

## ISIS Sex Slavery: Interviews With The Sex Slaves And War Brides Of Isis Militants

**Sex, the Illustrated History: Volume III** continues a courageous exploration of sexual customs and conflicts into the modern world. This work explores the fight for sexual freedom in a world of often-repressed sexuality. The conflict with the church and its control of sexuality and law has stood as a barrier against freedom of human sexuality. The focus of this work is primarily the European and American theater, as they strive to rise above the ancient precepts that have girdled sexuality. The fight was a long and hard-fought one; prejudice and prudery and claims of morality and law stood rigidly against a new rationalism beginning in the Reformation. The book explores in depth historical and contemporary worldwide slavery, forced marriage, child brides, abuses of the Catholic Church, and sexual trafficking. Also explored are the history of homosexual movements, bisexuality, and the larger LGBT+ movements.

The Routledge Handbook of Minorities in the Middle East gathers a diverse team of international scholars, each of whom provides unique expertise into the status and prospects of minority populations in the region. The dramatic events of the past decade, from the Arab Spring protests to the rise of the Islamic state, have brought the status of these populations onto centre stage. The overturn of various long-term autocratic governments in states such as Tunisia, Egypt, Libya, and Yemen, and the ongoing threat to government stability in Syria, Iraq, and Lebanon have all contributed to a new assertion of majoritarian politics amid demands for democratization and regime change. In the midst of the dramatic changes and latent armed conflict, minority populations have been targeted, marginalized, and victimized. Calls for social and political change have led many to contemplate the ways in which citizenship and governance may be changed to accommodate minorities – or indeed if such change is possible. At a time when the survival of minority populations and the utility of the label minority has been challenged, this handbook answers the following set of research questions.What are the unique challenges of minority populations in the Middle East? How do minority populations integrate into their host societies, both as a function of their own internal choices, and as a response to majoritarian consensus on their status? Finally, given their inherent challenges, and the vast, sweeping changes that have taken place in the region over the past decade, what is the future of these minority populations? What impact have minority populations had on their societies, and to what extent will they remain prominent actors in their respective settings? This handbook presents leading-edge research on a wide variety of religious, ethnic, and other minority populations. By reclaiming the notion of minorities in Middle Eastern settings, we seek to highlight the agency of minority communities in defining their past, present, and future.

A powerful and inspiring memoir of a young Yazidi who served as a U.S. combat interpreter but was later forced to flee into the mountains of Iraq to avoid the ISIS slaughter of his people Shaker Jeffrey's life has been an odyssey of courage, cunning, and desperation. His journey began as a fatherless Iraqi farm boy. As a child he hung out with American troops and practiced his English. Soon he was helping gather information about terrorists, becoming one of the youngest combat interpreters to work for the United States government, even attracting the notice of General Petraeus. When he was barely sixteen, ISIS overran his Yazidi community and slaughtered most of its people. He narrowly escaped to the mountains with the remnants of his community. But with incredible daring, he became a valuable go-between, informing the U.S. military of the plight of the trapped Yazidis. Time and again he risked his life, going into enemy territory disguised as an ISIS fighter to mount daring rescue operations. Shaker saved over 1,000 civilians from ISIS, including hundreds of girls forced into sex slavery, although he was unable to save his own fiancée from a terrible fate. Shaker's powerful and inspiring narrative offers a human face to the people and places caught in the crosshairs of a borderless conflict that has come to define our age.

The 2017 Trafficking in Persons Report highlights the successes achieved and the remaining challenges before us on this important issue. The primary focus is to showcase the responsibility of governments to criminalize human trafficking and hold offenders accountable. This year's report theme is increasing criminal accountability of human traffickers and addressing challenges in prosecution - an essential component of 3P- paradigm of prosecution, protection, and prevention. It provides an overview of the type of human trafficking offenses that are taking place around the world in violation of human rights. The text includes side bars of situational human trafficking experiences to allow the reader to understand the different types that occur throughout the world. High school students and above may find this report helpful for research and writing essays about human rights and law enforcement of human trafficking. American citizens, policy analysts and decision-makers, law enforcement personnel, and human rights policy activists and advocates and world leaders may refer to this report as a reference on these crimes. Related products: Explore ourHuman Rights resources collection and other products produced by the U.S. State Department.

