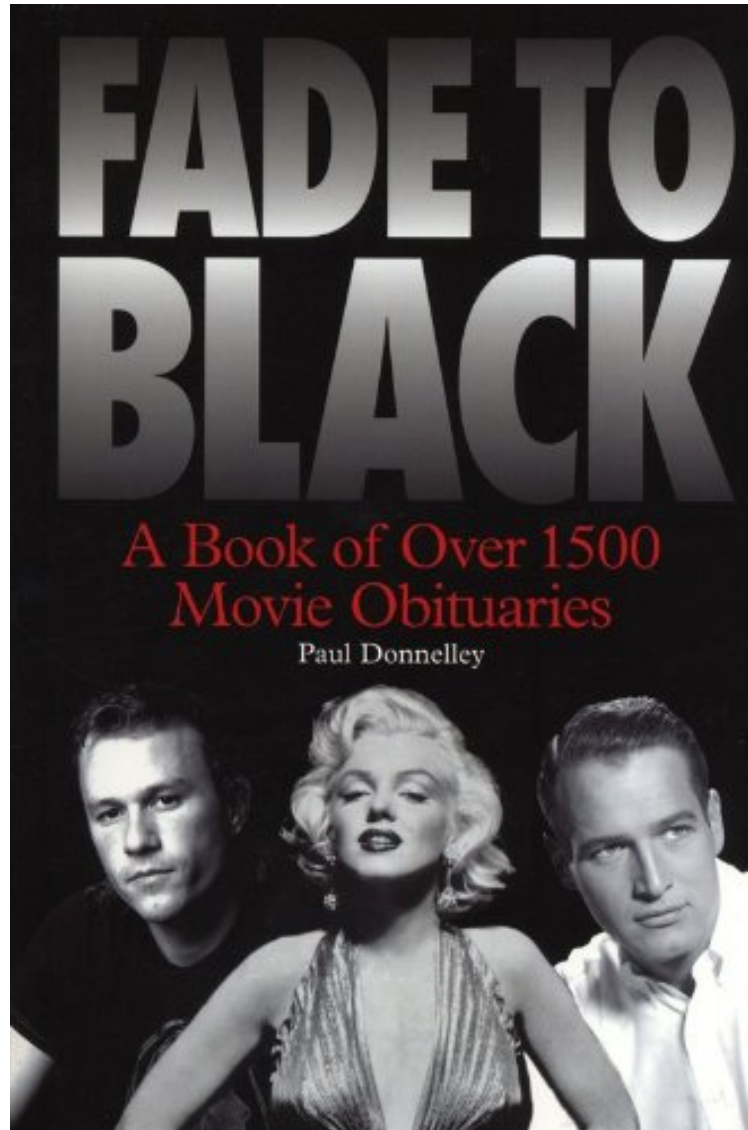


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Research....By JoyI did buy this book (2005 edition) because I am a film fan and former media library worker. I thought it would be interesting. but I expected it to be CORRECT. The book was so large that I suspect a lot of 'research' was farmed out. For instance, the Entry for Horror and Character Actor George Zucco was almost entirely false. The man did NOT go mad as a result of his Horror roles and he was NOT in an Insane Asylum. He WAS in a Sanitarium as the result of a severe stroke. Also, (and this would be funny if it weren't so cruel), George's wife Stella and daughter DID NOT COMMIT SUICIDE the day after George's death. Frances Zucco died of throat cancer in 1962...two years after her father. Stella Zucco was alive and active in 1998, participating in a biographical essay on her husband. The essay was in the book HOLLYWOOD'S MADDEST DOCTORS, by Gregory W. Mank. Greg was so impressed by Stella's sharp mind and lively personality that he dedicated the book to her. Also, Colin Clive's Birthdate needs to be corrected. It is not 1898. It is 20 January 1900, as listed on his birth registration at the British Vice-Consulate in St. Malo, Brittany, France.2 of 2 people found the following review helpful. Lots of Info I've Never Read Anywhere ElseBy donbodadonboLots of tasty tidbits on many deceased film stars, some of them on the "naughty" side. I have many books on Hollywood, but this one contains lots of info I've never read anywhere else. Mr. Donnelly is of course subjective quite opinionated, which makes it a fun read. "R-Rated" for "language"!

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