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Von Tanya Huff

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**Von Tanya Huff : Summon the Keeper (Keeper's Chronicles)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Summon the Keeper (Keeper's Chronicles):

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delightful! Von Tina W This book was a fun, delightful read. It was chock full of great characters. Claire, the Keeper, finds herself the caretaker of the Bed and Breakfast from Hell. She inherits a sexy ghost, a guest in room six who has been asleep for 40 years, a hunky caretaker who happens to be the most trustworthy person in the world ("Total strangers probably handed him their packages while they bent to tie shoelaces"), and a gateway to Hell in the basement. With the help of her smarter-than-you-or-me cat, Austin, Claire deals with all of this plus the temptations of Hell and a slew of interesting out-of-this world guests. The overnight visit of the geriatric, ex-Olympic Gods and Goddesses is by itself worth a second read ("Aphrodite travels with more clothing than Ginger took on that 3 hour cruise"). I sincerely hope this is the beginning of a series. How many other books out there can I read where Hell laments that no one knows the classics anymore when his reference to Citizen Kane goes unrecognized? I recommend.

3 von 3 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Truly fun reading! Von Terry L. McElrath At the risk of sounding like Oliver Twist, "Can I have more, please?" This is a wonderful book, which truly needs to be only the first in a long series. My husband and I both enjoyed this book immensely. It is funny, poignant and highly entertaining! Part of it's charm is the fact that Claire, the main character (after Austin the Cat, of course!), is NOT perfect. She can be positively dense and is certainly not a people-person (not surprising, given her job responsibilities, plus you have to give her a break due to her age). Also, I could really use Dean at home. . . . sigh. Austin is wonderful! I've known cats like him, but they just didn't have his panache. I highly recommend this book to anyone with a sense of humor.

1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Great scifi humorous look at metaphysics. Von Ein Kunde There are some who disparage this book for being too light hearted, and if you only serious works .. well then again the whole vampire series is pretty funny too. For many of us there are times when nothing but a great light hearted book can fulfill the need, and I have read this one ten times through. I see plenty of character development. I find rapid character development to be unrealistic. This book's plot takes place all in a couple weeks, max. It sets the scene for more, wonderful adventures. As was mentioned, Austin the cat was great. Obviously Tanya Huff is owned by cats, as I am. Of course, the cat isn't going to change, they just get better at control. Now Jaques changed!! Others.. not to spoil.. did not. And frankly, most self centered people don't. As a willfull woman myself, I see many changes beginning in Claire. When big things happen, the change follows slowly. The seed is sown, but don't look for the sprout for awhile. The only people I have seen have rapid personality change, have changed right back a months or years later. Claire will change more slowly, but it will take. All too often growth is painful. But it CAN happen with lots of happiness and laughter as well. My cat ate the book. I have to order another now.

Kurzbeschreibung Discover the first book in the Keeper's Chronicles, where a young woman becomes master of the possibilities of time and space, maintaining the balance between worlds to protect Earth. Austin was a black and white, far-from-young cat. Not just any cat, mind you, he was the Keepers cat, a very outspoken feline with extremely strong opinions he was always willing to voice. After all, who knew better than Austin what was best for the well-being of Claire and for the not-quite-as-important rest of the universe? Claire Hansen was a Keeper, a member of that select group that kept the universe in one piece. And now shed been Summoned to the Elysian Fields Guesthouse, a rundown bed-and-breakfast that seemed to attract the most unusual clientele. And Claire was not happy about this latest assignment, not happy at all. Not when shed been tricked into taking over here by a horrible little gnome of a man whod abandoned his post before shed even figured out who he really was. Not when room six held a resident whod been sleeping there for so many years that she really needed a good dusting except that it was far too dangerous for anyone to get that close to her. Not when the basement housed too much temptation for anyones mental health. Not when she found herself surrounded by helpers as distracting as Dean, the hunky-yet-innocent handyman, and Jacques, a ghost with a real lust for life. And especially not when it looked like this might be the not only her most challenging mission, but one shed be stuck handling for life.....deEver notice that the boundary between the supernatural and mundane worlds is very thin in eastern Canada? Tanya Huff made Toronto a vampire territory and hotbed of evil eruptions (Blood Price, Blood Trail, Blood Lines, Blood Pact, Blood Debt). Now she moves to Kingston, Ontario, for Summon the Keeper. Claire Hansen, the Keeper, is summoned to the Elysian Fields Guest House to reseal a hole in the basement, which is literally an opening to Hell. The owner and monitor of the site disappears, leaving Claire stuck managing the place until the problem is solved. Her new employee, Dean McIssac, is a gorgeous Newfie who cooks, cleans, and lives the Boy Scout oath. Then there's Jacques Labaet: very French Canadian, very sexy, very dead. Jacques is a ghost who wants to be the man in Claire's life. Oh yeah, and there's Austin, a talking cat with attitude: "I barely know you, but I'm assuming you're human. I'm not saying this is a good thing, it's just the way it is." Huff keeps the plot moving and the quips coming to the very end. Fans of Buffy the Vampire Slayer and Laurell K. Hamilton's Anita Blake: Vampire Hunter series will find this novel light but refreshing. --Nona Vero Pressestimmen Praise for the Keeper's Chronicles: There are plenty of odd characters and touches of unexpected magic and humor to keep things moving for a contemporary fantasy thats lots of fun. Locus No one tickles the funnybone and chills the blood better than Tanya Huff.... With screamingly funny dialogue and sharp plotting, Ms. Huff makes every word a positively

delightful experience in this imaginative tale. Romantic Times Fans of humorous fantasy will enjoy this fast-moving tale, as will cat lovers and anyone else who can suspend disbelief and settle back for a good time. VOYA This book is entertainment, pure and simple.... A thoroughly satisfying story. SF Site An abundance of wita strong fantasy which wins on its solid and refreshingly different, wry humor. Library Bookwatch Great reading for a hot summer night when you want to be whisked away to another world. SF Chronicle Tanya Huffs new series is a brilliant creation.... The storyline is riveting with never a dull moment. Omni Magazine