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Philip K. Dick HarperCollins UK
A dark, dystopian portrait of

artists struggling to resist violent suppression— " queer, English, a masterpiece." (Hilton Als) Set amid the rolling hills and the sandy shingle beaches of coastal Sussex, this disquieting novel depicts an England in which bland conformity is the terrifying order of the day.

Violent gangs roam the country destroying art and culture and brutalizing those who resist the purge. As the menacing "They " creep ever closer, a loosely connected band of dissidents attempt to evade the chilling mobs, but it 's only a matter of time until their luck runs out. Winner of the 1977 South-East Arts Literature Prize, Kay Dick 's They is an uncanny and prescient vision of a world hostile to beauty, emotion, and the individual. The Man in the High Castle Hachette UK This early work by Philip K. Dick was originally published in 1953 and we are now republishing it with a brand new introductory biography. 'Small Town' is a short story about a man with godlike power over two towns. Philip Kindred Dick was born on December 16 1928, in Chicago, Illinois. Dick and his family moved to the Bay Area of San Francisco when he was

young, and later on to Washington DC following his parents divorce. Dick attended Elementary school and then a Quaker school before the family moved back to California. It was around this time that Dick began to take an active interest in the science fiction genre, reading his first magazine 'Stirring Science Stories', at age twelve. Dick married five times between 1959 and 1973, and had three children. He sold his first story in 1951 and from that point on he wrote fulltime, selling his first novel in 1955. In addition to 44 published novels, Dick wrote an estimated 121 short stories, most of which appeared in science fiction magazines during his lifetime. In addition to 44 published novels, Dick wrote an estimated 121 short stories, most of which appeared in science fiction magazines during his lifetime. After his death, many of his stories made the transition to the big screen, with blockbuster films such as Blade Runner, Total Recall and Minority Report being based on his works.

The Three Stigmata of

## Palmer Eldritch

National Geographic Books n The Divine Invasion, Philip K. Dick asks: What if God--or a being called Yah--were alive and in exile on a distant planet? How could a second coming succeed against the high technology and finely tuned rationalized evil of the modern police state? The Divine Invasion "blends Judaism, Kabalah, Zoroastrianism, and Christianity into a fascinating fable of human existence" (West Coast Revew of Books). From the Trade Paperback edition. Philip K. Dick: VALIS and Later Novels (LOA #193) Houghton Mifflin Harcourt " Dick is one of the ten bestwhat the price is for divine American writers of the twentieth century, which is saying a lot. Dick was a kind of Kafka steeped in

LSD and rage. "—Roberto Bolaño What is VALIS? This question is at the heart of Philip K. Dick 's ground-breaking novel, and the first book in his defining trilogy. When a beam of pink light begins giving a schizophrenic man named Horselover Fat (who just might also be known as Philip K. Dick) visions of an alternate Earth where the Roman Empire still reigns, he must decide whether he is crazy, or whether a godlike entity is showing him the true nature of the world. VALIS is essential. reading for any true Philip K. Dick fan. a novel that Roberto Bolaño called " more disturbing than any novel by [Carson] McCullers." By the end, like Dick himself, you will be left wondering what is real, what is fiction, and just inspiration. Over a career that spanned three decades, Philip K. Dick (1928 – 1982) wrote 121 short stories and

45 novels, establishing himself as one of the most visionary authors of the twentieth century. His work is included in the Library of America and has been translated into more than twenty-five languages. Eleven works have been adapted to film, including Blade Runner (based on Do Androids Dream of Electric Sheep?), Total Recall, Minority Report, and A Scanner Darkly.

Valis Simon and Schuster In a classic work of alternate history, the United States is divided up and ruled by the Axis powers after the defeat of the Allies during World War II. Reissue. Winner of the Hugo Award for Best Novel.

Twenty Thousand Leagues
Under the Sea Harvill Press
1992: Humanity now enjoys
a range of psychic abilities.
Glen Runciter runs his own

organization employing inertials - those capable of blocking telepathic and precognitive waves - to enforce people's privacy. When he and a hand-picked team travel to the moon in order to secure a business magnate's lunar facilities, they walk straight into an explosive trap. And now Runciter is dead. Or is he? SOMEONE died in the bomb blast. But his mourning employees are receiving bewildering messages from him. And the world around them is warping and regressing in ways which suggest that their own time is running out...

Tropic of Cancer (Harper Perennial Modern Classics) Read Books Ltd Thirteen short stories by the legendary author of The Man in the High Castle and other science fiction classics. Philip K. Dick

didn't predict the future?he summoned the desperate bleakness of our present directly from his fevered paranoia. Dick didn't predict the Internet or iPhones or email or 3D printers, but rather he so thoroughly understood human nature that he could already see, even at the advent of the transistor, the way technology would alienate us from each other and from ourselves. He could see us isolated and drifting in our own private realities even before we had plugged in our ear buds. He could see. even in the earliest days of space exploration, how much of our own existence remained unexplored, and how the great black spaces between people were growing even as our universe was shrinking. Philip K. Dick spent his first three years as a science fiction author writing shorter

fiction, and in his lifetime he composed almost 150 short stories, many of which have gone on to be adapted into (slightly watered down) Hollywood blockbusters. Collected here are thirteen of his most Dickian tales, funhouse realities with trap doors and hidden compartments. Ubik Hachette UK The screenplay version of the seminal sf novel, out of print for more than two decades.

