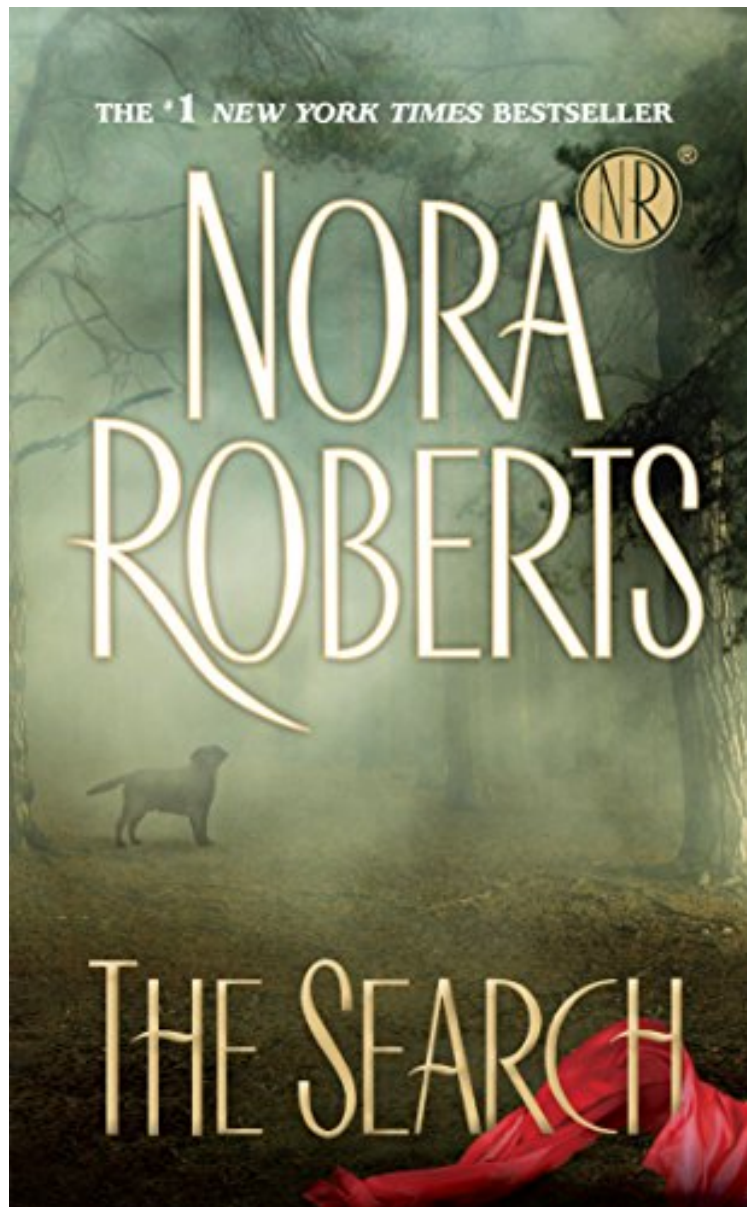


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen23 von 24 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Fantastic!Von Katzenjammer123Reading a book by Nora Roberts is like gaining a whole set of new friends.Fiona

Bristow leads a quiet and fulfilled life on Orcas Island. She runs a dog school, leads a canine search and rescue group and adores living with her three dogs. When she meets Simon Doyle and his dog Jaws (you have to adore him!) she doesn't want to be interested in the moody and blunt wood artist. Ever since she nearly became the victim of the Red Scarf serial killer who later murdered her fiancé she has been staying away from relationships with men. Simon is also not really interested in starting something with Fiona. Living on small Orcas Island and with his playful puppy is a new experience for him and he enjoys being single. However the more time Fiona and Simon spend together through obedience training for Jaws the more the attraction between them grows. When a copycat killer starts to murder young women and it seems that Fiona might be his final victim everything changes. Staying back is no longer an option for Simon and he will do everything to make sure that Fiona stays safe. Once again Nora Roberts created a great and very entertaining novel. What I enjoyed about "The Search" are the likable, realistic characters and especially the detailed description of Fiona's job, her life on Orcas Island and her relationship with Simon. IMO this book is the perfect choice for a quiet weekend when you have time for yourself and can really dip into the story. It took me some pages to get into the book but then I loved it. I always appreciate it when an author describes her characters and what is important to them in detail so I enjoyed reading all the little things about Fiona's life and her business. At the end of the book I felt like Fiona, Simon and co. were like friends. I would definitely have something to talk about with them because I learned so much of their life through this book. I'm not really a dog lover (cats all the way!) but still I enjoyed reading about the dogs and especially the search and rescue missions fascinated me. The book starts with one of these missions and that really helped me to get a connection with Fiona and her dogs. Fiona is a true survivor and she's a very strong woman. I enjoyed everything about her and Simon's relationship. Simon is a bit moody and says just what he thinks. He reminds me a bit of Brody from "Angels Fall" who is one of my favourite heroes ever. There are some really funny scenes when Simon tries to handle Jaws and also when he tries to fight against his feelings for Fiona. I loved how protective he became of her even though he didn't really want to. The mystery part of the book is not too dark and it's not about figuring out who the killer is. It's more like a character study of the murderers and how it affects the life of Fiona and the people close to her. I enjoyed that the book is not overly dramatic because that wouldn't have worked for me. So, if you love a book full of multifaceted characters, an intelligent and thrilling mystery plot and a detailed way of writing then "The Search" by Nora Roberts is a book you should read.

