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**Abstract**

**"Folk demonology – as the leading feature of romanticism literature"**

Demonology- complex of mythological ideas and beliefs about evil spirits in another world, which always appears in different forms in this world; set of appropriate mythical, folklore and esoteric works of literature and branch of science devoted to the problem of demonology.

The text gives a valuable information on :

• specific character of demonology that influenced the development of romanticism in Ukrainian culture;

• beliefs in evil spirits and their manifestation in folklore;

• images, types and features of Ukrainian folk demonology.

Presentation includes images of the main ethnical archetypes of demonical powers.

It is designed for theorists of literature, lecturers, students, and for all people who are interested in the mythology of Ukrainian folklore.