

Chapter 1 : JK Rowling on how to pronounce her name - video | Books | The Guardian

*J. K. Rowling grew up near Bristol, England in an Anglican family. However, she converted to the Church of Scotland later in life. 1 Harry Potter has been the subject of much criticism from devout Christians, who often object to its themes in the occult, magic, and witchcraft.*

Analogue literature There are a number of fictional works to which Harry Potter has been repeatedly compared in the media. Some of these Rowling has herself mentioned, others have been mentioned by Internet sites, journalists, critics or other authors. The works are listed roughly in order of creation. Stephen Fry , who both narrates the British audio adaptations of the Harry Potter novels and has starred in a screen adaptation of Tom Brown , has commented many times about the similarities between the two books. Tolkien created a whole new mythology, which I would never claim to have done. On the other hand, I think I have better jokes. Comic book historian Michael Mallory examined the original premise of the comic, in which teenage mutants study under Professor X to learn how to control their abilities, safe from fearful Homo sapiens , and also battle less benign mutants like Magneto. He argued, "Think about [the comic] clad in traditional British university robes and pointy hats, castles and trains, and the image that springs to mind is Hogwarts School for Witchcraft and Wizard[ry], with Dumbledore, Voldemort and the class struggle between wizards and muggles. Just as the creators of X-Men consciously or unconsciously tapped into the creative ether of their time for inspiration, so has the X-Men phenomenon had an effect on the books and films that has since followed. Entertainment Weekly cited Lloyd Alexander as a possible influence on Rowling when it named her its Entertainer of the Year. The books open in much the same way, with Will finding that people are telling him strange things and that animals run from him. My incredulity was at the critics who found the first book wonderfully original. Her professors include a kindly and elderly headmistress and a bullying, raven-haired potions teacher. The implications are really quite insulting! Harry Potter trains to become a wizard at his late childhood and mentored by Albus Dumbledore in facing his destiny and enemy Lord Voldemort ; whereas Luke Skywalker trains to become a Jedi at his early adulthood and is mentored by Obi-Wan Kenobi in facing his destiny and enemy Darth Vader also known as Lord Vader. The main villains of both the franchises also share many similarities. Both also mentored the main villain of their stories before they turned bad and betrayed their respective mentor. Both mentors were also eventually killed when fighting their former students. In Star Wars, it is presumed and appears to be Luke Skywalker, but actually revealed to be Anakin Skywalker as proclaimed in the Jedi prophecy who would destroy the Sith and bring balance to the Force. He does this after being redeemed by his son, Luke Skywalker. The setting is a world resembling early s Britain, where magic is commonplace. Diana Wynne Jones has stated in answer to a question on her webpage: My books were written many years before the Harry Potter books Charmed Life was first published in , so any similarities probably come from what she herself read as a child. Once a book is published, out in the world, it is sort of common property, for people to take ideas from and use, and I think this is what happened to my books. His Discworld books, beginning with The Colour of Magic in , satirise and parody common fantasy literature conventions. He trains other kids in unauthorised extra sessions, which enrages his enemies, who attack him with the intention of killing him; but he is protected by his loyal, brilliant friends and gains strength from the love of some of his family members. He is given special guidance by an older man of legendary accomplishments who previously kept the enemy at bay. He goes on to become the crucial figure in a struggle against an unseen enemy who threatens the whole world. Rowling has acknowledged that maybe she saw this low-budget movie and perhaps it inspired her. Rowling says the idea just came to her. There are a lot of similarities between the theme of her books and the original Troll. John was shocked when she came out with Harry Potter. These include a dark-haired English boy with glasses, named Timothy Hunter , who discovers his potential as the most powerful wizard of the age upon being approached by magic-wielding individuals, the first of whom makes him a gift of a pet owl. Similarities led the British tabloid paper the Daily Mirror to claim Gaiman had made accusations of plagiarism against Rowling, which he went on the record denying, saying the similarities were either coincidence, or drawn from the same fantasy archetypes. White ", he said in an interview, "very

