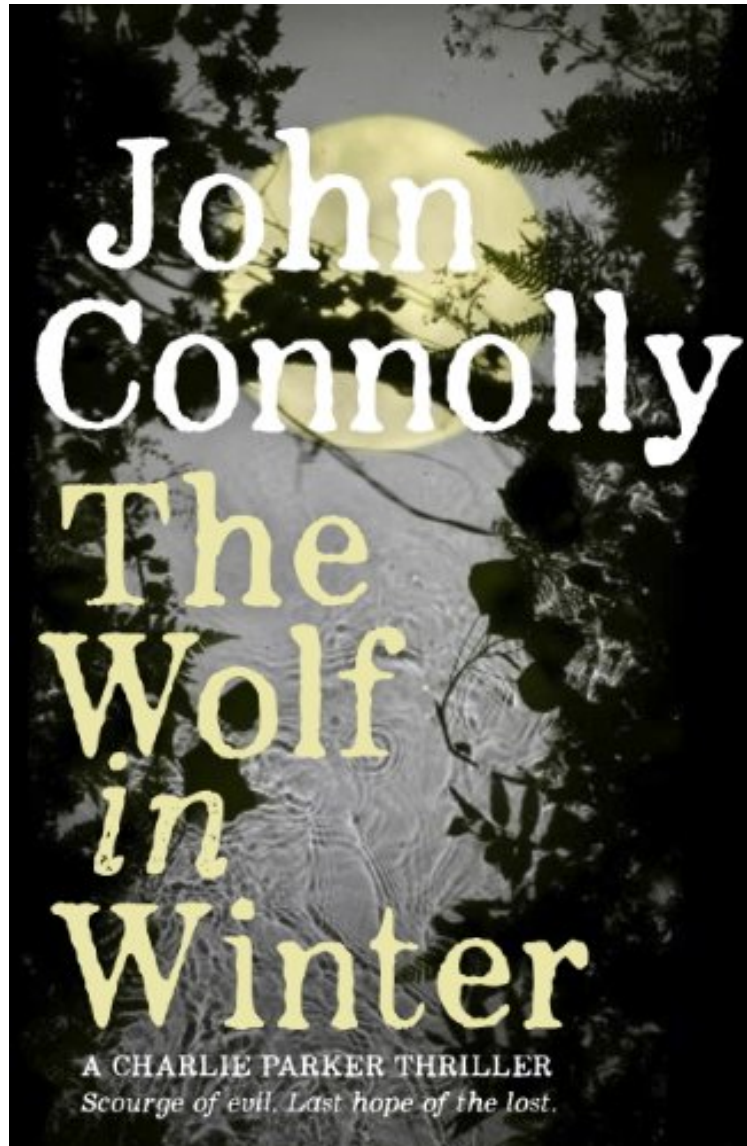


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more and more expanded into the enormous ground of the eternal fight between The Good and The Evil. Author John Connolly leaves the reader with doubts and hopes about The Sein of the character of this oh so troubled example of a human being. But - is he even a Human being? I personally have my doubts about this. There are players in the Cosmic Game who do NOT hazard to touch The Detective. Even the Avenger aka The Collector who has a huge cat to skin with "Bird" and his close friends Louis and Angel, is frightened - yes frightened to take his life. And that fact is a more than disturbing one! Because The Collector doesn't own a conscience - he IS The Conscience. Of Good and Bad, the impersonated standard of jury, judge and executioner in personal union - a Three-in-One, You might say. Which in itself instills a great respect into his motives and means and morals. Morals he absolutely does NOT possess. A contradiction in itself, You might say. But there are a lot of those around when it comes to Charlie "Bird" Parker... Who is on his deadliest mission ever. And a mission it is, because The Detective is driven NOT by filthy lucre but by HIS personal sense of justice. Justice for the Dead. And he will face The Grim Reaper himself this time ... The community of Prosperous/Maine has always thrived when others have suffered. The inhabitants are wealthy, and their children's future secure. It doesn't like outsiders. It guards its own. And at the heart of Prosperous lie the ruins of an ancient church, transported stone by stone from England centuries earlier by the founders of the town . . .

