

How media covered Claude Lévi-Strauss' 100th birthday

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100 years ago he was born - Claude Lévi-Strauss - one of the most famous and influential anthropologists in the world. A quick Google News search revealed that there are some articles in some newspapers around the world (not so many in English than in German

(<http://www.antropologi.info/blog/ethnologie/ethnologie.php?p=3303&more=1&c=1&tb=1&pb=1>), though - let alone French I suppose...).

Here is a selection of articles:

100th-Birthday Tributes Pour in for Lévi-Strauss

(<http://www.nytimes.com/2008/11/29/books/29levi.html>) (New York Times 29.11.08)

Patrick Wilcken: The century of Claude Lévi-Strauss

(http://entertainment.timesonline.co.uk/tol/arts_and_entertainment/the_tls/article5035934.ece) (How the great anthropologist, now approaching his 100th birthday, has earned a place in the prestigious Pléiade library - The Times Literary Supplement 29.11.08)

Dan Sperber: Claude Lévi-Strauss at 100: echo of the future

(<http://www.opendemocracy.net/article/claude-levi-strauss-at-100-echo-of-the-future>) (Lévi-Strauss was the pioneer of a true “cognitive anthropology” - OpenDemocracy, 28.11.08)

Lévi-Strauss, a French icon, turns 100

(<http://www.iht.com/articles/2008/11/28/europe/france.php>) (France celebrated with films, lectures and free admission to the museum he inspired, the Musée du Quai Branly - International Herald Tribune, 28.11.08)

100 Candles for Claude Levi-Strauss

(<http://chronicle.com/review/brainstorm/index.php?id=1003>) (The Chronicle of Higher Education, 25.11.08)

Anthropologist Claude Levi-Strauss Turns 100

(<http://www.npr.org/templates/story/story.php?storyId=97372666&ft=1&f=1004>) (NPR, 23.11.08)

Benjamin Ivry: Claude of the Jungle. The other Lévi-Strauss turns 100

(<http://www.forward.com/articles/14517/>) (The Forward, 6.11.08)

There many blog posts about Levi-Strauss' birthday.

The Savage Minds bloggers have collected a large number of Levi-Strauss quotes (<http://savageminds.org/category/levi-strauss/>).

Daniel Miller from Material World has written A tribute to Professor Claude Levi-Strauss

(http://blogs.nyu.edu/projects/materialworld/2008/11/a_century_of_levistrauss.html). Another Material World-blogger, Laurence Douny, has made a special

birthday card

(http://blogs.nyu.edu/projects/materialworld/2008/11/a_card_for_levi_strauss.html) for him.

Steve at What Do I Know wrote two (<http://whatdoino-steve.blogspot.com/2008/11/claude-levi-strauss-one-hundredth.html>) posts (http://www.whatdoino-steve.blogspot.com/2008/11/claude-levi-strauss-one-hundredth_18.html) - no three (<http://whatdoino-steve.blogspot.com/2008/11/claude-lvi-strauss-one-hundredth.html>).

Jason Baird Jackson blogged The Anthropologist as Hero: Claude Lévi-Strauss on his 100th Birthday (<http://jasonbairdjackson.com/2008/11/29/the-anthropologist-as-hero-claude-levi-strauss-on-his-100th-birthday/>), and also Maximilian Forte at Open Anthropology says Happy Belated Birthday, Claude Lévi-Strauss (<http://openanthropology.wordpress.com/2008/11/29/happy-belated-birthday-claude-levi-strauss/>)

Anthropologist Stephen Chrisomalis has never been much of a fan of Levi-Strauss' work, but sees the real value of Levi-Strauss' work "is an attempt (however imperfect) to build anthropological theory through the comparative use of anthropological data", he writes in his post Structuralism and comparativism (<http://glossographia.wordpress.com/2008/11/29/structuralism-and-comparativism/>)

Robert K. Blechman explains Claude Lévi-Strauss's contribution to Media Ecology (<http://robertkblechman.blogspot.com/2008/11/happy-100th-birthday-claude-lvi-strauss.html>)

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