

## Livro O Cavaleiro Da Estrela Guia A Saga Completa

**Já se perdiam anos daquele verão saudoso, o coqueiro estava mais alto e o mar, não era o mesmo de antes, parecia ter amansado... ou desanimado dos homens. A Poesia de José Lúcio de Souza encanta com sua simplicidade e sua canção infinita! Uma obra para os amantes da poesia...**

**“A Rosa e o Cavaleiro” é uma história contada por poesias. Uma história de amor que se passa num reino longínquo, num tempo de deuses e guerreiros. Uma preciosa flor, guardiã do bem, fonte de luz e beleza desperta. Doze cavaleiros conquistam o direito de disputar seu amor, contudo um outro cavaleiro é quem conquista seu coração. Por sua ousadia, o cavaleiro é expulso e condenado à morte eternal. As fadas e ninfas intervêm, mantendo viva a lembrança daquele amor. A ROSA se rebela e foge em busca do amado. A jovem vaga pelo espaço e pelo tempo até finalmente o encontrar, mas é incapaz de livrá-lo da morte. Sempre que se encontram, a morte o leva sem que eles possam viver seu amor. Com a longa ausência da Rosa, todo o universo mergulha em trevas. O equilíbrio se perde. Não há esperança, apenas dor. Os cavaleiros percebem o grave engano e partem em busca da Rosa na tentativa de restabelecer o equilíbrio. A solitária e constante busca da jovem a fortalece. A flor se torna uma mulher, dona e senhora de si. Após séculos, milênios, finalmente os amados se reencontram e podem finalmente viver seu amor. A Rosa renuncia à própria imortalidade para que o AMOR seja soberano e assim o equilíbrio se restaure, devolvendo ao cavaleiro a glória de outrora.**

**He's no fairy tale king. Levi Here, little princess. I'm your king. You have three rules. Bow. Break. Bend the knee. Fight me all you want, but soon enough, you'll be chanting long live the king. Astrid One day I'm Royal Elite School's small fly, the next I'm hunted and left to die. He doesn't only shred my life to parts, but he's also coming after my heart. He thinks he broke me, but the new princess will bring the king to his knees. Aside from the previously published book, this version contains a never-published-before bonus scene. Cruel King is a complete standalone in Royal Elite world. No book should be read prior to this. Disclaimer: This is a mature new adult romance, and contains dubious situations that some readers might find offensive. If you've been looking for a hero, then you won't find it in Royal Elite. If you, however, have been itching for anti-heroes and villains, then welcome to their royal court. I am a female angel named 'Anael'. I was sent on a mission to Earth by my father. Finding the young boy who lived in Oxnard, California, was easy. I could hear his mother yell at him from the kitchen to finish his homework. I watched him through his bedroom window, sitting at his desk looking at a magazine, the homework all but forgotten. I wanted to watch him before I decided to show myself. All of a sudden I felt a sharp pain in my neck. I immediately fainted. I don't know how long I was unconscious. When I finally opened my eyes, I found myself in a strange dark cave. When I was about to get up, I heard an unfamiliar voice. “Who are you? Your blood tasted different than a human's, and it's making me dizzy.” The stranger was an attractive vampire named 'Kendrick' who thought I was a human girl. The mixing of our blood created a new race of Angel Vampires!**

**Água Viva**

**Mindset**

**A March of Kings (Book #2 in the Sorcerer's Ring)**

**A Novel**

**Nightfall**

**De onde vem o gosto pelos romances ou novelas ou livros de cavalarias? Antes de tudo, de sua natureza fantasiosa - permeada de monstros, gigantes, fadas, castelos, animais estranhos, acontecimentos miraculosos, e de sua apologia do heroísmo guerreiro - com um exército de cavaleiros que, além de vassalos fiéis e imbatíveis, são em geral belos e perfeitos amantes. Mas esses ingredientes aliciantes, pura ficção, estão intrinsecamente plantados na História de seu tempo e são, por isso mesmo e como qualquer boa literatura, uma poderosa fonte de conhecimentos do Homem e da sociedade que o rodeia. Basta conferir a diversidade temática dos artigos reunidos neste livro.**

