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Published under the author's own name: LeJoie Jones.

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In this brilliant collection of essays, Le Tom, a celebrated novelist and master of the essay form, offers a wide range of wonderfully challenging and always provocative reflections on literature and the art of writing. Le Tom's attention to classic authors such as Dante, Leopoldo, Borges, Beckett, and Christina Stead; contemporary writers including Virgil Samoth and Salman Rashid; and the whole of Latin America leads the reader on an entire tour of the world. "Le Tom has a flair for the entire collection, a deft and captivating, witty, and meticulous, it constantly offers new insights into The Inferno, that is, how exciting the essay form can be.

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Introduction. Canonicity, hybridity, freedom; Sailing with Dante to the new world; The Dante wax museum on the frontier, 1828 - Colored Dante. Dante the Protestant. Abolitionists and nationalists, Americans and Italians: H. Cordelia Bay, William Wells Brown -- Negro Dante. Educating the people: from Cicerio to Du Bos; African American filmmaker at the gates of Hell; Spencer Williams, Ralph Waldo Wight, Dante's Inferno; The system of Dante's system to the system -- African American Dante. Gloria Naylor, Linden Hills; Multicolored, Multicultural Terza Rima; Toni Morrison, The Bluest eye; Dante Rap -- Poets in exile.

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Linden Hills

"S O S provides readers with rich, vital views of the African American experience and of Baraka's own evolution as a poet-activist" (The Washington Post). Fusing the personal and the political in high-voltage verse, Amiri Baraka whose long illumination of the black experience in America was called incandescent in some quarters and incendiary in others was one of the preeminent literary innovators of the 20th century. His writing, ranging from the most evocative, revolutionary poems, from his first collection to previously unpublished pieces composed during his final years. Throughout Baraka's career as a prolific writer (also published as LeJoie Jones), he was vehemently outspoken against oppression of Africa and its people. Baraka's vision of an African consciousness and social values that were inspired by the spirituality of African people and movements that the black American community has had to adapt to the reality of the world. Baraka's views have been controversial over the years, but his message of hope and reconciliation with others remains strong.

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"A fevered and impressionist riff on the struggles of blacks in the urban North and rural South, as told through the prism of The Inferno." — Kirkus Reviews This 1965 novel is a remarkable narrative of childhood and youth, structured on the themes of Dante's Inferno: violence, innocence, Fraud, and treachery. With a poet's skill, Baraka creates the atmosphere of hell, and with drama he reconstructs the brutality of the black slums of Newark, a small Southern town, and New York City. The episodes contained within the novel represent both states of mind and states of the soul—lyric, fragmentary, and allusive. With an introduction by Woodie King Jr. "Much of the novel is an expression of the intellectual and moral lost motion of the age . . . the special agony of the American Negro." — The New York Times Book Review "It's a tortured nightmare, escruticiantly honest and alive, painful and beautiful . . ." — Michael Rumaker, author of A Day and A Night at the Baths

Inferno - The Art Collection

Dante's Inferno inspired Robert Rauschenberg (1925-2008) to create a series of 34 drawings that comprise one of the most remarkable creative enterprises of 20th-century American art. Completed between 1958 and 1960, XXXIV Drawings for Dante's Inferno introduced an innovative transfer process to the artist's tradition of combining found objects and photographic imagery from newspapers and other popular sources. The resulting powerful, abstract narrative runs parallel to Dante's allegorical journey through the underworld. This publication is the culmination of years of research to identify the images used in Rauschenberg's pieces, and Ed Krčma elucidates the work's deliberate commentary on the fraught political climate of the Cold War and its overall significance for the career of one of the most influential American artists. Examining Rauschenberg's aptitude for collapsing distinctions between various disciplines, his interpretation of Dante's Inferno is explored in depth for the first time in this groundbreaking book.

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The Paradise, which Dante called the sublime canticle, is perhaps the most ambitious book of The Divine Comedy. In this climactic segment, Dante's pilgrim reaches Paradise and encounters the Divine Will. The poet's mystical interpretation of the religious life is a complex and exquisite conclusion to his magnificent trilogy. Mark Musa's powerful and sensitive translation preserves the intrinsic power of the original while retaining the poem's breadth and vitality. In this new edition, the Divine Comedy is presented in three parts: The Inferno, The Purgatorio, and The Paradiso. These translations provide an extraordinary opportunity for readers to experience Dante's eternal vision in an eminently readable form. Edited, with an introduction, by Mark Musa.

