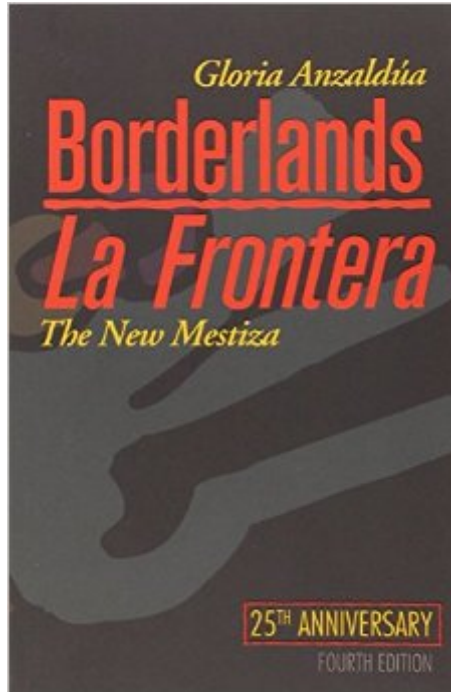


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Borderlands/ La Frontera: the new Mestiza by Gloria Anzaldúa is a wonderful piece of literature that refreshes and revitalizes the image of both Chicana/os and lesbians in a refreshing manner that exalts the power and possibilities immanent in both these marginalized perspectives. To reader who

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