



**John Kenn
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Small Evil Swine

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The internationally renowned master illustrator is lavishing us with a fabulous horror novel, which bears resemblance to *Stranger Things* in its depiction of a group of youngsters in a dramatic fight against evil.

John Kenn Mortensen, the Danish cult illustrator, celebrated by fans around the world for his incredibly detailed illustrations of monsters.

SYNOPSIS

When his mother is admitted with a nervous breakdown, 13-year-old Sebastian is forced to move in with his uncle, who has bought a dilapidated manor house far away, which he is attempting to restore. But Crows Castle has a life of its own and Sebastian quickly senses that a dark evil is stirring. Behind the fog of the moat, a huge three-legged pig occurs and in the dark of night, Sebastian is haunted by nightmares, involving a man with a gigantic axe and three grim children.

Despite his first reservations, Sebastian hooks up with the gang of geeks, known as The Small Evil Swine, at his local school. It turns out to be a very wise move...

REVIEWS

"Mega scary social realism" – (*Information*)

"Fantastic drawings!...one of the most fascinating things I have seen" – (*Berlingske Tidende*)



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Category: *Children's Books*

Sub-category: *YA*

Genre: *Horror*

Themes: *Courage, Friendship, Belonging/Identity, Family, Fear & Anxiety, Growing up*

Territories Handled

World Rights (Babel Bridge)