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To Bring Down a Giant with the Breath of the Wind

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The poetry collection TO BRING DOWN A GIANT WITH THE BREATH OF THE WIND was inspired by the word shared, received, and resignified among Black women fighting for land, both in the quilombos of Brazil—especially in Bahia, Maranhão, Ceará, and Rio de Janeiro—and on the Colombian Pacific coast. It is to these women, who build worlds through their stories and memories, weaving hopes and vibrant ways of living, rhyming dreams with joy, that the author dedicates this book; for it was across these territories she traversed that the words she received could be truly felt and understood in their full power. Breaths that heal, liberate, and rebuild possibilities for the future.

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