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The Dark Side of Christian History - Helen Ellerbe 1995

By denying evil we do harm. By denying darkness we obscure the light. Over a period of almost two millennia, the Christian Church has oppressed and brutalized millions of individuals

in an attempt to control and contain spirituality. The Dark Side of Christian History reveals in painstaking detail the tragedies, sorrows and injustices inflicted upon humanity by the Church. This expose is a compelling and passionate cry for human dignity and spiritual

freedom. Book jacket.

The Horror in the Museum - H. P. Lovecraft
2009-09-30

“H. P. Lovecraft has yet to be surpassed as the twentieth century’s greatest practitioner of the classic horror tale.”—Stephen King Some tales in this collection were inspired by H. P. Lovecraft, others he revised, two he co-authored—but all bear the mark of the master of primordial terror. *The Horror in the Museum*: Locked up for the night, a man will discover the difference between waxen grotesqueries and the real thing. *The Electric Executioner*: Aboard a train, a traveler must match wits with a murderous madman. *The Trap*: This mirror wants a great deal more than your reflection. *The Ghost-Eater*: In an ancient woodland, the past comes to life with a bone-crunching vengeance. And twenty more stories of unspeakable evil! “Lovecraft’s fiction is one of the cornerstones of modern horror.”—Clive Barker

Divine Horror - Cynthia J. Miller 2017-05-15
From *Rosemary’s Baby* (1968) to *The Witch* (2015), horror films use religious entities to both inspire and combat fear and to call into question or affirm the moral order. Churches provide sanctuary, clergy cast out evil, religious icons become weapons, holy ground becomes battleground—but all of these may be turned from their original purpose. This collection of new essays explores fifty years of genre horror in which manifestations of the sacred or profane play a material role. The contributors explore portrayals of the war between good and evil and their archetypes in such classics as *The Omen* (1976), *The Exorcist* (1973) and *Dracula Has Risen from the Grave* (1968), as well as in popular franchises like *Hellraiser* and *Hellboy* and cult films such as *God Told Me To* (1976), *Thirst* (2009) and *Frailty* (2001).

[Hitler and the Vatican](#) - Peter Godman
2007-07-27

Finally, the full story of the Church and the

Nazis can be told, thanks to the historic opening of the Vatican's most secret and controversial archives.

The Year's Best Fantasy and Horror 2008 - Kelly Link 2008-09-30

Collects fantasy, horror, fairy tales, and gothic stories chosen from the past year, including works by Ursula K. LeGuin, Neil Gaiman, and Bill Lewis.

Quarterly Review of the Evangelical Lutheran Church - 1870

THE SPELL HAS BEGUN: 550+ Supernatural Mysteries, Macabre & Horror Classics - Mary Shelley 2018-10-25

This meticulously edited horror collection is formatted for your eReader with a functional and detailed table of contents: Mary Shelley: *Frankenstein The Mortal Immortal...* John William Polidori: *The Vampyre* Bram Stoker: *Dracula The Jewel of Seven Stars...* Gaston Leroux: *The Phantom of the Opera* Marjorie

Bowen: *Black Magic* James Malcolm Rymer & Thomas Peckett Prest: *Sweeney Todd, the Demon Barber of Fleet Street* Washington Irving: *The Legend of Sleepy Hollow* Charles Dickens: *The Mystery of Edwin Drood* Oscar Wilde: *The Picture of Dorian Gray* Edgar Allan Poe: *The Tell-Tale Heart The Murders in the Rue Morgue The Black Cat...* Henry James: *The Turn of the Screw The Ghostly Rental...* H. P. Lovecraft: *The Dunwich Horror The Shunned House...* Algernon Blackwood: *The Willows A Haunted Island Ancient Sorceries...* Théophile Gautier: *Clarimonde The Mummy's Foot* Richard Marsh: *The Beetle* Arthur Conan Doyle: *The Hound of the Baskervilles The Silver Hatchet...* Joseph Sheridan Le Fanu: *Carmilla Uncle Silas...* Ann Radcliffe: *The Mysteries of Udolpho The Italian* M. R. James: *Ghost Stories of an Antiquary A Thin Ghost and Others* Wilkie Collins: *The Haunted Hotel The Devil's Spectacles* Émile Erckmann & Alexandre Chatrian: *The Man-Wolf The Waters of Death...*

