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# The Kuřim Case: A Terrifying True Story Of Child Abuse, Cults & Cannibalism





# **Synopsis**

In May of 2007, in a small, quiet town in the South Moravia region of the Czech Republic, a technical glitch - a simple, accidental crossing of signals - revealed a terrible case of child abuse, and an entire nation watched transfixed with horror as the grisly extent of the perversion of the maternal instinct was revealed. Two small brothers named Jakub and Ondrej, nine and seven years old respectively, were revealed to have suffered confinement, mutilation, psychological brutality, and cannibalism at the hands of several people - foremost among them their own mother and her sister. The ensuing investigation and trial captivated the country as a web of secrecy and manipulation was laid bare. That entire nation's attention was transfixed as the disappearance of a teenage girl revealed a daring case of concealed identity and international intrigue, culminating in a 1,000-mile chase in the depths of a Scandinavian winter. The allegations that were levelled would keep any parent of a young child awake at night. A secretive cult operating in close proximity to children: stealing, forging medical records, and possibly attempting to create a new messiah were in full swing. All the while its members appeared, on the surface, to be models of excellent caregivers. This is the story of the infamous Kuřim Case, an investigation that engrossed the public and media of a whole country for two years. It is a story of intense cruelty and sadism, inflicted on the most vulnerable members of society. If you are especially sensitive to accounts of the suffering of children, you may find it advisable not to listen any farther. If, however, you seek to understand the darker side of human nature by coming face to face with it, then this audiobook is for you.

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### **Customer Reviews**

This book reads like a movie or true crime to episode such as snapped, forensic files, law and order, ect. You feel like you're witnessing the events the way the investigators did. All I'll say about the ending is that there is one. So no wondering what happens afterward. However it will make you think about justice and laws in your own country as well as the reality of the effect cults can have on individuals. Would you ever cross the lines they did? Lastly I liked that this book was written in a way that respected the victims and what they endured.

I love True Crime because I'm fascinated by the strange things that people sometimes do. But I do not like to hear elaborations of abuse and violence, so I was worried about getting this book. Then I read the first few pages for free and was pulled in. Of all of the True Crime cases that I've read about, this one is the strangest! At first the story was a little confusing, but that was because the case itself as it unfolds is a little confusing! The "modus operendi" of one particular person involved is the source of much of the confusion, but that's all I'm going to say here. Ryan Green does a good job of presenting the case in a clear, concise and "no-frills" way. I read the whole book in one afternoon. There are a few typos, I think, but I'm still giving 5 stars. As always with this genre, I just wish I knew what really makes these people tick. Maybe that's natural for a "normal" person because if we knew what made them tick, we might be able to move forward in helping to make these terrible kinds of things stop happening. I'm saying a prayer for the boys who were the victims here.

This breaks my heart to know there are people out there who can do this to a child. Looking at this from a psychiatric point of view was enthralling. To see so many different characteristics on each diagnosis is very informative and makes you want stricter laws in place for people like this

This is a very difficult book to review. It was disturbing, fascinating, chilling. Aside from a couple of typos, it was well written, and reads like an in depth news article. No conclusions are made, but I will wonder how these boys are for quite awhile.

I have read several of your books. This is by far the most heart wrenching. How someone can do that t another human being little lone a child just boggles my mind. I feel the defendants got off way too easily. They should have gotten the death sentence or at least life in prison without parole.

Oh the atrocities these two boys had to endure. I feel that there is way more to this story than what came out. Will read more of your books in the future.

Mr. Green has produced a solid, well-written and well-researched account of a case of extreme child abuse. The abuse was discovered quite by accident when a neighbor was setting up and testing a new baby monitor. The investigation took many twists and turns and revealed several surprises. The trail led to a splinter cult leader with connections to the case. As usual, I have deducted one star for more than ten errors.

Sad but the process of the justice system is very similar to the United States. I found the legalities and the process very interesting. It is just wrong that their sentences were not much longer for their crime.

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