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Stories of twins are told with astonishing frequency in contemporary culture. Films and novels from recent decades repeatedly tell of the stranglehold of brotherly love, the evil twin who steals her sister's lover, the homicidal mutant twin, the reunion of twins separated at birth, warring twins, and confusion between look-alikes. *Twins in Contemporary Literature and Culture* asks why we keep telling twin tales and how these have been transformed in recent retellings to reflect the preoccupations of the times. The Minnesota Study of Twins Reared Apart startled scientists by demonstrating that twins reared apart are as alike, across a number of personality traits and other measures, as those raised together, suggesting that genetic influence is pervasive. Segal offers an overview of the study's scientific contributions and effect on public consciousness. *One of Us* views conjoined twinning and other "abnormalities" from the point of view of people living with such anatomies, and considers these issues within the larger historical context of anatomical politics. This deeply thought-provoking and compassionate work exposes the extent of the social frame upon which we construct the "normal." Instilled in interdisciplinary cross-cultural perspectives of mythical, socio-economic, literary, pedagogic and psychoanalytic representations, two archetypal, creative inheritance laws interact as ζ twins ζ : Eros (fusion/containment/safety) and Thanatos (division/separation/risk). Hypothesising these ζ twins ζ laws as matrilineal (Eros) and patrilineal (Thanatos), this book explores why cross-cultural forms, including gender traits, are not fixed but are instead influenced by earlier flexible matrilineal forms. Through a study of ζ twins ζ on macro and micro levels, Elizabeth Brodersen argues that a psychological ζ twins ζ dilemma is implicit in inheritance laws and offers a unique forum to show how each law competes for primacy as the ζ first ζ and ζ other ζ . Chapters begin by looking at ζ twins ζ in creation myths and the historical background to the laws of inheritance, as well as literary representations. The book then moves on to the developmental structures imbued in twin research and educational systems to explore how past cultural forms have been re-defined to fit a modern landscape and the subsequent movement away from the importance of patrilineal primogeniture. Laws of Inheritance will be of key value to academics, researchers and postgraduate students in the fields of psychoanalysis, psychotherapy, archetypal theory, cross-cultural depth psychology, cultural anthropology, sociology, gender studies and twin research. The book will also be of interest to practicing psychoanalysts and psychotherapists. The development of how twins relate to each other and their single partners is explored through life stories and clinical examples in this telling study of twin interconnections. While the quality of a nurturing family life is crucial, Dr. Klein has found there are often issues with separation anxiety, loneliness, competition with each other, and finding friendships outside of twinship. When twin lives are entwined because of inadequate parenting and estrangement, twin loss is possible and traumatic, creating a crippling fear of expansiveness—an inability to be yourself. Therapists and twins seeking an understanding of twin relationships will find this clinically compelling book a valuable resource. The combination of a riveting true story and cutting-edge twin research makes this book an irresistible page-turner. Identical twins Begoña and Delia were born thirty-eight years ago in Spain's Canary Islands. Due to chaotic conditions at the hospital or simple human error, the unthinkable happened: Delia was unintentionally switched with another infant in the baby nursery. This fascinating story describes in vivid detail the consequences of this unintentional separation of identical twin sisters. The author considers not only the effects

on these particular sisters, but the important implications of this and similar cases for questions concerning identity, familial bonds, nature-nurture, and the law. Still, to say that it all began when Sophie Mol came to Ayemenem is only one way of looking at it . . . It could be argued that it actually began thousands of years ago. Long before the Marxists came. Before the British took Malabar, before the Dutch Ascendancy, before Vasco da Gama arrived, before the Zamorin's conquest of Calicut. Before Christianity arrived in a boat and seeped into Kerala like tea from a teabag. That it really began in the days when the Love Laws were made. The laws that lay down who should be loved, and how. And how much. Twenty-seven sets of twins, including twins separated and raised by different families, conjoined sisters, and a twin who still feels connected to his deceased brother, talk about their relationships

