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sex death and nostalgia are among the impulses driving beatles fandom the metaphorical death of the beatles after their break up in 1970 has fueled the progressive nostalgia of fan conventions for 48 years the death of john lennon and george harrison has added pathos and drama to the beatles story beatles monthly predicated on the beatles good looks and the letters page was a forum for euphemistically expressed sexuality the beatles and fandom is the first book to discuss these fan subcultures it combines academic theory on fandom with compelling original research material to tell an alternative history of the beatles phenomenon a fans history of the beatles that runs concurrently with the popular story we all know

have you ever finished a book or tv series and wished for more created stories art or videos based on a game dressed up as your favorite character if so you ve entered fandom fan writers expand and mix up stories like sending the star trek crew to hogwarts cosplayers sew star wars and sailor moon costumes and fan filmmakers make music video tributes fans also enrich invented worlds with greater diversity creating female and multiracial avatars for games peopled only with white male characters tour fandom s history and meet fan writers video makers artists costumers and gamers who celebrate the things they love and shape fan communities online and in real life

fan translations introduces students and scholars in media studies modern languages and related disciplines to the concept and practices of fan translation beginning with an overview of the research on fan translation from both media and translation studies this book focuses on issues such as the tension between creative readings and commercial exploitation the role of translation in popular culture the changing media landscape and the balance between translation as a form of self expression and as a service to the community fan translations resists the assumption of a global north subject in existing scholarship and instead explores the connections between fandom and translation in the global south where access to primary texts and official merchandise is often mediated through both official and fan translations as well as through unofficial products through the utilization of case studies evans and guo explore different perspectives on fandom translation and their intersections these case studies touch on imperative topics in fan culture such as fan translation in queer communities and media as a method of community building and the interrelation between fan and professional translation leading to ongoing changes in media distribution

this volume draws upon social science and historical approaches to provide insights into the world of women s football and female fans it gives an in depth analysis of the development of the women s game in different european countries and examines the experiences of female fans an overview about women s football in europe shows the rise and development of the game and the increasing inclusion of girls and women in football and fan communities to date there has been a lack of research on female participation in football but drawing on research studies from various european countries the volume explores a range of issues including how girls and women become football fans and players how women combine football with their everyday lives and how they may encounter stereotypes and barriers when they challenge male dominance by entering this traditionally male sport this collection will be of interest to students and scholars in a range of fields including sports sociology sport sciences gender studies leisure studies women s studies as well as fandom and cultural studies

the volume scrutinizes publics and infrastructures not separately but in their constitutive interrelations and resonances the contributions originating in a range of disciplinary perspectives share a praxeological approach discussing historical and current processes of mediated cooperation in infrastructuring and making public s by tracing different forms of the production design and historic trajectories of various publics and infrastructures

henry jenkins s pioneering work in the early 1990s promoted the idea that fans are among the most active and socially connected consumers of popular culture this volume maps the core theoretical and methodological issues in fan studies and also charts the growth of participatory culture on the web

the identity of army the dynamic global fanbase of korean music group bts is complex and nuanced i am army locates documents and celebrates just some of the unique identities within the diverse fandom a collection of autoethnographic essays each chapter in this book contains an army experience which transcends the personal entirely as such they sit as part of a broader

socio political examination and critique of the world we live in today i am army gives the reader a chance to immerse themselves in the world of an army living an entirely different life and the opportunity to understand just how socially constructed and influenced our lived experiences truly are co editor eaglehawk frames the socio political stories in i am army as accounts of practicing revolutionaries and introduces bts as participatory revolutionaries drawing upon universal truths detailed throughout the book eaglehawk develops a set of components for what she calls the love yourself speak yourself revolution which is currently underway within this book you will find the answers to questions such as why are fandoms devalued how can i learn to love myself and how can i be a feminist and an army above all else you will find a little piece of yourself written on the page for each of us are army each of us are human i am army serves as a reminder that despite how disconnected we may feel from the world how disheartened or downtrodden we are not alone army or not

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the twentieth anniversary edition of henry jenkins s textual poachers brings this now canonical text to a new generation of students interested in the intersections of fandom participatory culture popular consumption and media theory supplementing the original classic text is an interview between henry jenkins and suzanne scott in which jenkins reflects upon changes in the field since the original release of textual poachers a study guide by louisa stein helps provides instructors with suggestions for the way textual poachers can be used in the contemporary classroom and study questions encourage students to consider fan cultures in relation to consumer capitalism genre gender sexuality and more

emphasising the contradictions of fandom matt hills outlines how media fans have been conceptualised in cultural theory drawing on case studies of specific fan groups from elvis impersonators to x philes and trekkers hills discusses a range of approaches to fandom from the frankfurt school to psychoanalytic readings and asks whether the development of new media creates the possibility of new forms of fandom fan cultures also explores the notion of fan cults or followings considering how media fans perform the distinctions of cult status