Five Novels Subterranean Science fiction-roman om livet på Jorden efter en altødelæggende krig, hvor de få overlevende kommer i konflikt med de menneskelignende robotter, androider, som de selv har skabt

A Maze of Death
Houghton Mifflin Harcourt
Palmer Eldritch returns
from the edge of the
universe with a drug

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called Chew-D for the colonists of Mars who are under threat of god-like or satanic psychics that threaten to wage war against the human soul.

Small Town Houghton Mifflin Harcourt

Seven years after the day of the bombs, Point Reyes was luckier than most places. Its people were reasonably normal - except for the girl with her twin brother growing inside her, and talking to her. Their barter economy was working. Their resident genius could fix almost anything that broke down. But they didn't know they were harbouring the one man who almost everyone left alive wanted killed...

Philip K. Dick Hachette UK
Five of Philip K. Dick's best
novels in one fantastic
value volume: the best of
SF's visionary master This
volume contains DO
ANDROIDS DREAM OF
ELECTRIC SHEEP?

(filmed as BLADERUNNER), MARTIAN TIME SLIP, UBIK, THE THREE STIGMATA OF PALMER **ELDRITCH** and A SCANNER DARKLY, Taken together they represent the best of Philip K. Dick's unique imagination. In Dick's writing nothing is what it seems, our sense of the world's order is fatally undermined and mass media tells us nothing but artful lies. Films such as THE MATRIX and THE TRUMAN SHOW would not have been made but for Philip K. Dick. His work has never been more timely. Martian Time-Slip Vintage Valis is the first book in Philip K. Dick's incomparable final trio of novels (the others being are The Divine Invasion and The Transmigration of Timothy Archer). This disorienting and bleakly funny work is about a

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schizophrenic hero named Horselover Fat: the hidden mysteries of Gnostic Christianity; and reality as revealed through a pink laser. Valis is a theological detective story, in which God is both a missing person and the perpetrator of the ultimate crime. "The fact that what Dick is entertaining us about is reality and madness, time and death, sin and salvation--this has escaped most critics. Nobody notices that we have our own homegrown Borges, and have had him for thirty years."--Ursula K. Le Guin, New Republic From the Trade Paperback edition. The Simulacra Smith **Press** 

Eleven short stories and novellas from 1950s periodicals such as Worlds of Science Fiction, Orbit, and Startling Stories include "Foster, You're Dead," "Prominent Author," "Upon the Dull Earth," and "Adjustment Team." **Five Great Novels** Simon and Schuster Set in suburban Orange County, California in a future where America has lost the war on drugs. When one reluctant undercover cop is ordered to start spying on his friends, he is launched on a paranoid journey into the absurd, where identities and loyalties are impossible to decode. Based on the experiences of the author, Philip K. Dick. Five Novels of the 1960s & 70s Courier Dover **Publications** Louis Rosen's company creates historically accurate simulacra of people, such

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as Abraham Lincoln, but a and no other writer at any billionaire's secret plans for time has created such an them could cause trouble for extraordinary collection of Louis well-loved novels. This

The Twisted Worlds of Philip K. Dick Vintage Many readers know Victorian England through the writings of Charles Dickens. Not only did Dickens put a face to the era through his memorable characters, he also captured the spirit of his age in entertaining fiction spun from its social concerns and historical events. This literary omnibus brings together five of Dickens's bestknown novels: Oliver Twist. A Christmas Carol, David Copperfield, Great Expectations and A Tale of Two Cities. Prolific, energetic and committed to social change, no other novelist of the time did as much as Charles Dickens to rally his readers to action time has created such an extraordinary collection of well-loved novels. This exquisitely designed Leatherbound edition has distinctive gilt edging and an attractive silk-ribbon bookmark; it will make an artful addition to any home library.

They Library of America Philip K. D

It's the year 2080, and Earth's seemingly insurmountable overpopulation problem has been alleviated temporarily by placing millions of people in voluntary deep freeze. But in election year, the pressure is on to find a solution which will enable them to resume their lives. For Jim Briskin. Presidential candidate, it seems an insoluble problem until a flaw in the new instantaneous travel system opens up the possibility of finding whole new worlds to colonise.

The Gun Citadel Press

A collection of eighteen science fiction short stories features "The Minority Report," in which Commissioner John Anderton's clever use of "precogs," people who can identify criminals before they can do any harm, turns against him when they identify him as the next criminal. The Minority Report Echo Point+ORM Miller's groundbreaking first novel, banned in Britain for almost thirty years.

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