Extreme Taboos

Empire of Fear

The Problem of Slavery in Islamic Law and Muslim Cultures

Geschichte der Sklaverei: Von der Antike bis zum spanischen Kolonialismus in Amerika

Faridas Geschichte

The Rise of New Terror

Possessed by the Right Hand

This book explains what the role of Islam in female terrorism is. Through the analysis of eight Jihadist terrorist group case studies, the book argues that the three roles of women can be defined as: the disposable, the domestic, and the secretary.

Mein Name ist Elena, und ich war mal ein menschliches Wesen. Jetzt bin ich Sexsklavin. Wenn du dieses Tagebuch liest, bin ich entweder tot, oder es ist mir gelungen, zu fliehen .....“20 Prozent der Tantiemen aus dem Verkauf dieses Buches gehen an zwei führende Wohltätigkeitsorganisationen, die von Großbritannien aus den Menschenhandel bekämpfen:The Poppy Project und Unseen UK.“ ~ Sibel Hodge, die VerfasserinTrafficked: Tagebuch einer Sex-Sklavin ist eine ungeschminkte, ergreifende und zu Tränen rührende Erzählung, die sich auf Berichte von Opfern und Recherchen zur Unterwelt. 2011 nahm die Webseite Accredited Online College das Buch in ihre Liste der besten vierzig Bücher zu Menschenrechtsthemen auf.Anerkennung für »Trafficked: Tagebuch einer Sex-Sklavin“Obwohl das Thema ein Verheerendes ist, hat Hodge diese Geschichte gut geschrieben. Sie schafft es, uns auf diese schonungslose Reise mitzunehmen, die uns am Ende atemlos zurücklässt. Ich kann dieses Buch nur wärmstens empfehlen! Es ist sehr bewegend und Sie werden nicht enttäuscht sein.“ ~ Boekie’s Book Reviews“Herzerweichend und gut geschrieben” ~ Man kann es nicht aus der Hand legen.“Diese Geschichte ist zutiefst herzerreißend. Einige der Dinge, die Elena zustoßen, sind einfach schrecklich, aber irgendwie verliert sie nie ganz die Hoffnung, dass sie wieder mit ihrer Tochter vereint werden wird. Dadurch, dass das Buch in Tagebuch-Form geschrieben ist, konnte ich sie vor meinem geistigen Auge sehen und die Dinge wirklich spüren, die ihr passiert sind.“ ~ Wistful Kimmie’s Book Reviews“Hodge hat die Leser auf eine ungewöhnliche Reise mitgenommen, die uns berührt und gleichzeitig unser Herz bricht. Wir sehen die Geschichte durch die Augen von Elena, dem Opfer, dem das Tagebuch gehört. Beim Lesen konnte ich die Emotionen des Opfers spüren, ihre Traurigkeit, ihren Frust, ihre Wut und ihre Angst. All das bündelt sich zusammen zu einer Last, die scheinbar nie ein Ende nehmen wird.“ ~ The Bornean Bookworm

The terror masters of ISIS are determined to get America’s attention. They’ve humiliated the Iraqi Army we trained and seized territory in Iraq that we had secured at the cost of so many American lives. They’ve beheaded American journalists on camera in a direct challenge to the power and resolve of the United States. And now ISIS is calling for “city wolves” across the United States to act on their dedication to the Islamic State’s blood-drenched ideology and murder innocent American citizens at random. Who is ISIS? Where did it come from, and what is driving its successful campaign of murder and conquest? Our government and our media alike seemed to be blindsided by the Islamic State’s blitzkrieg-like advance, which forced American troops back into Iraq. ISIS has conquered a territory roughly the size of the state of Indiana, rules over eight million terrorized souls, and has even revived the practice of legal slavery. And yet the true motivations, inner workings, and future plans of this terror state and its mysterious caliph seem almost as obscure as when ISIS first burst onto the world scene. In ISIS Exposed, veteran investigative reporter Erick Stakelbeck gets inside the story of the new caliphate and reveals just how clear and present a threat it is.

