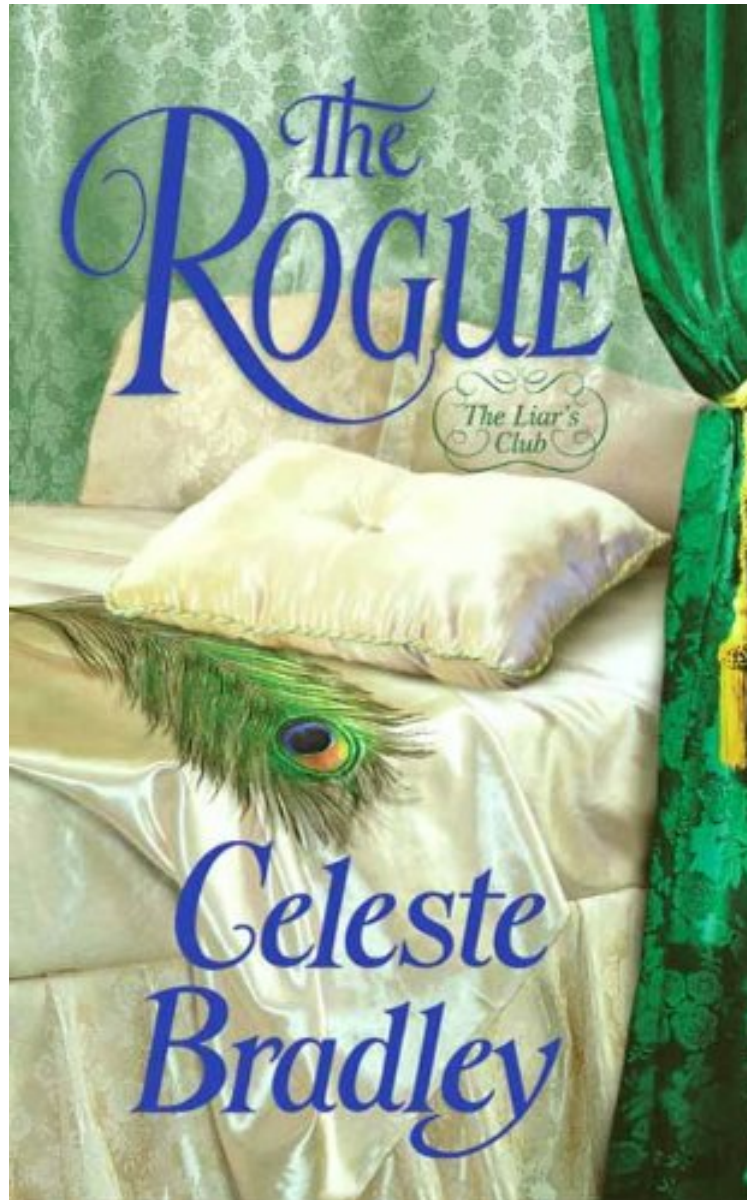


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen4 von 4 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Teil 5 der Liar's-Club-Serie ist wieder ein ansanter und bezaubernder historischer LiebesromanVon LoveLetter MagazinDer

anhaltende Besuch Lady Jane Penningtons bei ihren Londoner Verwandten ist geprägt von langweiligen Abendgesellschaften, deren wichtigster Anlass ist, ihren Cousinen einträgliche Ehemänner zu beschaffen. Jane gilt bei den jungen Gentleman als Giftzahn, auch "Lady Pain" genannt, soll sie doch schon etliche Anträge von Bewunderern wenig diplomatisch abgelehnt haben. Da weckt Ethan Damont ihr Interesse. Und das, obwohl ihr der verrufene Glücksspieler ohne nennenswerten familiären Hintergrund in einer ziemlich unvorteilhaften Lage begegnet. Trotzdem will sie ihn näher kennenlernen. Ethan würde allerdings am liebsten gar nicht mehr ins Haus ihres Onkels zurückkehren. Doch dann erfährt er, dass der ein Spion sein soll, und wird mehr gedrängt als gebeten, für die kriegstreuen Agenten der Liars Ermittlungen anzustellen. Wenn nur nicht diese betrende Jane wäre ...In der Liar's-Club-Serie, eng verbandelt mit der Royal-Four-Reihe, taucht Celeste Bradley regelmäßig ins britische Regency ab, um mit ihren schneidigen Kämpfern für die Krone Britannien vor seinen Frankreich zugehörigen Feinden zu schützen. Der fünfte Teil enthält all das, weshalb die Romane so berschnellig gefeiert werden. Denn auch dieses Buch strotzt vor anspruchsvollen Dialogen, Figuren zum Liebhaben, egal ob in Haupt- oder auch den Nebenrollen wie der unkonventionellen Dienerschaft, und einem fesselnden, überraschenden Plot im historischen Geheimagenten-Milieu. Sein Hintergrund als Lebemann und Spieler ohne ethische Grundstze macht Ethan besonders schillernd. Er ist zur Abwechslung einmal kein tugendhafter Held, besitzt aber durchaus Anstand. Jane ist zwar unerfahren, jedoch keineswegs naiv. Zusammen bilden sie ein Paar, bei dem die Anziehungskraft einfach stimmt, was diesen historischen Liebesroman so bezaubernd macht. (TD)

