Free reading Into the darkest corner elizabeth haynes (Read Only)

brightman she can t believe her luck gorgeous charismatic and a bit mysterious lee seems almost too perfect to be true but what begins as flattering attention and spontaneous passionate sex transforms into raging jealousy and catherine soon discovers that lee s dashing good looks hide a dark violent nature four years later lee is behind bars and catherine now cathy is trying to build a new life for herself trusting no one she compulsively checks every lock of her apartment and varies her route home each day then an attractive new neighbour moves in encouraging her to confront her fears he sparks unexpected hope and the possibility of a normal life until the day the phone rings winner of amazon uk s book of the year award and shortlisted for the waverton good read award and the people s book prize the mesmerizing skillfully drawn and vividly cinematic into the darkest corner is an ingeniously structured tour de force of suspense that marks the arrival of a major new talent

Into The Darkest Corner 2012-06-05 from the author of the acclaimed new york times bestseller into the darkest corner comes another page turning novel of gripping suspense the wall street journal genevieve has finally escaped the stressful demands of her sales job and achieved her dream to leave london and begin a new life aboard a houseboat in kent not many people know that she financed her fresh start by working weekends as a dancer at a gentlemen s club called the barclay and she s determined to keep it that way but on the night of her housewarming party the past intrudes when a body washes up beside the boat genevieve recognizes the victim a fellow dancer from the barclay as the sanctuary of the marina is threatened and genevieve s life seems increasingly at risk the story of how she came to be so out of her depth unfolds and she discovers the hard way the real cost of mixing business with pleasure

Dark Tide 2013-03-12 ten years ago fourteen year old scarlett rainsford vanished without a trace during a family holiday to greece when scarlett is discovered back in her home town after all this time dci louisa smith is determined to find out what happened to her and why she remained hidden for so long was she abducted or did she run away as lou and her team delve deeper into scarlett s past their investigation throws up more questions than it answers but as they edge closer to discovering what really went on behind closed doors the truth is more sinister and disturbing than they had ever imagined from the bestselling author of into the darkest corner comes an unsettling and compulsively readable novel that will keep you under its spell until the very last page

Behind Closed Doors 2015-01-29 elizabeth haynes author of the bestselling debut into the darkest corner returns with a tense gripping thriller about a woman caught in an underworld of corruption and murder genevieve has finally achieved her dream to leave the stress of london behind and start a new life aboard a houseboat in kent she s found the perfect vessel revenge of the tide she already feels less lonely as if the boat is looking after her but the night of her boat warming party a body washes up and to genevieve s horror she recognizes the victim she isn t about to tell the police though hardly anyone knows about her past as a dancer at a private members club the barclay the death can t have anything to do with her or so she thinks soon the lull of the waves against revenge feels anything but soothing as genevieve begins to receive strange calls and can t reach the one person who links the present danger with her history at the club fearing for her safety genevieve recalls the moment when it all started to go wrong the night she saw her daytime boss in the crowd at the barclay dark sexy and exquisitely chilling dark tide is another superb mystery from acclaimed rising star elizabeth haynes

Dark Tide LP 2013-03-12 welcome to the dark heart of the family the secrets we keep the memories we treasure and the relationships we feel bound to but long to escape edward and isobel haven t spoken for years and live on opposite sides of the atlantic when their mother mary dies unexpectedly they are thrown together to sort through the family home with julie edward s diffident but devoted girlfriend making an awkward third each stumbles through the practicalities and funeral preparations trying to make sense of their emotions and their feelings towards one another then isobel makes a disturbing discovery and her fateful decision has consequences for them all challenging their beliefs about the past hopes for the future and understanding of mary s role in keeping them at once apart and together this utterly immersive novel is rich with insightful and wickedly comic observations of family members behaving badly in stressful situations of sibling rivalries a parent torn between the two and a grieving process that takes time to unfold beginning in a small coastal town during the spring bank holiday the novel moves forward through the point of view of each of the characters in turn and culminates on christmas eve

