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Rule of Three Aug 07 2020 Rule of Three is a collection of the three short plays "Afternoon At The Seaside, The Rats, " and "The Patient."

1950s Omnibus Mar 14 2021 Brings together the four stand-alone novels Agatha Christie wrote in the 1950s - They Came to Baghdad, Destination Unknown, Ordeal by Innocence, and The Pale Horse.

A Daughter's a Daughter Nov 02 2022 A classic novel of desire and jealousy. Ann Prentice falls in love with Richard Cauldfield and hopes for new happiness. Her only child, Sarah, cannot contemplate the idea of her mother marrying again and wrecks any chance of her remarriage. Resentment and jealousy corrode their relationship as each seeks relief in different directions. Are mother and daughter destined to be enemies for life or will their underlying love for each other finally win through? Famous for her ingenious crime books and plays, Agatha Christie also wrote about crimes of the heart, six bittersweet and very personal novels, as compelling and memorable as the best of her work.

Absent in the Spring and Other Novels: Absent in the Spring -- Giant's Bread -- Dec 03 2022 This first ever omnibus edition brings together three of Agatha Christie's classic Westmacott novels: Giants' Bread, Absent in the Spring, and The Rose and the Yew Tree.

The Iron Wagon Jul 18 2021 An evocative murder mystery set in the Norwegian countryside, this story, like all good murder mysteries, is a stew of passion, buried past crimes, revelations, and sharply defined characters who remain ambiguous to the very end. Norwegian author Stein Riverton's 1908 novel The Iron Wagon has never been translated into English. Now, using a striking two-color drawing style and re-casting the story with his iconic animal characters from his previous graphic novel Sshhhh!, the acclaimed cartoonist Jason has adapted The Iron Wagon into an original graphic novel that will appeal not only to fans of his work but also to mystery fans who will finally have a chance to experience Riverton's clever story.

AGATHA CHRISTIE Collection Jan 30 2020 Best 4 Books Set of AGATHA CHRISTIE Collection -The Mysterious Affair at Styles -The Secret Adversary -The Murder on the Links -The Man in the Brown Suit

Crooked House May 16 2021 "Writing Crooked House was pure pleasure and I feel justified in my belief that it is one of my best." --Agatha Christie Described by the queen of mystery herself as one of her favorites of her published work, Crooked House is a classic Agatha Christie thriller revolving around a devastating family mystery. The Leonides are one big happy family living in a sprawling, ramshackle mansion. That is until the head of the household, Aristide, is murdered with a fatal barbiturate injection. Suspicion naturally falls on the old man's young widow, fifty years his junior. But the murderer has reckoned without the tenacity of Charles Hayward, fiancé of the late millionaire's granddaughter.

The Burden Jan 04 2023 Laura Franklin, an overlooked second child, is resigned to a life in the shadow of her adored brother Charles. After he contracts polio and dies, Laura bitterly resents the subsequent arrival of her younger sister Shirley, an enchanting baby loved by all the family. But one night of tragedy turns everything upside down, and Laura's rancor dissolves as she vows to protect her sister with all her strength. As the girls grow up, Shirley begins to chafe under the burden of Laura's love, longing for freedom and romance. And Laura must learn that loving can never be a one-sided affair...

Murder Most Foul Feb 10 2021

Best Detective Stories of Agatha Christie Nov 21 2021 This series offers students a bridge from simplified fiction to the original writings of famous literary figures. This complete text edition has an introduction and glossary and is suitable for students preparing for Cambridge Proficiency.

Zelda's Cut Jun 16 2021 Delicious combination of confused identities, personal dramas and moral dilemmas in a contemporary chiller from one of our most outstanding novelists

The Rose and the Yew Tree Apr 26 2022 A captivating novel of love and intrigue. Everyone expected Isabella Charteris, beautiful, sheltered and aristocratic, to marry her cousin Rupert when he came back from the War. It would have been such a suitable marriage. How strange then that John Gabriel, an ambitious and ruthless war hero, should appear in her life. For Isabella, the price of love would mean abandoning her dreams of home and happiness forever. For Gabriel, it would destroy his chance of a career and all his ambitions... Famous for her ingenious crime books and plays, Agatha Christie also wrote about crimes of the heart, six bittersweet and very personal novels, as compelling and memorable as the best of her work.