straightforward. The Age of Magic , has said they should be considered as similar works in the same genre and that both have parallels with earlier schoolboy wizards, like the AD character Luke Kirby. All the three games in the series tell the story of young Ernie Eaglebeak, a bespectacled student at the prestigious Sorcerer University, as he progresses through his studies, learning the arcana of magic, taking part in student life, occasionally saving the world as he knows it. Each separate game takes place during consecutive school years as well, much like the Harry Potter books. The main protagonist, Henry also called Thornmallow , is a young boy who joins a magical school for young wizards. Rowling would like to cut me a very large check, I would cash it. The protagonist belongs to the magical world but is raised in the normal world by a rich family who neglect him and treat him as a servant, while their fat and unpleasant biological son is pampered and spoiled. Amanda Craig is a journalist who has written about the similarities: I think we all borrow from each other as writers.

**Chapter 2 : Religious debates over the Harry Potter series - Wikipedia**

*J.K. Rowling has created a delightful world of the imagination. She has constructed an alternative universe, another dimension (rather like C.S. Lewis's Narnia or J.R.R. Tolkien's Middle Earth), but, right within our world.*

July 31, NewsWithViews. His foundation is in magic through will. She has kept the details of her faith a secret, explaining that such information would disclose the mysterious ending of her popular series. So when asked if she was a Christian, she gave this answer: So what does it tell us? Rowling created a hero with some noble characteristics, and near the end, Harry willingly gives his life. Harry falls down, apparently dead. He awakens in a large hall. Noticing his own nakedness, he wishes to be clothed -- and some fitting clothes magically appear. Then Dumbledore who died in the previous book arrives and praises Harry for his courageous sacrifice. Here are some glimpses into their long conversation: I meant to let him kill me! Your soul is whole, and completely your own, Harry. Your blood in his veins, Harry He tethered you to life while he lives! I thought it was the other way round! I thought we both had to die? What you must understand, Harry, is that you and Lord Voldemort have journeyed together into realms of magic hitherto un-known and untested. Fearing death, Voldemort had hidden pieces of his soul in seven Horcruxes containers. By now, Harry and his friends had found and destroyed five of these magical receptacles. One was Harry himself. Only by giving his life could Harry be freed from this bondage. Knowing the challenges ahead, Harry continued his conversation with Dumbledore: Or has this been happening inside my head? After some torturous tests to verify the absence of life, Voldemort declares that Harry is dead. He will soon realize his error, for Harry has yet another battle to fight and win. By presenting a counterfeit version of Biblical salvation, Rowling gives her readers an image of a counterfeit Christianity that embraces the occult. Most people accept it as true, for such dialectical lies union of opposites -- taught through occult systems such as the Kabbalah , Gnosticism , Rosicrucianism , and Unity -- have now become an accepted way of thinking around the world. Yet churches around the world are choosing to ignore politically incorrect Scriptures such as these: For all who do these things are an abomination to the Lord In contrast, blending good and evil makes sense to postmodern churches. And as Harry and his friend Hermione point out, such compromise serves the pluralistic vision for "common good. He puts the entire series into an occult context. These two qualities have to be reconciled and resolved die and be reborn before then can be rejoined in a perfected golden unity. Opposites have to be reconciled and resolved for there to be a new life. And what communion has light with darkness? And what accord has Christ with Belial? Or what part has a believer with an unbeliever? And what agreement has the temple of God with idols? For you are the temple of the living God. As God has said: It pleases man, not God. Yet, even global leaders like Rick Warren support this pagan movement. I found her earlier six volumes instant classics of the genre, and the final book will undoubtedly cement this series as among the best written. The agenda of J. The true Christ was holy and sinless; Harry Potter was neither. From an occult perspective, he was a relatively "good" wizard, but his life and associations model the dark evil forces arrayed against God from the beginning of time. His powerful magic is an extension of his own will -- exercised not by faith in God, but by willful projection of an occult power usually channeled through a magical object. Representing the "beautiful side of evil," as Johanna Michelson called it long ago, his supposed likeness to Jesus is a mockery of our Lord. The saving work of the true Christ was finished on the cross. In contrast, Harry killed Voldemort after his near-death experience. As a wizard, his "work" relied on a forbidden magical formula used by sorcerers or occultists through the ages: Unlike Jesus who knelt in prayer to His Father before facing the cross, Harry met with the wizards he loved before his false death. His murdered father, mother, and special friends walked and talked with him before his surrender to Voldemort. Afterwards, he met with the dead yet alive Dumbledore. These encounters illustrate necromancy -- the forbidden act of communicating with the dead. Can authors who commend what God abhors be followers of Christ? Ultimately, any comparison between the world of witchcraft and the Kingdom of God is meaningless. Enter Your E-Mail Address:

**Chapter 3 : J K Rowling: 'Christianity inspired Harry Potter' - Telegraph**

*Religious debates over the Harry Potter series of books by J. K. Rowling are based on claims that the novels contain occult or Satanic subtexts. A number of Protestant, Catholic, and Orthodox Christians have argued against the series, as have some Shia and Sunni Muslims.*

Paul Hetrick, spokesman for Focus on the Family , an American Evangelical Christian group based in Colorado Springs, Colorado , outlined the reasons for his opposition to them: Harry Potter and the Bible: The Menace Behind the Magick. But if you go to something like Harry Potter, you can find references to astrology , clairvoyance , and numerology. It takes seconds to go into a bookstore or library and get books on that and start investigating it, researching it, and doing it. There shall not be found among you any one that maketh his son or his daughter pass through the fire, or that useth divination, or an observer of times, or an enchanter, or a witch, or a charmer, or a consulter with familiar spirits, or a wizard, or a necromancer. For all that do these thing are an abomination unto the LORD. But there are numerous other verses to consider And in return, he will give me absurd wealth and power over the weak and pitiful of the world. Bush , claimed that during the Bush administration, "people in the White House " had denied Rowling the Presidential Medal of Freedom because the books "encourage witchcraft. Seven percent of Americans who have heard of the books have a negative view of them, with 52 percent having a positive opinion and the remaining 41 percent unsure. Jack Brock, leader of the church, said the books were an abomination because they inspired children to study the occult. He and his followers admitted they have never read any of the books, and tossed in some Stephen King novels. Venezuelan scholar Fernando Baez, in a study of the history of censorship and book destruction commented, "There is more than one way to destroy a book, upon being denied a city permit to burn books, the Rev. Douglas Taylor in Lewiston, Maine, has held several annual gatherings at which he cuts the Potter books up with scissors. Navigating Good and Evil in Harry Potter, Narnia, and Star Wars, [34] wrote that the books preach Christian values and can be used to educate children in Christian tenets. In his columns, he praised the books for displaying values that are "deeply compatible with Christianity. And she is very clear on this. He stated in a private letter expressing gratitude for the receipt of the book, "It is good that you enlighten people about Harry Potter, because those are subtle seductions, which act unnoticed and by this deeply distort Christianity in the soul , before it can grow properly. In a second letter, the cardinal gave the author permission to make his first letter public. These letters from Ratzinger prior to his elevation to the papacy have been used to suggest that the pontiff was officially opposed to the novels. Essayist Paolo Gulisano said the Harry Potter novels offer lessons in the importance of love and self-giving, [50] but Professor Edoardo Rialti described Harry Potter as "the wrong kind of hero" and said that, "Despite several positive values that can be found in the story, at the foundations of this tale is the proposal that of witchcraft as positive, the violent manipulation of things and people thanks to the knowledge of the occult, an advantage of a select few: One understands as well that sometimes this requires hard work and sacrifice. Upon his birth people try to kill him, he is forever subjected to injustice but always supernaturally manages to prevail and save others. Let us reflect, who else is held to be the unjustly treated God? Pamphlets were posted throughout the city, claiming that reciting a Harry Potter spell "is as if you are praying to evil ", and that "God hates magic. Between an Anathema and a Smile that the Harry Potter books are not dangerous. He quotes other notable Orthodox priests and church officials such as M. Pravdoliubov as supporting his position. Granger, a Christian classicist , has defended the books in his book, Looking for God in Harry Potter. Indeed, says Granger, the themes of love triumphing over death and choosing what is right instead of what is easy are very compatible with Christianity. Anglicanism[ edit ] In , the Dean of Canterbury Cathedral refused to allow his church to be filmed as part of Hogwarts in the Harry Potter film series, saying that it was unfitting for a Christian church to be used to promote pagan imagery. It is also amusing, exciting and wholesome, and is just the sort of story families should be encouraged to read. Said one honorary chaplain, "Oh yes, there was quite a to-do. Rowling and to vastly underestimate the ability of children and young people to separate the real from the imaginary. At least two prominent leaders of the church have even recommended the series and spoke of being fans

