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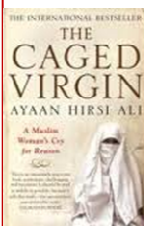
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WHAT'S NEW

APRIL BOOK REVIEWS

NON - FICTION

THE CAGED VIRGIN by Ayaan Hirsi Ali *A Muslim Woman's Cry for Reason*

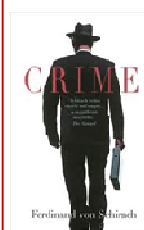


Ayaan Hirsi Ali is a brilliant and courageous woman. *The Caged Virgin* tells of her devotion to the cause of freeing Muslim women from the oppression of brutal and outdated religious and cultural practices.

The book opens the eyes of those in the western world to what it is really like to live in the Muslim world. It is a challenging read, because it tells the truth, a truth which is uncomfortable and hard to believe.

CRIME FICTION

CRIME by Ferdinand von Schirach,



Ferdinand von Schirach, one of Germany's most prominent defence lawyers, is also a master storyteller. Every sentence in this book is washed through with his cool compassion. His characters, in all their

unpredictability, are wonderfully alive. Their indelible experiences challenge us to question the nature of guilt and innocence, truth and reason, law and justice.

Crime may change the way you judge the world.

THE RED DAHLIA by Lynda La Plante



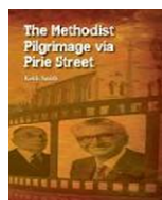
A copy cat murderer is on the prowl in London committing a shockingly brutal murder.

Detective Inspector Anna Travis is on the scene, but there are no suspects and the press want answers. Anna turns to her mentor, brilliant and volatile Detective Chief Inspector James Langton, but the frictions of their romantic relationship are complicating things.

A second murder is committed and Travis and Langton close in on the prime suspect. This unravels a shocking web of sadistic sexual evil and a family's murderous secrets.

HISTORY

THE METHODIST PILGRIMAGE VIA PIRIE STREET by Keith Smith



As a lover of history I was very pleased to be able to procure and read this copy of *The Methodist Pilgrimage via Pirie Street*.

Congratulations to Keith Smith for having undertaken the task, which will be greatly appreciated now and into the future .

The book is very well researched, pictures are crystal clear, setting out is excellent and so it is a pleasure to sift through the pages and find out who was connected with Pirie Street and who were the pioneers and benefactors who made the dream become a reality.

DVD'S

CALL THE MIDWIFE

Starring Jessica Raine, Miranda Hart, Jenny Agutter and Pam Ferris.



The hit BBC drama series which tells the moving and true-to-life stories of a group of midwives working in London's East End in the 1950's.

RED DOG

Starring Josh Lucas, Rachael Taler and introducing KOKO the Red Dog



Red Dog is the incredible true story of the wandering, dust-covered Kelpie who hitched his way to the mining town of Dampier and into the hearts of every one of its residents.

AUSTRALIA

Starring Nicole Kidman and Hugh Jackman



Set on the brink of WWII, an English aristocrat (Nicole Kidman) travels to this faraway continent, and meets rough-hewn cattle driver, (Hugh Jackman) and an enchanting Aboriginal child (Brandon Walters).

This unlikely three, embark on a journey , driving a herd of cattle across hundreds of miles of the world's most beautiful, yet unforgiving terrain. The bombing of the city of Darwin by the Japanese forces that attacked Pearl Harbour, cause the three to live out their lives under great confusion and stress.