Agatha Christie's Complete Secret Notebooks: Stories and Secrets of Murder in the Making Jun 04 2020 Agatha Christie's Complete Secret Notebooks brings together for the first time Secret Notebooks and Murder in the Making, two volumes that explore the fascinating contents of her 73 notebooks. This includes illustrations, deleted extracts, unused ideas, two unpublished Poirot stories and a lost Miss Marple.

Six Against the Yard Sep 07 2020 A unique anthology for crime aficionados – six 'perfect murder' stories written by the most accomplished crime writers of the 1930s, designed to fox real-life Scotland Yard Superintendent Cornish, who comments on whether or not these crimes could have genuinely been solved.

Miss Marple: The Complete Short Stories Jan 12 2021 Miss Marple: The Complete Short Stories gathers together in one magnificent volume all of Agatha Christie's short stories featuring her beloved intrepid investigator, Miss Marple. It's an unparalleled compendium of murder, mayhem, mystery, and detection that represents some of the finest short form fiction in the crime fiction field, and is an essential omnibus for Christie fans. Described by her friend Dolly Bantry as "the typical old maid of fiction," Miss Marple has lived almost her entire life in the sleepy hamlet of St. Mary Mead. Yet, by observing village life she has gained an unparalleled insight into human nature—and used it to devastating effect. As her friend Sir Henry Clithering, the ex-Commissioner of Scotland Yard, has been heard to say: "She's just the finest detective God ever made"—and many Agatha Christie fans would agree.

A Poirot Double Bill Oct 28 2019 In *The Wasp's Nest*, Hercule Poirot's come between a bitter triangle of lovers to prevent a sinister murder before it takes place. In *Yellow Iris*, a distressed phone call from a mystery woman brings Hercule Poirot to the hotel Jardin des Cygnes, where a man commemorates the four-year anniversary of his wife's sudden death - a death under very suspicious circumstances that Poirot himself witnessed. Gathered is everyone present on that fateful night and now Poirot must find a killer in the midst, before they strike again.

Appointment with Death Oct 09 2020 A facsimile first edition hardback of the exotic Poirot book, based on Agatha Christie's own travels in the Middle-east with her archaeologist husband. Among the towering red cliffs of Petra, like some monstrous swollen Buddha, sat the corpse of Mrs Boynton. A tiny puncture mark on her wrist was the only sign of the fatal injection that had killed her. With only 24 hours available to solve the mystery, Hercule Poirot recalled a chance remark he'd overheard back in Jerusalem: 'You see, don't you, that she's got to be killed?' Mrs Boynton was, indeed, the most detestable woman he'd ever met... To mark the 80th anniversary of Hercule Poirot's first appearance, and to celebrate his renewed fortunes as a primetime television star, this title in a collection of facsimile first editions is the perfect way to experience Agatha Christie. Reproducing the original typesetting and format of the first edition from the Christie family's own archive, this book sports the original cover which has been painstakingly restored to its original glory.

A Daughter's a Daughter and Other Novels Jul 30 2022 Finally Available Again--Three Classic Novels by Agatha Christie writing as Mary Westmacott First published between 1930 and 1956, the six novels written by Agatha Christie under the name Mary Westmacott, regarded by some as the writer's finest work, show a very different side of her talent. What they share with her other fiction is Christie's gift for sharp observations about people, the ambitions that drive them, their relationships, and the conflicts that erupt between them. This omnibus edition brings together three of the Westmacott novels: *A Daughter's a Daughter*: A daughter's opposition to her mother's plan to remarry threatens to destroy their relationship *Unfinished Portrait*: Bereft of three people she has held most dear, Cecilla must decide if she has the strength to come to terms with the past. *The Burden*: The burden of one sister's love for her younger sister--whom she's sworn to protect--has a dramatic effect on both their lives.