because they teach morality and show good victorious over evil. Despite being banned from schools in the Emirates, there are no plans to ban them from bookshops within the country. The book launch was postponed in response. A local police superintendent commented that, "We are not sure so far whether the target of the bombing was the book launch, but the connection cannot be ruled out. In , in response to complaints from three local parents, Zeeland, Michigan school superintendent Gary Feenstra restricted access to the Harry Potter books to those pupils whose parents gave written permission. One parent complained that "If they are going to pass out witchcraft certificates they should also promote the Bible and pass out certificates of righteousness". However, the ban was lifted after a number of students and parents complained. The books were reinstated after a public outcry. A parent, Angie Haney, had requested such a rule on the grounds that they were "not based on fiction," at the prompting of Pastor Mark Hodges, who was also a member of the school board. A district court judge decided the rule was unconstitutional. I think it would be hypocritical for me to read all the books, honestly". She considered taking the case to federal court, but spent the following summer with her husband and four children. Allan took her dispute with the school to an Employment Tribunal , citing religious discrimination and claiming for damages. It was not down to that day alone. According to the ALA, this was the first time the books were banned in Massachusetts. The Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Boston claimed this was an independent action in which the Church played no role. They have also highlighted the differences between magic within Wicca, which is invocational and derives from the divine powers, and that depicted by the Harry Potter books, which is a purely mechanical application of spells without invoking any deities. A Wiccan review of Harry Potter: Witchcraft Repackaged pointed out that "communing with the dead and spirit world, sorcery, curses, occult symbology, black magic [and] demon possession"â€”all cited by the book as evidence of Harry Potter promoting Wiccaâ€”are not part of Wiccan belief. In the Harry Potter universe, Schoeffler claims, "the entire intuitive tradition of fortune-telling â€” is discredited. Wicca "Through the Harry Potter books! We wanted his powers â€” so we called for spirit guides. Then they came into us. They are a New Age phenomenon. Christian writer Stephen D. Greydanus writes that the magic of the Harry Potter novels is not the ritualistic, invocative magic of Wicca or occultism but the same "fantasy" magic practised in the works of J. Rowling researched Wiccan practices and incorporated a few elements in order to give her books a bit more of an air of reality, but she and Wicca are drawing upon the same corpus of ancient traditions and stories so similarities are inevitable. Many of the detractors who have actually read the books already have made up their mind that Harry Potter is evil before they read. They have taken a magnifying glass and picked at the books, using literary reductionism to find what they want to find. If we dismiss the use of magic as a language, we should at least be fundamentalist to the bitter end, and go against "Mary Poppins," "Peter Pan," and "Sleeping Beauty," and insist that Cinderella puts a burkha on. These stories are not fueled by witchcraft, but by secularism. There are no churches, no other religious institutions, nobody prays or meditates, and even funerals are non-religious affairs. God," Lev Grossman argues that, "Harry Potter lives in a world free of any religion or spirituality of any kind. Rowling has repeatedly denied that her books lead children into witchcraft. But I would be surprised if some of them had read the books at all. Rowling attended a Church of Scotland congregation while writing Harry Potter and her eldest daughter, Jessica, was baptised into that faith. Of course, Hogwarts is a multifaith school. My mother would incidentally visit the church, but mostly during Christmas. And I was immensely curious. From when I was 13, 14 I went to church alone. I found it very interesting what was being said there, and I believed in it. When I went to university, I became more critical. I got more annoyed with the smugness of religious people and I went to church less and less. And yes, I go to the church. A protestant church here in Edinburgh. My husband is also raised protestant, but he comes from a very strict Scottish group. In a interview with Tatler magazine, Rowling noted that, "like Graham Greene , my faith is sometimes about if my faith will return. A Year in the Life, when asked if she believed in God, she said, "Yes. I live in a state of spiritual flux. I believe in the permanence of the soul. Tolkien , and Charles Williams , who explored Christian themes and morality in a fantasy context. In his essay "Harry Potter vs. In , in one of her earliest interviews, she said that she had a lifelong love of C. Lewis was especially preachy. I have a big problem with that. I think, setting aside the obvious fact that we both use myth and legend, that the similarities are fairly superficial. Tolkien created a

