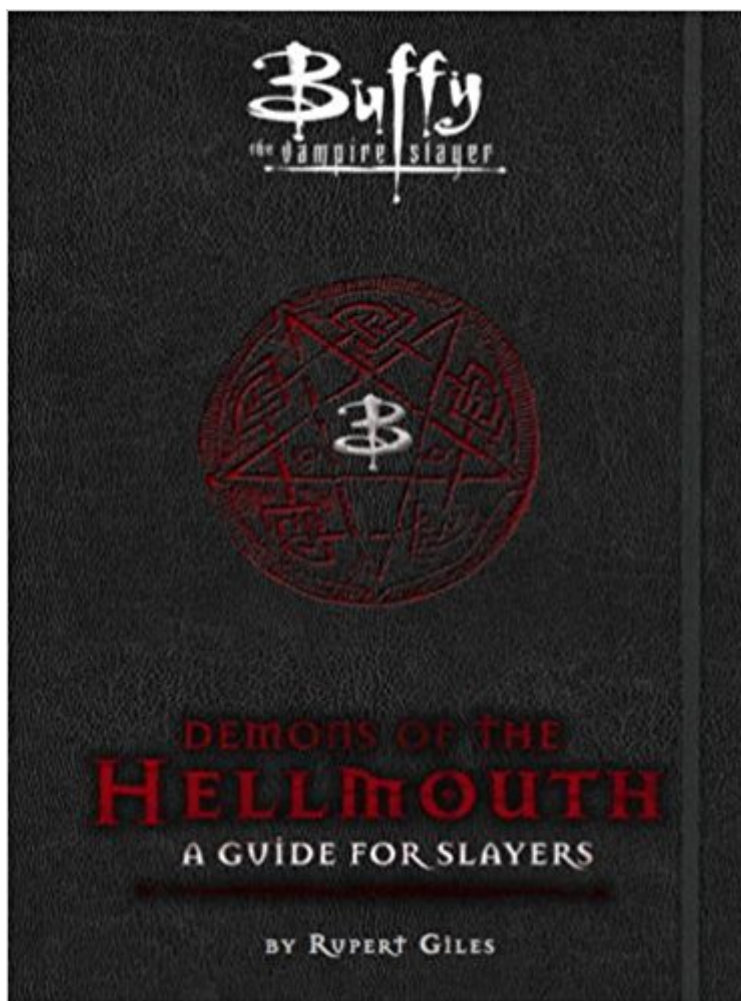


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# Buffy The Vampire Slayer: Demons Of The Hellmouth: A Guide For Slayers



## Synopsis

Demons of the Hellmouth is a fully licensed guide to the vampires and other demons that flocked to the Sunnydale Hellmouth in Joss Whedon's cult TV series Buffy the Vampire Slayer. This in-universe illustrated guide is written by Rupert Giles, and also contains handwritten notes from Buffy and Willow. This unique book promises a diabolical romp through the highlights of the beloved show.

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"A must have item. It's the perfect book to have by your side as you're watching an episode or to settle arguments among you and your vampire." - Sci Fi Pulse  
"If you want Buffy done right, you hire Nancy Holder." - Fangirl Nation  
"If you're looking to add a great resource of the vampires and other demons that flocked to the Sunnydale Hellmouth in Joss Whedon's cult TV series Buffy the Vampire Slayer, then look no further." - City of Films  
"Even if you're a new fan and just beginning your journey of Joss Whedon's Buffy, The Vampire Slayer TV seasons, then Demons of the Hellmouth is great start and intro to universe." - Retrenders  
"If you're looking to add a great resource of the vampires and other demons that flocked to the Sunnydale Hellmouth in Joss Whedon's cult TV series Buffy the Vampire Slayer, then look no further." - City of Films  
"a book that fans will be glad to have on their shelves." - Mugglenet  
"a great reminder of the breadth and depth of the show's mythology and offered insight into details of the show I'd missed, or long-forgotten." - Nerdophiles  
"I enjoyed reading

Demons of the Hellmouth immensely" - Hypable "A nice addition to any Buffy collection." - Project Fandom "It's really a fantastic book." - That Girl's Site "Holder does a fine job of capturing Giles' academic, yet off-bemused, tone." - SafeWOW

New York Times' best-selling author Nancy Holder has written numerous Buffy and Angel tie-in novels as well as co-authoring the first 2 Buffy Watcher's Guides. A four-time winner of the Bram Stoker Award, she is the author of dozens of novels, short stories, and essays on writing and popular culture.

What is it about Buffy the Vampire Slayer that continues to fascinate us, over a decade after the show went off of the air? Well, part of it is the wide array of interesting, frequently frightening, and occasionally thought-provoking villains. This book does an excellent job of spotlighting the various monsters and "Big Bads" from the show's seven television seasons, making it an invaluable research for Buffy scholars (yes, that's a thing!) and fans alike. But what keeps this from being a potentially dry academic work are the various scribbled margin notes, purportedly provided not only by Buffy, but also Willow, Giles, Xander and Faith, many of them hilarious. Ostensibly written by Rupert Giles, Buffy's Watcher, this is actually the work of Nancy Holder, arguably the preeminent Buffy author (in addition to having written many original BtVS novels, she's also done scholarly works, including "The Making of a Slayer"), and she captures just the right zestful flair. This is a fun book to read, as well as being informative. The icing on the cake is a very heartfelt forward written by Anthony Stewart Head, who portrayed Giles so memorably.

Wonderful! Only critique is that some pages have beautiful art representing the beasts as if they were images from a real book Giles might read, other pages just have photos from the episode

A fantastic book with lots of information and background to every villain of the series. And yes, it is nearly every. single. villain. from the show. From main characters, like Spike, Angel, Darla and Drusilla all the way to demons I didn't even remember seeing in the show, let alone remember their names, like the "Asphyx Demon" (from "Get it Done") and the "Glaryk Guhl Kashmas'nik Demon" (from "Normal Again"). It even lists all of the major Apocalypses the group has faced, and how they stopped them. The only thing I think I really don't care for is the notes written in the book. The book is set up as though it was actually written by Rupert Giles, and then it has notes written by Buffy, Willow, Faith and Xander in the margins of the book. But rather than the notes be things the

characters would say, it's usually just the characters re quoting things they've said in the show. (Ex. there's a page about Anya/Anyanka talking about her death in the series finale, and Xander writes the note "that's my girl, always doing the stupid thing..." because, that's what he said in the show already, so it's supposed to be cute I guess. I don't know, they're mostly fine, but some just feel really out-of-place, like they really wanted to use quotes from the show, but they don't really make sense in context, so they feel super forced.) Overall, it is an extremely thorough look into all the demons, vampires and other forces of darkness Buffy and her friends face over seven seasons of show. The book itself is extremely well made. It's hardcover and pages themselves are more on the side of cardstock than regular paper. Anthony Stewart Head even writes an intro to the book, in which he talks about how he got the role of Giles. I think Mr. Head explains this book best, though, in his intro. That this book is a wonderful way to "bring back many happy memories" of our favorite vampire slayer.

I'm a huge Buffy fan and this is an awesome book! I really like the whole visual style of the book and the handwritten notes are cool. I'm really hoping they do a Demons of L.A. version for Angel because that would be the perfect companion book for this.

Loved it and took you down memory lane when reading the book and compare it to the TV series.

Its an informative read for Buffy lovers only. If you don't like Buffy then you can eat my butt beans. Buffy rules!

Great quality. My wife loved it!!

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