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The Doors of Perception 2010-01-26 discover this profound account of huxley s famous experimentation with mescaline that has influenced writers and artists for decades concise evocative wise and above all humane the doors of perception is a masterpiece sunday times in 1953 in the presence of an investigator aldous huxley took four tenths of a gram of mescaline sat down and waited to see what would happen when he opened his eyes everything from the flowers in a vase to the creases in his trousers was transformed huxley described his experience with breathtaking immediacy in the doors of perception in its sequel heaven and hell he goes on to explore the history and nature of mysticism still bristling with a sense of excitement and discovery these illuminating and influential writings remain the most fascinating account of the visionary experience ever written with a foreword j g ballard

The Doors of Perception 2021-03-03 the doors of perception is a philosophical essay released as a book by aldous huxley first published in 1954 it details his experiences when taking mescaline the book takes the form of huxley s recollection of a mescaline trip that took place over the course of an afternoon in may 1953 the book takes its title from a phrase in william blake s 1793 poem the marriage of heaven and hell huxley recalls the insights he experienced which range from the purely aesthetic to sacramental vision he also incorporates later reflections on the experience and its meaning for art and religion

The Doors of Perception 2009 among the most profound explorations of the effects of mind expanding drugs ever written here are two complete classic books the doors of perception and heaven and hell in which aldous huxley author of the bestselling brave new world reveals the m

Moksha 1999-04-01 selected writings from the author of brave new world and the doors of perception on the role of psychedelics in society includes letters and lectures by huxley never published elsewhere in may 1953 aldous huxley took four tenths of a gram of mescaline the mystical and transcendent experience that followed set him off on an exploration that was to produce a revolutionary body of work about the inner reaches of the human mind huxley was decades ahead of his time in his anticipation of the dangers modern culture was creating through explosive population increase headlong technological advance and militant nationalism and he saw psychedelics as the greatest means at our disposal to remind adults that the real world is very different from the misshapen universe they have created for themselves by means of their culture conditioned prejudices much of huxley s writings following his 1953 mescaline experiment can be seen as his attempt to reveal the power of these substances to awaken a sense of the sacred in people living in a technological society hostile to mystical revelations moksha a sanskrit word meaning liberation is a collection of the prophetic and visionary writings of aldous huxley it includes selections from his acclaimed novels

brave new world and island both of which envision societies centered around the use of psychedelics as stabilizing forces as well as pieces from the doors of perception and heaven and hell his famous works on consciousness expansion Aldous Huxley's Hands 2015-12-08 psychedelics neuroscience and historical biography come together when a journalist finds a lost photograph of aldous huxley and uncovers a hidden side of the celebrated author of brave new world and the doors of perception allene symons had no inkling that aldous huxley was once a friend of her father s until the summer of 2001 when she discovered a box of her dad s old photographs for years in the 1940s and 50s her father had meticulously photographed human hands in the hope of developing a science of predicting human aptitudes and even mental illness in the box along with all the other hand images was one with the name of aldous huxley on the back how was it possible for two such unlikely people to cross paths her aircraft engineer father and the famous author this question sparked a journalist s quest to understand what clearly seemed to be a little known interest of aldous huxley through interviews road trips and family documents the author reconstructs a time peaking in mid 1950s los angeles when huxley experimented with psychedelic substances ran afoul of gatekeepers and advocated responsible use of such hallucinogens to treat mental illness as well as to achieve states of mind called mystical because the author s father had studied hundreds of hands including those of schizophrenics he was

invited into huxley s research and discussion circle this intriguing narrative about the early psychedelic era throws new light on one of the 20th century s foremost intellectuals showing that his experiments in consciousness presaged pivotal scientific research underway today

The Doors of Perception 1970 this classic book has been updated to include perception exercises that readers can take as they read the text the doors of perception is a philosophical essay released as a book by aldous huxley first published in 1954 it details his experiences when taking mescaline the book takes the form of huxley s recollection of a mescaline trip that took place over the course of an afternoon in may 1953