**“A flawless compendium of flaws.” —Alice Roberts, PhD, anatomist, writer, and presenter of The Incredible Human Journey The antidote to fuzzy thinking, with furry animals! Have you read (or stumbled into) one too many irrational online debates? Ali Almossawi certainly had, so he wrote An Illustrated Book of Bad Arguments! This handy guide is here to bring the internet age a much-needed dose of old-school logic (really old-school, a la Aristotle). Here are cogent explanations of the straw man fallacy, the slippery slope argument, the ad hominem attack, and other common attempts at reasoning that actually fall short—plus a beautifully drawn menagerie of animals who (adorably) commit every logical faux pas. Rabbit thinks a strange light in the sky must be a UFO because no one can prove otherwise (the appeal to ignorance). And Lion doesn't believe that gas emissions harm the planet because, if that were true, he wouldn't like the result (the argument from consequences). Once you learn to recognize these abuses of reason, they start to crop up everywhere from congressional debate to YouTube comments—which makes this geek-chic book a must for anyone in the habit of holding opinions.**

**WHEN THE DEVIL MEETS AN ANGEL Country bred Lucy Craddock-Hayes is content with her quiet life. Until the day she trips over an unconscious man - a naked unconscious man - and loses her innocence forever. HE CAN TAKE HER TO HEAVEN Viscount Simon Iddesleigh was nearly beaten to death by his enemies. Now**

**he's hell-bent on vengeance. But as Lucy nurses him back to health, her honesty startles his jaded sensibilities - even as it ignites a desire that threatens to consume them both. OR TO HELL Charmed by Simon's sly wit, urbane manners, and even his red-heeled shoes, Lucy falls hard and fast for him. Yet as his honor keeps him from ravishing her, his revenge sends his attackers to her door. As Simon wages war on his foes, Lucy wages her own war for his soul using the only weapon she has - her love.**

**The New York Times-bestselling author returns to medieval Scotland, where Nigel Murray loses his heart to a strong-willed woman who can't outrun her past. In the second novel of her magnificent trilogy of medieval Scotland, which began with Highland Destiny, Howell returns to the fifteenth century and the embattled Highlands with this spellbinding saga of a Scottish mercenary fated to rescue a spirited young beauty accused of murder.**

**O Cavaleiro da Terra de Ninguém**

**The Book of Disquiet**

**Escape the Bondage of Rejection and Experience the Freedom of God's Acceptance**

**Rules for a Knight**

**Cavaleiro de Saint-hermine, O**

Number-one New York Times-bestselling author Lu concludes Adelina's story with this haunting and hypnotizing finale to the Young Elites series. 5 1/2 x 8 5/16.

O cavaleiro da esperançavida de Luís Carlos Prestes

O aguardado último volume da trilogia Red Rising, que alcançou o topo da lista de best-sellers do New York Times, traz o desfecho da luta de Darrow pela própria sobrevivência e para derrotar os mais poderosos guerreiros da Sociedade A série, que mistura mitologia grega, viagens espaciais e alta tecnologia, foi premiada nas categorias de melhor livro de estreia em 2014 e melhor ficção científica em 2015 pelo Goodreads, colocando Pierce Brown entre os jovens autores promissores do gênero da atualidade. O autor americano criou um universo ousado e fascinante, com personagens complexos, enredo repleto de ação e crítica social e muitas passagens de tirar o fôlego. No livro, Darrow, personagem central da história, pertencente à casta dos Vermelhos, se transforma em um Dourado e se junta aos Filhos de Ares, um grupo revolucionário, para destruir a sociedade de castas que colonizou Marte e escravizou seu povo. Como um membro infiltrado no mundo da elite, o protagonista enfrenta batalhas sangrentas e precisa superar as amizades traiçoeiras e o complexo clima político da classe dominante. Estrela da Manhã apresenta aos leitores a conclusão da surpreendente jornada de Darrow contra a hierarquia de poder. Traído, capturado e com sua verdadeira identidade revelada, o Ceifeiro vai enfrentar uma guerra ainda mais intensa contra as forças corruptas e de dominação.

