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Our Enemies in Blue

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Let's begin with the basics: violence is an inherent part of policing; the police represent the most direct means by which the state imposes its will on the citizenry; they are armed, trained, and authorized to use force. Like the possibility of arrest, the threat of violence is implicit in every police encounter. Violence, as well as the law, is what they represent. Using media reports alone, the Cato Institute's last annual study listed nearly seven thousand victims of police misconduct in the United States, but such stories of police brutality only scratch the surface of a national epidemic. Every year, tens of thousands are framed, blackmailed, beaten, sexually assaulted, or killed by cops. Hundreds of millions of dollars are spent on civil judgments and settlements annually. Individual lives, families, and communities are destroyed. In this extensively revised and updated edition of his seminal study of policing in the United States, Kristian Williams shows that police brutality isn't an anomaly but is built into the very meaning of law enforcement in the United States, from antebellum slave patrols to today's unarmed youth being gunned down in the streets. Peacekeepers have always used force to shape behavior, repress dissent, and defend the powerful. *Our Enemies in Blue* is a well-researched page-turner that both makes historical sense of this legalized social pathology and maps out possible alternatives. Kristian Williams is the author of several books, including *American Methods: Torture and the Logic of Domination*. He co-edited *Life during Wartime: Resisting Counterinsurgency* and lives in Portland, Oregon.

Notes in Blue

2021-06-08

Named one of the best nonfiction books of the year by the Washington Post, *Tangled Up in Blue* is a wonderfully insightful book that provides a lens to critically analyze urban policing and a road map for how our most dispossessed citizens may better relate to those sworn to protect and serve. The Washington Post remarkable Brooks has produced an engaging page-turner that also outlines many broadly applicable lessons and sensible policy reforms. Foreign affairs journalist and law professor Rosa Brooks goes beyond the blue wall of silence in this radical inside examination of American policing. In her forties, with two children, a spouse, a dog, a mortgage, and a full-time job as a tenured law professor at Georgetown University, Rosa Brooks decided to become a cop. A liberal academic and journalist with an enduring interest in law's troubled relationship with violence, Brooks wanted the kind of insider experience that would help her understand how police officers make sense of their world and whether that world can be changed. In 2015, against the advice of everyone she knew, she applied to become a sworn, armed reserve police officer with the Washington DC Metropolitan Police Department. Then, as now, police violence was constantly in the news. The Black Lives Matter movement was gaining momentum. Protests wracked America's cities, and each day brought more stories of cruel, corrupt cops, police violence, and the racial disparities that mar our criminal justice system. Lines were being drawn, and people were taking sides. But as Brooks made her way through the police academy and began work as a patrol officer in the poorest, most crime-ridden neighborhoods of the nation's capital, she found a reality far more complex than the headlines suggested. In *Tangled Up in Blue*, Brooks recounts her experiences inside the usually closed world of policing, from street shootings and domestic violence calls to the behind-the-scenes police work during Donald Trump's 2016 presidential inauguration. Brooks presents a revelatory account of what it's like inside the blue wall of silence. She issues an urgent call for new laws and institutions and argues that in a nation increasingly divided by race, class, ethnicity, geography, and ideology, a truly transformative approach to policing requires us to move beyond sound bites, slogans, and stereotypes. An explosive and groundbreaking investigation, *Tangled Up in Blue* complicates matters rather than simplifies them and gives pause both to those who think police can do no wrong and those who think they can do no right.

The Boys in Blue

1989

when she made the decision to join the police force anne ramsay had imagined what she would look like in a police uniform she hadn't for one moment envisaged herself dressed as a prostitute walking the streets of glasgow at night retracing the steps of a young girl recently murdered girl in blue is anne's riveting story of fourteen years in the police first as a wpc and then as a detective she vividly describes the reality of police work from analysing crime scenes to her first frightening trip to the mortuary from knocking on someone's door to deliver tragic news to being used as a honey trap from questioning child abusers to watching a post mortem anne joined the police believing she could help people and make a difference an optimism eventually destroyed by the darkness she witnessed daily on the streets of glasgow and within the force itself she left after being diagnosed with post traumatic stress disorder often moving always gripping liberally spiked with black humour girl in blue is one woman's unforgettable journey

Tangled Up in Blue

2021-02-09

this book presents and discusses the findings of a study on planned social change in the area of crime prevention it focuses on the implementation of the neighbourhood police post system in singapore adapted from the koban the japanese system of community policing based on close and friendly relations between the police and the residents in each neighbourhood