Amelia B. Edwards: Monsieur Maurice The Phantom Coach... Mary E. Wilkins Freeman: The Wind in the Rose-bush The Shadows on the Wall Arthur Machen: The Great God Pan The Terror... William Hope Hodgson: The House on the Borderland The Night Land M. P. Shiel: Shapes in the Fire Ralph Adams Cram: Black Spirits and White Grant Allen: The Reverend John Creedy Wilhelm Hauff: The Severed Hand Adelbert von Chamisso: Shadowless Man Edward Bulwer-Lytton: The Haunted and the Haunters... Robert E. Howard: Beyond the Black River Devil in Iron People of the Dark David Lindsay: The Haunted Woman Marie Belloc Lowndes: From Out the Vast Deep Edward Bellamy: Dr. Heidenhoff's Process The Ghost in the Cap'n Brown House (Harriet Beecher Stowe) The Apparition of Mrs. Veal (Daniel Defoe) When the World Was Young (Jack London) Mr. Bloke's Item (Mark Twain)...

The Living Church - 1894

Our Hands are Stained with Blood - Michael L.

Brown, PhD 2019-09-17

Every Christian must read this shocking account of the Church's history. The pages of church history are marked by countless horrors committed against the Jewish people. From the first persecutions of the Jews in the fourth century to the horrors of the Holocaust, from Israel-bashing in today's press to anti-Semitism spouted from the pulpit, this painful book tells the tragic story that every Christian must read. In a freshly updated and expanded edition of this pivotal work, Dr. Michael Brown exposes the faulty theological roots that opened the door to anti-Semitism in Church history, explaining why well-meaning believers so often fall into the trap of hate... and showing how you can bring an end to the cycle of violence. This generation can make a difference. Now is the time for change! Discover the important role you play in helping to shape a Church that will bless Israel rather than curse Israel.

The Truth at the Heart of the Lie - James

Carroll 2021-03-23

“Courageous and inspiring.”—Karen Armstrong, author of *The Case for God* “James Carroll takes us to the heart of one of the great crises of our times.”—Stephen Greenblatt, author of *The Swerve* An eloquent memoir by a former priest and National Book Award-winning writer who traces the roots of the Catholic sexual abuse scandal back to the power structure of the Church itself, as he explores his own crisis of faith and journey to renewal NAMED ONE OF THE BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR BY PUBLISHERS WEEKLY James Carroll weaves together the story of his quest to understand his personal beliefs and his relationship to the Catholic Church with the history of the Church itself. From his first awakening of faith as a boy to his gradual disillusionment as a Catholic, Carroll offers a razor-sharp examination both of himself and of how the Church became an institution that places power and dominance over people through an all-male clergy. Carroll

argues that a male-supremacist clericalism is both the root cause and the ongoing enabler of the sexual abuse crisis. The power structure of clericalism poses an existential threat to the Church and compromises the ability of even a progressive pope like Pope Francis to advance change in an institution accountable only to itself. Carroll traces this dilemma back to the Roman Empire and the Middle Ages, when Scripture, Jesus Christ, and His teachings were reinterpreted as the Church became an empire. In a deeply personal re-examination of self, Carroll grapples with his own feelings of being chosen, his experiences as a priest, and the moments of doubt that made him leave the priesthood and embark on a long personal journey toward renewal—including his tenure as an op-ed columnist at *The Boston Globe* writing about sexual abuse in the Church. Ultimately, Carroll calls on the Church and all reform-minded Catholics to revive the culture from within by embracing anti-clerical, anti-

misogynist resistance and staying grounded in the spirit of love that is the essential truth at the heart of Christian belief and Christian life.

The Christian Work and the Evangelist - 1906

The Jesuits' Church in G---- (Fantasy and Horror Classics) - E. T. A. Hoffmann

2015-10-20

This early work by E. T. A. Hoffmann was originally published in the 19th century. Born in Königsberg, East Prussia in 1776, Hoffmann's family were all jurists, and during his youth he was initially encouraged to pursue a career in law. However, in his late teens Hoffman became increasingly interested in literature and philosophy, and spent much of his time reading German classicists and attending lectures by, amongst others, Immanuel Kant. Hoffman went on to produce a great range of both literary and musical works. Probably Hoffman's most well-known story, produced in 1816, is 'The Nutcracker and the Mouse King', due to the fact

that - some seventy-six years later - it inspired Tchaikovsky's ballet The Nutcracker. In the same vein, his story 'The Sandman' provided both the inspiration for Léo Delibes's ballet Coppélia, and the basis for a highly influential essay by Sigmund Freud, called 'The Uncanny'. (Indeed, Freud referred to Hoffman as the "unrivalled master of the uncanny in literature.") Many of the earliest books, particularly those dating back to the 1900's and before, are now extremely scarce and increasingly expensive. We are republishing these classic works in affordable, high quality, modern editions.