SEPARATED ANGELS is the powerful, true story of much publicized twins Megan & Shannon Fanning; born joined at the abdomen & separated in a tedious surgical procedure. This book details the emotional struggles experienced by the family during & following the pregnancy, birth & separation. The necessary decisions made by the parents, & the changes in prognosis made by the medical professionals, add to the emotional drama of the story. The accounts of faith shown & support received along with the seemingly miraculous final outcome make **SEPARATED ANGELS** especially inspirational. The book is written in easy-to-read style, with 6 photo & 16 hand-drawn chapter illustrations. To that end, technical medical terms are kept to a minimum. The text is suitable for most readers (ages 9 & up), & should not be offensive to any special interest group. Although not a religious book, it does offer a strong appeal to certain religious groups, as well as all those interested in a good story with a happy ending. It is the only true story of conjoined twins written by one of the parents. Published by Storybook Press, Inc., P.O. Box 4438, Naperville, IL 60540-4438, (708) 983-7717. \$11.95 Retail. **Twin Mythconceptions: False Beliefs, Fables, and Facts about Twins** sheds new light on over 70 commonly held ideas and beliefs about the origins and development of identical and fraternal twins. Using the latest scientific findings from psychology, psychiatry, biology, and education, the book separates fact from fiction. Each idea about twins is described, followed by both a short answer about the truth, and then a longer, more detailed explanation. Coverage includes embryology of twins, twin types, intellectual growth, personality traits, sexual orientation of twins, marital relationships, epigenetic analyses, and more. Five appendices cover selected topics in greater depth, such as the frequency of different twin types and the varieties of polar body twin pairs. This book will inform and entertain behavioral and life science researchers, health professionals, twins, parents of twins, and anyone interested in the fascinating topic of twins. Identifies common misunderstandings about twins Provides scientific answers to questions about twins Encompasses the biology, psychology, genetics, and personality of twins Includes discussion of identical, fraternal same-sex, and fraternal opposite-sex twins Allows for quick answers to common questions and more detailed explanations Identical twins, separated at birth, find each other and what starts off as one twin trying to help the other out, ends up with sisters falling for each other's best friend! One friend figures the switch out pretty quick, and the other just finds himself majorly confused by his sudden attraction to the woman he'd asked to marry him in name only! With both couples, sparks are going to fly from moment one... The only question is if it stands any chance of lasting, given the pretense involved combined with at least one personality who swore never to get serious with any one person. Only time will tell! A groundbreaking study of twins brings together the latest scientific research and case studies to explore the complexities of human behavior and development as it examines such topics as twins separated at birth, pseudotwins, the loss of a twin, the implications of new fertility drugs, and more. 10,000 first printing. Tour. Parents of multiple birth children frequently wonder whether it is best for their children to be separated or placed together in school. This guide from the National Organization of Mothers of Twins Clubs (NOMTC) asserts that research and expert opinion demonstrate that mandatory separation of multiple birth children is ineffective and can be detrimental to the educational and emotional growth of these children. For this reason, this NOMTC guide strongly recommends that placement of each set of multiples be evaluated on an individual basis. In order to facilitate these decisions, the guide covers the following areas: (1) "Basic Twin Information" (identification of twin type, differences in social relationships, differences in intellectual development); (2) "Mandatory Separation Policy: Differing Opinions" (educators, twins, parents); (3) "Expert Views on Separation"; (4) "The Case for Gradual Separation"; (5) "Reasons to Separate"; (6) "Reasons for Not Separating Twins"; (7) "Individuality"; (8) "Retention and/or School Readiness of One Twin"; (9) "Tips for Teachers of Twins"; and (10) "To Separate or Not to Separate: Who Should Decide?" (Contains a list of suggested reading and 27 references.) (EV) A practical, comprehensive guide to the special needs of infants and neonates undergoing anesthesia. To save her sister, she'll need to become her The Twins Separated at Birth series continues After discovering she's a twin, FBI special agent Kendra Parker tracks down her birth mother—and faces a barrage of bullets. Now armed with the knowledge that her mother's a spy, Kendra must go undercover as her sister to protect her family. But can she and FBI analyst Joe Rose expose a government mole...before they all end up dead? This study of data collected by scientists at the University of Minnesota reports the unexpected similarities discovered in identical twins raised apart and explores the wide-ranging implications of these findings In **My Brother's Image** is the extraordinary story of Eugene Pogany's father and uncle-identical twin brothers born in Hungary of Jewish parents but raised as devout Catholic converts until the Second World War unraveled their family. In eloquent prose, Pogany portrays how the Holocaust destroyed the brothers' close