Globally, women are facing social, economic, and cultural barriers impeding their autonomy and agency. Accelerated women empowerment programs often fail to attain their targets as envisaged by the policymakers due to a variety of reasons, with the most prominent being the deep-rooted cultural norms ingrained within society. In the era of globalization, empowerment of women demands new approaches and strategies that encourage the mainstreaming of gender equality as a societal norm. The Handbook of Research on New Dimensions of Gender Mainstreaming and Women Empowerment is a critical scholarly publication that examines global gender issues and new strategies for the promotion of women empowerment and gender mainstreaming in various spheres of women’s lives, including education and ICT, economic participation, health and sexuality, mental health, aging, law and judiciary, leadership, and decision making. It provides a comprehensive coverage of all major gender issues with novel ideas on gender mainstreaming being contributed by men and women authors from multidisciplinary backgrounds. Gender perspective and intersectional approach in the discourses make this handbook a unique contribution to the scholarship of social sciences and humanities. The book provides new theoretical inputs and practical directions to academicians, sociologists, social workers, psychologists, managers, lawyers, policy makers, and government officials in their efforts at gender mainstreaming. With a wide range of conceptual richness, this handbook is an excellent reference guide to students and researchers in programs pertaining to gender/women’s studies, cultural studies, economics, sociology, social work, medicine, law, and management.

Women in Conflict and Post-Conflict Situations

Trafficked to ISIS

Between Justice and Political Reality

Routledge Handbook of Minorities in the Middle East

The Islamic State

This Is My Story

Sexual Jihad

Has the Christian Holocaust Begun? A Christian genocide at the hands of Islamic extremists is unfolding in the Middle East. Entire Christian populations have been eliminated, and the ultimate aim of ISIS and the Islamic State is to eradicate the world of Christianity. They are well on their way. Thousands of Christians arrive in refugee camps daily as tents can be seen for miles across the countryside of Jordan, N. Iraq and Lebanon.

This edited collection develops a gendered lens for genocide prevention by uncovering socially constructed gender roles which are crucial for the onset, form and prevention of genocide and mass atrocities. This volume draws on contemporary feminist theory, concepts of masculinity, critical discussions of international law, and in-depth case studies to provide a better understanding of the function of gender at different stages of genocide and mass atrocity processes as well as a basis for more comprehensive strategies for genocide prevention.

Based on research in camps in Iraqi Kurdistan and among refugees in Germany, this book addresses the challenges, strategies and support systems that exist for the rehabilitation and reintegration of Yazidi women recovering from human trafficking. Through in-depth interviews, focus group discussions and case studies, it gives women trafficked by ISIS their own voice to express their experiences during captivity, whilst offering an overview of the forms of support and protection available and necessary for survivors. An examination of the experiences and needs of refugee women who have undergone traumatizing experiences. Trauma and the Rehabilitation of Trafficked Women will appeal to scholars and policy makers with interests in gender studies, feminist thought, sexual violence during war, human trafficking and trauma recovery.

Sklaverei im Islamismus des 21. Jahrhunderts, islamistische Ansichten zur Sklaverei, aztekische Sklaverei, aztekischer Sklavenhandel, freiwillige Sklaverei, Aberglaube und Sklaverei, Sklaverei unter den indigenen V ö lkern Amerikas, europ ä ische Versklavung indigener V ö lker, fr ü he Abschaffung in spanischen Gebieten, indigene Versklavung von indigene V ö lker, Sklaverei in Brasilien, Sklavenidentit ä ten, Sklaverei in der britischen und franz ö sischen Karibik, angloamerikanische Sklaverei, Abschaffung, Sklaverei in Kanada, moderne Sklaverei, Sklaverei in Neu-Frankreich, indigene Urspr ü nge der Sklaverei, afrikanischer Sklavenhandel in Neu-Frankreich, regional Merkmale der Sklaverei, Pers ö nliche Erfahrungen von Sklaven, Pers ö nliche Geschichte von Sklaven, Weg zur Abschaffung, Sklaverei im kolonialen spanischen Amerika, iberische Pr ä zedenzf ä lle f ü r die Sklaverei in der Neuen Welt, Verbot der Zwangsarbeit indigener V ö lker, Afrikaner in der fr ü hen Kolonialzeit,Schwarze Sklaverei in der sp ä ten Kolonialzeit, britische und amerikanische Sklaven im spanischen Florida, Ende der Sklaverei

