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Child of Venus May 19 2022 In CHILD OF VENUS, The Project - the terraforming of Venus - has been going on for centuries and it will be many more years before the planet's surface has been rendered fully habitable and the human settlers , the Cytherians, can leave their protective domes - but there are those who are foolishly unwilling to wait. In a colony still ravaged by the after-effects of a battle between two religious cults that divided families and created civil war, Mahala Liangharad, a true child of Venus, conceived from the genetic material of the rebels and brought to birth only after their deaths, is seen as a beacon of hope and a pointer to the way of the future. Nonetheless, Mahala sees herself in conflict, bearing the burden of a strange birthright and the responsibility of lifelong service to The Project. Mahala fears the expectation of duty and that she may miss the chance to discover her own destiny. Her world (and the worlds) are being torn apart by a drive for independence from Earth by the Venus colonists and by the rumors of a secret plan developed by the "Habbers," cybernetically enhanced dwellers in the mobile asteroid "Habitats" who are another, and very different, set of humans no longer tied to Earth. A mysterious call from deep space offers a

chance at her dream of destiny, along with a terrifying possibility of losing touch with everything she has ever known and loved. **CHILD OF VENUS** completes the Venus sequence and Pamela Sargent delivers a dramatically and emotionally satisfying ending to this epic tale of the terraforming of Venus by human colonists as she builds imaginatively-detailed new worlds of breathtaking wonder and shows that humanity may travel far but retains all the challenges that come with being human, whatever form their evolution may take.

Papers relating to the Transit of Venus in 1874, prepared under the direction of the Commission authorized by Congress and published by authority of the Hon Dec 02 2020

Chasing Venus Jan 27 2023 The award-winning author of *The Brother Gardeners* chronicles the 18th-century quest to observe the transit of Venus and measure the solar system, explaining the political strife and weather challenges that were overcome to enable an international team of astronomers to work together. 30,000 first printing.

The Scars of Venus Sep 23 2022 **The Scars of Venus** describes how slowly our knowledge about sexually transmitted diseases has grown. Yet these conditions are, in one form or another, as old as humanity. There have always been doctors and others who have been drawn to the study of these diseases - this book tells their story. In earlier times, the important discoveries came from clinical observation alone, but in the 19th century they were supplemented by the new sciences of microbiology

and immunology. This exciting period, which was enlivened by many scientific and personal controversies, is described in detail. People with venereal diseases have often been condemned as victims of their own "sinful lust for flesh". This book describes how this attitude has hindered many attempts at control. However, in the long history of venereology successes have by far outnumbered failures. Reading *The Scars of Venus* should encourage those currently struggling with today's horrific problems. The book is illustrated with pictures of people, places instruments and documents. It will be of interest to anyone concerned with venereal diseases - doctors, nurses, counsellors, laboratory workers -indeed any others interested in these disorders.

***Venus* Nov 01 2020 No serious astronomical library can be complete without it.ÑJournal of the British Astronomical Association "The book contains the results of the exploration of Venus by spacecraft during the period 1962-1978. . . . The book represents an excellent review of the principal results of Venus in the period covered."ÑBulletin of the Astronomical Institute of Czechoslovakia "A wealth of new information."ÑScience "Strongly recommended."ÑScience Books & Films**

14 Fun Facts About Venus Jan 03 2021 How much do you know about the planet Venus? Does it ever rain on Venus? How thick is the air on Venus? Which is longer on Venus, a day or a year? How did Venus change the way people saw the world? Learn the answer to these questions and many more fun

facts in this 15-Minute Book. Venus is the second planet from the sun. It sits between Mercury and Earth. Scientists have studied Venus and here are a few facts we have learned. LearningIsland.com believes in the value of children practicing reading for 15 minutes every day. Our 15-Minute Books give children lots of fun, exciting choices to read, from classic stories, to mysteries, to books of knowledge. Open the world of reading to a child by having them read for 15 minutes a day.

Arabella and the Battle of Venus Jan 15 2022 The thrilling adventures of Arabella Ashby continue in Arabella and the Battle of Venus, the second book in Hugo-winning author David D. Levine's swashbuckling sci-fi, alternate history series! Arabella's wedding plans to marry Captain Singh of the Honorable Mars Trading Company are interrupted when her fiancé is captured by the French and sent to a prisoner-of-war camp on swampy Venus. Now, Arabella must find passage to an enemy-controlled planet in the middle of a war, bribe or fight her way past vicious guards, and rescue her Captain. To do this she must enlist the help of the dashing privateer, Daniel Fox of the Touchstone and build her own clockwork navigational automaton in order to get to Venus before the dread French general, Joseph Fouché, the Executioner of Lyon. Once on Venus, Arabella, Singh, and Fox soon discover that Napoleon has designed a secret weapon, one that could subjugate the entire galaxy if they can't discover a way to stop Fouché, and the entire French army, from

completing their emperor's mandate. At the Publisher's request, this title is being sold without Digital Rights Management Software (DRM) applied.