In a haunting psychological tale of despair and freedom, Macabea is ugly, underfed, sickly, and unloved yet she fascinates Rodrigo because she is unaware of how unhappy she should be

An Earthly Knight

A Canção Di José Floresta

Near to the Wild Heart

O cavaleiro da esperança

The Starless Sea

**The #1 New York Times bestseller and National Book Award Finalist from the bestselling author of Everything, Everything will have you falling in love with Natasha and Daniel as they fall in love with each other. Natasha: I'm a girl who believes in science and facts. Not fate. Not destiny. Or dreams that will never come true. I'm definitely not the kind of girl who meets a cute boy on a crowded New York City street and falls in love with him. Not when my family is twelve hours away from being deported to Jamaica. Falling in love with him won't be my story. Daniel: I've always been the good son, the good student, living up to my parents' high expectations. Never the poet. Or the dreamer. But when I see her, I forget about all that. Something about Natasha makes me think that fate has something much more extraordinary in store—for both of us. The Universe: Every moment in our lives has brought us to this single moment. A million futures lie before us. Which one will come true? \*\*\* "Beautifully crafted."--People Magazine "A book that is very much about the many factors that affect falling in love, as much as it is about the very act itself . . . fans of Yoon's first novel, Everything Everything, will find much to love—if not, more—in what is easily an even stronger follow up." —Entertainment Weekly "Transcends the limits of YA as a human story about falling in love and seeking out our futures." —POPSUGAR.com**

**A PREGNANT WOMAN. A DERANGED PSYCHOPATH. A DESPERATE RACE AGAINST TIME. Didi Wood, eight-and-a-half months pregnant with her third child, heads to a mall to get out of the oppressive Dallas heat and get some shopping done. She is supposed to meet her husband for lunch at one o' clock. By 1:45, she still isn't there--she's riding down the highway at breakneck speed, with a madman at the wheel. His name is Lyle, and he has abducted her from a department store parking lot. But why he's done this, and what he wants, are anyone's guess. Now the police and the FBI have to somehow track him down. And a very pregnant Didi must keep herself and her unborn child alive at any price--even as they ride closer and closer in the darkest chamber of a psychopath's mind.**

**This new translation of Clarice Lispector's sensational first book tells the story of a middle class woman's life from childhood through an unhappy marriage and its dissolution to transcendence. Near to the Wild Heart, published in Rio de Janeiro in 1943, introduced Brazil to what one writer called "Hurricane Clarice": a twenty-three-year-old girl who wrote her first book in a tiny rented room and then baptized it with a title taken from Joyce: "He was alone, unheeded, near to the wild heart of life." The book was an unprecedented sensation — the discovery of a genius. Narrative epiphanies and interior monologue frame the life of Joana, from her middle-class childhood through her unhappy marriage and its dissolution to transcendence, when she proclaims: "I shall arise as strong and comely as a young colt."**

**NATIONAL BESTSELLER • From the bestselling author of The Night Circus, a timeless love story set in a secret underground world—a place of pirates, painters, lovers, liars, and ships that sail upon a starless sea. Zachary Ezra Rawlins is a graduate student in Vermont when he discovers a mysterious book hidden in the stacks.**

**As he turns the pages, entranced by tales of lovelorn prisoners, key collectors, and nameless acolytes, he reads something strange: a story from his own childhood. Bewildered by this inexplicable book and desperate to make sense of how his own life came to be recorded, Zachary uncovers a series of clues—a bee, a key, and a sword—that lead him to a masquerade party in New York, to a secret club, and through a doorway to an ancient library hidden far below the surface of the earth. What Zachary finds in this curious place is more than just a buried home for books and their guardians—it is a place of lost cities and seas, lovers who pass notes under doors and across time, and of stories whispered by the dead. Zachary learns of those who have sacrificed much to protect this realm, relinquishing their sight and their tongues to preserve this archive, and also of those who are intent on its destruction. Together with Mirabel, a fierce, pink-haired protector of the place, and Dorian, a handsome, barefoot man with shifting alliances, Zachary travels the twisting tunnels, darkened stairwells, crowded ballrooms, and sweetly soaked shores of this magical world, discovering his purpose—in both the mysterious book and in his own life.**