British Families Detained in Syria After Being Trafficked to Islamic State

War Games

The Role of Islam in Female Terrorism

The Experiences of Yazidi Survivors

Islamic State and the Coming Global Confrontation

Mosul under ISIS

Das Tagebuch Einer Sex-Sklavin

The stories we tell about war tend to glorify it, with clear heroes and villains who direct war by abstract strategy. The reality of war, especially in its 21st century form, is best understood in its effects on everyday people. Though these people often do not choose war, they are exposed to its unthinkable outcomes: massacre, torture, rape, famine, displacement. By focusing on the victims, this volume challenges our often comfortable distance from conflict. The articles within highlight our mutual responsibility to end such conflicts, and showcase the tools we have built to limit their worst excesses. Media literacy questions and terms further challenge readers to assess how journalistic principles are applied to the coverage of war and those affected by it.

Die erschütternde Geschichte der Jesidin Nadia Murad ging um die Welt: Als Sklavin des Islamischen Staats wurde sie zum Opfer von Entführung, Folter und Vergewaltigung. Ihre Mutter und viele ihrer Brüder wurden von den Terroristen getötet. Drei Monate war sie in der Gewalt des Islamischen Staats, bis ihr mit unvorstellbarem Mut die Flucht gelang. Als UN-Sonderbotschafterin setzt sie sich für die Befreiung tausender anderer jungen Frauen ein, die bis heute in Gefangenschaft sind. Und sie kämpft dafür, die Verbrechen des Islamischen Staats vor den Internationalen Strafgerichtshof zu bringen.

This book compares and discusses a range of responses to managing global issues. The three channels that global issues flow through (public sector responses, private sector responses, and mixed public-private sectors) are explored in detail for undergraduate students, with lessons learned from the responses presented to enhance theory and practice.

“People are trapped in history and history is trapped in them.” –James Arthur Baldwin
People, like you, all over the world are asking a serious question, demanding a credible answer: what happened to Arab culture and its peoples? Elie Mikhael Nasrallah addresses this subject as a son of that culture and as a critic from within. “What is wrong, really wrong, with the Arab world” he asks. “The theme of this book is: it’s the culture, stupid!” Like a social science surgeon, he takes the reader into the dark alleys of contemporary Arab cultural conditions and political collapse. In fact, he shows how the lack of freedom, women’s oppression, sexual repression, illiteracy, political tyranny, out-dated educational system, the mixing of religion and politics, and the curse of oil have all led to present-day catastrophic upheaval and Arab state-system disintegration, destruction and decay in most Arab lands. He provides readers with a 12-point prescription for salvaging a civilization that has lost its way and needs to re-join modernity and history. www.eliemnasrallah.com

Qatar Confessions Part II

ISIS Brides

Hostage to History

Sex, the Illustrated History: Through Time, Religion, and Culture

A History

Das Mädchen, das den IS besiegte

Defying ISIS

The Islamic State is one of the most lethal and successful jihadist groups in modern history, surpassing even al-Qaeda. Thousands of its followers have marched across Syria and Iraq, subjugating millions, enslaving women, beheading captives, and daring anyone to stop them. Thousands more have spread terror beyond the Middle East under the Islamic State's black flag. How did the Islamic State attract so many followers and conquer so much land? By being more ruthless, more apocalyptic, and more devoted to state-building than its competitors. The shrewd leaders of the Islamic State combined two of the most powerful yet contradictory ideas in Islam-the return of the Islamic Empire and the end of the world-into a mission and a message that shapes its strategy and inspires its army of zealous fighters. They have defied conventional thinking about how to wage wars and win recruits. Even if the Islamic State is defeated, jihadist terrorism will never be the same. Based almost entirely on primary sources in Arabic-including ancient religious texts and secret al-Qaeda and Islamic State letters that few have seen - William McCants' The ISIS Apocalypse explores how religious fervor, strategic calculation, and doomsday prophecy shaped the Islamic State's past and foreshadow its dark future.