The Favourite 2017-08-03 who needs the truth eight year old ivy has a vivid imagination and tells lies so that people will like her with her brother brice in hospital life at home feels unsettled and things become even more strained after her father loses his job along with his sense of purpose ivy s parents might divorce and her best friend hates her but ever creative she abandons her escapist fantasies and determines to uncover the truth in this sharp and funny literary debut set in northern california during the 1980s recession fayette fox delves deep into the dark heart of an ordinary american family and finds out that make believe isn t just for kids

The Deception Artist 2013-05-16 in this assured debut about loneliness and passion in africa sue eckstein enthrals with a deliciously intricate plot compelling characters and razor sharp dialogue west africa in the early 1990s isabel redmond is tiring of her iconoclastic husband s penchant for pendulous black breasts the high commissioner and his wife fenella are both enjoying illicit affairs an old english judge is wandering through the scrub following a tribe of fulani herdsmen bob newpin is about to make a killing in timeshares and just what father seamus is up to is anyone s guess enter new diplomat daniel maddison on his first posting abroad rebelling against the endless rounds of cocktail parties golf and gossip he finds himself drawn to people and places that lie way beyond the experience of his high commission colleagues and specifically to the dusty warehouse in the heart of the city where a thin white woman is silently measuring out lengths of brightly coloured cloth

The Cloths of Heaven 2011-07-23 spanning the decades that saw northern ireland move from brutal conflict to uncertain peace in the 1990s this powerful new take on the literature of the troubles is both a political coming of age novel and a fast paced literary thriller aoife a young girl growing up in 1980s belfast finds herself the last line of defence between the violence and her family while her mother sinks deeper into a medicated stupor and her father leaves the family for the comforts of the local bars aoife cares for her brother damien trying to keep him out of harm s way while all around her friends and neighbours are swept up in the conflict meanwhile cassie a republican paramilitary and honeytrap lures and seduces her victims inflicting lasting damage but her infamous tacti have their repercussions and before long her past catches up with her so it is is an unflinching and suspenseful debut that reflects the factions and fractures of the troubles from a new perspective culminating in a breathless sequence in which the choice between violence and personal morality becomes shockingly acute

So It Is 2012-06-14 from the author of acclaimed thriller the detective s daughter a spellbinding mystery of obsession and guilt this is also the poignant story of what happens to those left behind when a child vanishes without trace it is the summer of 1968 the day senator robert kennedy is shot two nine year old girls are playing hide and seek in the ruins of a deserted village alice has discovered a secret about eleanor ramsay s mother and is taunting the other girl when it is eleanor s turn to hide alice disappears years later an extraordinary turn of events opens up shocking truths for the ramsay family and all who knew the missing girl

A Kind of Vanishing 2011-03-03 one year old iris is deaf her parents ben and maggie are devastated so are their close friends isobel and eric isobel knows that her decision taken years ago not to have her own children vaccinated against measles is to blame for iris s deafness and ben knows this too to make matters worse isobel is the woman he fell in love with in his twenties the woman who married his best friend as he and maggie start legal proceedings isobel s world begins to unravel lizzie enfield s compelling new novel explores the hearts and minds of ordinary people as they struggle to come to terms with the choices they ve made acutely observed and utterly gripping it explores love and loss guilt and recovery with humour honesty and page turning prose

Living With It 2014-06-26 introducing an unforgettable heroine for our times nina de la mer s bold and unflinching novel captures the mood of an urban generation seduced by celebrity and fuelled by drink drugs and pornography arriving in london hayleigh finds work as lap dancer layla intent on earning enough cash to make a fresh start she has the wit the looks and skilful moves exploiting men before they can exploit her but over the course of a chaotic week she must make the biggest decision of her life and fight for the one thing she truly wants this is a brilliant and moving novel imaginatively powerful and authentically conceived thirty years after the resounding success of jay mcinerney s bright lights big city and written in a similarly intense second person narrative layla speaks for a new generation