2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Man kann's mit der Hundeerziehung auch betreiben Von Petra Pfaffenberger Im Gegensatz zu vielen anderen NR Romanen, von denen ich mich gut bis sehr gut unterhalten gefühlt habe, lag mir dieser nicht. Ich fand die Grundstory ganz gelungen, dass Fiona vor vielen Jahren einem Frauenmörder entkommen konnte, nun von ihrer Vergangenheit wieder eingeholt wird, als erneut Frauenmorde quer durch die Staaten passieren. Wie auch in anderen NR Romanen steht dem Opfer ein attraktiver Mann zur Seite. Alles gut und schön. Auch dass Fiona als Hundecoach arbeitet und Search Rescuehunde ausbildet ist interessant. ABER: Ich wollte kein Buch über Hundeerziehung lesen, sondern einen Romantic Suspense. Wer NR Romane liest, kennt ihre Verbundenheit zur Hunden. Aber diesmal hat sie es für meinen Geschmack echt betrieben. Zwischen all den Hundeerziehungsmaßnahmen und Rescue-Einsätzen bleibt kaum Spielraum für die Thrillerhandlung. Auch Simon, mag er noch so einen tollen Körper haben, blieb er mir in seiner harschen Art bis zum Schluss unsympathisch. Mag sein, dass manche Frauen auf diesen Typ abfahren, aber ich fand sein Benehmen oft einfach furchtbar ungehobelt. Auch die Entwicklung Fionas von einer starken, selbstbewussten Frau, die sich ihr Leben nach der Flucht alleine wieder aufgebaut hat, zu einem pedantisch ordnungsliebenden, putzschäftigen Staubwedel hin, fand ich nicht nachvollziehbar. Vor allem, da die gute Frau wohl nichtens das alles erledigen musste, da sie ja Tagsüber mit all der Hundeerziehung vollauf beschäftigt war. Das Ende kam auch ohne böhmischer Showdown, was mich weiter enttäuschte. Alles in allem: ein durchschnittlicher NR Romantic Suspense. Doch es gibt viel bessere von ihr.

2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Booooh ! Sleeping pill effect ! Von booktiger This story is the most boring... pages over pages the loving characters quarrel if they want to depend on each other or not, if they are attracted to each other or not, if they love each other or not - if they are balanced - or not. Then as often - oh my dogs, oh my dog training and how dog training is actually life guiding and fulfilling, bla, bla, bla, ... and then the good looking, athletic people - all dog owners of course ! - living their sheltered life on a paradise island, caring for each other, being sooo creative and eating fast food out of fridge or take out, because, attention "a flaw!" they do not like or do cooking... jeez, what crap. The crime story is shallow at its best, the love story ... see above. Over 400 pages long ! Sorry, this book is a waste of time, money and more. Dogs and dogtraining ? I am sure there are probably better books to gain information on this topic, too. I finished it only, because it was the only book around to read during vacation....and was not rewarded by a change or surprising event during the last 300 pages... Yawn... you need a sleeping pill ? This one could be a substitute...

Kurzbeschreibung A canine Search and Rescue volunteer fights danger and finds love in the Pacific Northwest wilderness in this riveting #1 New York Times bestseller from Nora Roberts. To most people, Fiona Bristow seems to have an idyllic life: a quaint house on an island off Seattle's coast, a thriving dog-training school and a challenging

volunteer job performing Canine Search and Rescue. But Fiona got to this point by surviving a nightmare: an encounter with the Red Scarf Killer, who shot and killed Fiona's cop fiancé and his K-9 partner. On Orcas Island, Fiona has found the peace and solitude necessary to rebuild her life with her three loyal Labs. But all that changes on the day intensely private wood artist Simon Doyle barrels up her drive with an out-of-control puppy, desperate for her help. As Fiona embarks on training Jaws, and Simon begins to appreciate both dog and trainer, the past tears back into Fiona's life. A copycat killer has emerged out of the shadows, a man whose bloodlust has been channeled by a master with one motive: to reclaim the woman who slipped out of his hands...*Pressestimmen* A thrilling read that leaves you wanting more (**** THE SUN) American writer Nora Roberts is the most-borrowed adult fiction author in Irish libraries, and her latest, *The Search*, sucks you in right from the off with a page-turning mix of romance and impending tragedy' IRISH INDEPENDENT ('Roberts blends romance, crime, sex, drama and escapism in this page-turner IMAGE MAGAZINE) Drama and romance mingle with beautiful scenery and Robert's easy, relaxing style is perfect escapism. Like the best of guilty pleasures, warm a cup of hot chocolate, rug up and enjoy this all afternoon and into the evening' WEST AUSTRALIAN ('A genuinely gripping ride' AUSTRALIAN WOMEN'S WEEKLY) *Pressestimmen* 'A thrilling read that leaves you wanting more' **** THE SUN 'American writer Nora Roberts is the most-borrowed adult fiction author in Irish libraries, and her latest, *The Search*, sucks you in right from the off with a page-turning mix of romance and impending tragedy' IRISH INDEPENDENT 'Roberts blends romance, crime, sex, drama and escapism in this page-turner IMAGE MAGAZINE 'Drama and romance mingle with beautiful scenery and Roberts' easy, relaxing style is perfect escapism. Like the best of guilty pleasures, warm a cup of hot chocolate, rug up and enjoy this all afternoon and into the evening' WEST AUSTRALIAN 'A genuinely gripping ride' AUSTRALIAN WOMEN'S WEEKLY