American Horror Film - Steffen Hantke
2010-09-30

Creatively spent and politically irrelevant, the American horror film is a mere ghost of its former self—or so goes the old saw from fans and scholars alike. Taking on this undeserved reputation, the contributors to this collection provide a comprehensive look at a decade of cinematic production, covering a wide variety of

material from the last ten years with a clear critical eye. Individual essays profile the work of up-and-coming director Alexandre Aja and reassess William Malone's much-maligned *FearDotCom* in the light of the torture debate at the end of President George W. Bush's administration. Other essays look at the economic, social, and formal aspects of the genre; the globalization of the US film industry; the alleged escalation of cinematic violence; and the massive commercial popularity of the remake. Some essays examine specific subgenres—from the teenage horror flick to the serial killer film and the spiritual horror film—as well as the continuing relevance of classic directors such as George A. Romero, David Cronenberg, John Landis, and Stuart Gordon. Essays deliberate on the marketing of nostalgia and its concomitant aesthetic and on the curiously schizophrenic perspective of fans who happen to be scholars as well. Taken together, the contributors to this collection make a

compelling case that American horror cinema is as vital, creative, and thought-provoking as it ever was.

Post-Horror - David Church 2022-11-30
Horror's longstanding reputation as a popular but culturally denigrated genre has been challenged by a new wave of films mixing arthouse minimalism with established genre conventions. Variouslly dubbed 'elevated horror' and 'post-horror,' films such as *The Babadook*, *It Follows*, *The Witch*, *It Comes at Night*, *Get Out*, *The Invitation*, *Hereditary*, *Midsommar*, *A Ghost Story*, and *mother!* represent an emerging nexus of taste, politics, and style that has often earned outsized acclaim from critics and populist rejection by wider audiences. *Post-Horror* is the first full-length study of one of the most important and divisive movements in twenty-first-century horror cinema.

Are You Too Moral to Be Catholic?: An Expos - Mitch Terrusa 2018-10-19
This is about the Catholic Church hypocritically

shirking its moral responsibility and deliberately attacking our family for economic reasons. Compared to the serious global disgrace the Church is dealing with all the time, it is easy to dismiss this relatively minor but illuminating abuse of power against the moral code the Church is supposed to stand for and the hypocrisy displayed. We are just one family. My discovery of the real nature of the Catholic Church was too late to help my family. What is now clear to me is that deliberately devastating our family isn't out of character for the Catholic Church. The Catholic Church's efforts to devastate our family is consistent in the character of an organization that commits whatever atrocities necessary to retain profit and power. As the light of Truth illuminates the horrors of the Church, the guilty, like rats exposed to bright light, will scatter but still stay active. It is my hope that those who remain in the Catholic Church band together to eradicate those who betray the innocent and rely on

shame to hide them in the shadows of victim guilt. Let Catholics rise up to rebel against the hypocrisy that dishonors the meaning of Christ, rots the core of the church and bring morality into the Catholic Church. My hope is that our loss serves as an example and catalyst for positive change among those who still believe the Catholic Church can be salvaged. Let our experience serve as a warning to all.
Guests of Horror - David Smith

The Review of the Churches - 1893

The Horror Within - Rachel Cox 2008-02
Thirty-eight-year-old Marcia Evans has spent her adult life as a struggling actress, unable to penetrate that barrier which prevents her from having the "big break" all aspiring actors and actresses hope to achieve which will move her career to the next level. She works part-time at a day job and does small acting gigs on the side. She is tired of her lifestyle and of life in the big

city. Marcia eventually discovers a charming house set in the woods while traveling to an acting job at a theater outside of the city. She learns that the original owners, who were killed in a car accident twenty years after the house was built, were retirees who enjoyed aiding transients and runaways. The house passed on to the niece of the wife, who died only five years after moving into the house at a very young age. Using part of her grandmother's inheritance, Marcia purchases the house from the son of the deceased owner for a suspiciously low price. She moves into the house and rents a room out to Stephen Gomaz, a co-worker at her job and with whom she falls in love. But chronic illness, terrifying nightmares, and strange paranormal activity cause Marcia to question the true character of the original owners and the events that may have happened in the house. With the aid of a deputy sheriff and a psychic, the horrifying truth of the house is revealed.