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lawson desire by haruki murakami

Psychedelics 2017-06-08 two great classics come to life in one of the most loved books in american history remastered to include illustrated exercises a biography of aldous huxley and including the full essay of heaven and hell and the doors to perception this book is a great gift to those who are unfamiliar with his work or may have forgotten about huxley s famous contemplations of life and death zkbs c all rights reserved

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The Art of Seeing 2022-08-01 the doors of perception is a book by aldous huxley it elaborates on his psychedelic experience under the influence of mescaline

The Door of Perception 2021-05-28 aldous leonard huxley was an english writer who spent the latter part of his life in the united states living in los angeles best known for his novels and wide ranging output of essays he also published short stories poetry travel writing and film stories and scripts huxley was a humanist but

first novel by aldous huxley published in 1921 though a social satire of its time it is still appreciated and has been adapted to different media much of what time he had left he devoted to his interest in eastern mysticism this interest in mysticism also led huxley to experiment with the hallucinogen mescaline which he wrote about in his 1954 collection of essays the doors of perception brave new world crome yellow the doors of perception

The Doors of Perception 1960 aldous huxley 1894 1963 was the author of nearly fifty books and numerous essays best known for his dystopian novel brave new world humphry osmond 1917 2004 was a british trained psychiatrist interested in the biological nature of mental illness and the potential for psychedelic drugs to treat psychoses especially schizophrenia in 1953 huxley sent an appreciative note to osmond about an article he and a colleague had published on their experiments with mescaline which inspired an initial meeting and decade long correspondence this critical edition provides the complete huxley osmond correspondence chronicling an exchange between two brilliant thinkers who explored such subjects as psychedelics the visionary experience the nature of mind human potentialities schizophrenia death and dying indigenous rituals and consciousness socialism capitalism totalitarianism power and authority and human evolution there are references to mutual friends colleagues and eminent figures of the day as well as details about both men s personal lives the letters bear witness to the development

of mind altering drugs aimed at discovering the mechanisms of mental illness and eventually its treatment a detailed introduction situates the letters in their historical social and literary context explores how huxley and osmond first coined the term psychedelic contextualizes their work in mid century psychiatry and reflects on their legacy as contributors to the science of mind altering substances psychedelic prophets is an extraordinary record of a full correspondence between two leading minds and a testament to friendship intellectualism empathy and tolerance the fact that these sentiments emerge so clearly from the letters at a historical moment best known for polarizing ideological conflict threats of nuclear war and the rise of post modernism reveals much about the personalities of the authors and the persistence of these themes today

□□□□ 2019-07-31 huxley es uno de los primeros escritores del siglo xx que trató de descubrir los cambios objetivos provocados por la ingestión de drogas alucinógenas en las puertas de la percepción 1954 el autor narra la fantástica experiencia visionaria que le produce la toma de mescalina el principio activo del peyotl dos años más tarde publica cielo e infierno en el que continúa explorando la unidad entre la mente y el cosmos estos ensayos tan singulares como precursores son en sí mismos experiencias de trascendencia del yo si las puertas de la percepción quedaran depuradas todas las cosas aparecerían ante el hombre tal como son infinitas william blake english description among the most profound and

influential explorations of mind expanding psychedelic drugs ever written here are two complete classic books the doors of perception and heaven and hell in which aldous huxley author of brave new world reveals the mind s remote frontiers and the unmapped areas of human consciousness this new edition also features an additional essay drugs that shape men s minds which is now included for the first time a genuine spiritual quest extraordinary new york times