Layla 2014-02-20 three cities two years one chance from the author of the critically acclaimed debut so it is shortlisted for best first book at the scottish book awards 2013 comes the hard hitting story of a young man determined to find his voice plucked from obscurity in glasgow rab dillon is about to become the next great protest singer seduced by promises of stardom carrying only the guitar given to him by the girl who broke his heart he travels down to london there he records the debut album that will speak to the dispossessed the disenfranchised and disheartened one year later he is sleeping rough on the streets of brighton a modern day ballad set across three cities and two years the busker is a richly comic exposé of the music industry the occupy movement homelessness squatting and failing to live up to the name you almost share with your hero it is also the story of what survives when the flimsy dreams of fame fall apart

The Busker 2014-05-01 voiced by donna and her streetwise god daughter aurora this thrillingly original crime novel unfolds at breakneck speed at once furious tender and heartbreaking lesbian gangster and street poet donna runs the all female bronte close gang carla single parent and part time mc is her closest friend and trusted second in command together they carve out an empire in the toughest streets of manchester unlike the city s other gangs run by men caught up in violent turf warfare the women keep their heads down doing business their way partying on canal street selling drugs in perfume atomisers in club toilets and working as cleaners to account for their illegal income but when carla is gunned down everything changes

We Go Around In The Night And Are Consumed By Fire 2016-04-28 taut and suspenseful how you see me examines the terrifying power of the mind to deceive not

only others but most destructively of all ourselves i ve probably lied to you that s habit i lie to everyone about my family daniel laird has returned to norfolk after a nine year absence to care for his ailing artist father he describes his uneasy homecoming in a series of letters to his sister his boss and to alice his one true love but it is not until he discovers a hidden cache of his father s paintings that the truth begins to surface about why he left all those years ago the more daniel writes the more we learn about his past and the more we begin to fear for those he holds dear

How You See Me 2015-08-20 how well do you know your neighbours would you notice if they lived or died police analyst annabel wouldn't describe herself as lonely her work keeps her busy and the needs of her ageing mother and her cat are more than enough to fill her time when she s on her own but annabel is shocked when she discovers her neighbour's decomposing body in the house next door and appalled to think that no one including herself noticed her absence back at work she sets out to investigate despite her police officer colleagues lack of interest and finds data showing that such cases are frighteningly common in her own home town a chilling thriller and a hymn to all the lonely people whose individual voices haunt the pages elizabeth haynes new novel is a deeply disturbing and powerful thriller that preys on our darkest fears showing how vulnerable we are when we live alone and how easily ordinary lives can fall apart when no one is watching

Human Remains 2013-02-14 can elizabeth give her heart away to a man with no beating heart of his own at yet another tedious assembly elizabeth bennet prepares herself to tolerate a night of boredom but when she catches the eye of duke darcy one of the most mysterious and intriguing men in all of england she finds her life is changed forever their love is unexpected and it comes with an unbreakable promise soon elizabeth is forced to decide if she is willing to pay the ultimate price for an eternity with her beloved elizabeth s darkest beloved is a paranormal variation of pride and prejudice filed with danger romance and a love where until death do us part can last a lifetime Elizabeth's Darkest Beloved: A Paranormal Pride and Prejudice Variation 2016-04-18 using historical and current examples from film television literature advertisements and music this book reveals the ways that rape and abuse are typically presented and misrepresented and evaluates the impact of these depictions on consumers incidences of domestic abuse and sexual assault aren t only commonplace nationwide and the source of a shockingly large number of serious injuries and deaths they re also problems that are often subject to myths and misleading depictions in popular culture and media the author of this important book seeks to shed light on the situation by examining the specific issues related to domestic violence and sexual assault from the scope and extent of the problem to victim and offender characteristics and from common misconceptions to societal cultural and judicial responses and prevention efforts each chapter discusses movies music literature and other forms of popular culture that address issues of domestic abuse and sexual assault identifying both accurate depictions and problematic examples the final section of the book addresses how our culture responds to and attempts to prevent domestic abuse and sexual assault covering depictions of police response to these kinds of crimes in popular culture how the justice system handle

