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Fountain of Blood

A Lady Lyttle Murder Mystery

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A Lyttle Murder never hurt anyone...

Detective team Lady Rosemary Lyttle and her intrepid butler, Mr Brooks, are asked by an eccentric French prince to investigate the disappearance of both manager and money from his pepper farm in Indochina. Little do they realise that the trail will lead them to the heart of the darkest secrets of South East Asia...

Book three of the Lyttle Murders Series

Prologue

Jean Leon

Kampot, Cambodge, French Indochina

October 1905

The spice of death



Mon Dieu, I must put this right. It is up to me now; I just hope to God I am not too late. I know I am a weak man, but I hope that I am not a bad one. Most of us believe that there is justification for what we do; we try to explain away our actions and find reason in our madness. Most of us perhaps, but not all.

I know now that there is *evil* in this world- those that truly revel in their own wickedness. They exploit our weaknesses and take true pleasure in our pain and suffering. Man may be but a poor copy of God, but let me tell to you that there are those who are a true model of the devil himself. These are the ones you need to be aware of. God help us all.