### **The Root of Rejection**

### **O cavaleiro do dragão**

### **E Fizerom taes Maravilhas... Histórias de Cavaleiros e Cavalarias**

### **GAME OF LUMIEL**

### **An Illustrated Book of Bad Arguments**

Lung, um jovem dragão prateado, fica sabendo que os humanos pretendem inundar o vale úmido e remoto habitado pelos dragões. Para escapar da extinção, ele e seus companheiros precisam encontrar um novo esconderijo. OS mais velhos ainda se lembram de uma terra quase mítica, a Borda do Céu, onde os dragões viviam em paz no passado. Lung parte em busca desse lugar, e enfrentará uma viagem longa e cheia de problemas: só é capaz de voar alimentado pela força que retira da luz do luar e, em seu caminho, encontrará traiçoeiros anões de pedra, corvos espiões e a perseguição constante e implacável de Ur Tig, um monstro devorador de dragões. Por outro lado, Lung não está sozinho: tem a companhia do menino Ben e de Sulfrônia, uma jovem kobold; fora a ajuda que recebe de um gênio de mil olhos, de uma serpente marinha, de jovens monges budistas e até de um respeitado catedrático, o professor Barnabás Wiesengrund. Quando de seu lançamento nos Estados Unidos, em 2004, O cavaleiro do dragão, que já vendeu mais de 500 mil exemplares somente na Alemanha, passou semanas na lista de mais vendidos do New York Times.

Deus deu a Jesus uma revelação para mostrar a seus servos coisas que devem acontecer. Na revelação, vemos um rolo, escrito por dentro e por fora, selado com sete selos. Quando cada um dos quatro primeiros selos é aberto, vemos um cavaleiro. O que é o pergaminho? Quem ou o que são os cavaleiros? Como vamos discernir o que ou quem eles são? Como saberemos que discernimos corretamente? Muitos outros tentaram identificar o pergaminho e os cavaleiros. Este livro não tentará refutar todas as identificações que eles fizeram, nem discutirá todas as identificações possíveis. A abordagem é mostrar que as evidências se encaixam em um único pergaminho e em um único conjunto de cavaleiros. Se essa abordagem for bem-sucedida, ela mostrará efetivamente que todos os outros pergaminhos e cavaleiros estão incorretos. Este livro não tentará discutir o arco do primeiro cavaleiro e a cor verde do quarto cavaleiro, pois há muito pouca informação disponível para discerni-los. O pergaminho será identificado primeiro usando as evidências relacionadas ao pergaminho. Em seguida, cada cavaleiro será identificado usando as evidências relativas a cada cavaleiro. A pergunta sobre discernir corretamente será respondida, mostrando como - os cavaleiros se encaixam juntos - cavaleiros cabem o pergaminho - o pergaminho e os cavaleiros se encaixam o livro de Apocalipse e nos mostram o que está por vir. From international phenomenon Cornelia Funke, the bestselling author of Reckless and Inkheart. Eleven-year-old Jon Whitcroft never expected to enjoy boarding school. Then again, he never expected to be confronted by a pack of vengeful ghosts, either. And then he meets Ella, a quirky new friend with a taste for adventure... Together, Jon and Ella must work to uncover the secrets of a centuries-old murder while being haunted by terrifying spirits, their bloodless faces set on revenge. So when Jon summons the ghost of the late knight Longspee for his protection, there's just one question: Can Longspee truly be trusted?

The book brings together contributions from over 35 Portuguese geomorphologists, presenting a thorough overview of the main highlights of the landscape of Portugal's mainland, Azores and Madeira. The book, which is a tribute to Professor António de Brum Ferreira, first President of the Portuguese Association of Geomorphologists and former Professor at the University of Lisbon, who passed away in January 2013, is organized in 3 parts: a) Introduction, which presents a general framework of the physical geography of Portugal, b) Geomorphological landscapes, presenting ca. 30 short papers with regional focus on key geomorphological areas, c) Applied geomorphology, providing an updated vision on the protection of geomorphological heritage with a focus on geoparks, as well as on Geomorphological hazards in Portugal. This first book ever to concentrate on the geomorphology of Portugal will surely become a benchmark for Portuguese geomorphology.

Dark Mysteries of the Vatican

Histórias de Natal

Batman: The Dark Knight Returns

vida de Luís Carlos Prestes

Eleven Hours

*There are many names for him in different times and cultures. Lumiel came to earth when mankind was still primitive alongside a group of beings of equal power, beings from planets and solar systems much older than the earth and its young star ... The story is composed of celestial soldiers brought to the planet with the mission of helping humanity and saving it from its extinction. It is now up to Lumiel to lead them towards the final battle that involves past lives over various historical events towards their final peak.*