Domestic Abuse and Sexual Assault in Popular Culture 2024-02-22 a unique resource for drama teachers providing 200 stimuli and age appropriate individual topics within those to help inspire and guide young people in devising performance it contains useful information on devising techniques workshops schemes and lesson ideas for introducing devising and guidance on how to analyse the work and give feedback following on from his successful book 200 plays for gcse and a level performance author jason hanlan has once again solved one of drama teachers most frequently encountered problems how to unlock the best devised performance with their students devising as a group requires a level of collaboration which without a strong framework often descends into wild flights of fancy and a myriad of dead ends excellent ideas can be lost or diluted in an often awkward attempt to tie it all together to fit a narrative the main body of this book is a unique numbered listing of 200 stimuli designed to both inspire and focus the mind with an example of a possible topic and ways in that would be suitable for each level civil rights each stimuli is given its own page dedicated to exploring its possibilities as a piece of devised theatre for different age groups and offering suggestions for plays films and books to look at artefacts and images to examine ideas to consider and further research you can draw on

200 Themes for Devising Theatre with 11-18 Year Olds 2017-01-03 you only think you know what happened at waterloo the real story involved more monsters and a lot more time travel if jane austen and mary shelley had locked h g wells in a dungeon and revised his wildest work the result would have been something like this rollicking steampunk time travel adventure that still manages to be a comedy of manners albano s delightful characters confront not only monsters and killer robots but their own divided loyalties between personal happiness and the fate of their country ken schneyer it s 1815 and wellington s badly outnumbered army stares across the field of waterloo at napoleon s forces desperate to hold until reinforcements arrive wellington calls upon a race of monsters created by a mad genevese scientist 25 years before it s 1815 and a discontented young lady sitting in a rose garden receives a mysterious gift a pocket watch that when opened displays scenes from all eras of history past and future it s 1885 and a small band of resistance fighters are resorting to increasingly extreme methods in their efforts to overthrow a steampunk empire whose clockwork gears are slick with its subjects blood are these events connected oh come now that would be telling waterloo and time travel are made for each other and heather albano has done a wonderful job of giving us a delightful cast of characters tasked with stitching together the proper nineteenth century while fending off several monstrous alternatives propulsive adventure with historical insight kim stanley robinson

<u>Timepiece</u> 2015-02-12 set in 1950s london amidst the gritty and violent world of boxing this beautiful and brutal debut is the story of one man s struggle to overcome the mistakes and tragedies of his past jack munday has been fighting all his life his early memories are shaped by the thrill of the boxing ring since then he has grown numb scarred by his bullying father and haunted by the tragic fate of his first love now a grafting boxing manager jack is hungry for change so when hope and ambition appear in the form of frank a young fighter with a winning prospect and georgie a new girl who can match him step for step jack seizes his chance for a better future determined to win at all costs

The Longest Fight 2015-03-12 from the winner of the authors club best first novel award when 64 year old grace wellbeck thinks she sees the ghost of her first husband she fears for her sanity and worries that she s having another breakdown long buried memories come back thick and fast from the fairground thrills of 1950s blackpool to the dark reality of a violent marriage but the ghost turns out to be very real a charismatic young man named luke and as grace gets to know him she is jolted into an emotional awakening that brings her to a momentous decision drawing on a brilliant literary tradition of madness incarceration and escape jonathan kemp delivers the triumphant coming of age of a woman in her sixties