Venus in Furs Aug 22 2022 Leopold von Sacher-Masoch was born in Lemberg, Austrian Galicia, on January 27, 1836. He studied jurisprudence at Prague and Graz, and in 1857 became a teacher at the latter university. He published several historical works, but soon gave up his academic career to devote himself wholly to literature. For a number of years he edited the international review, *Auf der Höhe*, at Leipzig, but later removed to Paris, for he was always strongly Francophile. His last years he spent at Lindheim in Hesse, Germany, where he died on March 9, 1895. In 1873 he married Aurora von Rumelin, who wrote a number of novels under the pseudonym of Wanda von Dunajew, which it is interesting to note is the name of the heroine of *Venus in Furs*. Her sensational memoirs which have been the cause of considerable controversy were published in 1906. During his career as writer an endless number of works poured from Sacher-Masoch's pen. Many of these were works of ephemeral journalism, and some of them unfortunately pure sensationalism, for economic necessity forced him to turn his pen to unworthy ends. There is, however, a residue among his works which has a distinct literary and even greater psychological value. His principal literary ambition was never completely fulfilled. It was a somewhat programmatic plan to give a picture of

contemporary life in all its various aspects and interrelations under the general title of the Heritage of Cain. This idea was probably derived from Balzac's *Comedie Humaine*. The whole was to be divided into six subdivisions with the general titles Love, Property, Money, The State, War, and Death. Each of these divisions in its turn consisted of six novels, of which the last was intended to summarize the author's conclusions and to present his solution for the problems set in the others. This extensive plan remained unachieved, and only the first two parts, Love_ and _Property, were completed. Of the other sections only fragments remain. The present novel, *Venus in Furs*, forms the fifth in the series, Love. The best of Sacher-Masoch's work is characterized by a swift narration and a graphic representation of character and scene and a rich humor. The latter has made many of his shorter stories dealing with his native Galicia little masterpieces of local color.

Venus Mar 05 2021 Describes the composition of Venus from its core to its atmosphere and explains how Venus is incapable of supporting life even though it appears to be similar to Earth.

Venus II--geology, Geophysics, Atmosphere, and Solar Wind Environment Jun 27 2020 The final orbit of Venus by the Magellan spacecraft in October 1994 brought to a close an exciting period of Venus reconnaissance and exploration. The scientific studies resulting from data collected by the Magellan, Galileo, and Pioneer missions are unprecedented in their detail for any planet except

Earth. Venus II re-evaluates initial assessments of Venus in light of these and other spacecraft missions and ground-based observations conducted over the past 30 years. More than a hundred contributors summarize our current knowledge of the planet, consider points of disagreement in interpretation, and identify priorities for future research. Topics addressed include geology, surface processes, volcanism, tectonism, impact cratering, geodynamics, upper and lower atmospheres, and solar wind environment. The diversity of the coverage reflects the interdisciplinary nature of Venus science and the breadth of knowledge that has contributed to it. A CD-ROM developed by the Jet Propulsion Laboratory accompanies the book and incorporates text, graphics, video, software, and various digital products from selected contributors to the text. A multimedia interface allows users to navigate the text and the extensive databases included on the disk. Venus II is the most authoritative single volume available on the second planet. Its contents will not only help shape the goals of future Venus missions but will also enhance our understanding of current Mars explorations.

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***The Birth of Venus* Apr 06 2021 Alessandra is not quite fifteen when her prosperous merchant father brings a young painter back with him from Holland to adorn the walls of the new family chapel. She is fascinated by his talents and envious of his abilities and opportunities to paint to the glory of God. Soon**

her love of art and her lively independence are luring her into closer involvement with all sorts of taboo areas of life. On excursions into the streets of night-time Florence she observes a terrible evil stalking the city and witnesses the rise of the fiery young priest, Savonarola, who has set out to rid the city of vice, richness, even art itself. Alessandra must make crucial decisions about the shape of her adult life, as Florence itself must choose between the old ways of the luxury-loving Medicis and the asceticism of Savonarola. And through it all, there is the painter, whose love will change everything.

The Transit of Venus Mar 17 2022

The Transit of Venus in 1874 Nov 13 2021 Reprint of the original, first published in 1874.