*A NEW YORK TIMES Bestseller! Hailed as a comics masterpiece, THE DARK KNIGHT RETURNS is Frank Miller's (300 and SIN CITY) reinvention of the legend of Batman. It remains an undisputed classic, one of the most influential stories ever told in comics, and is a book cited by the filmmakers as an inspiration for the most recent Batman movies. It is ten years after an*

*aging Batman has retired and Gotham City has sunk deeper into decadence and lawlessness. Now, as his city needs him most, the Dark Knight returns in a blaze of glory. Joined by Carrie Kelly, a teenage female Robin, Batman takes to the streets to end the threat of the mutant gangs that have overrun the city. And after facing off against his two greatest enemies, the Joker and Two-Face, for the final time, Batman finds himself in mortal combat with his former ally, Superman, in a battle that only one of them will survive. This collection is hailed as a comics masterpiece and was responsible for the launch of the Christopher Nolan Batman movies. This volume collects BATMAN: THE DARK KNIGHT RETURNS #1-4.*

*An Earthly Knight has descriptive copy which is not yet available from the Publisher.*

*The Law of Henna and Bodhi: When love breaks, fall inward, fall together, and fall hard. Then let time pick up the pieces. Everything feels temporary when you've experienced tragedy-until Henna Lane meets Bodhi at a music festival. Young and spontaneous, they have a lust for seizing the moment, falling hard and fast. When Bodhi is forced to leave without a goodbye, Henna thinks she'll never get over him. But then she meets Mr. Malone, her sexy, new guidance counselor. They are reckless. They are forbidden. When their secret is discovered, Henna has to choose between finishing school-banned from seeing Mr. Malone-or dropping out to follow her nomad dreams. Henna chooses her dreams. Over time, she learns that life is not a destination or a journey, some things are more than temporary, and the forbidden can never be ignored. But if she returns for him, will he still be hers? A Place Without You is an emotional story of young love, shattered dreams, and impossible decisions.*

*Devil's Night #4*

*Highland Honor*

*Landforms and Landscapes of Portugal*

*The Story of the Champions of the Round Table*

*The Midnight Star*

**Este livro narra a história de um herói que pretende perpetrar uma vingança, experimentando uma série de façanhas - as perseguições de Fouché, as batalhas de Napoleão (entre elas a de Trafalgar, onde se encontra com Nelson), as desventuras em Roma e Nápoles, os encontros com Josefina, Talleyrand, Chateaubriand, o terrorista Cadaudal, a diplomacia, as intrigas, as conspirações e, é claro, o afeto de sua bem-amada.**

**You can be free from the effects of rejection! No one totally escapes rejection. But not everybody has to be damaged by it! Our Father has provided a means for us as His children to be delivered from the painful consequences of rejection.**

**"It is 1483, and Sir Thomas Lemuel Hawke, a Cornish knight, is about to ride into battle. On the eve of his departure, he composes a letter to his four young children, consisting of twenty virtues that provide instruction on how to live a noble life, and on all the lessons, large and small, that he might have imparted to them himself were he not expecting to die on the battlefield. "Why am I alive? Where was I before I was born? What will happen to me when I die? Whatever well our lives are drawn from, it is deep, wild, mysterious, and unknowable..." Rules for a Knight is many things: a code of ethics; an intimate record of a lifelong quest; a careful recounting of a knight's hardest won lessons, deepest aspirations, and most richly instructive failures; and an artifact, a relic of a father's exquisite love. Drawing on the ancient teachings of Eastern and Western philosophy and religion, on literature, and poetry, and on the great spiritual and political writings of our time, Ethan Hawke has written a parable that--in the story of a young man's journey toward a life of authenticity and meaning--captures the instinctive movement of the heart toward truth and beauty. Rules for a Knight has the appeal of Arthurian legend; the economy of Aesop; and the vitality, intelligence, and risk-taking that could only emanate from Ethan Hawke"--**