whole new mythology, which I would never claim to have done. On the other hand, I think I have better jokes. In an August issue of Newsweek , Lisa Miller commented that Harry dies and then comes back to life to save mankind, like Christ. Also, she outlines the scene in which Harry is temporarily dead, pointing out that it places Harry in a very heaven-like setting where he talks to a father figure "whose supernatural powers are accompanied by a profound message of love". Miller argues that these parallels make it difficult to believe that the basis of the stories is Satanic. If they were relevant, then I went where I needed to go. They just say it all to me, they really do. But Christian themes are there nonetheless".

Chapter 4 : Harry Potter influences and analogues - Wikipedia

*The pope may have condemned the Harry Potter books, but J K Rowling has now revealed that Christianity has been one of her major inspirations. Breaking her silence on the much-debated question as.*

K Rowling is an English author, best known for creating the Harry Potter franchise. Rowling started from the bottom, and is a pure example of rags to riches. Her story is not just inspiring but is full of practical lessons as well. Rowling, faced her own share of problems right from her childhood to well into her adult years too. Following this, she went on to entertain the world with her set of magical stories. As of , J. Rowling graduated by earning a B. Post this, she worked as a researcher in London before moving to Manchester. Due to her expertise in the language, she was later enrolled in an advertising assignment which caused her to move to Portugal. She later married a Portuguese and had a daughter in the latter half of . While her daughter was still an infant, the couple split up, casing Rowling to return home to the UK to her sister. The marriage was an abusive roller-coaster for her which ended up pushing her into clinical depression. When she believed to have hit a dead-end with no stable life even after 7 years of graduation, Rowling contemplated committing suicide too. The inspiration for dementors for J. Rowling were her own thoughts that ran about in her mind when she was battling with depression and suicidal tendencies. The first few chapters of her first book were typed on an old-style manual typewriter at her home. Following this, she always preferred to continue her writing in cafes because that gave her an opportunity to let her baby out for walks too. Career In early , J. Rowling completed her first book of the Harry Potter series and asked a reader to review the first three chapters. Since the response was overwhelming, she decided to try her hand at publishing. She sent out drafts of her book to 12 publishing houses in London and was rejected by them all. Both books went on to fetch Rowling the Smarties Prize for her unparalleled contribution to art. The journey made J. Rowling a tremendous amount of money and fame. Rowling has written plenty of books to suit children and teens as well as adults. She has produced the Harry Potter film series. She has tried her hand at young adult fiction and fantasy drama too. But Harry Potter remains her best venture to date. This goes on to prove that Rowling is a gem of a lady and deserves every bit of success that she earned, especially after what she went through. Although she had nobody to fall back upon, she managed to take a stance and fought her way out. Although it may seem untrue, J. Rowling has single-handedly managed to shape the minds of an entire generation with her magical story, and will continue to be remembered as the creator of Harry Potter. What do you think about J. Leave a comment below.