Girl in Blue

2011-07-22

this book is dedicated to the hardworking men and women on police and fire departments all around the world especially the men and women who have paid the ultimate price with their lives the dedication self sacrifice and decisions these men and women make on a daily basis is very much appreciated the experiences and opinions expressed in this book are solely the experiences and view of the author all events and incidents are personal experiences of the author tanza smalls and names of officers have been changed or omitted to protect privacy

Friends in Blue

1987

from new york to los angeles police departments across the country are consistently accused of racism although historically white police precincts have been slowly integrating over the past few decades african american officers still encounter racism on the job bolton and feagin have interviewed fifty veteran african american police officers to provide real life and vivid examples of the difficulties and discrimination these officers face everyday inside and outside the police station from barriers in hiring and getting promoted to lack of trust from citizens and members of black community

Black in Blue

2011-10-26

iron men in blue is about policemen what they feel what they think why they act the way they do i used the actual experiences that occurred to me to show what police work is about i'm trying to educate the public so that they will have a better understanding of police work and the men and women that make up the police department

Black in Blue

2004-04-13

in depth interviews with experienced black new york city policemen show that they face a unique set of problems directly related to race it was found that blacks were often motivated to enter police work by the lack of alternative opportunities in other middle class professions the black policeman sees the force as dominated by a white officialdom while white offenders often deny that a non uniformed black man can be a policeman since he is most frequently assigned to ghetto communities the black policeman becomes the target for expressions of rage and frustration by inner city residents who perceive him as an agent of white repression his chosen profession also affects the black policeman s social relations he sometimes avoids the friends of his youth so that he will not learn of criminal behavior and they may avoid him for similar reasons on and off duty the black policeman is drawn into an enclave of other black policemen and becomes a member of a minority group within a minority group this book will provide additional insights for the police administrator who is directly affected by the problems faced by minority members of his organization

Iron Men in Blue

2017-03-22

w e b griffin s bestselling series the corps and brotherhood of war have captured the pride and glory of the military community now he reveals a city police force with the same unique blend of realism drama and action here are the brave men and women behind the badge as you ve never seen them before their hopes and fears their courage and heroism sparked by a single shocking event the killing of a cop in the line of duty

Black in Blue

1969

former chief of police in minneapolis and commander of the bronx police force tony bouza pulls no punches in this blunt candid assessment of police culture emphasizing the gap between the average citizen s perception of police work and the day to day reality of life as a cop bouza reveals the inner dynamics of a secretive fraternal society that will do almost anything to protect itself the strong bonds of loyalty among police both inspire individual acts of heroism in the face of danger but also repress full disclosure of the truth when corruption or abuse of power are suspected says bouza young rookies are quickly molded by the unspoken rules and the code of silence that govern a cop s professional life and they soon learn that physical but not moral courage is expected bouza evaluates sweeps roundups sting operations the controversial practice of racial profiling and the politics of law enforcement he critically examines the excesses abuses and corruption of the new york los angeles and minneapolis police forces among others offering insights into what went wrong in the infamous louima and diallo cases but his most telling criticism is not directed against the police per se but against our society s ruling elites and the middle class who give police the unmistakable message that the underclass must be kept down and property owners protected at all costs he charges that the heart of the problem of both crime and police abuse in america is our tacitly accepted class structure separating the privileged from the poor and along with it the systemic racism that society as a whole is not yet willing to face bouza concludes his critique on a positive note with straightforward proposals on how to make the police more ethical and effective this controversial eye opening book by a veteran insider exposes a reality that tv cop shows never portray and raises serious moral questions about class and race

Men in Blue

1988-10-01

balancing deeply researched stories of trailblazers from the past with those of contemporary women women in blue

serves as both a historical reference and a career exploration resource original interviews reveal details of life on the job for various law enforcement positions as well as practical advice from these remarkable women in the trenches packed with photos sidebars on related topics excerpts from primary sources and including a bibliography source notes and more

Police Unbound

2010-06-03

this book is the true story of my art winstanley involvement in the denver police scandal of the early 1960s i was the first policeman arrested and the first to be sent to the colorado stated penitentiary in canon city in the largest case of police corruption in u s history back cover

Women in Blue

2016-05-01

a sunday times top five bestseller a searingly honest memoir of life policing and falling apart every contact leaves a trace john sutherland joined the met in 1992 having dreamed of being a police officer since his teens rising quickly through the ranks and compelled by the opportunity to make a real difference to people s lives he worked across the capital experiencing first hand the enormous satisfaction as well as the endless trauma that a life in blue can bring there were remarkable career defining moments commanding armed sieges saving lives and helping to take dangerous people off the streets but for every case with a happy ending there were others that ended in desperate sadness in early 2013 john suffered a major breakdown and consequent battle with crippling depression after a career spent racing to be the first at the scene of crimes and catastrophes he found himself in pieces unable to put one foot in front of the other blue is a memoir of crime and calamity of adventure and achievement of friendship and failure of laughter and loss of the best and the worst of humanity of serious illness and slow recovery with searing honesty it offers an immensely moving and personal insight into what it is to be a police officer in britain today

