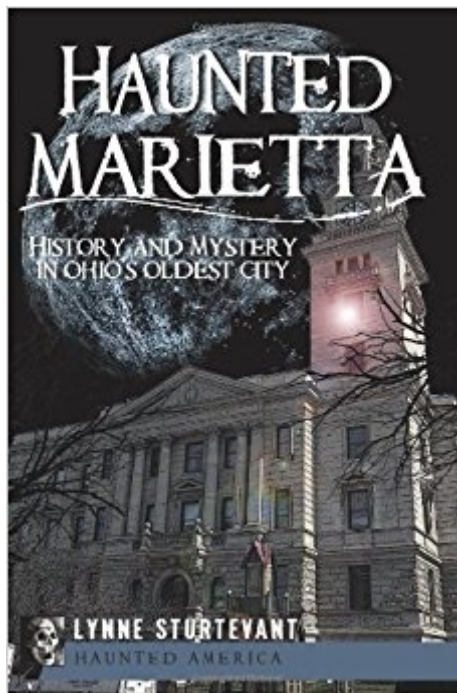




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Synopsis

Haunted Marietta: History and Mystery in Ohio's Oldest City explores the supernatural side of the state's first settlement. Visit a crumbling 1855 mansion whose original owner still roams the halls, sit in the plush red seats of an abandoned theatre and climb an ancient Indian burial mound.

Encounter river pirates, fugitive slaves, an axe murderer, jealous lovers and inept morticians.

Haunted Marietta delves into various types of otherworldly phenomena, examines the difference between ghost stories and reports of supernatural activity and discusses why certain people become spirits. From an 1815 goblin sighting to a bartender's brush with the unexplained, local author Lynne Sturtevant covers it all.

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Customer Reviews

Lynne Sturtevant has been collecting local legends, superstitions and odd tales-especially those that involve paranormal elements-since childhood. A Marietta resident and certified ghost hunter, she is the creator and lead guide of Ghost Trek, a popular walking tour of historic and haunted downtown Marietta. She also conducts tours of the area's ancient earthworks and offers special programs and events throughout the year. Ms. Sturtevant is a frequent guest on WMOA radio and is an active member of Marietta's Convention and Visitors' Bureau. For more information, visit www.hiddenmarietta.com.

Gives a lot of information and will be a great help when we go to Marietta for ghost hunting!!

As a local history/ ghost story collector I've collected a lot of books on local history. One thing they all have in common, they tend to repeat several stories. I expected this one to be the same but it wasn't. It was more in depth and organized and there were a lot of stories I had never heard. A little more expensive than I usually buy, but it was worth it.

Felt like the book entrapped me to read every story. As former resident of Marietta found it to be informative.

Haunted Marietta, the latest release from the Haunted America series, is a quick and enjoyable read blending both conventional and supernatural history of Marietta, Ohio and its surrounds. Ms. Sturtevant is clearly educated in the supernatural and the paranormal and provides the reader with a better understanding of the different types of events one may encounter, as well as methods of detecting paranormal activity. She "decodes" the difference between paranormal activity and ghost stories, including discourse on intelligent entities, poltergeists and residual hauntings. Haunted Marietta is replete with stories of local paranormal phenomena and is made even more enjoyable by a host of historical and contemporary photographs. Ms. Sturtevant is a certified ghost hunter and is the founder and tour director for Marietta's Ghost Trek. More information can be found at her website [...]

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