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A tense, psychological thriller set upon the railway between Paris and Le Havre in the 19th century, "The Beast Within (La Bete Humaine)," Emile Zola's 1890 novel, is the story of Jacques Lantier, an engine driver on the railroad and the titular "Beast." Lantier is driven mad by the desire to kill a woman, however when he has the opportunity to do so, he stops himself. Later following the incident he discovers the brutal murder of Grandmorin, one of the directors of the railway company. An investigation ensues and Jacques Lantier

involvement in it quells his homicidal desire. Jacques-Louis Lantier is the great grandson of Antoine Macquart and the familial link that makes "The Beast Within (La Bete Humaine)" part of Zola's brilliant collection of novels and stories, "Les Rougon-Macquart." Noted for its realistic portrayal of French society in the Victorian era the "Rougon-Macquart" series stands as a hallmark of French literature.

La Bête humaine Routledge

A superb new translation of one of the most intense and explicit works of the nineteenth-century French master Émile Zola considered The Beast Within-also known as La Bête Humaine-to be his "most finely worked" novel. This new translation finally captures his fast-paced yet deliberately dispassionate style. Set at the end of the Second Empire, when French society seemed to be hurtling into the future like the new railways and

locomotives it was building, *The Beast Within* is at once a tale of murder, passion, and possession and a compassionate study of individuals derailed by the burden of inherited evil. In it, Zola expresses the hope that human nature evolves through education but warns that the beast within continues to lurk beneath the veneer of technological progress.

Thérèse Raquin e-artnow

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Les Rougon-Macquart 17 - La bête humaine e-artnow

Roubaud, sous-chef de gare au Havre, employé modeste, mais ayant été injustement l'objet d'une plainte d'un usager, est monté à Paris pour se justifier. Sa femme Séverine en a profité pour l'accompagner et faire quelques emplettes. Ils se journent dans le petit appartement de Mère Victoire, la nourrice de Séverine. Roubaud apprend de la bouche de Séverine que Grandmornin, président de la compagnie de chemin de fer de l'Ouest, devenu son protecteur, l'a violé durant son adolescence.

Les Rougon-Macquart: La bête humaine. l'argent. La débâcle. Le docteur Pascal Library of Alexandria

Analyzes the works of Stendhal, Balzac, Flaubert, Zola, and Proust, examining their uses of realism
The Beast Within (La Bête Humaine) Oxford University Press, USA

La Bête humaine est un roman d'Émile Zola publié en 1890, le dix-septième volume de la série Les Rougon-Macquart. L'histoire évoque le monde du chemin de fer et se déroule tout au long de la ligne Paris-Le Havre. On a coutume de dire qu'elle comporte deux héros: d'une part le mécanicien Jacques Lantier et de l'autre sa locomotive, la Lison, que Lantier aime plus qu'une femme. Outre son aspect documentaire, La Bête humaine est un roman noir, sorte de thriller du xixe siècle; c'est aussi un roman sur l'héritage, Jacques souffrant

d'une folie homicide que Zola rattache à l'alcoolisme des Macquart.

La Bête Humaine. (Les Rougon-Macquart. Histoire naturelle et sociale d'une famille sous le second empire.). e-artnow

ROMAN. 1890. FRENCH EDITION

ENRICHIE. Biographie et Informations.

L'une des œuvres la plus lue et appréciée dans le Monde. Ouvrage réalisé par l'illustre écrivain Emile Zola. Résumé La bête humaine, c'est le conducteur de train Lantier, le fils de la pauvre Gervaise de L'Assommoir et la victime d'une folie homicide. S'il désire une femme, un atroce désir de sang l'étreint. La bête humaine, c'est aussi sa locomotive à vapeur, la Lison, une puissante machine aimée et entretenue comme une maîtresse. Avec elle, il affronte une tempête de neige sur la ligne Paris-Le Havre et une effroyable catastrophe ferroviaire. C'est Séverine aussi, une femme douce qui aide pourtant son mari à tuer et projette de l'éliminer à son tour pour pouvoir vivre sa passion avec Lantier. Dans cette fresque tourmentée d'amour et de mort, Zola peint la part sauvage de l'homme, qu'il soit bourgeois ou employé des Chemins de fer français. C'est en vain que l'homme maîtrise la machine s'il ne se maîtrise pas lui-même.

La Bête Humaine Gallimard Education

Extrait: Pendant le rude hiver de 1860, l'Oise gela, de grandes neiges couvrirent les plaines de la basse Picardie; et il en vint surtout une bourrasque du nord-est, qui ensevelit presque Beaumont, le jour de la Noël. La neige, s'étant mise à tomber dès le matin, redoubla vers le soir, s'amassa durant toute la nuit.