Ghosting 2014-08-07 when 11 year old indigo and her older brother robin arrive in south africa to stay with their father they find a luxury lifestyle that is a world away from their modest existence back in england but indigo is uneasy in the foreign landscape and confused by the family s silence surrounding her mother s recent death unable to find solace in either new or old faces she begins to harbour violent suspicions in place of the truth steeped in the dry heat of a south african summer this keen and touching debut seamlessly interweaves the voices of indigo and her mother and beautifully captures the human desire to belong in a family in a country in your own skin

Alarm Girl 2012-03-28 genevieve has finally escaped the stressful and dangerous demands of her work sales executive by day pole dancer at the exclusive barclay by night and achieved her dream to get out of london and start a new life aboard a houseboat in kent but on the night of her boat warming party a body washes up beside the vessel and genevieve recognises the victim as the sanctuary of the boatyard is threatened and genevieve s life seems increasingly at risk the story of how she came to be so out of her depth unfolds the barclay is not such an easy place to leave and genevieve finds out the cost of mixing business with pleasure haynes s powerful account of domestic violence is disquieting yet unsensationalist this is a gripping book guardian

Revenge of the Tide 2014-09-05 john and stella joyfully welcome the birth of twins baby boy smith and baby girl smith then the unthinkable happens baby girl smith is taken and john and stella are left to grieve for the child that is lost to them in but an instant john and stella are thrust into the deception and heartbreak that is black market adoption emmett winslow purchases a baby girl for his self indulgent wife and jennifer smith becomes elizabeth winslow mr smith meets mr winslow through their respective business dealings and the two families form a friendship but no one is prepared for the devastating consequences the truth brings when it is revealed the truth of her identity alters everything elizabeth has thought of as her past hurt and confused she runs from the truth searching for an identity that will be hers alone one day elizabeth finds love and that love leads her to a place of hope and forgiveness where she can reclaim her past and face her future this fast paced paranormal thriller will have you sitting on the edge of your seat as the darkness of deception and the light of hope battle for the souls of two fathers and for the daughter they love more than their own lives.

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The Blanket Is Blue 2013-08-15 a single call from his czech girlfriend catapults trevor into a serious crisis desperate to get his mojo back he blazes down highway 99 in a rented dodge neon but soon his journey to california is fraught with peril and all he has for protection are a semi automatic pistol his trusty plastic visor and a flea ridden cat as the drugs and the heartbreak kick in the question is no longer whether trevor will get over his girlfriend s infidelity but whether he II get out alive a fast paced and hilarious contemporary odyssey told with a searing clarity reminiscent of willy vlautin or patrick de witt the drive has all the adventure and surrealism of hunter s thompson s fear and loathing in las vegas but overlaid with heartfelt yearning and hope

The Drive 2016-09-01 there s something to be said for life experience a little gray at the temple and then there is the appeal of youth when it comes to what the heart wants age is just a number stories included twenty light years between useric goberan alien encounter an unfortunate misstep a lightning fast journey through space the laws of physics are about to wreak havoc on walt and michael s may december love all roads lead withinlayla dorinewhen james spotted rogue a young man for whom wandering is like breathing half dozing on the hood of his car he never expected that warning him about the dangers of sleeping out in the open would lead to a weekly visitor at his door north pasturelily veldenupon the death of his grandfather up and coming fantasy author thomas returns home a place he left four years earlier to get over his unrequited love for sam fletcher his older straight and very much married neighbor thomas soon discovers however that things are much changed with sam american master bakerdale cameron lowrybaking is a way of life for joey a young pastry chef vying for first place in the popular reality show american master bakers but the judges have been showing favoritism to terence an aggravatingly attractive older man with more experience under his belt when the competition gets hot so do the two men can a relationship that started in hatred end in love alpha and omega the claimingeddy lefeya young omega shifter meets a much older alpha will elliot let issac help him be who he is too afraid to be stand and deliverasta idoneanecessity has forced former soldier captain keen to assume the occupation of gentleman highwayman his fortunes take a turn however the night he stops the marquis de beaumont s coach and gets more than he bargained for when he utters the words e stand and deliver e lost and foundlouise lyonsthe loss of his best friend leads phil to find love trail to lovekassandra leathere s only one thing kit conley likes more than horses and that s roman meadery but will the elite rider ever