Collected Works. Illustrated 2021-03-03 an eye opening response to aldous huxley s widely influential work on psychedelics physical reality and consciousness what exactly are hallucinations are they actually doors to another reality anthony peake thinks so in this stunning book he takes aldous huxley s the doors of perception and updates it using the latest information from quantum mechanics neurochemistry and consciousness studies most human beings perceive the doors of perception as being securely closed but here peake analyzes the concept of the scale of transcendence and suggests there is a scale of perceptions whereby the doors are slowly opened bit by bit to reveal the true nature of reality for normal people glimpses of this reality what the gnostics called the pleroma are experienced during noetic experiences however for others the doors are prized open by certain neurological processes starting with migraine and progressing through various altered states such as temporal lobe epilepsy bipolar syndrome autism and schizophrenia a pioneering work on the relationship between physical

reality and consciousness opening the doors of perception suggests that man can indeed perceive reality in its true glory

Psychedelic Prophets 2018-11-30 moksha a sanskrit word meaning liberation is a collection of the prophetic and visionary writings of aldous huxley included are selections from his acclaimed novels brave new world and island envisioning the use of psychedelics as a stabilizing influence and pieces from the doors of perception and heaven and hell his famous works on consciousness expansion

Las puertas de la percepción - Cielo e infierno / The Doors of Perception & Heaven and Hell 2019-02-19 offers a reconsideration of the potential of mind expanding compounds from a religious point of view

Heaven and Hell 2008 excerpts from huxley s writings investigate the mind expanding properties of psychotropic drugs

The Doors of Perception; And, Heaven & Hell 1992 an outstanding book james sexton a welcome and necessary update of the life of one of the twentieth century s most provocative intellectuals dana sawyer a rich and lucid account of aldous huxley s life and work aldous huxley was one of the twentieth century s most prescient thinkers this new biography is a rich and lucid account that charts the different phases of huxley s career from the early satirist who depicted the glamorous despair of the postwar generation to the committed pacifist of the 1930s the spiritual seeker of the 1940s the psychedelic sage of the 1950s who

affirmed the spiritual potential of mescaline and lsd to the new age prophet of island while huxley is still best known as the author of brave new world jake poller argues that it is the perennial philosophy the doors of perception and island huxley s blueprint for a utopian society that have had the most cultural impact

Opening The Doors of Perception 2016-09-13 explains the bates method for improving one s eyesight discusses causes of visual problems and describes techniques for relaxing and exercising the eyes

Moksha 1983-01 long before turn on tune in drop out became the credo of the american counterculture aldous huxley was using mescaline and lsd in controlled carefully documented experiments accounts of those psychedelic experiences along with his interest in eastern mystical religions accompany the moving story of aldous huxley s later years with his wife laura huxley s fascination with the spiritual world remained with him throughout his life and never wavered through his final illness in 1963 this timeless moment takes the reader into the lively mind of one of the most profound thinkers of any generation

Cleansing the Doors of Perception 2000 a genius a writer who spent his life decrying the onward march of the machine the new yorker brave new world author aldous huxley on enlightenment and the ultimate reality in this anthology of twenty six essays and other writings aldous huxley discusses the nature of god enlightenment being good and evil religion eternity and the divine huxley

consistently examined the spiritual basis of both the individual and human society always seeking to reach an authentic and clearly defined experience of the divine featuring an introduction by renowned religious scholar huston smith this celebration of ultimate reality proves relevant and prophetic in addressing the spiritual hunger so many feel today

Moksha 1977 although the title of this volume is aldous huxley between east and west the order of the articles found within goes from west to east which naturally imitates huxley s own progress especially since he went to the trouble of stepping out as far west as possible before starting for the east indeed one could argue that he was already on his way there before he left for california a continuous journey perhaps since from the californian shores of the pacific the east is the further west after the introduction which places huxley between east and west the book starts with a consideration of huxley s family connections then goes onto his earliest fictions his interest in science and the issue of modernity and his experiments with drama and their inherent philosophical concerns the poetry with which he began his writing career is then viewed as a link between his earlier western self and his later oriental interests suggesting that the latter was always inherent in the former a number of considerations of the utopian themes in huxley s middle and later fiction leads the volume to a climax with four articles surveying the foibles and the wisdom of huxley s encounter with eastern religious thought and philosophy his

misunderstandings as well as ours of what actually he had learned and wished to pass on to the western world