childhood bond: his father, a survivor of a Nazi internment camp, denounced Christianity and returned to the Judaism of his birth, while his uncle, who found shelter in an Italian monastic community during the war, became a Catholic priest. Even after emigrating to America the brothers remained estranged, each believing the other a traitor to their family's faith. This tragic memoir is a rich, moving family portrait as well as an objective historical account of the rupture between Jews and Catholics. Twins separated at birth, by a cruel twist of fate in a country which runs red with blood, brother and sister lead opposite lives. When Storm's Mother confesses to the loss of her twin, Storm vows to find him. She is wealthy, educated and beautiful, he has endured hardship, little education and a brutal upbringing. She made a promise to resolve her Mother's torment, how can they be united when they are worlds apart? Her quest leads her into the enigmatic and romantic arms of Ricardo Martinez, her Father's business enemy. How can these rifts be mended? To save her sister, she'll need to become her The Twins Separated at Birth series continues "A unique window into human behavior and development." —Steven Pinker The riveting story of two sets of identical twins separated at birth and improbably reunited as adults, a dream case for exploring nature and nurture. *Accidental Brothers* tells the unique story of two sets of identical Colombian twin brothers who discovered at age 25 that they were mistakenly raised as fraternal twins—when they were not even biological brothers. Due to an oversight that presumably occurred in the hospital nursery, one twin in each pair was switched with a twin in the other pair. The result was two sets of unrelated "fraternal" twins—Jorge and Carlos, who were raised in the lively city of Bogotá; and William and Wilber, who were raised in the remote rural village of La Paz, 150 miles away. Their parents and siblings were aware of the enormous physical and behavioral differences between the members of each set, but never doubted that the two belonged in their biological families. Everyone's life unraveled when one of the twins—William—was mistaken by a young woman for his real identical twin, Jorge. Her "discovery" led to the truth—that the alleged twins were not twins at all, but rather unrelated individuals who ended up with the wrong families. Blending great science and human interest, *Accidental Brothers* by Nancy L. Segal and Yesika S. Montoya will inform and entertain anyone interested in how twin studies illuminate the origins of human behavior, as well as mother-infant identification and the chance events that can have profound consequences on our lives. Reviews and evaluates psychological studies of separately raised identical twins and suggests which aspects of human experience are largely shaped by one's heredity. Now available in a gorgeous new package, Sarah Crossan's exquisite multi award-winning novel explores the unbreakable bond and love between sisters. Here we are. And we are living. Isn't that amazing? How we manage to be here at all. Grace and Tippi don't like being stared and sneered at, but they're used to it. They're conjoined twins – united in blood and bone. What they want is to be looked at in turn, like they truly are two people. They want real friends. And what about love? But a heart-wrenching decision lies ahead for Tippi and Grace. One that could change their lives more than they ever asked for ... This moving and beautifully crafted novel about identity, sisterhood and love ultimately asks one question: what does it mean to want and have a soulmate? Elyse Shein had always known she was adopted, but it wasn't until her mid-thirties that she searched for her biological mother. When Elyse contacted her adoption agency, she was not prepared for the shocking, life-changing news she received: she had an identical twin sister. Paula Bernstein, a married writer and mother living in New York, also knew she was adopted, but had no inclination to find her birth mother. When she answered a call from her adoption agency one spring afternoon, Paul's life suddenly divided into two starkly different periods: the time before and the time after she learned the truth. As they reunite and take their tentative first steps from strangers to sisters, Paul and Elyse learn that they were separated at birth as part of a secret study conducted by a pair of influential psychiatrists. They write with emotional honesty about the immediate intimacy they share as twins and the wide chasm that divides them as two complete strangers. Interweaving eye-opening studies and statistics on twin science into their story, *IDENTICAL STRANGERS* offers an intelligent and heartfelt glimpse into human nature. It is an account that broadens the definition of family and provides insight into our own DNA and the singularly exceptional imprint it leaves on our lives. *MISSING ANNA* is partially based on real events and circumstances surrounding the birth of my twin daughters in January 1968, one of which reportedly died in infancy. Names, places and other events are a figment of my imagination and are totally fictitious. As a writer, I created