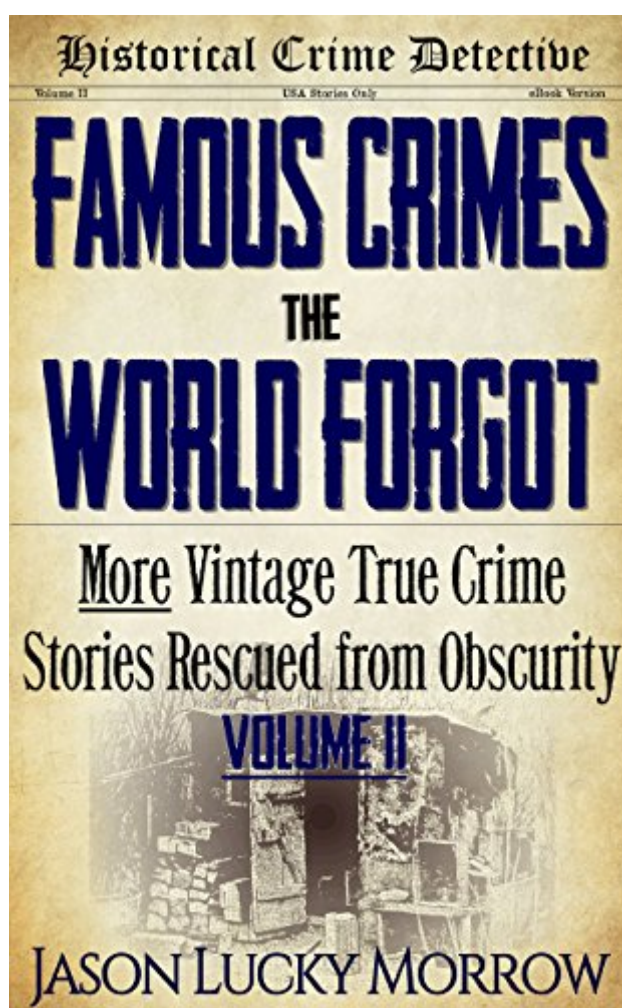


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# Famous Crimes The World Forgot Vol II: More Vintage True Crimes Rescued From Obscurity (True Crime Murder Book With Serial Killers)



## Synopsis

Tired of Reading About the Same Crimes and Criminals Over and Over? Are You Looking for Something Completely New and Different? More Extraordinary True Crimes You Never Knew About With 41 Images Famous Crimes the World Forgot Volume II uncovers more amazing true crimes that exploded into the national news, shocking Americans from coast to coast—crimes that were eventually forgotten—until now. Each one of these stories transports you back to the time they happened, propels you through all the suspense-filled developments, and explores each one with an in-depth look into the actions of humans so evil, it's hard to believe they were real. They include: a serial poisoner who laughed when thought he got away with murdering a brother and sister, but cried when he was arrested; a woman with a history of being robbed by two men until the third time it happened when they killed her husband, or so she said; a mail-order bride lured to her death 3,000 miles away by a man with a wife and five children; a serial-rapist and possible serial-killer who murdered two sisters on their way to church; a five-time loser turned drifter who gunned down four men for \$40 inside a hermit's shack; an escaped convict turned serial-killer with a taste for red-heads; the mysterious car bomb murder of a wealthy Texas socialite which churned up a cast of sordid characters who captivated an audience for what was America's first live-televized murder trial; and Milwaukee's first serial-killer who stabbed young girls with a seven-inch stiletto. These astonishing true crimes will leave you wondering how they could have been ignored for so long.

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## Customer Reviews

Every story in this book is a pleasure to read. These once-famous crimes have truly been forgotten. The author has done extensive research to bring these stories to print, and I appreciate his efforts to do so. Each story is complete based on the information available and includes photos where available. I wish I could give it a five-star rating. However, if I had proofread this book, I would have corrected at least 36 errors. In addition, many times hyphenation was inexplicably and incorrectly used while at other times, there was no hyphenation where it was needed. Regardless, I eagerly look forward to any new release by this author.

Eight different stories of obscure crimes of the past with just enough detail to be interesting but not so much to be tedious. If you like true crime and are tired of the old favorites that are dished up over and over give this one a chance. I enjoyed it and never heard of these cases before. Includes photos and footnotes.

I am a huge fan of true crime stories. The books that I read all talk about the same crimes (black dahlia, dahmer, gein, manson, jack the ripper, etc). Its refreshing to find a book about lesser known true crimes. I highly recommend this for any true crime fan!

I got hooked on Mr. Morrow's books starting with Deadly Hero and got every one after. His writing style makes you feel that you are privy to insider information with each scandalous crime. And it's easy to feel like you're transported back through time as well with his all of the rich detail that he adds to each story. He is such a gifted storyteller and his books are worth so much more that it feels like I'm committing a crime for getting such great books for the price...please keep 'em coming!

I love these historical crime stories and Morrow's are always thoroughly researched and well written. I look forward to each new entry in the Historical Crime Detective blog and I got all the books to read as well. Vol. 1 was a great read so I looked forward to Vol. 2 and was not disappointed. My only

criticism is that I finish the books too quickly because I cannot put them down. Some of the crimes may have technically been "unsolved", but the reader can crack the old cold case. LOL. I am rereading The D.C. Dead Girls Club while waiting for Volume 3 of Famous Crimes the World Forgot.

This is the second book I have read by this author. Just as the first book, this book was an entertaining read from start to finish. I will say that I love historical true crime and so I was excited for the release of this book. The stories are full of detail and interesting and I pretty much devoured this book while shaking my head at some of the stories. The one about the woman that was looking for love through the want ads was particularly tragic. I look forward to reading more from this author.

The real appeal of this book is its novelty. Famous murders have generally come to mean one of about 50 cases with a lengthy print history and so easier to research. Jack the Ripper a great example. But these lesser known cases were in their own way just as appealing and their appeal is because they are new to the reader. The author does make the point he does not consider length of the story an issue but the book could have done with some editing. As a read though first class,

Have read several of Jason Lucky Morrow's books and enjoyed them all. This Vol II of obscure and forgotten cases was no exception. Easy to read one or two chapters at bedtime. The photos are much appreciated - they help to bring the people and stories to life. I signed up at Mr. Morrow's Historical Detective website. He has more interesting cases there.

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