The Horror of Briarwych Church - Amy Cross

2022-10-30

Seventy years ago, Briarwych Church was sealed for the second time. The great wooden door has remained shut and locked ever since. But now, in the present day, evil is stirring once more. Sent to live with new foster parents in Briarwych, Kerry and Mark soon set about exploring the village. When they're warned to stay away from the church, they naturally decide to go and take a closer look. And when the long-sealed door mysteriously swings open, they're drawn inside to meet a terrible fate. After seventy years, a policy of containment is no longer enough. A priest is sent to Briarwych, with the sole task of defeating the evil once and for all. But what really lurks in the shadows of Briarwych Church? Why did Judith Prendergast turn to evil? And by attempting to banish the ghost forever, is Father Liam Dermott actually walking straight into an ancient and deadly trap? The Horror of Briarwych Church is a horror story about a dead woman's anger, and about a

terrible quest for revenge. This is the second book in the Briarwych trilogy.

The Horror Of Christmas - Robert Louis Stevenson 2020-12-17

Musaicum Books presents to you this unique collection of the darkest tingling Christmas mysteries and horror tales: Who would ever say no to the master story tellers when they have to offer their darkest tingling Christmas mysteries and horror tales as a holiday present: The Silver Hatchet (Arthur Conan Doyle) What the Shepherd Saw: A Tale of Four Moonlight Nights (Thomas Hardy) Markheim (Robert Louis Stevenson) The Wolves of Cernogratz (Saki) Mustapha (Sabine Baring-Gould) The Story of a Disappearance and an Appearance (M.R. James) The Christmas Banquet (Nathaniel Hawthorne) The Ghost's Touch (Fergus Hume) Glámur (Sabine Baring-Gould) The Ghosts at Grantley (Leonard Kip) A Terrible Christmas Eve (Lucie E. Jackson) Ghosts and Family Legends (Catherine Crowe) The Ghost: A Christmas Story (William

Douglas O'Connor) Thurlow's Christmas Story (John Kendrick Bangs) The Mystery of My Grandmother's Hair Sofa (John Kendrick Bangs) The Abbot's Ghost; or Maurice Treherne's Temptation (Louisa M. Alcott) Old Applejoy's Ghost (Frank R. Stockton) Wolverden Tower (Grant Allen) The Christmas-Eve Vigil (James Bowker) Told After Supper (Jerome K. Jerome) The Box with the Iron Clamps (Florence Marryat) Joseph: A Story (Katherine Rickford) The Story of the Goblins Who Stole a Sexton (Charles Dickens) The Ghost of Christmas Eve (J. M. Barrie) The Dead Sexton (Joseph Sheridan Le Fanu) Uncle Cornelius His Story (George MacDonald) The Grave by the Handpost (Thomas Hardy) Number Ninety (Bithia Mary Croker) At Chrighton Abbey (Mary Elizabeth Braddon) The Haunted Man (Charles Dickens) Doctor Marigold's Prescriptions (Charles Dickens) The Christmas Carol (Charles Dickens) The Black Bag Left on a Door-Step (Catherine L. Pirkis) Between the Lights (E. F. Benson)

Transition (Algernon Blackwood) The Kit-Bag
(Algernon Blackwood)

Horror and Hope - Dominic Kirkham

2021-07-28

Christianity is a global phenomenon that has affected the lives of millions of people and expressed itself in many ways over the centuries. Often these expressions have been at odds with the core values of the gospel and teachings of Jesus. Imperialism, colonization, anti-Semitism, racism, misogyny—to name but some issues—have all been associated with this religion almost from the outset. They are part of a legacy that we can no longer evade in the face of the many questioning voices of the modern world. But how has this curious and conflicted situation come about? And did Jesus even intend to found a new religion? Drawing on modern scriptural studies, current academic thinking, and several decades of personal religious and monastic life the writer seeks to find answers, examining the historical record of the past two

millennia. In a world that is increasingly secular and skeptical of religious claims the answer to how the Christian legacy is to be presented in a post-Christian world is crucial for the future and the challenge this book seeks to address.