how a show and the support of its fandom changed and saved lives supernatural a three time people s choice award winner for favorite sci fi fantasy tv show and tumblr s 2015 most reblogged live action tv has made a name for itself by supporting and encouraging its fans to always keep fighting and a memorable line from early in the show s run family don t end with blood became an inspiring mantra for many who found community in the fandom in 25 powerful chapters written by supernatural s actors and fans including series lead jared padalecki plus special messages from jensen ackles misha collins and mark sheppard family don t end with blood cast and fans on how supernatural has changed lives examines the far reach of the show s impact for more than a decade supernatural has inspired fans to change their lives from getting sober for sam to escaping a cult to pursuing life long dreams but fans aren t the only ones who have been changed the actors who bring the show to life have also found in the show and its community inspiration courage and the strength to keep going when

life seemed too hard including essays and special messages from supernatural s cast jared padelecki sam winchester jensen ackles dean winchester misha collins castiel mark sheppard crowley jim beaver bobby singer ruth connell rowena macleod osric chau kevin tran rob benedict chuck shurley aka god kim rhodes sheriff jody mills briana buckmaster sheriff donna hanscum matt cohen young john winchester gil mckinney henry winchester rachel miner meg masters collected and edited by lynn s zubernis a clinical psychologist professor and passionate supernatural fangirl family don t end with blood provides an insightful and often uplifting look into the way international fan communities become powerful positive forces in the lives of so many in keeping with the show s message to always keep fighting a portion of the proceeds from the book will be donated to random acts a nonprofit founded by misha collins and at titudes in reverse whose mission is to educate young people about mental health and suicide prevention

victoria aveyard s internationally beloved 1 new york times bestseller is now in paperback mare barrow s world is divided by blood those with common red blood serve the silver blooded elite who are gifted with superhuman abilities mare is a red scraping by as a thief in a poor rural village until a twist of fate throws her in front of the silver court there before the king princes and all the nobles she discovers she has an ability of her own to cover up this impossibility the king forces her to play the role of a lost silver princess and betroths her to one of his own sons as mare is drawn further into the silver world she risks everything and uses her new position to help the scarlet guard a growing red rebellion even as her heart tugs her in an impossible direction one wrong move can lead to her death but in the dangerous game she plays the only certainty is betrayal this sweeping story of palace intrigue class hierarchy and deception will keep readers hurtling along desperate to find out mare s fate her honesty and determination quick wit and no holds barred attitude will surely make readers fall in love with her

consuming sport offers a detailed consideration of how sport is experienced and engaged with in the everyday lives social networks and consumer patterns of its followers it examines the processes of becoming a sport fan and the social and moral career that supporters follow as their involvement develops over a life course the book argues that while for many people sport matters for many more it does not though for some sport is significant in shaping their social and cultural identity it is often consumed and experienced by others in quite mundane and everyday ways through the media images that surround us conversations overheard and in the clothing of people we pass by as well as developing a new theory of sport fandom the book links this discussion to wider debates on audiences fan cultures and consumer practices the text argues that for far too long consideration of sport fans has focused on exceptional forms of support ignoring the myriad of ways in which sport can be experienced and consumed in everyday life

ever wonder what makes furries tick those weird and wonderful folks with their colorful ears paws and tails the people who draw comics watch cartoons and write stories about walking talking animals yeah what s that all about join the furscience team as we take you on a journey through more than a decade worth of data on the furry fandom learn who they are what they do

and why they do it dig into the myths that surround this misunderstood community and let the data do the talking whether you re new to the community or a greymuzzle yourself know a friend or family member who s a furry or simply curious about one of the most interesting fandoms on the planet you re sure to learn something new because it s not just science it s furscience

not to be confused with the english football hooligan the ultras are the hardcore subculture of fans at the two main rome football clubs as roma and ss lazio with neo fascist sympathies these groups the boys at roma and the irriducibili at lazio are political and well organised following years of work inside the groups and interviews with the leading figures within the organisations gary armstrong and alberto testa have written a fascinating expose and examination of the ultras football fascism and fandom is a unique and terrifying study of a group that has not been examined in depth before now

collected stories from the honorverse featuring dame honor harrington including stories by david weber john ringo eric flint jane lindskold and timothy zahn

grace s story continues in covet the third in new york times bestselling author tracy wolff s lush action packed and romantic young adult paranormal fantasy series fandom s new favourite vampire romance obsession hypable this generation s twilight lynn rush i m having the best book hangover filled with danger humour and heart crave proves that vampires are definitely back j kenner beautifully descriptive with amazing pacing and wonderfully sinister settings christine feehan i may have reached my breaking point as if trying to graduate from a school for supernaturals isn t stressful enough my relationship status has gone from complicated to a straight up dumpster fire oh and the bloodletter has decided to drop a bomb of epic proportions on us all then again when has anything at katmere academy not been intense and the hits just keep coming jaxon s turned colder than an alaskan winter the circle is splintered over my upcoming coronation as if things couldn t get worse now there s an arrest warrant for hudson's and my supposed crimes which apparently means a lifetime prison sentence with a deadly unbreakable curse choices will have to be made and i fear not everyone will survive don t miss a single book in the series that spawned a phenomenon the crave series is best enjoyed in order crave crush covet court charm cherish suffice it to say i have a new book boyfriend pintip dunn intricately crafted deeply romantic victoria scott funny smart and compelling emily mckay

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