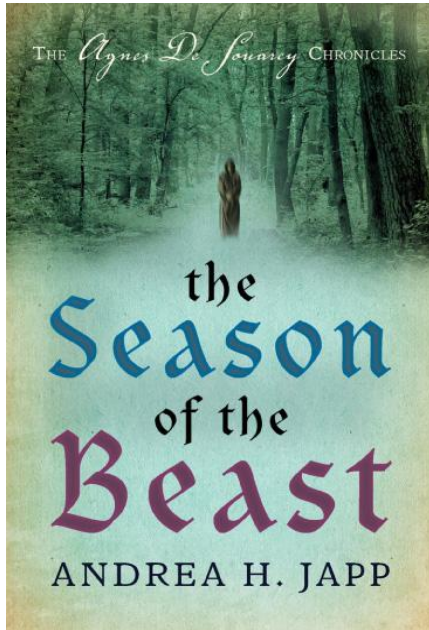


The Season of the Beast
The Agnes de Souarcy Chronicles
Andrea H. Japp



The Book

'The season of the beast was near...'

1304. The King of France and the Church are locked in a battle for power that will also decide the fate of the Knights Templar and Hospitaller.

Meanwhile in the Normandy countryside, young widow Agnes de Souarcy, the beautiful lady of the manor, is fighting to retain her independent way of life, aware that her spiteful half-brother will do anything to destroy her.

These two different worlds collide in the forest near Souarcy, where a terrifying creature begins to kill and mutilate a succession of monks on their way to deliver a secret message of momentous importance.

In the first Agnes de Souarcy Chronicle, Andrea Japp offers the reader a fast-paced, multi-layered mystery within a richly imagined portrait of medieval France.

Sales Points

- First in the four part medieval mysteries, The Agnes de Souarcy Chronicles.
- French sales of the Chronicles more than 124,000
- Includes author's knowledge of forensic science, ballistics and toxicology.
- Andrea H. Japp is the French translator of Patricia Cornwell.

Publicity and Promotion

National Press: Reviews in crime pages of nationals and weeklies: Independent, FT, Mail, Mail on Sunday, Sunday Times

Websites/Blogs: reviews and mentions on Me and My Big Mouth, Crimesquad.com, Monsters and Critics, Dovegreyreader, Susan Hill

The Author

- Trained as a toxicologist
- Author of about twenty novels, Andrea Japp is considered one of the 'queens' of crime writing in France

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