In June 2014 Islamic State launched an astonishing blitzkrieg which saw them seize control of an area in the Middle East the size of Britain. The news was soon filled with their relentless acts of savagery, yet nobody seemed to know who they were or where they’d come from. Now BBC reporter Andrew Hosken delivers the inside story on Islamic State. Through extensive first-hand reporting, Hosken builds a comprehensive picture of IS, their brutal ideology and exterminationist methods. Equally compelling and horrifying, Empire of Fear reveals how Islamic State came to be, explores how they might be defeated and asks a frightening question – if they were brought down, could we stop another group emerging to replace them? The jihadist group ISIS (the Islamic State of Iraq and Syria) has been wreaking havoc in northern Iraq and Syria. But its reign of terror is not confined to the Middle East. Its 2014 beheadings of American journalist James Foley and Israeli-American journalist Steven Sotloff have shocked the world and instilled fear in the hearts of many Westerners. ISIS is the wealthiest, most technologically advanced, and most powerful terrorist organization in history. Its members are extremely diverse, having been recruited from countries all over the globe, including Canada, Britain, and the U.S. Now that ISIS has the world’s attention, what’s next? Governments around the world have spent billions of dollars employing military strategies, and they are still convinced that ISIS is mainly a political problem that requires a political solution. But what if the answer isn’t political or military? What if the real solution is spiritual in nature? Missionaries from the underground church of China are launching a spiritual offensive. They are not armed with a sentence of death but with a message of life, and ISIS jihadists are in their crosshairs. In ISIS, the Heart of Terror, you will learn about the missionary vision “Back to Jerusalem” and the underground church’s unique method of responding to ISIS by evangelizing Muslim militants. Discover how Chinese missionaries are fulfilling the Great Commission by sharing the gospel with some of the most unreachable people groups in the world, and find out how Christians everywhere can take part in a powerful evangelization of the Middle East.

In the current armed conflicts that have become known to the international community since the sweeping attacks on northern Iraq on Aug. 3, 2014, the Islamic State (ISIS) perpetrated extreme forms of sexual and gender-based violence (SGBV) against a small ancient ethno-religious conservative Yazidi group. ISIS has used SGBV against Yazidi women and girls as an integral part of their military strategy, as a weapon of war, and as a tool of ethnic cleansing and genocide. ISIS employed SGBV as a cheap weapon of war that can achieve many strategic goals at the same time. Thus, ISIS used multiple forms of SGBV such as torture, abduction, slavery, systemic rape and other heinous crimes against the Yazidi women and their families. These crimes included the massacre of men, babies, seniors and disabled women. In addition, ISIS caused the complete destruction of Yazidi villages which caused the displacement of thousands of people. Some of these women and girls are survivors of ISIS captivity, and their current living conditions constitute a human rights crisis. This research was designed to explore and provide a better understanding of how and why ISIS used SGBV and to shed light on its multiple dimensions. It aims to illustrate how the survivors are coping with trauma and to explain the challenges that they continue to face in the aftermath of the ISIS invasions.

A Gendered Lens for Genocide Prevention

The Syrian War

Trafficked

ISIS

## Terrorist Financing and the Islamic State

### ISIS, the Heart of Terror

#### Sklaverei im zeitgenössischen Islam und in den ehemaligen Kolonien von Amerika

Islamic terrorism is terrorist acts committed by groups or individuals who profess Islamic or Islamist motivations or goals. Islamic terrorists justify their violent tactics through interpreting the Quran and Hadith according to their own goals and intentions.

Farida Abbas ist 18 Jahre alt, als der IS im August 2014 ihr Dorf im irakischen Sinjar-Gebirge überfällt. Die Terroristen treiben die Männer und Jungen des Dorfes zusammen und töten sie. Die Mädchen und Frauen nehmen sie mit. Vier Monate lebt Farida in der Hölle auf Erden: Sie wird als Sklavin von Mann zu Mann verkauft, vergewaltigt, fast totgeschlagen. Doch sie überlebt und entwickelt in der Folge den ungeheuren Mut, sich ihren Peinigern zu widersetzen. Zusammen mit sechs anderen Mädchen, die sie anführt, gelingt ihr eine abenteuerliche Flucht durch die Wüste.