Burglars in Blue

2009

for the retired blues crew a small group of retired lapd police officers that meet once a month to share old war stories and enjoy each others company accepting retirement was a hard pill to swallow once considered savvy street warriors who risked life and limb protecting the good citizens of los angeles they were now the forgotten heros whose past heroic deeds were now only remembrances visited through their colorful story telling during their once a month get togethers like all things in life they were all expendable and the guys in the retired blues crew had been replaced by a new generation of street warriors to the old dogs who were put out to pasture the new centurions were taking their places with new technology and a confidence that bordered on disrespect for those who had paved the way before them the argument that the old days of crushing crime without the benefit of all the new fangled gadgets was more rewarding than the technology of the future was a misconception of the new breed that were now in charge of protecting the citizens of los angeles for the select group of old story tellers they needed to add one more chapter in their lives something for the street warriors of the present to remember them by when their time finally came and they were reduced to second class citizens too old to do the job anymore this small tight knit group of old street warriors had enough and it was time to prove beyond a shadow of a doubt that they werent too old to out smart and out wit the hightech rouges who have now taken their places proving that computers and gadgets could never replace the wisdom and experience that the old dogs were blessed with wouldnt be an easy task but they were determined to challenge the new breed and beat them at their own game they knew whatever it was they were going to do couldnt replicate anything like the violent movies you see were people die get hurt or cars get wrecked and buildings are blown up after all they were cops or at least they were once that being said the

old dogs had to pull off the perfect caper and they had to do it without claiming any of the bragging rights they so much yearned for it would have to be for no other reason than for greater glory in that one of their own had been diagnosed with cancer with less than six months to live they only had a small window of opportunity to get it done since he was the architect behind the perfect crime referred to as operation blue eclipse their success would depend on how well the plan was executed with no room for error if all went as planned and after all was said and done the retired blues crew would truly know who the best of the best was

The Cincinnati Police-Juvenile Attitude Project

1968

tens of millions of people poured onto the streets for black lives matter bringing with them a wholly new idea of public safety common security and the delivery of justice communicating that vision in the fiery vernacular of riot rebellion and protest a world without police transcribes these new ideas written in slogans and chants over occupied bridges and hastily assembled barricades into a compelling must read manifesto for police abolition compellingly argued and lyrically charged a world without police offers concrete strategies for confronting and breaking police power as a first step toward building community alternatives that make the police obsolete surveying the post protest landscape in minneapolis philadelphia chicago and oakland as well as the people who have experimented with policing alternatives at a mass scale in latin america maher details the institutions we can count on to deliver security without the disorganizing interventions of cops neighborhood response networks community based restorative justice practices democratically organized self defense projects and well resourced social services a world without police argues that abolition is not a distant dream or an unreachable horizon but an attainable reality in communities around the world we are beginning to glimpse a real lasting justice in which we keep us safe

Blue

2017

the urgent need to professionalize mexican police has been recognized since the early 1990s but despite even the most well intentioned promises from elected officials and police chiefs few gains have been made in improving police integrity why have reform efforts in mexico been largely unsuccessful this book seeks to answer the question by focusing on mexico s municipal police which make up the largest percentage of the country s police forces indeed organized crime presents a major obstacle to institutional change with criminal groups killing hundreds of local police in recent years nonetheless daniel sabet argues that the problems of mexican policing are really problems of governance he finds that reform has suffered from a number of policy design and implementation challenges more importantly the informal rules of mexican politics have prevented the continuity of reform efforts across administrations allowed patronage appointments to persist and undermined anti corruption efforts although many advances have been made in mexican policing weak horizontal and vertical accountability mechanisms have failed to create sufficient incentives for institutional change citizens may represent the best hope for counterbalancing the toxic effects of organized crime and poor governance but the ambivalent relationship between citizens and their police must be overcome to break the vicious cycle of corruption and ineffectiveness

Eclipse of the Blue

2012-10-22

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A World Without Police

2021-08-24

this study shows how the police grew side by side with crime out of the stews and slums in the heart of london

