

BOOK APPRAISALS

It can sometimes come as a surprise when the books we've treasured over the years and kept carefully on our shelves turn out to be collectible and even valuable items. But do you know what you've got in your collection and would you like to find out more about them?

DID YOU KNOW..... a first edition of *The Hobbit* by J.R.R. Tolkien, in very good condition and with its dust jacket can sell for prices in excess of £15,000?

DID YOU KNOW..... a first edition of *The Great Gatsby* by F. Scott Fitzgerald, in good condition and in its rare dust jacket can sell for prices in excess of £50,000?

DID YOU KNOW..... a first edition of *Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone* by J. K. Rowling can sell for prices in excess of £10,000?

These may be some of the rare examples but quite often books can be worth tens or hundred of pounds depending on who they were written by, when they were published and their condition.

If you have books you think might be unusual, rare or collectible and you'd like to have them valued why not get in touch with us at The Letterpress Project and ask about our ***Book Appraisal Service***.

In the first instance you can contact Karen Argent at karen.argent@btinternet.com or at letterpress@btinternet.com and we'll take it from there.



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