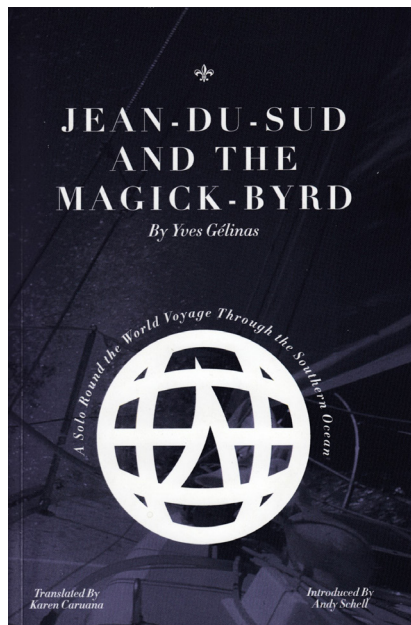


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Tom's Book of the Month recommendation April 2021

'Jean-Du-Sud and the Magick-Byrd' By Yves G  linas



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You will all know the name of Bernard Moitessier, but how many of you have come across Yves G  linas?

In 1981 Yves made the voyage around the world non-stop via the great capes of the Southern Ocean in his Alberg 30 *Jean-du-Sud*. More or less penniless at the time of this trip, he was however competent, spiritual, artistic and driven by an unshakeable self-belief. Having made the crossing already from his native Quebec to Europe, he finds himself in St Malo, France, all set to sail back to the Gulf of St Lawrence. The straight passage is not enough, however. Like Moitessier before him, he opts for The Long Way.

He was capsized and dismasted in the Pacific, but under jury rig sailed round Cape Horn to land back in Canada after 282 days at sea. Yves made a film about it and the restored High Definition version of 'With Jean-du-Sud Around the World' is available as an HD download at:

www.thesailingchannel.tv/jean-du-sud/

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