The Islamic State of Iraq and Syria (ISIS) ruled Mosul from 2014-2017 in accordance with its extremist interpretation of sharia. But beyond what is known about ISIS governance in the city from the group's own materials, very little is understood about the reality of its rule, or reasons for its failure, from those who actually lived under it. This book reveals what was going on inside ISIS institutions based on accounts from the civilians themselves. Focusing on ISIS governance of education, healthcare and policing, the interviewees include: teachers who were forced to teach the group's new curriculum; professors who organized secret classes in private; doctors who took direct orders from ISIS leaders and worked in their headquarters; bureaucratic staff who worked for ISIS. These accounts provide unique insight into the lived realities in the controlled territories and reveal how the terrorist group balanced their commitment to Islamist ideology with the practical challenges of state building. Moving beyond the simplistic dichotomy of civilians as either passive victims or ISIS supporters, Mathilde Becker Aarseth highlights here those people who actively resisted or affected the way in which ISIS ruled. The book invites readers to understand civilians' complex relationship to the extremist group in the context of fragmented state power and a city torn apart by the occupation.

The Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant, also known as Islamic State of Iraq and Syria or Islamic State of Iraq and ash-Sham or Islamic State, is an Islamic extremist rebel group controlling territory in Iraq, Syria, and Libya, with operations or affiliates in Lebanon, Libya, the Sinai Peninsula of Egypt, and other areas of the Middle East, North Africa, West Africa, Southwest Asia, and Southeast Asia. The group gained notoriety after it drove the Iraqi government forces out of key western cities in Iraq. In Syria, it conducted ground attacks against both government forces and rebel factions in the Syrian Civil War. It gained those territories after an offensive, initiated in early 2014, which senior US military commanders and members of the US House Committee on Foreign Affairs saw as a re-emergence of Sunni insurgents and a Qaeda militants. This territorial loss implied a failure of US foreign policy, and almost caused a collapse of the Iraqi government that prompted renewal of US military action in Iraq.

Combating The Caliphate Without Borders

Inside the Islamic State

The ISIS Apocalypse

ISIS Exposed

Das Mädchen, das dem Islamischen Staat entkam und gegen Gewalt und Versklavung kämpft

Ich bin eure Stimme

An Anthology of Cases from Iraq, Iran, Syria and Other Countries

With the promise of glorious holy war and a wife, more than 20,000 foreign fighters flowed into Iraq and Syria, leaving the Islamic State hard-pressed to provide enough wives for the fighters. With the number of foreign women estimated at a few hundred, ISIS has turned to draconian measures like slavery, temporary marriages, and even child brides. Women captives of the group who managed to escape tell tales of terror and abuse despite the glowing promises of those who recruit women for the so-called Islamic State. This book explores the dangers for women and girls caught in the path of ISIS and how they're used by the group as both rewards for fighters and as warriors in their own right.

This collected volume focuses on women's suffering and the conditions of their societies during conflict and post-conflict situations in Iraq, Iran, Syria and other countries. The contributions examine and explore not only general narratives but also various specific aspects of the conflict and post-conflict situations in relation to the roles and statuses of these women, with a number of scholars reflecting on topics from various disciplines and key areas such as the Middle East. This collection also includes some articles on the suffering of women outside of the Middle East, thus illustrating the similarity of some general issues women have to face throughout the world.

In Possessed by the Right Hand, Bernard K. Freamon offers a comprehensive legal history of slavery and slave-trading in Islam, considering the impact of Western abolitionism, its failure, and the implications of the rise of ISIS and Boko Haram.

Qatar Confessions is a multicultural fiction series that explores sensitive topics related to human rights, terrorism, child trafficking, slavery, racism, and tribal customs from the viewpoints of people living and working in Qatar. This ethnic mosaic is woven together with the search for a missing woman and her unborn child. Claire Aaron is still missing from Qatar, a Middle Eastern country superpower.