Police Reform in Mexico

2012-05-02

this is anne ramsay s riveting story of 14 years in the police first as a wpc and then as a detective she vividly describes the reality of police work from analysing crime scenes to her first frightening trip to the mortuary from knocking on someone s door to deliver tragic news to being used as a honey trap

Notes in Blue

2020-10-11

this book presents a powerful and thorough investigation into police deviance and sexual misconduct in the us drawing on news reports official government press releases and academic research sources barker examines a wide array of cases including sexual harassment sexual abuse child molestation and police killings including those of prisoners behind bars substantiated with additional cases from the uk russia and beyond analysis is also conducted of the experiences of the victims of those crimes aggressors in blue argues that this misconduct has its roots in the nature of the law enforcement occupation and outlines the typical conditions which enables police sexual abuse to take place this is a bold new investigation which speaks to students and academics in criminal justice criminology and social justice in particular as well as to scholars social justice advocates law enforcement professionals policy makers and academics in other related disciplines

I Spy Blue

1971

this colorful history of women in american law enforcement brims with stranger than fiction episodes and unforgettable characters whose complete stories have never been told until now whether ferreting out cross dressed german spies in new york city during world war i breaking up forced prostitution rings in san francisco or exposing international drug cartels in indianapolis the uniformed women featured in this book fought a brave double battle for equality and an end to crime historian allan duffin offers an exhilarating celebration of ordinary women who chose to serve their communities in extraordinary ways book jacket

Girl in Blue

2010

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Aggressors in Blue

2020-01-20

in this second edition of police suicide epidemic in blue the author brings together old and new information on police suicide and he introduces some promising findings in doing so he clarifies some issues and provides a source of information for police officers administrators and academic researchers in this lucidly written book of ten chapters doctor violanti discusses the classical studies in suicide the accuracy and validity of police suicide rates probable precipitating factors associated with police suicide the impact of retirement the idea of suicide by suspect the ante

True Blue

2005

the role of female officers serving with the metropolitan police changed forever in 1973 with the so called integration with their male counterparts the wpc became a pc equal in every way except gender the move was not universally welcomed however and not just by male officers this book tells the story of lois willoughby easter s almost six years as a girl in blue a young female police officer serving with the met in the years immediately before integration it is a story probably typical of many wpcs who served in the late sixties and early seventies facing what would be seen today as sexism and bullying and eventually earning the respect of their male peers albeit sometimes begrudgingly

Pirates in Blue

1996

can a cop who meets crime and violence head on every day really be a peacemaker do the teachings of christ have real meaning in a life situation where part of staying alive is being tough the contradictions and conflicts which a christian man encounters in this most secular of job are focused in the story which the author tells as he relives daily events of his police career he brings the victories and struggles of a good man in an evil world

History in Blue

2010-02-02

i was born a sharecroppers son outside of kennett missouri my parents migrated to lower michigan when i was two i became infatuated with law enforcement my childhood heroes being old west marshals and sheriffs i grew up defending the weak and timid and then put on the uniform of the u s army to defend my country during vietnam my primary mos or military occupational speciality was as a medic i went on to also serve as a clerk tank crewman intelligence specialist and a military policeman i realized my ultimate dream when i became a certified police officer in the fall of 1980 i served as a patrolman sergeant detective training officer and assistant chief of police i held a license for six years as a private investigator i served as a village councilman and then as mayor this is my story dreams in blue

Black in Blue

2004

he was born in rural missouri and it was immediately clear that he was different from the rest he caught his first criminal when he was just two years old by his sixth birthday he had located burglars missing children drug dealers rapists and murderers including utah s most wanted criminal known to friends as jj to law enforcement as michael

serio's partner and to capture criminals as that damned dog Jessie Jr. an exceptionally talented bloodhound bayed like a sea lion that had swallowed a fog horn before JJ. Few police departments in the West used bloodhounds and none in Utah but just when JJ was finally convincing naysayers he and Officer Serio ran into something worse than resistance: the despair of failure amid high hope. JJ had been tracking Brian David Mitchell, the man who abducted Elizabeth Smart when he was pulled off the track. Elizabeth later told investigators that on the day she was kidnapped she heard a dog baying in the woods behind her. In almost nine years of service, JJ helped apprehend nearly 300 criminal suspects in the Salt Lake City area. Here is his remarkable story. Fleas and all. [Click here to view the trailer for Bloodhound in Blue](#)

The blue devils; or, New police. A poem. By a hypochondriac

1830

Meet the men manning Grove Three, small town cops and brothers who meet the women who will change the rest of their lives. This is Marc's story. Officer Marc Bryson doesn't believe women should be in law enforcement. Ever when his older brother Max is promoted to the small town's police chief, the first thing he does is hire a woman fresh out of the academy. Then he makes Marc her field training officer. Determined to follow in her late father's footsteps, Leah Grant has the moxie to break any glass ceiling that stands in the way from becoming a police officer. Even if that means proving to her coach who only wants her in his bed and not in the field, she's worthy of being a permanent member of the force working in a man's world. Leah challenges Marc's misconceptions about women in the line of duty, but as they struggle to separate their work life from their undeniable chemistry, things continue to steam up and get a little kinky. These two officers of the law must toe the line after being caught red-handed in the end. Can Leah prove to Marc that she is good as backup as well as in bed?