Kurzbeschreibung A pulse-pounding thriller featuring Detective Charlie Parker from the bestselling author of The Wrath of Angels. 'The finest crime series currently in existence' - Independent on Sunday His client is dead. But Charlie Parker will not rest . . . The community of Prosperous, Maine, has always thrived when others have suffered. Its inhabitants are wealthy, its children's future secure. It shuns outsiders. It guards its own. The death of a homeless man and the disappearance of his daughter draw the haunted, lethal private investigator Charlie Parker to Prosperous. Parker is a dangerous man, driven by compassion, by rage, and by the desire for vengeance. In him the town and its protectors sense a threat graver than any they have faced in their long history, and in the comfortable, sheltered inhabitants of a small Maine town, Parker will encounter his most vicious opponents yet. Charlie Parker has been marked to die so that Prosperous may survive. Pressestimmen Strongly recommended for plot, characterization, authenticity . . . horror . . . and humanity. (Library Journal (starred review)) A great read. (Booklist) Memorable . . . it takes readers on a path they truly won't believe, offering diehard evil from the first to the last page . . . Connolly has once again delivered an all-out thrill ride! (Suspense Magazine) Connolly leaves us wanting more. (Florida Times-Union) I believe that I have already read what is sure to be one of the best books to be published this year: THE WRATH OF ANGELS . . . Read this with the lights on and the doors locked. (Bookreporter.com) A great, epic time spent with friends and enemies. (Mystery People) Connolly's superb fusion of noir and the supernatural is to be savored, and not to be missed. (My Bookish Ways) It kept me captivated throughout and wowed me with all its revelations . . . The Wrath of Angels marks itself as a high point of the Charlie Parker series. (Fantasy Book Critic) "The Wolf in Winter is Connolly at his Gothic best." (Sharon Wheeler Crime) "Connolly's writing is gripping, as always the man is a real stylist and fans of the Charlie Parker series are sure to give this one an enthusiastic response." (Booklist) Superb writing... Witty and imaginative journey into the darker natures of men and things that go bump in the night. (Kirkus) A compelling flawed hero and a detail-rich plot make for another satisfying read. (Publishers Weekly) "Charlie Parker is a hardboiled character as ever rolled off the platen of Dashiell Hammett or Raymond Chandler... Trust me: it's worth the wait." (Gwinnett Magazine) While the novel does read as an erudite version of Scott Smith's The Ruins, it's really so much deeper than that. (Bolo Books) "The Wolf in Winter is thoroughly spooky, engrossing, and even introspective." (My Bookish Ways) "Malevolent, mysterious and seductive... The Wolf in Winter shouldn't be missed." (Journal Sentinel) "The Wolf in Winter is the author at his best." (Florida Times-Union) The Wolf In Winter is ripe with Connolly's customary humor, wry observations, and witty repartee. This is a perfect fall release, one to curl up with beside the fireplace to rightly savor, and is highly recommended for Parker devotees. (Michael Patrick Hicks) Spooky... mysterious... dark and moody. (That's What She Read) "Brilliant." (Random Book Muses) "I cannot remember the last time I was so affected by a work of fiction. (BookReporter) John Connolly is a true master of combining suspense and mystery with a dash of supernatural hinted at and thriller instinct that make this a perfect read. Good luck not reading it all in one sitting. (Crimespree Magazine) Connolly's thoughtful prose is extraordinary, insightful, and deeply contemplative of the nature of man and accepting of human flaws, if weary beyond imagination. This is more than a mystery: a journey, an exploration of men and their gods, a contemplation of the human condition. (Curled Up with a Good Book) "As usual, sparks and bullets fly... This is gripping, stylish reading for fans of the supernatural." (Waterloo Region Record) The ability to mix fact with fiction has always been one of the great strengths of Connolly's writing. The Wolf in Winter is a terrific story, but a word to the wise: Don't read it on a dark and stormy night. (Mystery Scene Magazine) Werbetext The next pulse-pounding thriller in John Connolly's internationally bestselling 'Charlie Parker' series.