Black Music

The complete autobiography of a literary legend.

Inferno

This essential and widely used collection of visions of heaven and hell, the first in English, presents new translations of two visions and newly edited versions of previously translated ones. Describes the place of these works in medieval literature and provides a helpful resource regarding elements of medieval religion. Includes: St. Peter's Apocalypse, St. Paul's Apocalypse, St. Brendan's Voyage, St. Patric's Purgatory, and the Visions of Fursius, Dryshelm, Wetti, Charles the Fat, Tundale, the Monk of Evesham, and Thurkill. Bibliography, Index, glossary, notes, illustrated.

The Tenth Circle

In Dante's Prayerful Pilgrimage Alessandro Vettori provides a comprehensive analysis of prayer in Dante's Commedia and considers the prayerful phenomenon a poetic/metaphorical pilgrimage of the soul toward the vision of the Trinity, while also reflecting Dante's own ecstatic experience.

The Dead Lecturer

'I truly thought I'd never make it back.' Ten of the most memorable and most terrifying cantos from Dante's Inferno. Introducing Little Black Classics: 80 books for Penguin's 80th birthday. Little Black Classics celebrate the huge range and diversity of Penguin Classics, with books from around the world and across many centuries. They take us from a balloon ride over Victorian London to a garden of Eden, from Dante's Inferno to 18th-century California and the Russian steppe. Here are stories lyrical and savage; poems epic and intimate; essays satirical and inspirational; and ideas that have shaped the lives of millions. Dante Alighieri (1265-1321). Dante's works available in Penguin Classics are Inferno, Purgatorio, Paradise, The Divine Comedy and Vita Nuova.

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Circles of Hell

The Moral System of Dante's Inferno

The essential collection of jazz writing by the celebrated poet and author of Blues People—reissued with a new introduction by the author. In the 1960s, LeRoi Jones—who would later be known as Amiri Baraka—was a pioneering jazz critic, articulating in real time the incredible transformations of the form taking place in the clubs and coffee houses of New York City. In Black Music, he shreds light on the brilliant young jazz musicians of the day: John Coltrane, Thelonious Monk, Miles Davis, Ornette Coleman, Cecil Taylor, Archie Shepp, Sun Ra, and others. Combining firsthand immediacy with wide-ranging erudition, Black Music articulates the complexities of modern jazz while also sharing insights on the nature of jazz criticism, the creative process, and the development of a new jazz aesthetic. This rich and vital collection is comprised of essays, reviews, interviews, liner notes, musical analyses, and personal impressions from 1959-1967. "In Black Music, Baraka wrote with ecstasy—highly informed and intricate—about ecstatically complex music."—Richard Brody, The New Yorker

Freedom Readers

Having recently escaped from hell, Allan Carpenter is haunted by the imprisonment of unfairly tortured souls and partners with suicide-victim poet Sylvia Plath for a mission to return to hell and rescue the damned. By the co-authors of Inferno. 100,000 first printing.

The Dante Club

Accessible and informative account of Dante's Great Comedia: its purpose, themes and styles, and its reception over the centuries.

Home

Dante's Prayerful Pilgrimage

One of the masterpieces of world literature, completed in 1320, Dante's La Divina Commedia describes his journey through Hell, Purgatory and his eventual arrival in Heaven. In this new version of Dante's masterpiece, Alasdair Gray offers a original translation in prosaic English rhyme. Accessible, modern and subtlety decorated, this remarkable edition told in three parts takes you two great religious, literary and intellectual journey, seven hundred years apart, and brings the classic text alive for the twenty-first century.

