

# The SCIENCE FICTION Book Club News

## THE LUCIFER EXPERIMENT Adrian Cole

What is the subconscious monster that links a young drug addict, a girl with acute psychic awareness, and a haunted alcoholic?

Why is Earlman, author of bizarre novels and a best-selling but fraudulent work on supernormal phenomena, the only one who can save them from this satanic force?

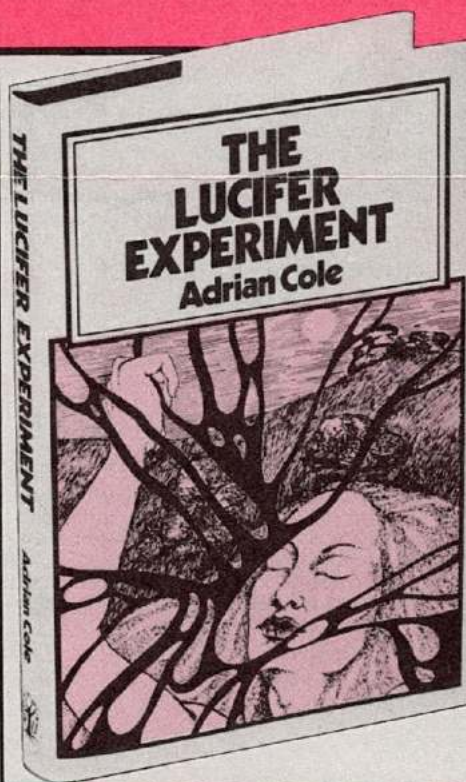
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