**After he escapes from the dungeon, Thor is horrified to learn of another assassination attempt on King MacGil. When MacGil dies, the kingdom is set into turmoil. As everyone vies for the throne, King's Court is more rife than ever with its family dramas, power struggles, ambitions, jealousy, violence and betrayal. An heir must be chosen from among the children, and the ancient Dynasty Sword, the source of all their power, will have a chance to be wielded by someone new. But all this might be upended: the murder weapon is recovered, and the noose tightens on finding the assassin. Simultaneously, the MacGils face a new threat by the McClouds, who are set to attack again from within the Ring. Thor fights to win back Gwendolyn's love, but there may not be time: he is told to pack up, to prepare with his brothers in arms for The Hundred, a hundred grueling days of hell that all Legion members must survive. The Legion will have to cross the Canyon, beyond the protection of the Ring, into the Wilds, and set sail across the Tartuvian Sea for the Isle of Mist, said to be patrolled by a dragon, for their initiation into manhood. Will they make it back? Will the Ring survive in their absence? And will Thor finally learn the secret of his destiny? With its sophisticated world-building and characterization, A MARCH OF KINGS is an epic tale of friends and lovers, of rivals and suitors, of knights and dragons, of intrigues and political machinations, of coming of age, of broken hearts, of deception, ambition and betrayal. It is a tale of honor and courage, of fate and destiny, of sorcery. It is a fantasy that brings us into a world we will never forget, and which will appeal to all ages and genders. It is 60,000 words. Book #3 in the series will be published soon.**

**A Rosa E O Cavaleiro**

**The Hour of the Star**

**The Serpent Prince**

**The Sun Is Also a Star**

**Fundamentação Do Mistério Exu Na Umbanda**

*The updated edition of the bestselling book that has changed millions of lives with its insights into the growth mindset "Through clever research studies and engaging writing, Dweck illuminates how our beliefs about our capabilities exert tremendous influence on how we learn and which paths we take in life."—Bill Gates, GatesNotes After decades of research, world-renowned Stanford University psychologist Carol S. Dweck, Ph.D., discovered a simple but groundbreaking idea: the power of mindset. In this brilliant book, she shows how success in school, work, sports, the arts, and almost every area of human endeavor can be dramatically influenced by how we think about our talents and abilities. People with a fixed mindset—those who believe that abilities are fixed—are less likely to flourish than those*

*with a growth mindset—those who believe that abilities can be developed. Mindset reveals how great parents, teachers, managers, and athletes can put this idea to use to foster outstanding accomplishment. In this edition, Dweck offers new insights into her now famous and broadly embraced concept. She introduces a phenomenon she calls false growth mindset and guides people toward adopting a deeper, truer growth mindset. She also expands the mindset concept beyond the individual, applying it to the cultures of groups and organizations. With the right mindset, you can motivate those you lead, teach, and love—to transform their lives and your own.*

*Sitting at his desk, Bernardo Soares imagined himself free forever of Rua dos Douradores, of his boss Vasques, of Moreira the book-keeper, of all the other employees, the errand boy, the post boy, even the cat. But if he left them all tomorrow and discarded the suit of clothes he wears, what else would he do? Because he would have to do something. And what suit would he wear? Because he would have to wear another suit. A self-deprecating reflection on the sheer distance between the loftiness of his feelings and the humdrum reality of his life, *The Book of Disquiet* is a classic of existentialist literature. Three of King Arthur's most beloved knights, Sir Launcelot, Sir Tristram and Sir Percival, headline their own fantastical tales of love, honor and inescapable duty. *The Story of the Champions of the Round Table* offers an intimate look at the many obstacles and triumphs of the famous warriors. Sir Launcelot, the first knight of the round table, is a prominent fixture who appears alongside King Arthur on various quests. He becomes a legend in his own right due to his incomparable fighting skills and charm. A conflicted Sir Tristram falls in love with a beautiful young woman called Isoult, who is already betrothed to a king. Meanwhile, Sir Percival journeys to the Castle of Beaupaire and is faced with new and unexpected challenges. Each story showcases the characters by testing their strength and morals in the face of opposition. This novel is an enjoyable addition to the Arthurian canon, which continues to thrive in Europe and abroad. With an eye-catching new cover, and professionally typeset manuscript, this edition of *The Story of the Champions of the Round Table* is both modern and readable.*

*Esta coletânea contém doze contos de Natal, do escritor português José Leon Machado e da escritora brasileira Fernanda Macahiba. De cenário histórico-cultural variado, vão desde o século I da nossa era, quando os primeiros cristãos começaram a celebrar o nascimento de Cristo, passando pela Idade Média, a Revolução Francesa, a Inconfidência Mineira, a implantação da República em Portugal, os anos 30 no Brasil, a Guerra Colonial e, enfim, a atualidade. Entre o cômico e o trágico, estes contos oferecem uma leitura original e divertida na quadra natalícia.*

