



Pope-Pourri

By John Dollison

Fireside Books. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Paperback. 208 pages. Dimensions: 8.2in. x 5.4in. x 0.6in. How many Catholics know that a priest invented the fax machine, or that monks were the first to make coffee, champagne, and pretzels? How many know why St. Elmo is portrayed in art with his intestines hanging out, or why St. Maximus is often shown commanding a bear to carry his luggage? Probably none. The Catholic Church is all too eager to tell us about the Ten Commandments, the Resurrection, and the glories of St. Peter's Basilica, but how often do you hear about items like Pope on a Rope soap, or the Let Us Spray lawn sprinkler (shaped like Pope John Paul II, the sprinkler squirts water out of his outstretched arms as it spins)? It's all here in Pope-Pourri-- an unprecedented collection of entertaining anecdotes, trivia, and intriguing information that the Catholic Church never told you about-- and in many cases doesn't want you to know about. Such as the bizarre story of the Cadaver Synod, when Pope Stephen VI dug up the rotting corpse of his predecessor, Pope Formosus I, dressed it in papal robes, and put it on trial for aspiring to...



READ ONLINE
[6.95 MB]

Reviews

Very useful to all category of individuals. It is one of the most amazing publications I have got read through. You will not feel monotony at anytime of your respective time (that's what catalogs are for about when you question me).

-- **Mr. Johnathon Dach**

Without doubt, this is actually the best operated by any article writer. Indeed, it can be performed, nonetheless an interesting and amazing literature. It has been written in an exceedingly straightforward way in fact it is only soon after I finished reading through this book through which in fact changed me, modified the way in my opinion.

-- **Miss Elissa Kutch V**

Other Kindle Books

**Books are well written, or badly written. That is all.**

GRIN Verlag Okt 2013, 2013. Taschenbuch. Book Condition: Neu. 210x148x1 mm. This item is printed on demand - Print on Demand Neuware - Essay from the year 2007 in the subject English - Literature, Works, grade: A, The Open University, language: English,...

**Taken: Short Stories of Her First Time**

Speedy Publishing LLC, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book ***** Print on Demand *****. Taken is the intimate and sensually heated account of two virgins and how they lost their virginities....

**Smile/Cry: Happy or Sad, Wailing or Glad - How Do You Feel Today?**

Exisle Publishing (Australia). Hardback. Book Condition: new. BRAND NEW, Smile/Cry: Happy or Sad, Wailing or Glad - How Do You Feel Today?, Tania McCartney, Jess Racklyeft, An innovative flip-over picture book for young kids, showcasing the full emotional range of their formative...

**Barabbas Goes Free: The Story of the Release of Barabbas Matthew 27:15-26, Mark 15:6-15, Luke 23:13-25, and John 18:20 for Children**

Paperback. Book Condition: New.

**Do You Have a Secret?**

Barron s Educational Series Inc.,U.S., United States, 2005. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Marto Fabrega, Marta Fabrega (illustrator). 242 x 238 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. Every child has secrets, and many secrets are fun to keep--for instance, a surprise birthday...

**Readers Clubhouse Set B What Do You Say**

Barron s Educational Series, United States, 2006. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Ann Losa (illustrator). 142 x 13 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book. This is volume six, Reading Level 2, in a comprehensive program (Reading Levels 1 and 2)for beginning readers.Two...