La bête humaine Penguin

L'essentiel de La Bête humaine, c'est l'instinct de mort dans le personnage principal, la fêlure cérébrale de Jacques Lantier, mécanicien de locomotive. Jeune

homme, il pressent si bien la manière dont l'instinct de mort se déguise sous tous les appétits, l'Idée de mort sous toutes les idées fixes, la grande hérédité sous la petite, qu'il se tient à l'écart : d'abord des femmes, mais aussi du vin, de l'argent, des ambitions qu'il pourrait avoir légitimement. Il a renoncé aux instincts ; son seul objet, c'est la machine. Ce qu'il sait, c'est que la fêlure introduit la mort dans tous les instincts, poursuit son travail en eux, par eux ; et que, à l'origine ou au bout de tout instinct, il s'agit de tuer, et peut-être aussi d'être tué.

La Bête Humaine Routledge

Denne romanserie er et af de første eksempler på naturalismen i Frankrig.

Les Rougon-Macquart John Benjamins Publishing

This carefully crafted ebook: "The Rougon-Macquart Cycle: Complete Collection - ALL 20 Novels In One Volume" is formatted for your eReader with a functional and detailed table of contents.

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La Bête humaine Independently Published Emile Zola (1840-1902) "En entrant dans la chambre, Roubaud posa sur la table le pain d'une livre, le pâté et la bouteille de vin blanc. Mais, le matin, avant de descendre à son poste, la mère Victoire avait dû couvrir le feu de son poêle, d'un tel poussier, que la chaleur était suffocante. Et le sous-chef de gare, ayant ouvert une fenêtre, s'y accouda. C'était impasse d'Amsterdam, dans la dernière maison de droite, une haute maison où la Compagnie de l'Ouest logeait certains de ses employés. La fenêtre, au cinquième, à l'angle du toit mansardé qui faisait retour, donnait sur la gare, cette tranchée large trouant le quartier de l'Europe, tout un déroulement brusque de l'horizon, que semblait agrandir encore, cet après-midi-là, un ciel gris du milieu de février, d'un gris humide et tiède, traversé de soleil. En face, sous ce poudroiement de rayons, les

maisons de la rue de Rome se brouillaient, s'effaçaient, légères. A gauche, les marquises des halles couvertes ouvraient leurs porches géants, aux vitrages enfumés, celle des grandes lignes, immense, où l'œil plongeait, et que les bâtiments de la poste et de la bouillotterie séparaient des autres, plus petites, celles d'Argenteuil, de Versailles et de la Ceinture ; tandis que le pont de l'Europe, à droite, coupait de son étoile de fer la tranchée, que l'on voyait reparaitre et filer au-delà, jusqu'au tunnel des Batignolles. Et, en bas de la fenêtre même, occupant tout le vaste champ, les trois doubles voies qui sortaient du pont, se ramifiaient, s'écartaient en un éventail dont les branches de métal, multipliées, innombrables, allaient se perdre sous les marquises. Les trois postes d'aiguilleur, en avant des arches, montraient leurs petits jardins nus. Dans l'effacement confus des wagons et des machines encombrant les rails, un grand signal rouge tachait le jour pâle." Emile Zola nous propulse dans le monde ferroviaire. Jacques Lantier, le fils de Gervaise ("L'assommoir") est un mécanicien tourmenté par ses pulsions. L'amour de sa vie n'est autre que sa locomotive - Lison - mais il aime également Séverine, une femme mal mariée. Qui est la bête humaine ? Lison ou Lantier ? Un véritable thriller du XIX^e siècle...

Les Rougon Macquart OUP Oxford

Did possessing and killing amount to the same thing deep within the dark recesses of the human beast? La Bete humaine (1890), is one of Zola's most violent and explicit works. On one level a tale of murder, passion and possession, it is also a compassionate study of individuals derailed by atavistic forces beyond their control. Zola considered this his 'most finely worked' novel, and in it he powerfully evokes life at the end of the Second Empire in

France, where society seemed to be hurtling into the future like the new locomotives and railways it was building. While expressing the hope that human nature evolves through education and gradually frees itself of the burden of inherited evil, he is constantly reminding us that under the veneer of technological progress there remains, always, the beast within. This new translation captures Zola's fast-paced yet deliberately dispassionate style, while the introduction and detailed notes place the novel in its social, historical, and literary context.

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La bête humaine Thérèse Raquin

"Les Rougon-Macquart", vaste fresque de 20 romans, raconte l'histoire d'une famille imaginaire, vivant en France sous le Second Empire (1851-1870). Cette oeuvre porte comme sous titre "Histoire naturelle et sociale d'une famille sous le Second Empire, rappelant ainsi les ambitions de Zola: " Les Rougon-Macquart personnifieront l'époque, l'empire lui-même." Ce sera l'oeuvre principale de sa vie. Emile Zola va confronter deux familles qui apportent chacune leur caractère, leur secret, leur héritage. Le but est d'étudier l'influence du milieu sur l'homme et les tares héréditaires d'une famille sur cinq générations depuis l'ancêtre Adélaïde Fouquet née en 1768. Il veut aussi dépeindre cette société du Second Empire de la façon la plus exhaustive possible, en n'oubliant aucune des composantes de cette société et en faisant une large place aux grandes transformations qui se produisirent à cette époque (urbanisme parisien, grands magasins, développement du chemin de fer, apparition du syndicalisme moderne, etc.) Cet ensemble de romans marque le triomphe du mouvement littéraire appelé naturalisme, don t

