

MADLEN ZIEGE

# Forests Are Never Silent

How fox and fir say good night.

## ABOUT THE BOOK

Did you know that fish lie? Or that bats talk to themselves? Amazing findings from science show: Animals and plants communicate constantly and in a variety of ways. Anyone who thinks that only humans tend to exaggerations and untruths is mistaken. Birds, fish or snails are far more imaginative than we are when it comes to conquering a partner, for example. The behavioural biologist Madlen Ziege takes us into a fascinating world and explains easily understandable how entire ecosystems make contact with each other. She shows us how the language of nature can help us in our everyday lives and why we should talk to tomato plants.

- Scientifically sound and humorously explained, with illustrations by the author
- "Again and again it is amazing how communicative nature is - very enlightening and entertaining!" *Peter Wohlleben*



## SPECIFICATIONS

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