*O Pergaminho e Cavaleiros do Livro do Apocalipse*

*Portugal traditions*

*Cruel King*

*The Last Letter of Sir Thomas Lemuel Hawke*

*Ghost Knight*

Neste livro, Jorge Amado procura narrar diversos momentos dramáticos da trajetória de Prestes - a coluna que atravessou o Brasil entre 1924-27, o exílio, a tentativa frustrada de levante contra a prisão na solitária, a entrega de Olga Benário - grávida de Anita Leocadia, ao governo nazista, a campanha internacional de Leocadia, mãe de Prestes, pela libertação do filho e de Olga, e pela guarda dos filhos.

Claims that the Catholic Church has been a place of murder, corruption, real-life exorcisms, and bizarre rituals, and that it has hidden ties to Nazi Germany and the Mafia. Composto uma narrativa ficcional apoiada numa extensa pesquisa bibliográfica e em documentos inéditos, Sinval Medina, com *O Cavaleiro da Terra de Ninguém*, oferece ao leitor um retrato sem precedentes da extraordinária figura de Cristóvão Pereira de Abreu, fidalgo nascido em Ponte de Lima, que se tornaria o Rei dos Tropeiros no Sul do Brasil. Desbravador, chefe militar e homem de negócios das primeiras décadas do século XVIII, esta personagem quase lendária abriu a estrada que permitiu a integração social, política e económica da rica província meridional com as ainda mais ricas capitânias centrais brasileiras durante a febre do ouro. Tecendo uma narrativa que mistura documentos históricos com passagens ficcionais, o romance de Sinval Medina reconstrói a trajetória do fidalgo português que viveu, no Brasil, a vida de uma galeria dos verdadeiros heróis do seu tempo. Ao combinar o registo documental com ingredientes da mais pura ficção, Sinval Medina resgata, em *O Cavaleiro da Terra de Ninguém*, uma figura histórica que chegou a ter a própria existência posta em causa. Originário da pequena fidalguia rural, Cristóvão Pereira de Abreu, nascido em Ponte de Lima em 1678, transfere-se muito jovem para o Brasil. Integrando-se em famílias familiares à elite económica do Rio de Janeiro, torna-se "homem de grosso trato", designação atribuída aos poderosos negociantes locais. Nessa condição, envolve-se na exportação de couros na Coréia, e no lucrativo fluxo do comércio atlântico. Na segunda década do século XVIII, inicia o transporte regular de rebanhos, sobretudo muars, dos pampas sulinos para São Paulo. Na altura, a vasta e rica região entre o Rio da Prata e a capitania de Santa Catarina é ainda objecto de disputa entre Portugal e Espanha. Em 1735, utilizando os seus próprios recursos, abre a estrada que vai integrar o Sul ao resto do Brasil. Anos depois, no Canal do Rio Grande, lança a pedra angular da fortaleza que marcará a presença oficial da coroa portuguesa na região. Com a criação da Comandância de Armas do Rio Grande de São Paulo, Pereira de Abreu não se afastará mais das vastidões sulinas, a não ser para conduzir, todos os anos, milhares de animais até à Feira de Sorocaba, em São Paulo, prática que lhe renderá a alcunha de "rei dos tropeiros". A sua experiência como sertanista e a capacidade de liderança, irão levá-lo ao posto de Coronel de Milícias durante as muitas guerras pela disputa do território riograndense. Já no final da vida, será agraciado com as rendas da Alfândega de Curitiba, encarregada de cobrar tributos sobre as tropas em trânsito para São Paulo. Por altura da sua morte em 1750, os negócios do Cavaleiro da Terra de Ninguém estendem-se do Sacramento a Londres, passando por São Paulo, Minas Gerais, Rio de Janeiro e Portugal. Ao romancear a trajetória de Cristóvão Pereira de Abreu, Sinval Medina realça a dimensão humana da sua vida, desfazendo os equívocos, dúvidas, e exageros que o envolveram após a morte.

O protagonista deste 'O cavaleiro das palavras' é um dicionário do século XIX narrando sua história desde a tipografia em Lisboa, onde foi impresso, sua atribulada viagem de navio para nosso país e sua vida contemporânea. E sua aventura pretende ser a história da formação de um povo, de um Brasil que não para de ser construído, de uma cultura tentando consolidar-se.

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