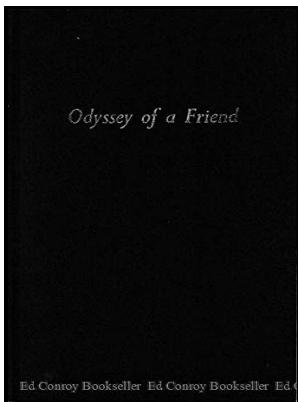


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Ghosts on the Roof, originally published in 1989, brings together more than fifty short stories, essays, articles, and reviews that originally appeared in Time, Life, National Review, Commonweal, The American Mercury, and the New Masses. Even the publication and excellent sales of his extraordinary memoir, Witness, could not erase that caricature from the minds of the elites.

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For those naming names and crying smear, the political is all bitterly personal. Observing the universal, transnational appeal of Communism in his day, he quite naturally concluded that only a creed of comparable ecumenical potential could stand up against it. Nor has he been rehabilitated; despite the Medal of Freedom he was given posthumously by Ronald Reagan, there is still no sign of forgiving revisionism among the historians.

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It is altogether fitting that the 20th Century, which Chambers did so much to redeem, ended with his reputation ascendant and those of his opponents in rapid decline. It was, in another part, a defensive response to the criticism of intellectuals at home and abroad that the country was uncouth. Simpson case of the 1990's were to some extent examples of this phenomena.

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A man of profound pessimism, rare vision, and remarkable literary talents, his continuing importance was attested to when Ronald Reagan posthumously awarded him the Medal of Freedom in 1984. In March 1947 the Cold War was still in its early stages, but implications of the prefatory note were clear enough: with the responsibility for the defense of Western Civilization now transferred from Europe to the United States, the new trustees needed some instruction regarding what, exactly, it was they were preserving and developing. He was teaching history at the North Carolina College for Negroes and his name was John Hope Franklin.

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