The Mammoth Book of Best New Horror 19 -

Stephen Jones 2011-08-04

Here is the latest edition of the world's premier annual showcase of horror and dark fantasy fiction. It features some of the very best short stories and novellas by today's masters of the macabre - including Neil Gaiman, Brian Keene, Elizabeth Massie, Glen Hirshberg, Peter Atkins and Tanith Lee. The Mammoth Book of Best New Horror also features the most comprehensive yearly overview of horror around the world, lists of useful contact addresses and a fascinating necrology. It is the one book that is required reading for every fan of macabre fiction. PRAISE FOR THE SERIES 'Well-crafted celebration of a continuously inventive genre' SFX Magazine 'The must-have annual anthology for horror

fans.' Time Out 'An essential volume for horror readers.' Locus 'In an age where genre fiction is often just reheated pastiche, the Best New Horror series continues to break from the herd, consistently raising the bar of quality and ingenuity.' Rue Morgue 'Brilliantly edited and most instructively introduced by legendary anthologist Stephen Jones.' Realms of Fantasy 'One of horror's best.' Publishers Weekly *Subversive Horror Cinema* - Jon Towlson 2014-03-13

Horror cinema flourishes in times of ideological crisis and national trauma—the Great Depression, the Cold War, the Vietnam era, post-9/11—and this critical text argues that a succession of filmmakers working in horror—from James Whale to Jen and Sylvia Soska—have used the genre, and the shock value it affords, to challenge the status quo during these times. Spanning the decades from the 1930s onward it examines the work of producers and directors as varied as George A.

Romero, Pete Walker, Michael Reeves, Herman Cohen, Wes Craven and Brian Yuzna and the ways in which films like *Frankenstein* (1931), *Cat People* (1942), *The Woman* (2011) and *American Mary* (2012) can be considered “subversive.”

[Horror Films by Subgenre](#) - Chris Vander Kaay
2016-02-09

More horror movies are produced and released each year than any other film genre. While horror enjoys broad popularity, many hardcore fans voraciously consume films from their favorite subgenres while avoiding others entirely. This says something interesting about the films and their audiences. This primer and reference guide defines and explores 75 alphabetically listed subgenres of horror film, from *Abduction* to *Witchcraft* and two *Zombie* subgenres. Each sizeable entry provides a critical survey of the subgenre, a detailed examination of its characteristic elements and themes, and a discussion of three or four

exemplary titles as well as other titles of interest.

**300 PLUS YEARS of SACRIFICE,
STRUGGLE, FAITH and PERSEVERANCE -**

John Buffington 2013

This book is the result of years of contemplating the story of the Black Church and their progress over more than 300 years. It was written in a simple style and easy to read format. It is intended to tell the story of the slaves and the progression of their church and their strong unwavering faith in their God. The book and its contents are not meant to be disturbing to any group. The book is intended to be read by the average Christian who may want to be more informed about the history of Black Church in the colonies and later in the fledging states. This is not pretty story it presents the slavery story in details as a remembrance about the horrors of slavery for all. The author identified the original denominations, groups and churches which constitutes the original Black Church. He

provided a sampling of the heroes and heroines of the Church. This is a good well written book which can be useful in many ways It contains some firsthand knowledge about the civil rights issues of the 1960s and earlier. The relevance of the Black Church today is discussed. The author commented on the relevancy of churches today and the tasks which lay ahead for them in the future. The author's conclusion and recommendations have been developed throughout his reading and through his own experience as a church planter.

The Church, Its Ministry and Worship - M.

La Rue P. Thompson 2015-07-14

Excerpt from The Church, Its Ministry and Worship: Being a Reply to the Recent Work of Rev. Montgomery Schuyler, on the Same Subject The general character and design of this volume may he understood from the title page. It is necessary only to remark, that by "the church" is not meant the Episcopal church, nor the Presbyterian church, nor any church of a sect,

but the church of Christ. The term is used in its general and catholic sense. It has been the author's aim, in opposition to the erroneous statements and incorrect reasonings of the book which he reviews, to present and defend the true scripture doctrine concerning "the church, its ministry and worship." He trusts that nothing will be found upon his pages unbecoming the serious and important theme which he has in hand. Toward the gentleman who occupies the position of an opponent, he entertains no other feelings than those of kindness, and would deeply regret the cause, whatever it might be, that should serve to interrupt the pleasant neighborly intercourse with him, which he has hitherto enjoyed. He can truly say that no offense was taken at the freedom of that gentleman's strictures on his sermon, and he feels confident that none will be given by the exercise of a similar freedom in return. Some apology is due for the size of this book. Nothing of the kind was intended by the author when he