notice him cruising with lovecarol pedrosogus is under the thumb of a controlling father can meeting his mate give him a reason to make a break for freedom nelson is twice gus age and very protective of what is his what will happen when gus father tries to split them up and what surprises does nelson have up his sleeve near missaimee brissaya few seconds that s all it takes to make a difference between life and death between killing someone and stopping on time but is it enough to turn yourself around when you ve hit bottom or to make you recognize something good when you have it

Age Is Just A Number 2022-02-03 in the top flight of crime writing sunday telegraph the chilling new suspense thriller from the award winning bestselling author of a quiet belief in angels in the dead of winter even brothers become strangers running from a troubled childhood jack devereaux left home as soon as he could and never looked back until the day a stranger calls begging him to return to his hometown of jasperville quebec jack s brother calvis the little boy he left behind more than twenty years ago has viciously attacked a man and left him for dead nobody knows why he did it though jack suspects it has something to do with the jasperville girls who were lost all those years ago but as he begins the long journey home through the frozen unforgiving landscape jack isn t wondering why his little brother lost his mind he s wondering why it took so long the master of the genre clive cussler a uniquely gifted passionate and powerful writer alan furst

The Darkest Season 2014-09-16 chris baty founder of the wildly successful literary marathon known as national novel writing month nanowrimo has completely revised and expanded his definitive handbook for extreme noveling chris pulls from over 15 years of results oriented writing experience to pack this compendium with new tips and tricks ranging from week by week quick reference guides to encouraging advice from authors and much more his motivating mix of fearless optimism and practical solutions to common excuses gives both first time novelists and results oriented writers the kick start they need to embark on an exhilarating creative adventure

No Plot? No Problem! Revised and Expanded Edition 2017-10-26 a novel of awakening and atonement this exquisitely realised story revisits a seminal boyhood moment as it plays out with unexpected and sinister consequences against the backdrop of political upheaval in south africa for one long intense week in october 1962 the cuban missile crisis brought with it an east west stand off and the possibility of nuclear holocaust on the other side of the globe in pretoria a group of schoolboys scan the horizon for signs that the world is about to end there is political tension here too and the power struggles and cruelties of the boys mirror the corruption of a deeply divided country paul harvey sensitive isolated and desperate to fit in at school despite his english heritage will do whatever is needed to please the class ringleader andre du toit now in his sixties and living abroad paul is drawn back to south africa to confront the unexpected and chilling consequences of this seminal boyhood moment and the part he unwittingly played in the drama that unfolded

North Facing 2021-01-06 before her father s untimely death in a calculated honour killing by her own maternal grandfather and great grandfather beautiful and bright elizabeth isaac vows to her father to become a woman of substance and leave a mark in this world she does not want to end up like the other girls in the village of aruvithra in kottayam district of kerala who did not achieve anything meritorious in life however even after graduating with flying colors in a local college she is rejected by the educational institutions where she applies for a job due to her lack of funds as donation to the institutes in order to support her sick and widowed mother she perseveres to find a job she moves to mumbai in search of greener pastures with the help of one of her old classmates in mumbai she is happily employed as a secretary to her handsome boss who falls head over heels in love with her will elizabeth keep her promise to her father will she reciprocate her boss feelings the scenic beauty of god s own country described in flawless language and the enchanting rubber trees there make the book one of its kind this book will leave a lasting impression in the mind of the reader about the infinite love between a mother and a daughter

a lifeline a band worn around the neck the lifeline decapitates the wearer upon death preventing the person who soon becomes a zombie the mobility to seek out and harm others soon the lifelines became a symbolic comfort tool that removed the stress of a sudden society meltdown and its monitoring capabilities allowed the government to know where you are at all times then one day a citizen wearing a lifeline was found in a zombie infested area the victim was part of a string of kidnappings and murders that were happening right under the government s radar these undetected actions seem to be caused by a lone serial killer now the government is worried that the citizens will find out that a psychopath knows how to manipulate the lifelines the government must stop him before there is a society meltdown

