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Duncan Williamson, a Scottish traveller, has spent a lifetime collecting stories about seal people, or silkies. They are recorded here in a conversational, colloquial style which reflects the oral tradition of storytelling. Tales of people who help injured or abandoned seals, and are in turn helped by them, accord with today's environmental concerns, while the fisherman who persecutes the seals for stealing fish is invariably punished or reformed. There are attractive cameo illustrations to head each story, but it's a pity the cover design is unlikely to attract young readers.

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