**Chapter 5 : J.K Rowling's Net Worth in | Wealthy Gorilla**

*In J.K. Rowling's new novel, a villain is an Israel-hating anti-Semite The book features a pair of hard-left political activists who believe "Zionists" are evil and have a stranglehold on Western governments.*

What have you been thinking about? Rowling and Harry Potter The Harry Potter publishing phenomenon has divided many Christians, unsure how they should respond. Jerram Barrs considers some of the issues.

**Introduction** The Harry Potter books are an extraordinary success story in the publishing world. Over the past few years they have aroused much interest and excitement not only in the original English language editions, but also around the world as they have been translated into many other languages. The Harry Potter books strike a chord with both children and adults, and the Harry Potter movies have been released to packed theaters. The fourth book in the series had an initial print run in the U. As well as being extraordinarily popular, the books have encouraged millions of children to start reading for the first time. Many parents are delighted to see their children eagerly reading these stories, and then moving on to read other books as well.

**Attacks on Harry Potter** There have been passionate attacks on the Harry Potter series by many people and in particular by Christians. This has occurred especially in the United States – much more than in Britain or other places. There are Christian schools where the books have been banned. The second criticism leveled is that the books teach a rebellious attitude against authority. Critics cite the way Harry sometimes responds to his uncle and aunt who are raising him as proof of this – though it has to be said that the uncle and aunt treat him very poorly to say the least, for they are abominably cruel guardians. Thirdly, there are many Christians who simply say that fantasy is dangerous, and that to present this kind of fantasy world to children is automatically hazardous to them. Rowling has created a delightful world of the imagination. She has constructed an alternative universe, another dimension rather like C. For those who have a problem with the idea of fantasy and alternative universes - we need to recognize that almost all children play imaginative games in their minds starting at a very young age and have no difficulty whatsoever in distinguishing between fantasy and reality. The books are well written. Try reading them aloud – this is the simplest test of good writing. The multitude of characters in the books. Rowling has brought into being an entire portrait gallery of people, adults and also children who are growing up book by book. Additionally, the Harry Potter books send a strong message about moral behavior. There are beautiful and enjoyable human relationships among the characters, and there is a depth of commitment and service among them. The characteristics celebrated in the relationships are friendship, loyalty, integrity, kindness, and self-sacrifice. Harry Potter himself is prepared to set aside his own success, in order to serve his friends. These are qualities in which we can all delight. There is also a very clear portrayal of the distinction between good and evil – Both the appalling destructiveness of evil to human life And the beneficial fruit of treating people with justice, kindness, mercy, faithfulness, and integrity. It is particularly significant that the books recognize that goodness and faithfulness in relationships have a cost. Virtue is rewarded primarily in terms of character development and the increasing depths of relationships among the characters, rather than through the attainment of popularity or success. Finally, I see the books as valuable because they consistently include the three fundamental themes that can be found as a subtext in almost all good literature: Themes from Harry Potter As a Christian, I am fascinated by the fact that the stories show how a better life comes primarily through self-sacrifice. This is brought out unmistakably in the fourth book, Harry Potter and the Goblet of Fire. In this book Harry is prepared to sacrifice himself on behalf of his friends whom he loves and to whom he has a deep loyalty. Recognizing that this theme of self-sacrifice is running all through the series, it is extraordinary to me that there has been such a violent and negative response by Christians. I think this negative response is a tragedy for all sorts of reasons. The Word of God challenges us to be prepared to celebrate anything that is good and true, wherever it is found. There is a deep misunderstanding and inappropriate suspicion of fantasy present in the negative accusations. There is a misunderstanding in the response to the magic in the books. The same criticisms have been made of C. It is said that because magic is a part of the Narnia books, they may have the effect of interesting children in the reality of the occult. However none of these books are encouraging occult practice. The magic is simply a part