a fictional story surrounding some of those weird events, which includes some wishful thinking as well. It gave my daughter and me closure and peace when no answers were available. As a little girl, the surviving twin often talked to her missing sister as though she lived, even though she knew Anna was in Heaven. That twin bond seemed unbreakable, and became the inspiration for this novel. A deadly identity swap... The first exciting *Twins Separated at Birth* novel Twin girls are born in the backwoods of Kentucky in 1941. Their mother had been left alone while their father went for the doctor. On another planet a princess is born alive but dying. The two people in charge of the princess work hard to keep her alive when they realize they are not going to be able to do so. They retire to a room where they can search for a replacement and the room is set up to retrieve the infant almost immediately. Realizing they would need to protect the child from the Kings enemy Barron Zomoff they placed guards on her. They knew how desperate the man would become but figured they could handle that. But they didn't realize, that when they could only find a set of twins born about that time on Earth, that they would have the difficulties they did when they kidnapped one of them. For the twins refused to be separated either by the distance, language or education. They didn't understand that the

twins would need each other for their own protection or the protection of each of their worlds or people. They didn't realize that their families would fight to get them both together. They also didn't realize, the adfect that the powerful pull on both planets would have on the children in powerful ways. Imagine one day opening Facebook and reading a message from a stranger that says, "I think we might be twins...don't freak out..." It all began when design student Anaïs Bordier viewed a YouTube video and saw her own face staring back. After some research, Anaïs found that the Los Angeles actress Samantha Futerman was born in a South Korean port city called Busan on November 19, 1987—the exact same location and day that Anaïs was born. This propelled her to make contact—via Facebook. One message later, both girls wondered: Could they be twins? Thus begins their remarkable journey to build a relationship as sisters, continents apart. Over Facebook, Twitter, and Skype, they learned that they shared much more than a strikingly similar appearance. Eventually, they traveled to Korea together to discover more about the land of their separation. One of Facebook's Top Ten Stories of 2013, Separated @ Birth is a story that spans the world and peels back some of the complex and emotional layers of foreign adoption. Twins separated at birth. Neither aware the other exists. If, years later, their paths should cross, would they know? The unaccountable working of blind fate, can it be that kind, that cruel, that serendipitous? A deadly identity swap... Audrey Clark never knew she was a twin - until she stumbled onto a covert operation. Now with her FBI agent sister shot and in critical condition, going undercover with Agent Lee Benson is the only way to protect her newfound twin. And as her pretend husband, Lee must keep Audrey safe...or pay twice the deadly price. The Trouble with Twin Studies questions popular genetic explanations of human behavioral differences based upon the existing body of twin research. Psychologist Jay Joseph outlines the fallacies of twin studies in the context of the ongoing decades-long failure to discover genes for human behavioral differences, including IQ, personality, and the major psychiatric disorders. This volume critically examines twin research, with a special emphasis on reared-apart twin studies, and incorporates new and updated perspectives, analyses, arguments, and evidence. When two human ova fail to fully separate during pregnancy, the result is conjoined twins. The twins may be connected by ligament, bone, or just flesh, and they often share organs, but what captures most people's interest is whether the twins share sensations, thoughts and even souls. This encyclopedia presents entries on conjoined twins throughout history, the biological causes and effects of twins being born conjoined, and ethical issues such as self-support and separation surgery. It also includes entries on the modern standardized terminology used when discussing conjoined twins, the categories into which conjoined twins have been sorted, doctors past and present who have performed separation surgeries, and hospitals, such as Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, that are known for the separation of conjoined twins. This book even covers fraudulent conjoined twins and fictional ones in books written by such authors as Mark Twain, Vladimir Nabakov, and Katherine Dunn. Other entries cover relevant films, websites, and institutions. In *Deliberately Divided*, Nancy Segal revisits a controversial study that tracked the development of separated twins and triplets. None of the adoptive parents were told that they were raising a multiple birth baby. The truth was shocking for these parents and twins, many of whom have shared their unimaginable stories for the first time.

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