

The book was found

Games Of The Night And Other Writings (Quartet Encounters)



Synopsis

Book by Dagerman, Stig

Book Information

Series: Quartet Encounters

Paperback: 224 pages

Publisher: Quartet Books; Reprint edition (April 1987)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0704300249

ISBN-13: 978-0704300248

Product Dimensions: 5.1 x 7.5 inches

Shipping Weight: 8.8 ounces

Average Customer Review: 4.0 out of 5 stars [See all reviews](#) (1 customer review)

Best Sellers Rank: #866,154 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #105 in [Books > Literature & Fiction > History & Criticism > Regional & Cultural > European > Scandinavian](#) #11537 in [Books > Literature & Fiction > Short Stories & Anthologies > Short Stories](#) #27979 in [Books > Literature & Fiction > Contemporary](#)

Customer Reviews

Of the Dagerman books that I have managed to find in English (a considerable difficulty) this one ranks among the best (I've yet to read *A Burnt Child*). Dagerman's work is incredibly dark, and the simple vocabulary of the story takes on darkened tones akin to some of the films of Ingmar Bergman (such as *Through a Glass Darkly*). While heavy usage of metaphor and simile makes Dagerman's style something of a chore to get through, the end is rewarding, in that one gets a clear picture of a lost consciousness trying to interpret the immediate post-war world. In more than one way Dagerman echoes the French existentialists, notably Albert Camus (*The Fall*). As American film noir of the 1950s expressed the pent-up depression of the 1930s and the post-war confusion of the 1950s in the US, so Dagerman's work appears to confront a country forced into change by external forces.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Games of the Night and Other Writings (Quartet Encounters) True Bigfoot Horror: The Apex Predator - Monster in the Woods: Book 3: Cryptozoology: Bigfoot Exists - Why is He Hiding? True Encounters of Sasquatch and Other Encounters of Bigfoot: Ravel, Maurice - String Quartet in F Major Two Violins, Viola, and Cello Parts Paganini Quartet String Quartets by Debussy and Ravel:

Quartet in G Minor, Op. 10/Debussy; Quartet in F Major/Ravel (Dover Chamber Music Scores)
Horse Games & Puzzles: 102 Brainteasers, Word Games, Jokes & Riddles, Picture Puzzlers,
Matches & Logic Tests for Horse-Loving Kids (Storey's Games & Puzzles) Wee Sing Games,
Games, Games Mary Higgins Clark; The Night Collection (Silent Night & All Through the Night)
[Abridged, Audiobook] [Audio CD] Philosophy and Law: Contributions to the Understanding of
Maimonides and His Predecessors (Suny Series in the Jewish Writings of Leo Strauss) (Suny
Series, Jewish Writings of Strauss) By Any Means Necessary (Malcolm X Speeches and Writings)
(Malcolm X speeches & writings) Prophets and Prophecy in the Ancient Near East (Writings from
the Ancient World) (Writings from the Ancient World) Other Side of the Night: The Carpathia, the
Californian and the Night the Titanic Was Lost Video Games and Youth (Video Games and Society)
Video Games, Violence, and Crime (Video Games and Society) Video Games and Storytelling:
Reading Games and Playing Books The Usborne Book of Car Travel Games: Puzzles, Games and
Things to Do on a Journey-Or at Home (The Usborne Book of Series) How Do Video Games Affect
Society? (Video Games and Society) The History of Video Games (Video Games and Society) Card
Games for Kids: 36 of the Best Card Games for Children and Families Cool Doughs, Putties,
Slimes, & Goops: Crafting Creative Toys & Amazing Games (Cool Toys & Games) Card Games for
Kids: 50 Fun Games for Your Children

[Dmca](#)