Dante's Paradise

When people go looking for hell, they go underground. Dante, Aeneas, and Odysseus all journeyed beneath the earth to find the underworld, a place where the dead are tortured according to their sins. Buffy the Vampire Slayer had to deal with a huge underground pit infested with demons below her high school called the Hellmouth. And when Homer Simpson ate the forbidden donut for which he'd sold his soul to the devil, he was sucked through a fiery hole in the ground. Though humans actually haven't gone more than 7.5 miles into the earth, we associate this mysterious underground realm with darkness and death, and the depths of the earth's interior remain an inspiration for writers and artists trying to imagine hell. Why Hell Stinks of Sulfur uses subterranean mythology as a point of departure to explore the vast world that lies beneath our feet. Geologist Salomon Kroonenberg takes us on an expedition that begins in Dante's Inferno and continues through Virgil, Da Vinci, Descartes, and Jules Verne. He investigates the nine circles of hell, searches a lake near Naples for the gates of hell used by Aeneas, and turns a scientific spotlight on the underground rivers and lakes that have never seen the light of day. From the underground rivers and lakes that have never seen the light of day to the story of Saint Barbara—the patron saint of mineworkers—Kroonenberg's pursuit of the geological and human history that has shaped our view of hell is a journey that few have undertaken. Why Hell Stinks of Sulfur applies the most advanced geological research to identify the images used in Rauschenberg's pieces, and Ed Krčma elucidates the work's deliberate commentary on the fraught political climate of the Cold War and its overall significance for the career of one of the most influential American artists. Examining Rauschenberg's aptitude for collapsing distinctions between various disciplines, his interpretation of Dante's Inferno is explored in depth for the first time in this groundbreaking book.

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Dante's Divine Comedy

The California Lecture Dante is the long-awaited companion to the three-volume verse translation by Allen Mandelbaum of Dante's Divine Comedy. Mandelbaum's translation, with facing original text and with illustrations by Barry Moser, has been praised by Robert Fagles as "exactly what we have waited for these years, a Dante with clarity, eloquence, terror, and profoundly moving depth." — Kathleen G. Morris as "rich and original, superb . . . rich orchestration. . . . overall sweep and facility . . . and countless tree, brilliant, utterly Danteuesque strokes." — Charles Simic called the work "a miracle. A lesson in the art of translation and a model (an encyclopedia) for poets. The full range and richness of American English is displayed as perhaps never before." This collection of commentaries on the first part of the Comedy consists of commissioned essays, one for each canto, by a distinguished group of international scholar-critics. Readers of Dante will find this Inferno volume an enlightening and indispensable guide, the kind of lucid commentary that is truly adapted to the general reader as well as the student and scholar.

Rauschenberg/Dante

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NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • Before The Dante Chamber, there was The Dante Club: "an ingenious thriller that . . . brings Dante Alighieri's Inferno to vivid, even unsettling life."—The Boston Globe  
With intricate plots, classical themes, and erudite characters . . . what's not to love?—Dan Brown, author of The Da Vinci Code and Origin  
Boston, 1865. The literary geniuses of the Dante Club—poets and Harvard professors Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes, and James Russell Lowell, along with publisher J. T. Fields—are finishing America's first translation of The Divine Comedy. The powerful Boston Brahmins at Harvard College are fighting to keep Dante in obscurity, believing the infiltration of foreign superstitions to be as corrupting as the immigrants arriving at Boston Harbor. But as the members of the Dante Club fight to keep a sacred literary cause alive, their plans fall apart when a series of murders erupts through Boston and Cambridge. Only this small group of scholars realizes that the gruesome killings are modeled on the descriptions of Hell's punishments from Dante's Inferno. With the lives of the Boston elite and Dante's literary future in the New World at stake, the members of the Dante Club must find the killer before the authorities discover their secret. Praise for The Dante Club "Ingenious . . . [Matthew Pearl] keeps this mystery sparkling with erudition."—Janet Maslin, The New York Times "Not just a page-turner but a beguiling look at the U.S. in an era when silhouettes shaped the course of learning and publishing. With this story of the Dante Club's own descent into hell, Mr. Pearl's book will delight the Dante novice and expert alike."—The Wall Street Journal "[Pearl] ably meshes the . . . literary analysis with a suspenseful plot and in the process humanizes the historical figures . . . A divine mystery."—People (Page-turner of the Week) "An erudite and entertaining account of Dante's violent entrance into the American canon."—Los Angeles Times "A hell of a first novel . . . The Dante Club delivers in spades . . . Pearl has crafted a work that maintains interest and drips with nineteenth-century atmospherics."—San Francisco Chronicle  

Dante's Inferno the Divine Comedy

A fully updated new edition of this useful and accessible coursebook on Dante's works, context and reception history.