Aldous Huxley 2021-08-12 an inspired gathering of religious writings that reveals the divine reality common to all faiths collected by aldous huxley the perennial philosophy aldous huxley writes may be found among the traditional lore of peoples in every region of the world and in its fully developed forms it has a place in every one of the higher religions with great wit and stunning intellect drawing on a diverse array of faiths including zen buddhism hinduism taoism christian mysticism and islam huxley examines the spiritual beliefs of various religious traditions and explains how they are united by a common human yearning to experience the divine the perennial philosophy includes selections from meister eckhart rumi and lao tzu as well as the bhagavad gita tibetan book of the dead diamond sutra and upanishads among many others

Heaven and Hell 1956 in his 1932 classic dystopian novel brave new world aldous huxley depicted a future society in thrall to science and regulated by sophisticated methods of social control nearly thirty years later in brave new world revisited huxley checked the progress of his prophecies against reality and argued that many of his fictional fantasies had grown uncomfortably close to the truth brave new world revisited includes huxley s views on overpopulation propaganda advertising and government control and is an urgent and powerful appeal for the

defence of individualism still alarmingly relevant today

The Art of Seeing 1982 in the moral vacuum and world of shifting values following world war i aldous huxley was both a sensitive refl ector and an articulate catalyst this work provides a highly illuminating analysis of huxley s evolution from skeptic to mystic as milton birnbaum shows in a perceptive interpretation of huxley s poetry fi ction essays and biographies what evolved in huxley s moral and intellectual pilgrimage was not so much a change in direction as a shift in emphasis even in the sardonic huxley of the 1920s and 1930s there is a moral concern in the later huxley there are traces of the satirical skepticism which delighted his readers in the decades preceding world war ii a man of letters a keen observer seeker of new ways while profoundly knowledgeable in the truths of ancient wisdom huxley tried to achieve a symbiotic synthesis of the best of all worlds in clarifying and interpreting huxley s intellectual moral and philosophical development birnbaum touches upon all the subjects that came under the scrutiny of a singularly encyclopedic mind this book is of great worth to those interested both in huxley the brilliant satirist and in huxley the seeker of salvation in his search huxley typifi ed the modern quest for values milton birnbaum s study is an invaluable guide in that journey his new introduction takes account of research and analysis of huxley that has occurred since this book s original publication *This Timeless Moment* 1975 embark on a visually stunning journey into a dystopian

world with aldous huxley s masterpiece brave new world illustrated immerse yourself in a world where the boundaries of humanity and technology blur accompanied by striking visuals that bring the chilling narrative to life as huxley s gripping tale unfolds witness a society shaped by genetic engineering conformity and the pursuit of pleasure the illustrations breathe new life into this classic adding layers of depth to the haunting vision of the future but here s the twist that will keep you on the edge of your seat what if this dystopian world is not as distant as it seems could huxley s cautionary tale be a mirror reflecting the trajectory of our own society explore the intricate details of this visually enhanced edition where each illustration serves as a portal into the unsettling reality huxley envisioned the fusion of words and visuals creates a reading experience like no other inviting you to ponder the consequences of a society driven by technological advancement are you prepared to confront the shadows of tomorrow painted vividly on the pages of brave new world illustrated indulge in short impactful paragraphs that navigate the blurred lines between the present and the future the visuals amplify the narrative provoking thought and challenging your perception of the world we live in here s your chance to not just read but to witness the future this is more than a classic it s a visual odyssey into the realms of a dystopian tomorrow will you dare to open your eyes to the brave new world that awaits seize the opportunity to own a piece of literary artistry purchase brave new world