Carson of Venus Sep 30 2020 Carson Napier, first Earthman to reach Venus, had to keep alert every instant of his stay on that world of mist and mystery. For its lands were unmapped, its inhabitants many, varied, and strange, and he had taken an obligation to restore a native princess to her lost homeland. On terrible oceans where dreaded sea-monsters dwelled, in deep forests where terror haunted every branch, and behind the walls of eerie cities where power-mad chieftains plotted uncanny schemes, "Carson of Venus" is fast-paced science fiction adventure.

***Brain Bats of Venus* Oct 24 2022 This volume continues Sadowski's biography of the famed Mad cartoonist. It includes scores of letters between Wolverton and his editors and publishers and excerpts from his personal diaries, providing**

documentary insight not only into Wolverton's day-to-day life and career, but also the inner workings of the early comic book industry. It is also chock full of Wolverton's comics stories from this period, including 17 science-fiction and horror tales fully restored and never before collected in a single volume.

The Transit of Venus Jul 21 2022 The award-winning, New York Times bestselling literary masterpiece of Shirley Hazzard—the story of two beautiful orphan sisters whose fates are as moving and wonderful, and yet as predestined, as the transits of the planets themselves A Penguin Classic Considered "one of the great English-language novels of the twentieth century" (The Paris Review), The Transit of Venus follows Caroline and Grace Bell as they leave Australia to begin a new life in post-war England. From Sydney to London, New York, and Stockholm, and from the 1950s to the 1980s, the two sisters experience seduction and abandonment, marriage and widowhood, love and betrayal. With exquisite, breathtaking prose, Australian novelist Shirley Hazzard tells the story of the displacements and absurdities of modern life. The result is at once an intricately plotted Greek tragedy, a sweeping family saga, and a desperate love story.

***Manifestations of Venus* Dec 22 2019 This volume takes as its starting point the recurrent motif of the figure of Venus and the associated picture of Cupid in Western art from the Renaissance to the present day, and uses it to raise issues of art, gender and**

sexuality.

Venus Nov 20 2019 The surface of Venus is the most hellish place in the solar system. The ground is hot enough to melt aluminum. The air pressure is so high it has crushed spacecraft landers as though they were tin cans. The sky is perpetually covered with clouds of sulfuric acid. The atmosphere is a choking mixture of carbon dioxide and poisonous gases. This is where Van Humphries must go. Or die trying. His older brother perished in the first attempt to land a man on Venus, years before, and his father had always hated Van for surviving when his brother died. Now his father is offering a ten billion dollar prize to the first person to land on Venus and return his oldest son's remains. To everyone's surprise, Van takes up the offer. But what Van Humphries will find on Venus will change everything--our understanding of Venus, of global warming on Earth, and his knowledge of who he is.

The Face of Venus Dec 26 2022

The Transit of Venus in 1874 May 07 2021

The Many Faces of Venus Nov 25 2022

***The Life and Death of Venus: A Chapbook* Sep 11 2021** The Life and Death of Venus is a poetic coming of age. A short collection of 26 poems, Venus explores the literal and symbolic themes of death and life through a lens of womanhood. Sensuous, humorous, brazen and heartfelt, these poems tell a story of self-discovery and remind us of our spiritual connectedness to the Earth and to each other.

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Windows to Adventure: Venus, the Morning Star Jul

09 2021 With the help of a magical creature named AboGado, Rashad and Angie visit planet Venus, and are given a guided tour by a fantasy female character named Venus. Venus, the fantasy character, explains how to find the planet in the morning or evening sky. When Angie and Rashad climb through AboGado's portal they step onto a cloud cabana, where experience a bumpy ride while Venus, the fantasy character, guides them to see the major features of the surface of the planet, including pancake mountains, folded tessera, gigantic craters, ocean trench-like lowlands, and continent-like highlands. She regales with stories about the Morning Star from many cultures. In Aztec legend, Venus was a twin god, good in the morning, and the evil twin at evening; in Greek legend, Venus was a goddess of love with the story of Echo & Narcissus. Finally, in a Native American legend, the Morning Star helps a young man escape from a bear. Beautiful photographs throughout the book illustrate how a person observes different phases of Venus back on Earth, from crescent shaped, to full. Other photographs include an occultation of Venus, and Venus appearing in selected constellations as part of its 'wandering' nature. When they get home, Rashad gets a nasty lesson in the chemistry of Venus' clouds. With a foreword by Tony Spear, the project manager of NASA's historic Magellan mission to Venus. A glossary to scientific and technical terms is included.

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**The Transit of Venus Enterprise in Victorian Britain
Jul 29 2020** In the nineteenth century, the British Government spent money measuring the distance between the earth and the sun using observations of the transit of Venus. This book presents a narrative of the two Victorian transit programmes. It draws out their cultural significance and explores the nature of "big science" in late-Victorian Britain.

