

Rostrum, take up thy pitchfork

The Urth list — 5 messages, 4 voices, 21 Mar 2002

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Michael Andre-Driussi — 21 Mar 2002, 17:37

Rostrum,

Okay, we have found the list at Ultan's Library! (Some of the library rats were using it as a slide for a theme park based on Chutes and Ladders.)

Well, it needs to be updated. So here, in the meantime I'll give you a pitchfork with which to begin your hunt for needles in the hay. Titles only for uncollected stories (stories published up to 1996; collections up to STRANGE TRAVELERS) (you can use search engines from there).

This list is Not Complete.

The Arimapsian Legacy CS

At the Point of Capricorn WT Spring 1988

The Boy Who Hooked the Sun WT Spring 1988, YBF #2

Empires of Foliage and Flower CS, Crank! #2

The Friendship Light F&SF 10-89

Game in the Pope's Head Ripper!, YBF #2

Going to the Beach Showcase (Elwood)

Houston, 1943 Tropical Chills (Sullivan)

How the Bishop Sailed to Inniskeen Asimov's 12-89

It's Very Clean Generation (Gerrold)

King Under the Mountain WIF 11/12-70

Loco Parentis ADV

Lord of the Land Lovecraft's Legacy, BNH #2

The Monday Man Monochrome: Readercon Anth.

The Old Woman Whose Rolling Pin

Is the Sun CS

Read Me The Drabble Project

Remembrance to Come Orbit 6

The River Amazing 5-83

Robot's Story ADV

The Sailor Who Sailed After the Sun Grails: Quests of the Dawn (Gilliam) The Seraph from the Sepulcher Sacred Visions (Greeley) Slow Children CS The Tale of the Four Accused Arabesques 2 (Shwartz) Tarzan of the Grapes F&SF 6-72, MWALB (Farmer) Thou Spark of Blood WIF 4-70 Try and Kill it Asimov's 10-11/96

"ADV" = Again, Dangerous Visions (Ellison)

"CS" = Cheap Street

"F&SF" = The Magazine of Fantasy & Science Fiction

"MWALB" = Mother Was A Lovely Beast

"WIF" = Worlds of If magazine

"WT" = Weird Tales

"YBF" = Year's Best Fantasy

"YBH" = Year's Best Horror

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and where can they be found?

Eek, you think this is easy?

=mantis=

SIRIUS FICTION

booklets on Gene Wolfe, John Crowley

54 "Snake's-hands" left until OP!

<http://www.siriusfiction.com/>

Michael Straight — 21 Mar 2002, 17:57 · follows Michael Andre-Driussi

On Thu, 21 Mar 2002, Michael Andre-Driussi wrote:

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I'm sorry. I had the impression that you and some of the other folks on the list had read a lot of these stories in magazines or elsewhere and might have a favorite to recommend. I'd hate to go to just pick one at random, work hard at tracking it down, only to find it as forgettable as...that one online about the new president, the name of which I forget.

If you'd read something as wonderful as "Tracking Song" or "Forlessen," you wouldn't need to argue about whether to recommend it!

-Rostrum

John Barach — 21 Mar 2002, 18:45 · follows Michael Straight

There's a fairly good Wolfe bibliography starting at <http://www.locusmag.com/index/s820.html#A19065> and continuing on the next few pages. I notice, though, that this bibliography doesn't contain anything after 1999, which means it's missing recent stories such as "The Walking Sticks" and "The Tree Is My Hat." Apparently if you want the more recent updates, you've got to buy their CD-Rom. =(

John

John Barach — 21 Mar 2002, 19:33 · follows John Barach

Earlier, I wrote:

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I notice that it also doesn't include any reference to *The Island of Doctor Death and Other Stories* and *Other Stories*. And since it stops at 1999, it also doesn't tell you which stories are included in *Strange Travelers*.

John

Fernando Gouvea — 21 Mar 2002, 19:50 · follows John Barach

There are several bibliographies online at the LOCUS site. They have one for pre-1984 material, one for 1984-98, and then bibliographies for 1999, 2000, and 2001. Putting them together should cover pretty much everything. For example, the stories in *Strange Travelers* are listed in the 1999 bibliography. Start at www.locusmag.com and you can get to all of these.

Fernando

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On the other hand, you have different fingers.