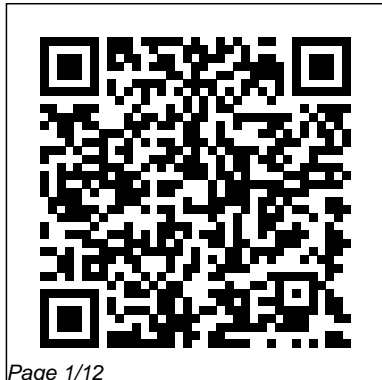


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# The Voyeur Alain Robbe Grillet

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## **La Belle Captive**

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The Battle of  
Reichenfels has  
been fought and  
lost. The army is

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in flight. The enemy or at least get rid  
is expected to of it. A brilliant  
arrive in town at work from one of  
any moment. A the finest  
soldier, carrying a exponents of the  
parcel under his Nouveau Roman, In  
arm, is wandering the Labyrinth  
through an unknown showcases an  
town. All the inventive, hypnotic  
streets look the style which creates  
same, and he cannot an uncanny  
remember the name atmosphere of  
of one where he was dj-vu, yet  
supposed to meet undermines the  
the man who had reader's  
agreed to take the expectations at  
parcel. But he must every turn.  
deliver the parcel *Dreams of a Young Girl*

Dalkey Archive Press  
The winner of the Prix des  
Critiques from the French  
avant-garde author of  
Jealousy. "Robbe-Grillet  
is the forerunner of a  
revolution in the novel"  
(Claude Mauriac, cultural  
critic for Le Figaro).  
Mathias, a timorous,  
ineffectual traveling  
salesman, returns to the  
island of his birth after a  
long absence. Two days  
later, a thirteen-year-old  
girl is found drowned and  
mutilated. With eerie  
precision, Robbe-Grillet

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puts us at the scene of the crime and takes us inside Mathias's mind, artfully enlisting us as detective hot on the trail of a homicidal maniac. A triumphant display of the techniques of the "new novel," *The Voyeur* achieves the impossible feat of keeping us utterly engrossed in the mystery of the child's murder while systematically raising doubts about whether it really occurred. "The suspense . . . keeps us on tenterhooks." —The New

York Times Book Review "I can think of no other writer who can render the banal so fearfully fantastic. In the subtlest, slyest, and most sheerly delightful way he persuades us to look anew at the commonplace." —Books and Bookmen Praise for Alain Robbe-Grillet "Robbe-Grillet's theories constitute the most ambitious aesthetic program since Surrealism." —John Updike, Pulitzer Prize-winner "Robbe-

Grillet is important because he has attacked the last bastion of the traditional art of writing: the organization of literary space." —Roland Barthes, influential literary theorist "Robbe-Grillet was a master at conveying human misunderstanding." —Bernard-Henri Lévy, public intellectual, author, and filmmaker "I doubt that fiction as art can any longer be seriously discussed without Robbe-Grillet." —The New York

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Times

REGICIDE. Random House  
Newly reissued with an eye-catching cover by Peter Mendelsund, two remarkable books by legendary avant-garde writer Alain Robbe-Grillet

For a New Novel Macmillan  
Alain Robbe-Grillet had traditionally been seen as an austere experimentalist in fiction, addicted to arid and interminable descriptions of objects like coffee pots, erasers and pieces of string. His own rather bellicose theoretical pronouncements were partly

to blame for this unattractive picture, belied by the immense popular success of the film *Last Year at Marienbad* (1961) (made by Alain Resnais from Robbe-Grillet's script) and the high critical esteem in which novels like *Jealousy* and *The Voyeur* are held. In his original study, first published in 1983, John Fletcher attempts to resolve this paradox by offering a new interpretation of Robbe-Grillet's work which stresses the subversive qualities of his imagination and the disturbing power of his vision of a world

of labyrinths and bizarre sexual stereotypes, haunted by images of love and loss.

Why I Love Barthes New York : Grove Press

A young man follows an androgynous girl into a clandestine world where he experiences doubts about his own identity, and *Lady Ava's Blue Villa* in Hong Kong becomes the center of crime, intrigue, and passion