The Transit of Venus in 1874 Aug 30 2020

***The Moon that Wasn't* Oct 12 2021** The planet Venus is the closest neighbour to the Earth and in several respects similar to our globe. It revolves around the Sun at an average distance of 0. 72 astronomical units, in an elliptical orbit of eccentricity 0. 007. The corresponding 3 numbers for the Earth are 1 and 0. 017. The mean density of Venus is 5. 2 g/cm³, that of the Earth 5. 5 g/cm³. Venus' acceleration of gravity at its equator is 8. 9 2 2 m/s², compared with 9. 8 m/s² at the Earth. The escape velocity is 10. 4 km/s, while the corresponding figure of the Earth is 11. 2 km/s. Although the mass of Venus is somewhat smaller than that of the Earth - the ratio is $M_V/M_E = 0. 815$ - the diameters of the two planets are almost the same. In other words, Venus is indeed a sister planet of the Earth. In earlier times, when almost nothing was known about the physical conditions of Venus, the similarity appeared even stronger than

today. Not only was Venus' period of rotation thought to be close to that of the Earth, it was also possible (and indeed common) to imagine intelligent life on Venus.

The Temple of Venus. A Poem Feb 16 2022

Venus 284 Success Secrets - 284 Most Asked Questions on Venus - What You Need to Know Jun 08 2021 Probably The Best Venus Guide To Date.
There has never been a Venus Guide like this. It contains 284 answers, much more than you can imagine; comprehensive answers and extensive details and references, with insights that have never before been offered in print. Get the information you need--fast! This all-embracing guide offers a thorough view of key knowledge and detailed insight. This Guide introduces what you want to know about Venus. A quick look inside of some of the subjects covered: List of geological features on Venus - Valles, Phases of Venus - Naked eye observations, Venus (astrology) - History, Geology of Venus, Venusians - Venusians in television, Colonization of Venus - Exploration and research, Extraterrestrial atmospheres - Venus, Venus (astrology) - Moon, Dry ice - Occurrence on Mars and Venus, Geology of Venus - Tectonic activity, Runaway greenhouse effect - Venus, Pioneer Venus Orbiter - Experiments, Observations and explorations of Venus - Recent flybys, Terraforming of Venus - Day-night cycle, Lovell Telescope - Venus probes, Colonization of Venus - Reasons for colonization, Venus (mythology) - Cult history and temples, Transit of Venus, 1639 - Jeremiah

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Aug 10 2021**

The Hand of Venus. A Novel Mar 25 2020

Space Station Venus. In Orbit Around the Planet. Oct 20 2019 An idea to change the atmosphere of Venus was thought of in the twentieth century by an American astronomer, Carl Sagan. He suggested it might be possible to drop algae, a micro-organism, on the upper atmosphere of Venus. This is the reason in the twenty-first century, why the space station is orbiting Planet Venus: a project that will take many years to complete. But not everyone is happy about the project. And someone is prepared to commit murder on the space station, which would leave three boys and two girls, along with a crewmember, to find a way to survive until help arrived.

***The School of Venus, or the ladies delight* Feb 28 2023**

***The Secrets of Venus* Apr 18 2022 "Discusses the planet Venus, including observations by ancient cultures, current knowledge of Venus, and plans for future scientific research and space exploration"--**

Venus Seen on the Sun Jan 23 2020 This text by Jeremiah Horrocks is his accurate prediction and the first observation of a significant astronomical event, and his analysis and comments on the changing nature and practices of astronomy between Galileo and Newton in the 17th century.

De geboorte van Venus Jun 20 2022 Florence 1528. De Medici zijn aan de macht - het is een tijd van hellepreken van de religieuze Savonarola en de toenemende macht van de Nachtpolitie. De hoofdpersoon, de vijftienjarige Alessandra, ontdekt haar passie voor het schilderen als een talentvolle, jonge artiest de familiekapel komt verfraaien. Er ontstaat een bijzondere verstandhouding tussen de schilder en zijn leerlinge. Zoals dat gaat in die tijd wordt ze echter uitgehuwelijkt. Het enige wat er daarna nog van haar verwacht wordt is het baren van kinderen. Maar ze komt erachter dat getrouwde vrouwen meer vrijheid genieten dan ze gedacht had en zo kan ze zich al snel, met de steun van haar echtgenoot, weer aan het schilderen wijden. Dan verschijnt echter de schilder uit haar jeugd opnieuw ten tonele en neemt haar leven een dramatische wending.

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