The Murder at the Vicarage Jul 06 2020 Collins brings the Queen of Crime, Agatha Christie, to English language learners. Agatha Christie is the most widely published author of all time and in any language. Now Collins has adapted her famous detective novels for English language learners. These carefully adapted versions are shorter with the language targeted at upper-intermediate learners (CEF level B2). Each reader includes: A CD with a reading of the adapted story Helpful notes on characters Cultural and historical notes relevant to the plot A glossary of the more difficult words When Colonel Protheroe is found murdered in the vicar's study, it seems that almost everyone in the village of St Mary Mead had a motive to kill him. This is the first case for Agatha Christie's legendary female detective, Miss Marple. She needs to use all her powers of observation and deduction to solve the mystery.

Agatha Christie: Murder in the Making Dec 31 2019 John Curran reveals the secrets of the world's greatest mystery writer in *Agatha Christie: Murder in the Making*, the fascinating follow up to *Agatha Christie's Secret Notebooks* featuring more insight into Christie's captivating life story and a new windfall of Christie's unpublished work—including letters, archival papers, and a keenly incisive analysis of Christie's last, unfinished novel. For readers new to Christie's mysteries and for life-long fans of Hercule Poirot, Miss Marple, and Tommy and Tuppence, either from classic Christie novels like *Murder on the Orient Express* or from the popular Masterpiece Theater adaptations, "Curran's discoveries will shape how Christie is read." (Independent on Sunday).

Murderers Abroad Dec 11 2020 Five complete, unabridged books in one volume.

Postern of Fate Oct 21 2021 "When the Beresfords obtain an old house and its contents, Tuppence discovers a series of underlinings in a copy of *The Black Arrow*. When she writes down the letters, they spell out a very disturbing message: "Mary Jordan did not die naturally." After sixty years, Mary Jordan's enemies are still ready to kill"--

1940s Omnibus Mar 26 2022 Agatha Christie's imaginative crime novels and thrillers made her a household name from the 1920s right through to her final books in the early 1970s. She was the creator of Hercule Poirot and Miss Jane Marple. This work brings together *N or M?*, *Towards Zero*, *Sparkling Cyanide* and *Crooked House*, all four stand-alone novels written by her.

A Pocket Full of Rye Sep 27 2019 The shocking thing about Rex Fortescue's murder was that the contemptible tycoon wasn't knocked off sooner. When two less deserving souls fall victim to the killer, Miss Jane Marple is engaged to detect. The only link appears to be buried in the not-so-innocent verse, *Sing a song of sixpence*. Cosy mystery. Whodunit.

Absent in the Spring Apr 02 2020 A striking novel of truth and soul-searching. Returning from a visit to her daughter in Iraq, Joan Scudamore finds herself unexpectedly alone and stranded in an isolated rest house by flooding of the railway tracks. Looking back over the years, Joan painfully re-examines her attitudes, relationships and actions and becomes increasingly uneasy about the person who is revealed to her... Famous for her ingenious crime books and plays, Agatha Christie also wrote about crimes of the heart, six bittersweet and very personal novels, as compelling and memorable as the best of her work.

Beak of the Moon Aug 31 2022 *Beak of the Moon* was the bestselling novel of 1981, an instant classic that has since been described as unique in New Zealand literature. Using kea as characters, the book is deeply and authentically rooted in this famous alpine parrot's raucous lifestyle and Southern Alps environment. In the remote valley of Kawee, the timeless world of the kea is suddenly disrupted when strange wingless birds appear. The destruction they bring causes hardship and corruption to kea society and forces young Strongbeak to flee the tyrannical boss Highfeather. Inspired by the prophecies of the great yellow kea, Glintamber, Strongbeak leads a group of rebellious young birds in a quest for a new world beyond the mountains. They seek adventure and discovery but instead become involved in farce and tragedy before they discover freedom in an unexpected way. In *Beak of the Moon*, Philip Temple has given us more than a great novel. It is a celebratory parable of the natural world of which we are all a part, a realm of myth for all to love and treasure. This new and revised edition brings his inspirational characters to life for another generation.

