

# Haunted Houses and the Uncanny Valley: The Gothic and Literary Theory

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## Resources on Part Three: Haunted Houses

### Video clips

*Midsommar* trailer: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1Vnghdsjmd0>

Short film based on 'The Lottery':

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vQQoMcaUz5Y>

*Shirley* trailer: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wxMtEean\\_V8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wxMtEean_V8)

*We Have Always Lived in the Castle* trailer:

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W6CVyg\\_0iKc&t=31s](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W6CVyg_0iKc&t=31s)

*The Haunting of Hill House* trailer: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3eqxXqJDmcY>

### Primary resources

'The Lottery' by Shirley Jackson:

<https://www.newyorker.com/magazine/1948/06/26/the-lottery>

10 Shirley Jackson short stories: <https://www.bustle.com/articles/200133-10-shirley-jackson-short-stories-for-fans-of-the-queen-of-horror>

### Web posts:

Where to start with Shirley Jackson: <https://www.nypl.org/blog/2018/12/14/where-to-start-shirley-jackson>

The short fiction of Shirley Jackson: <https://www.tor.com/2016/12/08/hearts-of-darkness-the-short-fiction-of-shirley-jackson/>

13 spooky books like the Haunting of Hill House:

<https://bookriot.com/2018/11/05/books-like-the-haunting-of-hill-house/>

The Real Horror in the Haunting of Hill House:

<https://www.theatlantic.com/entertainment/archive/2018/10/netflixs-haunting-hill-house-neuters-1959-novel/573595/>

Agoraphobia and an unhappy marriage: the real horror behind The Haunting of Hill House: <https://www.theguardian.com/books/2018/oct/22/pure-fear-how-the-haunting-of-hill-house-opened-a-new-chapter-in-horror-netflix>

10 great haunted house films: <https://www.bfi.org.uk/news-opinion/news-bfi/lists/10-great-haunted-house-films>

Halloween spirits: literature's haunted houses:

<https://www.theguardian.com/books/booksblog/2013/oct/31/halloween-literature-haunted-houses-horace-walpole>

How to Understand the Great Haunted Houses of Literature:

<https://electricliterature.com/a-taxonomy-of-the-great-haunted-houses-of-literature/>

Seven of the most haunted houses in literature:

<https://www.mprnews.org/story/2017/10/05/books-haunted-houses>

WE HAVE ALWAYS LIVED IN THE CASTLE: NOVEL TO  
FILM: <http://www.horrorhomeroom.com/we-have-always-lived-in-the-castle-novel-to-film/?fbclid=IwAR0Hl8sZK404i4L9IDhDt-vkZGG0xITQ0ygBsjRW3mWSj79PE1HQ5eNRWuE>