of the imaginative worlds that Lewis, Tolkien, and Rowling have created. In such an imaginary world, people can become invisible; animals talk; mythical creatures like unicorns and centaurs exist; and rings and spells work wonders. Watch a little child playing, and you will observe many such magical things. But this does not equal an interest in the occult. Some people have gone on record as stating that they believe that J. Rowling is purposely and explicitly teaching occult and even Satanic practice. As a Christian, I have to say I am profoundly ashamed of those who have responded with this kind of malicious gossip. Rowling has stated that she does not believe in the occult, and she certainly does not wish to promote it. How are we to react to our culture? Some years ago John Calvin encouraged people to read books by the great writers from Greece and Rome. He wrote instructions for the teachers in the school system he designed in Geneva, Switzerland, asking that they have the students read the great classics of Greece and Rome that were pagan and non-Christian. And he asked that they not criticize them, but rather encourage the students to celebrate what is good in them, and to learn from the truth that they could find in them. Calvin said on another occasion that it is a blasphemy against the Holy Spirit to deny that pagan writers like Plato wrote many things that are true and helpful. We must be prepared to act similarly in our day when it comes to the Harry Potter series or any other product of our culture. European Leadership Forum used by kind permission [www.elforum.org](http://www.elforum.org).

**Chapter 6 : Berit Kjos -- Harry's Last Battles and Rowling's Beliefs**

*If I didn't misunderstand the question, you mean which parts of the book throw light on J.K.'s struggles? Okay then. I have two examples. Firstly, the game of Quidditch is widely popular in the wizarding world.*

I lived by the stars as an astrologer and numerologist casting horoscopes and spells. I lived in the mysterious and shadowy realm of the occult. By means of spells and magic, I was able to invoke the powers of the "controlling unknown" and fly upon the night winds transcending the astral plane. Halloween was my favorite time of the year and I was intrigued and absorbed in the realm of Wiccan witchcraft. This is the woman who has captivated the world in this year of with four books known as the "Harry Potter Series. These four books by J. I know this because I was once very much a part of that world. There were a lot fewer witches, and the craft was far more secretive. At the end of that spiritually troubled decade, I was miraculously saved by the power of Jesus Christ and His saving blood. I was also delivered from every evil spirit that lived in me and was set free. However, as I began to attend fundamental Christian churches, I realized that even there witchcraft had left its mark. Pagan holidays and sabbats were celebrated as "Christian holidays. I also watched with amazement as teachings from Eastern religions and "New Age" doctrine began to captivate congregations. It was a satanic set-up, and I saw it coming. Illuministic conspirators were bringing forth a one-world religion with a cleverly concealed element of occultism interwoven in its teachings. In order to succeed in bringing witchcraft to the world and thus complete satanic control, an entire generation would have to be induced and taught to think like witches, talk like witches, dress like witches, and act like witches. In the song "Sound Of Silence" by Paul Simon and Art Garfunkel, we were told of seeds that were left while an entire generation was sleeping, and that the "vision that was planted in my brain still remains. All of the foundations for occultism and witchcraft are in place. The Illuminists have to move quickly, because time is running out. It was the Communist revolutionary Lenin who said, "Give me one generation of youth, and I will transform the entire world. Rowling and her four books on witchcraft, known as the Harry Potter Series. As a former witch, I can speak with authority when I say that I have examined the works of Rowling and that the Harry Potter books are training manuals for the occult. Untold millions of young people are being taught to think, speak, dress and act like witches by filling their heads with the contents of these books. Children are obsessed with the Harry Potter books that they have left television and video games to read these witchcraft manuals. Harry also learns a new vocabulary, including words such as "Azkaban", "Circe", "Draco", "Erised", "Hermes", and "Slytherin"; all of which are names of real devils or demons. These are not characters of fiction! How serious is this? By reading these materials, many millions of young people are learning how to work with demon spirits. They are getting to know them by name. Vast numbers of children professing to be Christians are also filling their hearts and minds, while willingly ignorant parents look the other way. The titles of the books should be warning enough to make us realize how satanic and anti-christ these books are. This is the oldest con game ever hatched out of hell. As a real witch, I learned about the two sides of "the force. In coven meetings, he is called "the nameless one. Now we have learned that the public school system is planning to use the magic of Harry Potter in the classrooms making the public schools centers of witchcraft training. What does God have to say about such books as the Harry Potter series? In the Bible in the book of Acts, we read the following in the 19th chapter, verses 18 - Many of them also which used curious arts brought their books together and burned them before all men: So mightily grew the Word of God and prevailed. Here are some samples: These are the comments of young readers of the Harry Potter wizard books quoted on a new video by Jeremiah Films. On the video, called Harry Potter: Harry Potter has become the method of introduction of Wicca to the very young. Warner Brothers, Coca Cola, Minutemaid, and Mattel have used the Potter materials to launch games, puzzles, toys, backpacks, and every possible merchandizing product. When the name "Harry Potter" is keyed into the Scholastic. Once introduced to the world of wizards, spells, and dark arts, readers of Harry Potter can advance their knowledge and skills in witchcraft and paganism by visiting the hundreds of web sites available on the internet. Or, they can purchase more books on the subject from the well stocked Wiccan sections in local book super stores. Or, they can find over a thousand