The Mysterious Mr Quin Oct 01 2022 A mysterious stranger appears at a New Year's Eve party, becoming the enigmatic sleuthing sidekick to the snobbish Mr Satterthwaite...

Giant's Bread Feb 22 2022 A spellbinding novel of romantic obsession. Vernon Deyre is a sensitive and brilliant musician, even a genius. But there is a high price to be paid for his talent, especially by his family and the two women in his life. His sheltered childhood in the home he loves has not prepared Vernon for the harsh reality of his adult years, and in order to write the great masterpiece of his life, he has to make a crucial decision with no time left to count the cost... Famous for her ingenious crime books and plays, Agatha Christie also wrote about crimes of the heart, six bittersweet and very personal novels, as compelling and memorable as the best of her work.

Agatha Christie Jun 28 2022 'Laura Thompson's outstanding biography . . . is a pretty much perfect capturing of a life' - Kate Mosse It has been 100 years since Agatha Christie wrote her first novel and created the formidable Hercule Poirot. In this biography, Laura Thompson describes the Edwardian world in which she grew up, explores the relationships she had, including those with her two husbands and daughter, and investigates the mysteries still surrounding Christie's life - including her disappearance in 1926. Agatha Christie is a mystery and writing about her is a detection job in itself. But, with access to all of Christie's letters, papers and writing notebooks, as well as interviews with her grandson, daughter, son-in-law and their living relations, Thompson is able to unravel not only the detailed workings of Christie's detective fiction, but the truth behind her private life as well. First published in 2007 as 'Agatha Christie: An English Mystery', this is a fully updated edition with a new introduction by the author

The World of Agatha Christie May 28 2022 The year 1921 saw the publication of *The Mysterious Affair at Styles*, a murder mystery with a protagonist by the name of Hercule Poirot. It was the first of more than 60 crime novels by Agatha Christie. Christie was a private person, yet her life had its share of mysteries--including a 1926 disappearance that made headlines around the world. Highly illustrated, *The World of Agatha Christie* is the perfect companion to the work of the most popular mystery writer who ever lived.

The Woman and the Kenite Nov 29 2019 *The Woman and the Kenite* was a little known short story which was published in a little known Italian Magazine in the 1920's. Unusually for Agatha Christie it was a horror short story which is not normally associated with the Great Author. The story was retrieved from the Italian Magazine on the 19th June 2013 and is only 9 pages in length. In normal circumstances, nine pages is not enough to justify a printed version of this little known and recently discovered Agatha Christie work. This book attempts to celebrate the fact that a 'new' work by the Great Author has been discovered and the fact that it can be classified as a horror short story adds to what we know about the Great Lady. The book gives some background to the story in addition to faithfully reproducing the actual Italian translation from the magazine. The English translation follows and ends with further reference to ensure a full understanding of the story.

Murder on the Orient Express Dec 23 2021 Hercule Poirot observed his fellow passengers on the Orient Express: a Russian princess, an English colonel, an American with a strange glint in his eye and many more. He was looking forward to the journey. But it was not to be. After a restless night, he awoke to find that tragedy had struck.

A Daughter's a Daughter Aug 26 2019

Poirot Investigates Mar 02 2020 First There Was The Mystery Of The Film Star And The Diamond& Then Came The Suicide That Was Murder& The Mystery Of The Absurdly Chaep Flat& A Suspicious Death In A Locked Gun-Room& A Million Dollar Bond Robbery& The Curse Of A Pharoah S Tomb& A Jewel Robbery By The Sea& The Abduction Of A Prime Minister& The Disappearance Of A Banker& A Phone Call From A Dying Man& And, Finally, The Mystery Of The Missing Willl. What Links These Fascinating Cases? Only The Brilliant Deductive Powers Of Hercule Poirot!