After an extensive search for his missing and pregnant wife Claire's husband attempted to locate her by publishing a portion of her research as Qatar Confessions Secret Taboos. His effort expands in Qatar Confessions Part II, Extreme Taboos which is the second book of the series and probes subjects such as misyar or pleasure marriages, slavery, virginity, prostitution, racism, labia lengthening, chastity belts, and ISIS sex slaves. You will experience the chilling ordeals of a child bride, learn new procedures for infertility, obtain a close-up view of a mother's struggle in Syria, join a Tawerghan refugee as she attempts to escape the Libyan invasion, and imagine a female journalist fear held captive in an ISIS sex slave camp. These are just a few examples of the compelling stories shared in this series. Each book in the Qatar Confessions series contains a collection of twenty narratives that will inspire you to look at life through a different lens. These provocative sketches reveal touching first-person viewpoints that create an ornate tapestry of human life tortured by societal taboos. Take an odyssey into a complex world you will find both captivating and at times, shocking. Qatar Confessions Part II Extreme Taboos explores the fragile limits of truth and fiction. Do you want a rare peek behind the Arabian Gulf's veil of secrecy? The Qatar Confessions Series will give you that and more. It is a cultural expose' on steroids!

Context, Causes and the Military

Global Issues beyond Sovereignty

A Yazidi Memoir of Terror, Resistance and Hope

Shadow on the Mountain

The Cultural Collapse of the 21st Century Arab World

Hearing Before the Committee on Financial Services, U.S. House of Representatives, One Hundred Thirteenth Congress, Second Session, November 13, 2014

Handbook of Research on New Dimensions of Gender Mainstreaming and Women Empowerment

This edited book ?examines the different forms of human trafficking that manifest in conflict and post-conflict settings and considers how the military may help to address or even facilitate it. It explores how conflict can facilitate human trafficking, how it can manifest through a variety of case studies, followed by a discussion of the reasons why the military should include a stronger consideration of human trafficking within their strategic planning given the multiple scenarios in which military forces come into contact with victims of human trafficking, and how this ought to be done. Human Trafficking in Conflict draws on the expertise of scholars and practitioners to develop the existing conversations and to offer multiple perspectives. It includes a discussion of existing frameworks and perspectives including legal and policy, and whether they are configured to address human trafficking in conflict.

A unique collaboration providing an analysis of the conflict in Syria, focusing on the integration between legal and political studies.

This book analyzes the origins and organizational structure of Islamic State (IS), examining its military triumphs and success in securing new recruits via social media. From its base in Iraq and Syria, IS has spread globally with 17 regional affiliates from Indonesia to Nigeria and sleeper cells in at least 60 countries, capable of atrocities like the Paris attack. To understand the threat of IS, this book explores its organizational structure and underlying ideology, and implications for Western efforts to attack the leadership of IS. The ways IS has grown by swiftly adapting its military strategy, developing creative forms of funding and efforts to win hearts and minds of locals are identified. The author highlights how the competing individual national interests between the Western military alliance and local partners have served to strengthen IS. With its ideology spreading ever further, this book warns of the looming violent confrontation between democratic and Islamist forces. This volume speaks to academics in international relations, security studies and strategic studies, policy-makers and interested parties.

The SAGE Handbook of Human Trafficking and Modern-Day Slavery provides a comprehensive, interdisciplinary and global look at the diverse issues surrounding human trafficking and slavery in the post-1945 environment.

The SAGE Handbook of Human Trafficking and Modern Day Slavery

Dying to Kill US- Transnational Jihad and ISIS Ideology

Trafficking in Persons Report 2017

Investigating Sexual and Gender-Based Violence as a Weapon of War and a Tool of Genocide Against Indigenous Yazidi Women and Girls by ISIS in Iraq

Beheadings, Slavery, and the Hellish Reality of Radical Islam

The History, Strategy, and Doomsday Vision of the Islamic State

Human Trafficking in Conflict

**An authoritative introduction to ISIS—now expanded and revised to bring events up to the present The Islamic State stunned the world with its savagery, destructiveness, and military and recruiting successes. However, its most striking and distinctive characteristic was its capacity to build governing institutions and a theologically grounded national identity. What explains the rise of ISIS and the caliphate, and what does it portend for the future of the Middle East? In this book, one of the world's leading authorities on political Islam and jihadism sheds new light on these questions. Moving beyond journalistic accounts, Fawaz Gerges provides a clear and compelling explanation of the deeper conditions that fuel ISIS. This new edition brings the story of ISIS to the present, covering key events—from the military defeat of its territorial state to the death of its leader al-Baghdadi—and analyzing how the ongoing Syrian, Iraqi, and Saudi-Iranian conflict could lead to ISIS's revival.**

