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bodies?~~Purity And Danger~~
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Purity and Danger: An
Analysis of Concepts of
Pollution and Taboo is a
1966 book by the

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anthropologist and cultural theorist Mary Douglas. It is her best known work. In 1991 the Times Literary Supplement listed it as one of the hundred most influential non-fiction books published since 1945.

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It has gone through numerous reprints and re-editions (1969, 1970, 1978, 1984, 1991, 2002).

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any culture is to take a
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the ordered patterning which
that culture strives to
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published in 1966, Purity

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and Danger, by Mary Douglas,
is a treatise on the
concepts of purity and
uncleanness in various
societies and cultures. It
is widely considered a
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believe that ideas about
separating, purifying,

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demarcating and punishing transgressions have as their main function to impose system on an inherently untidy experience. It is only by exaggerating the difference between within and without, above and

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below, male and female, with
and against, that a
semblance of order is
created.

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Purity and Danger by Mary Douglas - summary Mary Douglas's "Purity and Danger: An Analysis of Concepts of Pollution and Taboo" explores the cultural notion of dirt and its symbolic meanings. She

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follows Emile Durkheim in
defining dirt as that which
is out of its place (ketchup
in fine in the bottle or on
the plate, but not on my
shirt).

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Cutting through the
epistemological deadlock of
both Durkheimian project of
defining religion and
Maussian focus on manifestly
religious activities such as

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sacrifice, Mary Douglas
bring us into that fluid
world of the everyday
through her meditation on
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and danger are two concepts
one can find in any society
and any culture. Purity and

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danger are two themes that concern everybody in one's daily encounters, from the miraculous to the quotidian. And yet, each culture ...

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The most surprising thing about reading Mary Douglas's anthropological classic *Purity and Danger: An Analysis of Concepts of Pollution and Taboo*, was my sheer enjoyment of the is a theoretical work, written

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less for a lay audience than
for Douglas's fellow
cultural anthropologists,
and yet her style is clean
and lively, with barbs of
wit to keep things
interesting.4/5.

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danger by Mary Douglas Ebook~~
Douglas' book Purity and
Danger (first published
1966) is an analysis of the
concepts of ritual purity
and pollution in different
societies and times to

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Construct a general concept
on how ritual purity is
established, and is
considered a key text in
social anthropology.

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Purity and Danger marks a

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shift in thought from the early theorists of religion, particularly noticeable in Douglas's move away from the view of people outside of the modern West as "primitives" or "savages."

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~~Purity and Danger by Mary
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Purity and Danger (1966) is an essay about the logic of pollution beliefs, suggesting that ideas about dirt and disorder outline and reinforce particular

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essays exploring...

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Pollution ...~~

Douglas argues for degrees
of purity, where one that

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comes into contact with
someone that is “impure”
also themselves becomes
impure. However, people that
marry outside of their
ascribed race can't be
“ritually purified” in the
sense that Douglas discusses

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analysis of the concepts of
pollution and taboo by Mary
Douglas ©1966 Chapter 6

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provides the materials of
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restriction; from all
possible materials, a
limited selection has been
made and from all possible

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relations a limited set has
been used. So disorder by

~~into the bush. In the course
of his wanderings he ...~~

Most anthropologists know
her 1966 book Purity and
Danger (Douglas 1966, cited

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under Social Organization in
Microcosm), and perhaps
Natural Symbols (Douglas
1970, cited under Variation
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Two themes of the book:
Taboo as a spontaneous
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distinctive categories of
the universe. Taboo protects
the local consensus on how
the ...

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Purity and Danger is
acknowledged as a modern
masterpiece of anthropology.
It is widely cited in non-
anthropological works and

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gave rise to a body of application, rebuttal and development within anthropology. In 1995 the book was included among the Times Literary Supplement's hundred most influential non-fiction works since WWII.

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Incorporating the philosophy of religion and science and a generally holistic approach to classification, Douglas demonstrates the relevance of anthropological enquiries to an audience outside her immediate

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religion to social theory.
But perhaps its most
important role is to offer
each reader a new

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behave in the way they do.
With a specially
commissioned introduction by
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Mary Douglas's seminal work
Purity and Danger
(Routledge, 1966) continues
to be indispensable reading
for both students and
scholars today. Marking the

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Douglas's classic, the
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sciences and humanities, as
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from both established and
emerging scholars, including
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Now is an essential volume
for those working on purity
and impurity across the full

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First printed in 1970,
Natural Symbols is Douglas'
most controversial work. It
represents a work of
anthropology in its widest
sense, exploring themes such
as the social meaning of

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natural symbols and the
image of the body in
society. This work focuses
on the ways in which
cultures select natural
symbols from the body and
how every natural symbol
carries a social meaning.

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She also introduces her grid/group theory, which she sees as a way of keeping together what the social sciences divide and separate. Bringing anthropology in to the realm of religion, Douglas enters

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into the ongoing debate in
religious circles
surrounding meaning and
ritual. The book not only
provides a clear explanation
to four distinct attitudes
to religion, but also
defends hierarchical forms

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of religious organization
and attempts to retain a
balanced judgement between
fundamentalism and
established religion.
Douglas has since
extensively refined the
grid/group theory and has

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applied it to consumer
behaviour, labour movements
and political parties.

This is the first full
length account of the life
and ideas of Mary Douglas,
the British social

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anthropologist whose
publications span the second
half of the twentieth
century. Richard Fardon
covers Douglas' family
background, and the
pervasive influence of her
catholic faith on her

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writings before providing an analysis of two of her most influential works; Purity and Danger (1966) and Natural Symbols (1970). The final section deals with Douglas' more controversial writings in the fields of

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economics, consumption,
religion and risk analysis
in contemporary societies.
Throughout, Fardon
highlights the centrality of
Douglas' role in the history
of anthropology and the
discipline's struggle to

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achieve relevance to
contemporary, western
societies.

Can we know the risks we
face, now or in the future?
No, we cannot; but yes, we
must act as if we do. Some

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dangers are unknown; others are known, but not by us because no one person can know everything. Most people cannot be aware of most dangers at most times.

Hence, no one can calculate precisely the total risk to

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be faced. How, then, do people decide which risks to take and which to ignore? On what basis are certain dangers guarded against and others relegated to secondary status? This book explores how we decide what

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risks to take and which to
ignore, both as individuals
and as a culture.

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