



# VICTOR MEIJER

## Unsung Talent

A hilarious story about Manolo Gonzales, a failed artist who thinks himself a genius. Manolo paints only masterpieces and it won't be long before he's discovered and art experts speak of him in the same bated breath as they do of Picasso, Michelangelo and Van Gogh.

For a number of years Manolo Gonzales has been plodding away amidst the mediocre painters at the art academy. The great Gonzales does not belong amongst these bunglers. But when he decides to abandon his studies at the art academy, Manolo finds himself confronted with the other side of his so-called independence. His landlady shows him the door, he is fired from his job and moves in with his father, to whom he keeps silent about his departure from the art academy.

Deprived of a studio, he turns to wandering the streets and loses himself in musings about the art academy, fame and women. Disillusionment and humiliation follow Manolo when his father throws him out. He flees to Barcelona, where his mother lives.



Victor Meijer (b. 1975) has written plays, published poems, illustrated children's books and brought out a cd for which he, amongst other things, wrote the song lyrics.

*Unsung Talent* is his captivating and impressive debut.

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