Marx: Towards the Centre of Possibility BoD – Books on Demand

“ Could be read as the French New Novelist's

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tribute to the vibrant Latin American fiction that his own early works helped to inspire ” (The New York Times Book Review). A provocative novel by one of the most influential French writers, *Recollections of the Golden Triangle* is a tour de force: a literary thriller constructed of wildly diverse elements—fantasy and dream, erotic invention, and the stuff of popular fiction and movies taken to its farthest limits. A secret door that is opened slightly by an electronic device, a beautiful hanged factory girl, a pale young aristocrat whose blood apparently

nourishes his vampiric lover, the evil Dr. Morgan who conducts his experiments in “ tertiary dream behavior, ” the beautiful and sinister women from the world of horror films, and the investigating police, who are not all what they seem to be, are just some of the ingredients of this intriguing new novel by the French master of the intellectual thriller, whose novels and films have effectively changed the way we can look at the “ real ” world today. *Recollections of the Golden Triangle* challenges the reader to find his own meaning in its descriptions,

clues, and contradictions, and to play detective by assembling the pieces of the fictional puzzle. “ If you make the effort [to read *Recollections of a Golden Triangle*], you will have a richer and more rewarding experience than you would reading a conventional mystery story. ” —St. Louis Post-Dispatch “ A sense of atmosphere and a power of representation that at best make one feel that one is looking over an artist ’ s shoulder with one eye on the canvas and the other on the reality that he is sketching. ” The Times Le Voyeur. (Roman.).

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Northwestern University  
Press  
Also available in a new,  
movie tie-in edition, titled  
The Gunman (Paperback  
ISBN: 978-0-87286-664-5.  
Ebook ISBN:  
9780872866652). Film  
opened March 20th, 2015  
and starred Sean Penn,  
Javier Bardem, Idris Elba  
and Ray Winstone, directed  
by Pierre Morel (Taken).  
Martin Terrier is a hired  
killer who wants out of the  
game — so he can settle  
down and marry his  
childhood sweetheart. After  
all, that's why he took up  
this profession! But "the  
company" won't let him go:

they have other plans. Once  
again, the gunman must  
assume the prone firing  
position. A tour de force,  
this violent tale shatters as  
many illusions about life and  
politics as it does bodies.  
Jean-Patrick Manchette  
subjects his characters and  
the reader alike to a fierce  
exercise in style. This  
tightly plotted, corrosive  
parody of "the success  
story" is widely considered  
to be Manchette's  
masterpiece, and was  
named a New York Times  
"Notable Book" in 2002.  
The Prone Gunman is a  
classic of modern noir. "For  
Manchette and the

generation of writers who  
followed him, the crime  
novel is no mere  
entertainment, but a means  
to strip bare the failures of  
society, ripping through  
veils of appearance, deceit,  
and manipulation to the  
greed and violence that are  
the society's true  
engines."—Boston Globe  
"There's not a superfluous  
word or overdone effect . . .  
one of the last cool,  
compact and shockingly  
original crime novels  
Manchette left as his legacy  
to modern noir  
fiction."—New York Times  
"For the first time readers  
can experience in English

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translation the masterful thriller considered Manchette's finest, proof positive that the French knew what they were talking about when they labeled this sort of novel 'noir'." —Publishers Weekly "This superbly muscular translation of the late French mystery writer Jean-Patrick Manchette's most celebrated work, *The Prone Gunman*, is the third volume issued [by] City Lights Noir. The series may prove to be the most needed contribution to contemporary fiction by any publisher in a good long while." —The San Francisco

Chronicle Jean-Patrick Manchette was a French crime novelist credited with reinventing and reinvigorating the genre. He wrote ten short novels in the 1970s and early 80s, and is widely recognized as the foremost French crime fiction author of that time. His stories are violent, existentialist explorations of the human condition and French society. Jazz saxophonist and screenwriter, Manchette was also a left-wing activist influenced as much by the writings of the Situationist International as by Dashiell Hammett. Jean-Patrick

Manchette's other work, *3 to Kill* is also published by City Lights Publishers. *Jealousy* Riverrun Press  
Reproduction of the original: *Gadsby* by Ernest Vincent Wright  
*Djinn Grove/Atlantic Classic* study of Marx by Japan's leading critical theorist Originally published in 1974, Kojin Karatani's *Marx: Towards the Centre of Possibility* has been amongst his most enduring and pioneering works in critical theory. Written at a time when the political sequences of the New Left had collapsed into crisis and violence, with

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widespread political exhaustion for the competing sectarian visions of Marxism from 1968, Karatani's Marx laid the groundwork for a new reading, unfamiliar to the existing Marxist discourse in Japan at the time. Karatani's Marx takes on insights from semiotics, deconstruction, and the reading of Marx as a literary thinker, treating Capital as an intervention in philosophy that could be read as itself a theory of signs. Marx is unique in this sense, not only because of its importance in post-68 Japanese thought, but also

because the heterodox reading of Marx that Karatani debuts in this text, centered on his theory of the value-form, will go on to form the basis of his globally-influential work. Recollections of the Golden Triangle Grove/Atlantic, Inc. "A haunting, disorienting, brilliantly constructed novel, Djinn is the story of a young man who joins a clandestine organization under the command of an alluring, androgynous American

girl, Djinn. Having agreed to wear dark glasses and carry a cane like a blind man, he comes to realize, through bizarre encounters, recurring visual images, and fractured time sequences he experiences as part of his undisclosed mission, that he is, in a sense, helplessly blind. His search for the meaning of his mission and for possible clues to the identity of the