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The Divine Within 2013-07-02 with an introduction by david bradshaw the dilettantes who frequent lady tantamount s society parties are determined to push forward the moral frontiers of the age marjorie has left her family to live with walter walter is in love with the luscious but cold hearted lucy maurice deflowers young girls for the sake of entertainment while the withdrawn writer philip finds himself drawn to the dangerous political charm of everard as they all engage in dazzling and witty conversation the din of the age its ideas and idiocies grows deafening

Aldous Huxley Between East and West 2001 aldous leonard huxley 26 july 1894 22 november 1963 was an english writer and philosopher he wrote nearly 50 books both novels and non fiction works as well as wide ranging essays narratives and poems born into the prominent huxley family he graduated from balliol college oxford with an undergraduate degree in english literature early in his career he published short stories and poetry and edited the literary magazine oxford poetry before going on to publish travel writing satire and screenplays he spent the latter part of his life in the united states living in los angeles from 1937 until his death by the end of his life huxley was widely acknowledged as one of the foremost intellectuals of his time he was nominated for the nobel prize in literature nine

times and was elected companion of literature by the royal society of literature in 1962 huxley was a pacifist he grew interested in philosophical mysticism and universalism addressing these subjects with works such as the perennial philosophy 1945 which illustrates commonalities between western and eastern mysticism and the doors of perception 1954 which interprets his own psychedelic experience with mescaline in his most famous novel brave new world 1932 and his final novel island 1962 he presented his vision of dystopia and utopia respectively wikipedia org

The Perennial Philosophy 2012-02-14 an in depth analysis of aldous huxley his writings and the historical time period in which they were written

Brave New World Revisited 2008-12-26 in this anthology of 26 essays huxley discusses the nature of spiritual practice good and evil religion and magic and the best texts of the various religious traditions this is huxley s celebration of the ultimate reality

Aldous Huxley 2017-07-05 aldous leonard huxley the third son of writer and schoolmaster leonard huxley and julia arnold was born in godalming surrey on 26 july 1894 his mother was the niece of mathew arnold and his grandfather was the famous biologist thomas henry huxley aldous huxley was a prominent member of the huxley family and he is best known for his novels including brave new world which is set in a dystopian london the doors of perception which recalls

experiences when taking a psychedelic drug and a wide ranging output of essays besides writing as an author he edited the magazine oxford poetry and published short stories poetry travel writing film stories and scripts he spent the later part of his life in the united states where he lived in los angeles from 1937 until his death in 1963 huxley was a humanist pacifist and satirist he became deeply concerned that human beings might become subjugated through the sophisticated use of the mass media or mood altering drugs or tragically impacted by misunderstanding or the misapplication of increasingly sophisticated technology huxley later became interested in spiritual subjects such as parapsychology and philosophical mysticism in particular universalism he is also well known for his use of psychedelic drugs by the end of his life huxley was widely acknowledged as one of the pre eminent intellectuals of his time aldous huxley wrote brave new world in 1931 and published it in a book form in 1932 the story is in london at the time of ad 2540 and this period is described as a new era of 632 a f after ford the novel anticipates the developments in reproductive technology sleep learning psychological manipulation and classical conditioning that combine profoundly to change the society huxley answered this book with a reassessment in an essay brave new world revisited 1958 and with island 1962 his final novel in 1999 the modern library ranked brave new world fifth on its list of the 100 best english language novels of the 20th century in 2003 robert mccrum writing for the

observer listed brave new world number 53 in the top 100 greatest novels of all time and the novel was listed at number 87 on the bbc s survey the big read brave new world title of this book comes from miranda s speech in william shakespeare s the tempest act v scene i o wonder how many goodly creatures are there here how beauteous mankind is o brave new world that has such people in t miranda was raised for most of her life on an isolated island and the only people she ever knew were only her father and his servants an enslaved savage and spirits ariel when she saw other people for the first time she was overcome with excitement and uttered among other praise the famous lines above however what she actually observed were not the men acting in a refined or civilized manner but rather representatives of the worst of humanity who betrayed or tried to betray their brothers or leaders to get ahead huxley employs the same idea when the savage john refers to a brave new world

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