Kurzbeschreibung Ethan Damont's legendary gambling skills have earned him a place at the gaming tables of London's most exclusive homes. He has used his dubious place in Society to aid The Liar's Club. But his latest favor to the group has not only put his life in danger-it has thrown him together with the woman who tempts him to forgo his rakish ways. Lady Jane Pennington is the ravishing niece of a suspected traitor. Now it's Ethan's job to discover if the woman he finds irresistible is naive to her uncle's deceit-or guilty of treason against the Crown...Jane can barely wait for the Season to end-until she meets Ethan Damont. After a humiliating first encounter, Jane expects a scoundrel like Ethan to joke at her expense. Instead, he behaves like a perfect gentleman. But just as Jane finds herself overcome by her desire for Ethan, he takes her captive. Suddenly, she is pulled into a dangerous world where it's impossible to know who is friend-and who is foe. Will Ethan prove to be her undoing...or the love she has always longed for?From BooklistThe last time Ethan Damont inadvertently become mixed up with the Liar's Club, he nearly got himself killed. Thus, Ethan is a tad reluctant to accept the renegade band of spies' invitation to join up until he discovers that their latest assignment involves Lady Jane Pennington. The Liar's Club wants Ethan to use his skills as a gentleman gambler to get close to Jane's uncle, Lord Harold Maywell, who is suspected of being a traitor to the Crown. Since their first unconventional encounter left Ethan wanting to get to know the sharp-tongued Jane better, he is tempted into accepting the mission, desperately hoping that Jane isn't tangled up in her uncle's treacherous web of deceit. Bradley continues her luscious Liar's Club series with another tale of danger and desire, and as always her clever prose is imbued with a wicked wit. Readers who like their Regency historicals passionate, perilous, and laced with insouciant charm will find Bradley's books to be a wonderful indulgence. John CharlesCopyright American Library Association. All rights reservedPressestimmenTHE CHARMER"Wonderfully sexy!"-Teresa Medeiros, New York Times bestselling author THE SPY "Only a clever wordsmith can make this complex, suspenseful tale work so perfectly. Bradley pulls us into the wonderful world of the Liar's Club and gives us a nonstop read brimming with puzzle after puzzle."--RT Bookclub "With its wonderfully witty writing, superbly matched protagonists, and intrigue-steeped plot, the third of Bradley's Liars Club historicals is every bit as much fun as The Pretender and The Impostor."-Booklist "A must for readers of the Liars Club series and a good bet for those who haven't yet started...I unhesitatingly recommend."--All About Romance "Ms. Bradley has an effortless style to her prose."-The Romance Reader "A Top Pick...the best of [The Liar's Club] so far. Bless Celeste Bradley...she just seems to get better at it as she goes along."-Romance Reader at Heart THE IMPOSTOR"Bradley carefully layers deception upon deception, keeping the intrigue level high and the tone bright...readers will race through this delightful comedy of errors and eagerly anticipate the next installment."--Publishers Weekly "With delicious characters and a delectable plot, Bradley delivers another enticing read brimming with the mayhem and madness that come with falling in love when you least expect it. The devilishly funny double identities, witty dialogue, and clever twists will captivate."--RT Bookclub (Top Pick) "Don't miss this second book of the Liar's Club series. With humor, passion and mystery, it's absolutely delightful in every way! I can't wait for the next one."--Old Book Barn and Gazette THE PRETENDER"Funny and touching...totally entertaining."--Julia Quinn, New York Times bestselling author of Romancing Mr. Bridgerton "Bradley beautifully manipulates the sinfully sensual yet delicately romantic relationship...into an irresistible and supremely satisfying love stor