Zola est avec Edmond et Jules de Goncourt, puis Guy De Maupassant, le principal représentant. Les romans peuvent se lire de manière indépendante, mais, pour une meilleure compréhension de la chronologie, il est préférable de les lire dans l'ordre de parution. D'une manière générale, La Fortune des Rougon est le roman d'ouverture qui annonce les principaux personnages de l'ensemble et Le Docteur Pascal en est le bilan final. Certains romans apparaissent comme des "suites": La Conquête de Plassans débouche sur La Faute de l'Abbé Mouret; Pot-Bouille se prolonge par Au Bonheur des Dames; L'Argent prolonge La Curée et la terre se continue par La Débâcle. Résumé Tome 9: "La Bête Humaine", 17ème livre, est un roman noir, un thriller. C'est un roman à charge sur la période de décadence bien caractéristique de la fin du Second Empire, aboutissement voulu du cycle des Rougon-Macquart. Personnage principal: Jacques Lantier et sa locomotive "la lison". "L'Argent", 18ème roman, évoque la spéculation financière à une période où Paris est, avec Londres, la première place boursière au monde. Il décrit le mythe de l'argent et raconte l'histoire d'un scandale financier. Personnage principal Aristide Saccard (dernière apparition dans La Curée où il avait amassé une fortune colossale).

The Rougon-Macquart: Complete 20 Book Collection Grasset

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Gervaise Macquart. Nana follows the life of Gervaise's daughter as her economic circumstances and hereditary penchants lead her to a career as an actress, then a courtesan. *Au Bonheur des dames* (Ladies' Delight) depicts the mechanisms of a new economic entity, the department store, and its impact on smaller merchants. *Germinal* depicts life in a mining community by highlighting relations between the bourgeoisie and the working class. A quite different work, *L'Oeuvre* (The Masterpiece), explores the milieu of the art world and the relationships among the arts through an examination of the friendship between an Impressionist painter, Claude Lantier, and a naturalist novelist, Pierre Sandoz. In *La Terre* (Earth) Zola depicts what he considered to be the sordid lust for land among the French peasantry. In *La Bête humaine* (The Human Beast) he analyzes the hereditary urge to kill that haunts the Lantier branch of the family. *La Débâcle* (The Debacle) traces both the defeat of the French army by the Germans at the Battle of Sedan in 1870 and the anarchist uprising of the Paris Commune. Finally, in *Le Docteur Pascal* (Doctor Pascal) he uses the main character, the doctor Pascal Rougon, armed with a genealogical tree of the Rougon-Macquart family published with the novel, to expound the theories of heredity underlying the entire series. Émile Zola (1840 – 1902), French novelist, critic, and political activist who was the most prominent French novelist of the late 19th century. He was noted for his theories of naturalism, which underlie his monumental 20-novel series *Les Rougon-Macquart*, and for his intervention in the Dreyfus Affair through his famous open letter, "J'accuse."

Zola, The Body Modern Oxford University Press
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artistic act. Kate Griffiths is a lecturer in French at Swansea University."

The Beast Within Oxford University Press on Demand

Emile Zola's reputation as a landmark European novelist is undisputed. His monumental achievement, the novel cycle *Les Rougon-Macquart: Histoire sociale et naturelle d'une famille sous le Second Empire* (1871-1893), fixed his status as a major writer in the naturalist tradition. Is there any more to be said? Susan Harrow answers boldly in the affirmative, challenging the commonplace view that Zola's writing is predictable, prolix and transparent (what Barthes called 'readerly', for which read 'tedious'). Harrow exposes the modernist and postmodernist strategies which surface in the *Rougon-Macquart* novels, and reveals Zola's innovative representation of the body captured here at work, at war, at play, at rest, and in arresting abstraction. Informed by critical thought from Barthes and Deleuze to Michel de Certeau and Anthony Giddens, Zola, the Body Modern offers a model for how we can revitalize our understanding of the canonical nineteenth-century European novel, and learn to travel more flexibly between parameters of century, style and aesthetics.

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First published pseudonymously in 1764, *The Castle of Otranto* purported to be a translation of an Italian story of the time of the crusades. In it Walpole attempted, as he declared in the Preface to the Second Edition, "to blend the two kinds of romance: the ancient and the modern." Crammed with invention, entertainment, terror, and pathos, the novel was an immediate success and Walpole's own favorite among his numerous works. The novel is reprinted here from a text of 1798, the last that Walpole himself prepared for the press.

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