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The call was disturbing, but as far as investigatory journalist Amanda Connors was concerned, it had to be fate. Inadvertently, it was the years of abuse during her childhood that led her into journalism and to now receive an anonymous tip-off claiming negligence within a children's care home offered the chance to finally put the past behind her. It was the spring of 1972 when Amanda journeyed from London to Devon to pursue the lead, though she would only learn one thing: some secrets are better left buried.

## **The Moors Details**

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## **Prima Patel says**

The Moors is an immensely chilling, gripping and deeply impressive read by first time author Jody Medland.

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## **Joselyn Moreno Burke says**

I received this book from the author for an honest review.

And now i'm glad I did, The Moors have proved to be one of the best new horror psychological thrillers I have read in a long time.

The plot was chilling and immersive more than two times I heard something and was there looking behind my back hoping no beat of the moors will jump me or anything, and I think that is what make good horror the ones your brain do all the work to scare you.

Another good hint this is a good book is that you feel for the characters and you know everything will get an emotional answer in you since you will feel every little thing the characters are feeling and that you can have that kind of connection with a character really do tell you the author didn't leave anything to chance and he made his characters as human as possible.

The only thing I can said I didn't like it was the desperation I felt when the end was approaching it felt so wrong that no hope could flourish or anything, I felt pretty powerless and hopeless and maybe the theme but as I have said with other books this things need to be breached since we tend to forgot horrible thing happen to defenseless child and books like this one serve to the purpose to wake our sense to the signals.

Now with the next epilogue maybe some hope will come and left me wondering if maybe a second book will follow this one, so if anyone love horror they should need this book in their shelves.

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## **Ann Andrews says**

I received a free copy of this book in exchange for an honest review.

I loved the concept behind this work: a journalist going undercover to expose a dark and sinister place, too many secrets, and a rumored monster who terrorizes the home. The set up was great - I was hooked immediately. If this had been a Netflix Horror Movie, it would have been added to my queue immediately. I love "creature features."

The plot is very well written, I had no trouble keeping up with the information the main character was

stumbling across. While I found myself asking a few additional questions, overall I had no issues with where the plot led.

While I was not exactly appeased by the conclusion of the work, I give the author credit for choosing to go down a unique path instead of wrapping it all up in a nice and neat little bow. But I definitely found myself wanting more as I closed the book.

Despite that small detail, I thoroughly enjoyed reading the work and would definitely recommend it.

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### **Marilyn says**

I really enjoyed this book. I read it in one day and couldn't put it down. The main character is Amanda Connors, journalist, and she goes under cover to investigate rumors of abuse at an orphanage. The story runs over just one weekend and I felt the ending was left open for additional books. I read this two months ago and I still think about it, the story lingers.

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### **Book says**

“The Moors” written by Jody Medland is a well-made novel that combines psychological thriller with some chilling moments.

The author successfully manages to avoid many clichés usually found in the genre and though the feeling of desperation in moments can be hard to resist, the ending is fantastic and perfectly rounds the whole story.

Also worth emphasizing are the novel characters that are both believable and interesting, enriching the story and enabling reader to make emotional connection.

Jody Medland’s “The Moors” is a novel full of suspense, a psychological thriller that in moments may seem too desperate due to the darkness it brings, leaving the feel of chill and fear behind – a work that was a big surprise for me, a book definitely worth your time.

I was given a copy of this book by the author for the purpose of unbiased review, while all the presented information is based on my impressions.

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### **☆?♥☆ Unsolved Mystery ☆♥?☆ says**

I won this book through a Goodreads Giveaway. Many thanks. =))

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Journalist Amanda Connors receives a phone call regarding a negligent children's care home. She sets off to investigate.

What she finds there is way more than thought possible.

I was pleasantly surprised how much I enjoyed this one.

It was a different time period and the story was different, but it reminded me of the movie, "The Woman in Black" starring Daniel Radcliffe.

It had the same Gothic-surreal eerie atmosphere.

That movie scared me outta my socks, btw.

The way the book ended was a surprise and I'm for sure there will be a sequel (I hope!).

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Would I recommend this book? Yes, I would!

Would I read this author again? Yes, I would!

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### **Jennifer Kirkwood (Levac) says**

I received a copy of this book in exchange for an honest. More reviews at [Genuinejenn.com](http://Genuinejenn.com)

I knew I was going to enjoy this book as I love books set back in the '70/80's. I also find it interesting to read story about mental illness or disabilities. This book delivered. I started reading it late one night, giving myself 30 minutes to read but almost an hour later I was about half way through the book. I only put it down because I couldn't keep my eyes open longer. The next day I finished it. I can't wait for the next book.

The characters are all well developed. The author gives us enough about the characters to build interest and wonder really who they are. Who is the mean one and who really cares for the children in the house. What is happening at this house and who is doing it. The story moves at a steady pace and keeps you on the edge of your seat. I really enjoy Amanda and found the beginning helped a lot to get to know her better. I was surprised at the end of this story. It doesn't have a happy ever ending and keeps you wondering what will happen in book two. It is one creepy creepy read.

I give this book a 5 stars.

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### **Paige says**

I waited a very long time for this book (won in a goodreads giveaway.) I live in Jamaica, Vermont, but in a freak postal error, the book traveled all the way to actual Jamaica before showing up on my doorstep just a couple of weeks ago.

Happily, this novel was worth the wait. Have you ever been almost angry with a story for being so good? I guess this is a hard thing to explain, but in the first chapter I thought I knew just what was going to happen, and was disappointed that something I thought had such promise turned out to be so run-of-the-mill. Oh, how wrong I was. This book turned every expectation I had on its head. Every time I thought I had something figured out another twist would send my spine tingling. 100% worth the wait.

A fairly quick read, I finished this book with a few minutes to spare in the space of a two hour flight. Fast-paced while still being very thought-out and involved, it was great to read in one shot, but I can also see myself revisiting this in a little while at a more leisurely pace, to really try to take in all the details now that I

know the conclusion to all the mystery.

I will say I would not recommend this book to anyone who needs everything wrapped up in a little bow, the ending tucked away neat and tidy. That does not happen. But if you're the kind of reader who enjoys going along for the ride, taking the plot as it comes, this is perfect for you.

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### **Nance-Lynn says**

I enjoyed reading this book and did not want to put it down. Just when I thought I had it figured and suspected how it would end, I was in for a surprise! A very good read!

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