volumes on witchcraft available at Amazon. Over million have been sold in 40 languages. One study shows that over half of the children in the western world have read at least one of the Potter books. Many reported rereading each book several times. But is it just fantasy literature like Snow White and Cinderella? In the Harry Potter video, cult expert Caryl Matrisciana points out that in the older stories, evil never prevails. There are no absolutes in his world. What is right depends on the situation. Witchcraft now has a complete package. Starting in kindergarten with Harry Potter and TV witch shows, children are led on to the horror movies and hundreds of Wicca and pagan web sites. When they thirst for more power, high school and college Wicca covens are available. In the adult world, corporations are hiring New Age practitioners to provide seminars in sensitivity training, stress relief, and self improvement for employees. The bottom line is a hunger for power. Harry Potter and the rest of witchcraft promises that power. But in the end they discover that Satan is really in charge of the power and only uses it like cheese in a mouse trap. Harry Potter provides a basic initiation into witchcraft for a whole new generation. Imagine what the world will be like when they grow up. Through the Harry Potter series, the ancient occult religion of Wicca is being introduced in almost every public school in America. This video explains how Scholastic Inc. Warner Brothers new film based on Harry Potter has been called an accurate portrayal of witchcraft. And indeed it is. In this video, you will see how completely occult is the world of Harry Potter. After reading the Harry Potter books, millions of children will demand to see Warner Bros. They have responded by teaching their children that they cannot believe everything they are taught in school. Now, with the Harry Potter books on witchcraft becoming part of public school curriculum, parents need to know enough about it to also teach their children that the spell-casting and other activities of Harry Potter are also forbidden territory. This video will help. All his teachers are practicing occultists, and tutor their students in the dark arts of sorcery and divination: From the web site at:

### Chapter 7 : J.K. Rowling and Harry Potter - calendrierdelascience.com

*Music 'Harry Potter' Author J.K. Rowling Opens Up About Books' Christian Imagery 'They almost epitomize the whole series,' she says of the scripture Harry reads in Godric's Hollow.*

### Chapter 8 : In J.K. Rowling's new novel, a villain is an Israel-hating anti-Semite | The Times of Israel

*Joanne Rowling (born July 31, ), who goes by the pen name J.K. Rowling, is a British author and screenwriter best known for her seven-book Harry Potter children's book series.*

### Chapter 9 : A LETTER FROM AN EX-WITCH ABOUT HARRY POTTER

*In , a new era of the Wizarding World was unveiled with the launch of Fantastic Beasts and Where to Find Them, an original screenplay by J.K. Rowling and a major film release from Warner Bros. Pottermore, launched in , is the digital heart of the Wizarding World, bringing fans news, features and articles as well as original content by.*