began to write. About the Publisher Forgotten Books publishes hundreds of thousands of rare and classic books. Find more at www.forgottenbooks.com This book is a reproduction of an important historical work. Forgotten Books uses state-of-the-art technology to digitally reconstruct the work, preserving the original format whilst repairing imperfections present in the aged copy. In rare cases, an imperfection in the original, such as a blemish or missing page, may be replicated in our edition. We do, however, repair the vast majority of imperfections successfully; any imperfections that remain are intentionally left to preserve the state of such historical works.

Supranational Horrors - Rui M. Trindade Oliveira 2022-07-18

This book examines the parallels between Italian and Spanish horror cinemas including the cultural features they share, their ability to define distinct identities within the genre, and what the author terms 'Italian-Spanishness.'

Universal Horrors - Tom Weaver, 2011-12-20
Revised and updated since its first publication in 1990, this acclaimed critical survey covers the classic chillers produced by Universal Studios during the golden age of hollywood horror, 1931 through 1946. Trekking boldly through haunts and horrors from The Frankenstein Monster, The Wolf Man, Count Dracula, and The Invisible Man, to The Mummy, Paula the Ape Woman, The Creeper, and The Inner Sanctum, the authors offer a definitive study of the 86 films produced during this era and present a general overview of the period. Coverage of the films includes complete cast lists, credits, storyline, behind-the-scenes information, production history, critical analysis, and commentary from the cast and crew (much of it drawn from interviews by Tom Weaver, whom USA Today calls “the king of the monster hunters”). Unique to this edition are a new selection of photographs and poster reproductions and an appendix listing additional films of interest.

Horror Film and Otherness - Adam Lowenstein
2022-07-19

What do horror films reveal about social difference in the everyday world? Criticism of the genre often relies on a dichotomy between monstrosity and normality, in which unearthly creatures and deranged killers are metaphors for society’s fear of the “others” that threaten the “normal.” The monstrous other might represent women, Jews, or Blacks, as well as Indigenous, queer, poor, elderly, or disabled people. The horror film’s depiction of such minorities can be sympathetic to their exclusion or complicit in their oppression, but ultimately, these images are understood to stand in for the others that the majority dreads and marginalizes. Adam Lowenstein offers a new account of horror and why it matters for understanding social otherness. He argues that horror films reveal how the category of the other is not fixed. Instead, the genre captures ongoing metamorphoses across “normal” self and

“monstrous” other. This “transformative otherness” confronts viewers with the other’s experience—and challenges us to recognize that we are all vulnerable to becoming or being seen as the other. Instead of settling into comforting certainties regarding monstrosity and normality, horror exposes the ongoing struggle to acknowledge self and other as fundamentally intertwined. Horror Film and Otherness features new interpretations of landmark films by directors including Tobe Hooper, George A. Romero, John Carpenter, David Cronenberg, Stephanie Rothman, Jennifer Kent, Marina de Van, and Jordan Peele. Through close analysis of their engagement with different forms of otherness, this book provides new perspectives on horror’s significance for culture, politics, and art.

Small Things Like These - Claire Keegan

2021-11-30

Shortlisted for the 2022 Booker Prize "A hypnotic and electrifying Irish tale that

transcends country, transcends time." —Lily King, New York Times bestselling author of Writers & Lovers Small Things Like These is award-winning author Claire Keegan's landmark new novel, a tale of one man's courage and a remarkable portrait of love and family It is 1985 in a small Irish town. During the weeks leading up to Christmas, Bill Furlong, a coal merchant and family man faces into his busiest season. Early one morning, while delivering an order to the local convent, Bill makes a discovery which forces him to confront both his past and the complicit silences of a town controlled by the church. Already an international bestseller, Small Things Like These is a deeply affecting story of hope, quiet heroism, and empathy from one of our most critically lauded and iconic writers.

Alone with the Horrors - Ramsey Campbell

2005-09

"Originally published by Arkham House in 1993 in a substantially different form"--T.p. verso.