Agatha Christie Collections - With 10 Audio Books Link Nov 09 2020 The Complete Mystery Novels of Agatha Christie have to be considered among the greatest works in all of English literature. This eBook contains Agatha Christie's complete mystery novels in a new, easy-to-read and easy-to-navigate format. YOU ALSO GET 10 AUDIO BOOKS WITH THIS eBook. Check out the last page of the eBook for Audio Books link and to check which Audio Books you will be getting with this eBook. What's included: **THE MYSTERIOUS AFFAIR AT STYLES** The Mysterious Affair at Styles is Christie's first published novel, and introduces Hercule Poirot, Inspector (later, Chief Inspector) Japp and Lieutenant Hastings (later, Captain). The story is told in first person by Hastings, and features many of the elements that, thanks to Christie, have become icons of the Golden Age of Detective Fiction. It is set in a large, isolated country manor. There are a half-dozen suspects, most of whom are hiding facts about themselves, and a number of red herrings and surprise plot twists. **THE SECRET ADVERSARY** The Secret Adversary is a work of detective fiction by Agatha Christie and first published in the United Kingdom in January 1922 and in the United States later in that same year. The novel introduces the characters of Tommy and Tuppence who feature in three other Christie books and one collection of short stories written throughout her writing career. **DO CHECK OUT OUR OTHER COLLECTION OF AGATHA CHRISTIE WITH 24 eBooks AND 10 AUDIO BOOKS** Orintage Publishing is proud to bring the complete works of Various Authors to major eBook retailers. As always, we strive to put out great books with beautiful formatting and easy navigation. You will find a linked Table of Contents at the beginning of this eBook and it can also be accessed through the MENU or GO TO button. We always try to put our innovation and technology in our books. This version has been optimized for readability and includes: **BEAUTIFUL FORMATTING** There is plenty of white-space which makes reading easy on the eyes. **FULLY FEATURED TABLE OF CONTENTS** The full TOC appears at the beginning of the book and can be accessed through the MENU or GO TO button. What Makes Orintage Publishing Different? No one can compete with our prices. We offer one of the best formatting, editing in our eBooks with beautiful Table Of Contents. We get you free Audiobooks with our eBooks. Our eBooks are available on all the major bookstores. We get you all the complete collections in a single volume, which makes us unmatched in this industry. We get you 24 x 7 email customer support.

Agatha Christies, Six Mary Westmacott Novels Aug 19 2021 Six enduring novels of romance and suspense, each written under Christie's pseudonym, Mary Westmacott.

Unfinished Portrait Jan 24 2022 Bereft of her mother, her husband and her daughter, Celia is on the verge of suicide. Then one night she meets Larraby. Can Larraby help Celia come to terms with the past or will they part, her outcome still uncertain? This novel was written by Agatha Christie under the name Mary Westmacott.

Towards Zero Sep 19 2021 What is the connection among a failed suicide attempt, a wrongful accusation of theft against a schoolgirl, and the romantic life of a famous tennis player? To the casual observer, apparently nothing. But when a house party gathers at Gull's Point, the seaside home of an elderly widow, earlier events come to a dramatic head. As Superintendent Battle discovers, it is all part of a carefully laid plan—for murder.

Thirteen at Dinner May 04 2020 At a dinner party, Lady Edgware tells Hercule Poirot that she wished her husband were dead so that she could marry the Duke of Merton, and a day later Lord Edgware is found murdered

The Mary Westmacott Collection Apr 14 2021 The last three of six psychological romance novels, love stories with a jagged edge, by the Queen of Crime, writing under the pseudonym Mary Westmacott. Agatha Christie is known throughout the world as the Queen of Crime. It was her sharp observations of the ambitions that drive people, their relationships and the conflicts that erupt between them, that added life and sparkle to her ingenious detective novels. When she turned this understanding of human nature away from the crime genre, writing anonymously as Mary Westmacott to prove that her writing could sell on its merit rather than her fame alone, she created bittersweet novels, love stories with a jagged edge, as compelling and memorable as the best of her work. *The Rose and the Yew Tree*: A working-class man's attempts to elevate himself in life lead to unforeseen circumstances... *A Daughter's a Daughter*: A mother rejects personal happiness to look after her daughter, but later regrets the decision... *The Burden*: A girl precipitates a disastrous marriage by controlling the life of her younger sibling...