



## Pavilions in the Air: And Other Chinese Proverbs with English Equivalents (Hardback)

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Medina Publishing Ltd, United Kingdom, 2009. Hardback. Condition: New. Kathryn Lamb (illustrator). Bilingual. Language: English . Brand New Book. Gathered here are gems galore, which, while revealing much as to the Chinese national psyche, highlight particular traits and characteristics that span the globe. We all know Chairman Mao s infamous It doesn t matter what colour the cat, as long as it catches mice , but most of us would only recognize an approximate English equivalent of A mighty dragon cannot crush a local snake or, A Phoenix might come out of a crow s nest . The beasts and birds of legend and folklore provide the inimitable Kathryn Lamb s pen with a feast of hilarious subjects, not least a certain revolution at one ill-fated dinner party.



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