Culture in Minds and Societies - Jaan Valsiner
2007-07-03

In short, *Culture in Minds and Societies: Foundations of Cultural Psychology* presents a new look at the relationship between people and society, produces a semiotic theory of cultural psychology and provides a dynamic treatment of culture in human lives. This book makes a decisive break from the post-modernist theoretical framework that considers knowledge as local and situation-specific. It restores the goal of construction of general knowledge to the social sciences. While recognizing the uniqueness of all human personal experience from birth to death, it emphasizes the universality of cultural organization of human minds and societies.

History of the Church of Scotland - William Maxwell Hetherington 1854

The Ghost of Briarwych Church - Amy Cross
2022-10-31

The year is 1940. In the picturesque English village of Briarwych, Father David Perkins tends to his work at the local church. The shadow of war has fallen across England, and the local airbase provides a constant reminder of the horrors that have been unleashed. For Father Perkins, the struggle to provide guidance for his parishioners is an everyday battle. And then Judith Prendergast starts hearing voices in the church. A faithful and devoted woman, struggling to raise her daughter Elizabeth, Judith takes a dim view of the happenings in Briarwych. Soon, however, she's offered a terrible deal, the consequences of which she doesn't fully understand. She tries desperately to escape, only to fall deeper and deeper under the spell of pure evil. And as she tries to set right her awful mistake, Judith sets in progress a chain of terrible events that will haunt the village of Briarwych for generations. *The Ghost of Briarwych Church* is a horror story about a dead woman's anger, and about a terrible quest

for revenge. This is the third and final book in the Briarwych trilogy.

God's Jury - Cullen Murphy 2012

Examines how the Inquisition's sentiments are thriving in today's world, tracing the history of its legacy through stories that lead to modern incarnations like Vatican edicts, the Third Reich, and Guantanamo's detention camps.

Holy Horrors - James A. Haught 2010-03-05

In 1583 in Vienna, a 16-year-old girl suffered stomach cramps. A team of Jesuits exorcized her for eight weeks. The priests announced that they had expelled 12,652 demons from her, demons that her grandmother had kept as flies in glass jars. The grandmother was tortured into confessing that she was a witch who had engaged in sex with Satan. She was then burned at the stake. This was one of perhaps one million such executions during three centuries of witch-hunts. In 1989 in Moradabad, India, a pig caused hundreds of people to kill one another when the animal walked through a Muslim holy ground.

Muslims, who think pigs are an embodiment of Satan, accused Hindus of driving the pig into the sacred spot. Members of both faiths went on a rampage, stabbing and clubbing. The pig riot spread to a dozen cities and left two hundred dead. A squad of armed Islamic zealots raided a Christian church at Behawalpur, Pakistan, on October 28, 2001, killing the minister, fourteen worshipers, and the church's police guard. It is said that there is never enough religion in the world to make people love one another--just enough to make them hate one another. Incendiary blends of fundamentalist religion, politics, nationalism, and ethnic zealotry engender countless examples of atrocity in the name of faith and orthodoxy. If anything, religious persecution is more savage now than everbefore in the history of mankind. HOLY HORRORS chronicles the grim spectrum of religious persecution from ancient times to the present. Fully illustrated with drawings, woodcuts, and photographs, the book recounts

such historic religious persecution as the Crusades, the Islamic jihads, the Catholic wars against heretics, the Inquisition, witch-hunts, and the Reformation. It also chronicles modern-day atrocities, including the Holocaust, the seemingly insoluble Catholic-Protestant schism in Northern Ireland, religious tribalism in Lebanon, and the barbaric cruelty of the theocracy in Iran.

Bleeding Armedia - Augustus Warner Williams
1896

Christ and Horrors - Marilyn McCord Adams
2006-09-21
Publisher description

The Biology of Horror - Jack Morgan 2002

The Doorway - D.T. Hills 2022-11-03

In modern-day Salem, Massachusetts, ancient evil still lingers from the arrival of the pilgrims and the horror of the witch trials. In this sequel to *The Hallway*, writer E. A. Green and her friends find themselves once more in a spiritual battle, this time for the soul of the church. Self-proclaimed occult followers unaware of how the forces of darkness are manipulating them begin an all-out war to take down an old church and its new pastor by any means possible. In the spirit of *The Screwtape Letters*, this story pulls back the veil that hides the real battle going on around and against believers and the church and reveals how heaven defends them.