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mysterious Djinn, becomes a quest for his own identity in an ever-shifting time-space continuum. His growing obsession with solving the mystery becomes the reader's own until, through a surprising shift in narrative perspective, the reader too becomes lost in the dimension between past and future." --

Publisher's description  
The Planetarium  
Routledge  
Alain Robbe-Grillet is

internationally hailed as the chief spokesman for the nouveau roman and one of the great novelists of the twentieth century. The Erasers, his first novel, reads like a detective story but is primarily concerned with weaving and then probing a complete mixture of fact and fantasy. The narrative spans the twenty-four-hour period following a series of eight murders in eight days, presumably the

work of a terrorist group. After the ninth murder, the investigation is turned over to a police agent, who may in fact be the assassin. Both an engrossing mystery and a sinister deconstruction of reality, The Erasers intrigues and unnerves with equal force as it pull us along to its ominous conclusion. Voyeur Univ of California Press  
In France, Alain Robbe-

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Grillet's final novel was sold in shrink-wrap, labeled with a sticker warning readers that this perverse fairy tale might offend certain sensibilities. It tells the story of Gigi, also known as Djinn, who is being schooled by her father to be a perfect slave and mistress. Running the gamut of unacceptable subject matter from incest to torture, this book abounds with vignettes that explore taboos and their representation in fiction, from the Brothers Grimm to the Marquis de Sade. It is titillating and disgusting, the work of a dirty old man or brilliant agent provocateur

-- or both.  
Alain Robbe-Grillet and the New French Novel  
Alma Books

Based on the myth of the beautiful captive, this novel, first published in 1975 and reprinted with a critical essay, takes its themes from the paintings of the French surrealist, constructing a dream-like narrative suffused with eroticism, playfulness, and subversion.

Project for a Revolution in New York  
Polity

A young writer has his heart and ambition set on his aunt's large

apartment. With this seemingly simple conceit, the characters of *The Planetarium* are set in orbit and a galaxy of argument, resentment, and bitterness erupts.

Telling the story from various points of view, Sarraute focuses below the surface, on the emotional lives of the characters in a way that surpasses what Virginia Woolf did years before. The spite the young man feels toward his

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mother-in-law for offering him and his wife cheap chairs for their apartment; the terror inspired during a confrontation with his aunt; and the need to impress his Gertrude Stein-like literary icon are only some of the many internal conflicts that push the narrative forward, as the characters circle each other. Always deeply engaging, *The Planetarium* reveals the deep disparity between

the way we see ourselves and the way others see us. *Cosmetic Cosmology* in Alain Robbe-Grillet's *The Voyeur* Grove/Atlantic This is a unique testimony to one of the most important literary friendships of our time. Robbe-Grillet, the master of the nouveau roman, considered Barthes, France ' s greatest postwar literary theorist and critic, as one of his very few true friends  
Djinn Grove Press  
The French spokesperson for nouveau roman pens a

creepy, atmospheric spy novel set in war-ravaged 1949 Berlin as Henri Robin, an agent for the French secret service, embarks on a mission whose real purpose he does not know. *A Novel* Ithaca : Cornell University Press  
New York City becomes the imaginary setting for a novel that draws parallels between politics and different forms of criminal and sexual activity.  
The Role of Objects in Alain Robbe-Grillet's Le Voyeur The Voyeur  
Newly reissued with an eye-catching cover by

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Peter Mendelsund, two remarkable books by legendary avant-garde writer Alain Robbe-Grillet. *The Novels of Robbe-Grillet*. Grove/Atlantic, Inc.

A Study Guide for Alain Robbe-Grillet's "The Replacement," excerpted from Gale's acclaimed *Short Stories for Students*. This concise study guide includes plot summary; character analysis; author biography; study questions; historical context; suggestions for

further reading; and much more. For any literature project, trust *Short Stories for Students* for all of your research needs.

*The Pleasure of the Text*. Northwestern University Press

In his most famous and perhaps most typical work, Robbe-Grillet explores his principle preoccupation: the meaning of reality. The novel is set on a tropical banana plantation, and the action is seen through the eyes of a narrator who never appears in person, never speaks and never

acts. He is a point of observation, his personality only to be guessed at, watching every movement of the other characters' actions as they flash like moving pictures across the distorting screen of a jealous mind. The result is one of the most important and influential books of our time, a completely integrated masterpiece that has already become a classic.