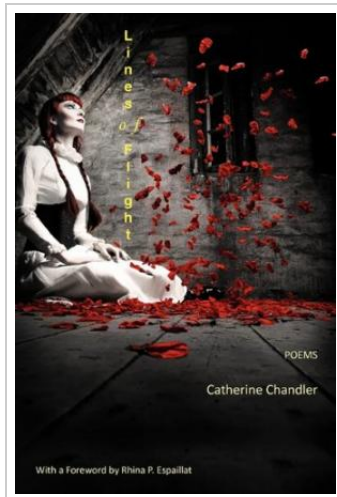




Lines of Flight - Poems (Paperback)

By Catherine Chandler

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