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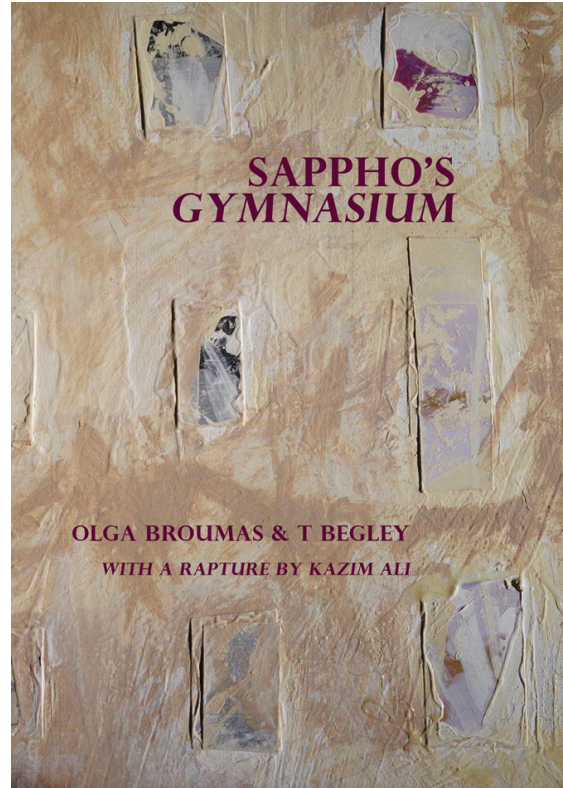
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OLGA BROUMAS is a poet, translator, and professor at Brandeis University. Her books include *Beginning with O*, a Yale Younger poets selection; *Rave: Poems 1975–1998*; *Perpetua*; and two translations of Odysseas Elytis. T BEGLEY is a poet and translator living in Arizona. KAZIM ALI is a poet, essayist, novelist, and translator.