**"A rare and riveting first-hand account of the terror and torture inflicted by ISIS on young Iraqi Yazidi women, and an inspiring personal story of bravery and resilience in the face of unspeakable horrors. In the early summer of 2014, Farida Khalaf was a typical Yazidi teenager living with her parents and three brothers in her village in the mountains of Northern Iraq. In one horrific day, she lost everything: ISIS invaded her village, destroyed her family, and sold her into sexual slavery. The Girl Who Escaped ISIS is her incredible account of captivity and describes how she defied the odds and escaped a life of torture, in order to share her story with the world. Devastating and inspiring, this is an astonishing, intimate account of courage and hope in the face of appalling violence"--**

**Die Geschichte der Sklaverei umfasst viele Kulturen, Nationalitäten und Religionen von der Antike bis zur Gegenwart. Die sozialen, wirtschaftlichen und rechtlichen Positionen von Sklaven waren jedoch in verschiedenen Sklavensystemen zu verschiedenen Zeiten und an verschiedenen Orten sehr unterschiedlich. Beweise für Sklaverei stammen aus schriftlichen Aufzeichnungen; Die Praxis hat in vielen, wenn nicht den meisten Kulturen existiert. Die Sklaverei ereignete sich in Zivilisationen, die so alt waren wie Sumer, sowie in fast jeder anderen alten Zivilisation, einschließlich dem alten Ägypten, dem alten China, dem akkadischen Reich, Assyrien, Babylonien, Persien, dem alten Griechenland, dem alten Indien, dem römischen Reich und dem arabisch-islamischen Kalifat und Sultanat, Nubien und die präkolumbianischen Zivilisationen Amerikas. Die antike Sklaverei ist eine Mischung aus Schuldenklaverei, Bestrafung für Verbrechen, Versklavung von Kriegsgefangenen, Verlassen des Kindes, und die Geburt von Sklavenkindern.**

**This report documents the circumstances by which numerous British families currently detained in North East Syria ('NES') were trafficked to and/or within territories controlled by the Islamic State group ('ISIS'). Employing trafficking tactics – including those similar to those employed by child sex trafficking gangs – ISIS groomed and recruited hundreds of women and girls, who were subsequently forced into marriage, sexual slavery, domestic servitude and other forms of exploitation.**

**A book of lethal espionage and betrayal**

**Casualties of War**

**Preserving Christianity in the Place of Its Birth and in Your Own Backyard**

**Volume Iii; Sex in the Modern World; Europe from the 17Th Century to the 21St Century, Colonial North and South America to the 21St Century, Slavery and Homosexual Histories, and Bisexuality**

**The Girl Who Escaped ISIS**

**Eyewitness Accounts of Life in the Caliphate**

**Trauma and the Rehabilitation of Trafficked Women**

*A secret society out for revenge against an ousted member of a royal family, a billionaire framed for the murder of his brother, a model-turned con-artist out on probation, a cast-away English orphan homeless and abused, a NYPD cop all struggling to find the faces behind the invisible power who are unleashing the deadliest terror in the world.*

*The so-called "Islamic State" (IS) that has swept into power in parts of Syria and Iraq presents an imminent danger to the global community with its capacity as an effective, ideologically motivated, and bloodthirsty fighting force, coupled with its expanding territorial reach, on the ground and online. The IS has taken on a quasi-state form that mixes modernity with ancient rites, and aggressively promotes sectarian violence and religious extremism with a decidedly apocalyptic bent. Too, it has introduced to the Middle East a new level of extremism and brutality, marked by volatile fluidity, with far-reaching, dangerously destabilizing effects on state and non-state actors, regionally and globally. This book offers insights into the nature of the IS and what the international community can do to combat it. In order to achieve this objective, the origins, intentions, leadership, capabilities, and operations of the IS are explored. The Islamic State's multifaceted efforts and effects in the region and beyond are described. Also, national, regional, and global strategies that are being pursued to address the new threat are examined. To this end, a range of recommendations are offered on specific steps that governmental, intergovernmental, and non-governmental bodies can take to counter the IS menace. Lastly, additional insights are presented relevant to combating the IS and undermining its potential future capabilities.*

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