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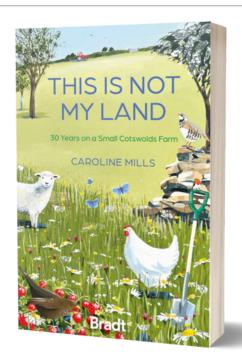
# THIS IS NOT MY LAND

30 years on a Small Cotswold Farm

## **Caroline Mills**

This is Not My Land is award-winning travel writer Caroline Mills' enchanting narrative about life on an English farm. In 1995, Caroline and her partner bought 65 acres on the edge of the north Cotswolds – land that has had just four owners, including King Henry VIII, in 500 years. Walking repeatedly through her meadows and woodland, Mills witnesses how the farm and surrounding countryside evolve across three decades.

Beautifully written and timely, this is nature writing that will appeal to fans of James Rebanks and Adam Henson.



#### **KEY SALES POINTS**

- Unique nature narrative from an award-winning travel writer
- Set in the Cotswolds, a popular visitor destination
- Perfect for fans of Laurie Lee's Cider with Rosie or James Rebanks' The Shepherd's Life
- Timely given contemporary discussions on the future of farming, and the role of farmers as guardians of nature

### ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Caroline Mills (carolinemills.net) is an experienced, award-winning travel writer, specialising in travel throughout the UK and Europe, who has written or contributed to ten books. More importantly, she is a country girl. Although she loves inspiring others to travel through writing extensively about the countryside, she likes nothing better than to return to the farm on the edge of the Cotswolds, where she lives with her husband and three children. Having moved no more than five miles from where she grew up, she has called the region home for more than 50 years – and draws on her deep local knowledge to write Bradt's The Cotswolds (Slow Travel). It is to her farm, bought 30 years ago, that Mills turns her attention in This is Not My Land book – inspired by her passionate love of the countryside to paint a personal portrait of a very special place.



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