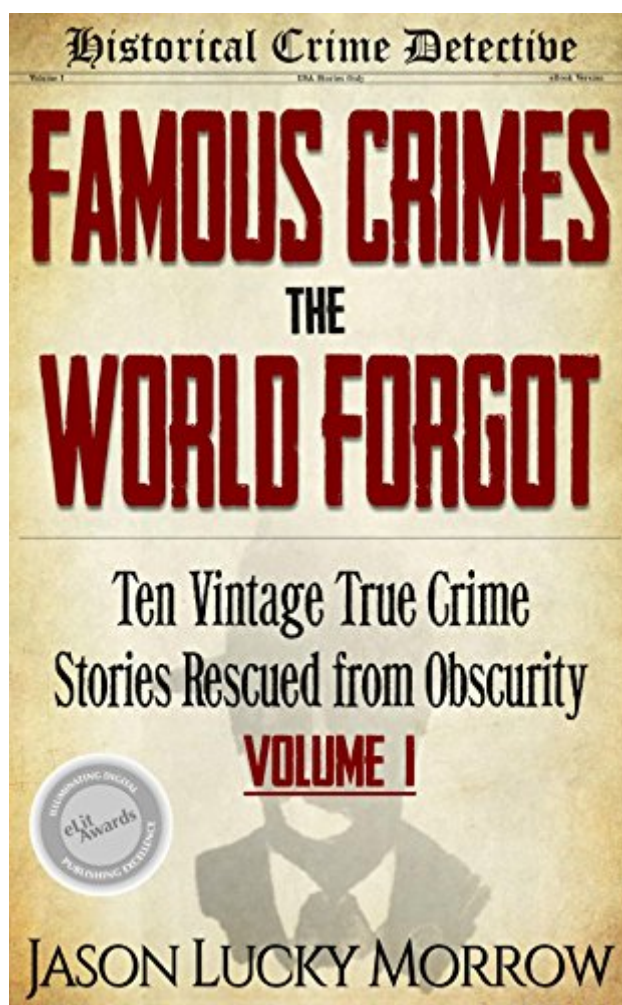


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For people who love history (me), or true crime. This author is the best. He has the knack for transporting you back in time to days that were, maybe, not the good old days. Other authors focus on well known or famous crimes. This author delves into the little known ones. What's fascinating is that are are obscure, as some of them are more horrendous than the ones you know. This author has the website 'Historical Crime Detective'. I highly recommend this book and the web page. Hundreds of people are discovering how wonderful his stories are. The best of the 'up and coming'. 5 STARS!

Very interesting book, if you like to read true crime and also interested in obscure crimes (sensational at one time, of course)... and if you enjoy reading also learning a little history. Covers crimes as far back as about 1900. Has about 34 pictures that really do add to the stories, and book is thoroughly researched.

As a fan of true crime, Mr. Morrow just became one of my favorite authors. The stories might not be as complete as you would like but he gives as complete as research can allow. Well done and I can't wait for the next volume.

I've been a reader of Mr Morrow's "Historical Crime Detective" blog for over a year now, and have always enjoyed it, so I jumped on this book as soon as it came out. His carefully-researched tales of forgotten crimes--and the grip they had on the public of the day--are fascinating windows into the fears, expectations, quaint social mores and real prejudices of their times. The players become real characters with all their flaws, and the decisions they make to pursue or evade justice are brought out by a storyteller who knows how to find the human element in forgotten newspaper accounts. It's hard not to get caught up in each tale--a treat!

Fantastic book! Easy to read and highly informative. Plus the author has more books that he will be publishing on the subject, He also has a website. HistoricalCrimeDetective.com.

Each crime captures an era. Following the horrific acts through the 20th century's first half, I had an eerie sense that the worst of humanity will never leave us. Of course, a lesser writer could not have brought the Times and personalities back to life.

Book was shipped promptly by the seller, and in excellent physical condition. This is a great book that profiles several crimes from a fifty year span that were well publicized, and sometimes even notorious, in their era, but have since faded into obscurity. As a history buff with a preference for historical cases, Morrow's book was an enjoyable change of pace from the ever increasing slew of Jack the Ripper and Zodiac tomes (if either of those two were still alive, they'd likely be tired of reading about themselves as well). The narrative is straightforward and not complex, but built well on extensive research, annotations and contemporary sources for information about the crimes, the participants and the aftermath. I'm looking forward to the author publishing additional volumes about "new" old cases.

First off, I have to say that I love all things true crime and unsolved mysteries. I read and watch and hear all things I can get my hand on covering the subjects. This is a book that I read cover to cover (ok, pixel by pixel) over a weekend. I just could not put it down. It is well written and well researched and covers great crimes from start to finish and beyond. It had "wow" moments on every other page, leaving me filled while awaiting Jason's next book. It is a great book to revisit as well. It's staying on my Kindle.

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