HIM 2020-04-24 a holy hermit a holocaust survivor a literary librarian and a christian geneticist search for peace and happiness in a culture of chaos hermit abram eighty and his sister elizabeth eighty four escaped the holocaust in greece and made it to america as children elizabeth retired from teaching high school western civilization and abram who retired from teaching classics at u c berkeley converted to christianity and retreated to angel mountain to pray with his icons for the world and preach from the mountainside elizabeth hires catherine thirty three to sort her home library when gregory thirty seven a geneticist supporting intelligent design falls from the mountainside and is rescued by abram these four lives are changed forever the earth quakes fires rage and lightning strikes as antifa protestors threaten the hermit and his friends angels bridge heaven and earth and eternity intersects time is this the end of the world is the kingdom coming

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Angel Mountain 2004-01-07 the crusader centers on william a knight whose moral outlook is comprised of basic religious precepts and chivalrous principles envious of william s popularity with the common folk is robert a local nobleman realizing william s unwavering rectitude can be used against him robert foments a plan designed to bring disgrace upon william key to robert s plot is elizabeth william s cousin the ensuing action is charged with a psychological tension fueled by the unexpected foibles and surprising strengths of the individual characters william although the epitome of the chivalrous knight is not above stirring the pot of justice with a falsehood lest the contents burn robert the thoroughly dissolute nobleman at one point sounds more like a priest as he lectures william on the evils of self deception elizabeth finds she is able to transcend self pity guilt and thoughts of suicide by seeking reconciliation between william and robert after an honest self appraisal mary robert s haughty and uncompromising mother possesses the strength of character to acknowledge the role she s played in shaping the flawed character of her son and yet buckles emotionally at a critical juncture when her influence is needed most

The Crusader 1855 human remains is a chilling masterful thriller by new york times bestselling author elizabeth haynes that explores our darkest fears showing how vulnerable we are and how easily ordinary lives can fall apart when no one is watching annabel a police analyst is shocked when she discovers her neighbor s decomposing body in the house next door and she s appalled to think that no one noticed her absence back at work she sets out on her own to investigate and finds that such cases are frighteningly common in her hometown a hymn to all the lonely and compelling characters that haunt our lives human remains is a deeply disturbing and powerful novel of suspense from elizabeth haynes author of into the darkest corner

Blackwood's Edinburgh Magazine 2013-08-20 during the 19th century london was a complex vibrant and multi faceted city the first true metropolis as such it contained within it a widely disparate array of worlds and cultures representations of london in literature varied just as widely in the late 1830s london began appearing as a site of literary terror and by the end of the century a large proportion of the important victorian gothic revival novels were set in the city the strange case of dr jekyll and mr hyde the picture of dorian gray the three impostors the beetle dracula and many others in darkest london is a full length study of the victorian urban gothic a pervasive mode that appears not only in straightforward novels of terror like those mentioned above but also in the works of mainstream authors such as charles dickens and in the journalism and travel literature of the time in this volume author jamieson ridenhour looks beyond broad considerations of the gothic as a historical mode to explore the development of london and the concurrent rise of the urban gothic he also considers very specific aspects of london s representation in these works and draws upon recent and then contemporary theories close readings of relevant texts and cartography to support and expand these ideas this book examines the work of both canonical and non canonical authors including dickens bram stoker robert louis stevenson g w m reynolds richard marsh arthur machen marie belloc lowndes and oscar wilde placing the conventions of the gothic form in their proper historical context in darkest london will appeal to scholars and students interested in an in depth survey of the urban gothic

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