Police Suicide

2007

This handbook offers a comprehensive historical overview and analysis of police brutality in US history and the variety of ways it has manifested itself. Police brutality has been a defining controversy of the modern age brought into focus most readily by the murder of George Floyd in Minneapolis and the mass protests that occurred as a result in 2020. However, the problem of police brutality has been consistent throughout American history. This volume traces its history back to antebellum slavery through the Gilded Age, the Progressive Era, the two World Wars, and the twentieth century to the present day. This handbook is designed to create a generally holistic picture of the phenomenon of police brutality in the United States in all of its major lived forms and confronts a wide range of topics including race, ethnicity, gender, police reactions to protest movements, particularly as they relate to the counterculture and opposition to the Vietnam War, legal and legislative outgrowths against police brutality, the representations of police brutality in popular culture forms like film and music, the role of technology in publicizing such abuses, and the protest movements mounted against it. *The Routledge History of Police Brutality in America* will provide a vital reference work for students and scholars of American history, African American history, criminal justice, sociology, anthropology, and African studies.

A Girl in Blue

2019-04

Birmingham's first Black in Blue should be required reading for all Americans. This first-person memoir traces the often difficult path that Leroy Stover had to take to make it from a farm in rural Alabama to his position as the pioneering first Black police officer on the City of Birmingham's force. Yes, that Birmingham of Bull Connor fame. You remember the news clips of German Shepherd dogs biting peaceful marchers and fire hoses flattening innocent bystanders. You will shake your head in di

L.A. Cop

1977

this book reinvigorates the debate about the origins and development of police culture within our changing social economic and political landscape an in depth analysis and appreciation of the police socialisation identity and culture literature is combined with a comprehensive four year longitudinal study of new recruits to a police force in england the result offers new insights into the development of and influences upon new police recruits who refer to themselves as a new breed of police officer adding significantly to the police culture literature this original and empirically based research also provides valuable insights into the challenges of modern policing in an age of austerity scholars of policing and criminal justice as well as police officers themselves will find this compelling reading

Dreams in Blue

2006-04-01

after september 11 2001 las vegas police sergeant randy sutton began soliciting writing from law enforcement officers his goal being to bridge the gap between the police and those they serve with a book that offers a broad and thoughtful look at the many facets of police life hundreds of active and former officers responded from all over the united states men and women from big cities and small towns some who had written professionally but most for the first time sutton culled the selections into five categories the beat line of duty war stories officer down and ground zero the result is true blue a collection of funny charming exciting haunting stories about murder investigations missing children bungling burglars car chases lonely and desperate shut ins routine traffic stops officers killed in the line of duty and the life changing events of september 11 here officers reveal their emotions fear and pride joy and disgust shame and love as they recount the defining moments of their careers in these stories the heart and soul behind the badge shines through in unexpected ways true blue will change the way we think about the deeply human realm of police service

Bloodhound in Blue

2013-07-16

this is the first book to describe the significant and critical contributions of jewish americans to law enforcement and police work beginning as early as 1657 in new amsterdam it portrays jewish american men and women in the police departments of new york city and los angeles the drug enforcement agency and the department of homeland security who stepped forward in momentous times to save the nation from peril combining first hand interviews with penetrating contextual research this book illuminates the heroes of the past and present who share a common jewish america heritage hailed as an invaluable resource a special hardcover edition of this book is also available that includes a foreword by dr harvey schlossberg associate professor of criminal justice st john s university

Brothers in Blue

2018-06-11

notes in blue the story of a police officer tells of my career in the atlanta police department after retiring from the u s air force i decided to pursue my dream of becoming a police officer i had no idea what i was getting into how hard it would be and no idea of how much i was going to enjoy it all of the stories are true at least from my point of view some of these stories will make you mad some will make you sad some are downright strange and most of them will make you laugh i wasn t laughing when they happened but gained a new perspective with hindsight i hope you enjoy reading them as much as i enjoyed writing this book

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