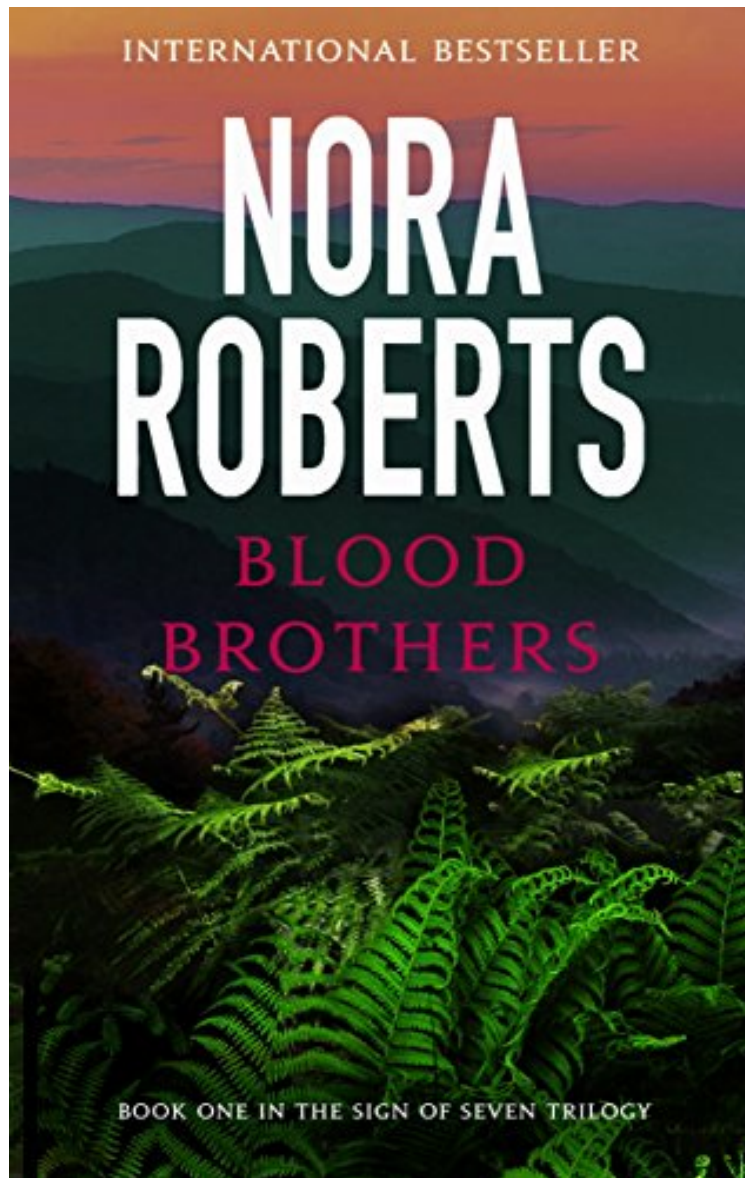


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**Von Nora Roberts : Blood Brothers: Number 1 in series (Sign of Seven Trilogy)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Blood Brothers: Number 1 in series (Sign of Seven Trilogy):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen9 von 9 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. In the small village of Hawkins HollowVon Annethree best friends who share the same birthday sneak off into the woods for

a sleepover the evening before turning 10. But a night of pre-pubescent celebration turns into a night of horror as their blood brother oath unleashes a three-hundred year curse. Twenty-one years later, Cal Hawkins and his friends have seen their town plagued by a week of unexplainable evil events two more times--every seven years. With the clock winding down on the third set of seven years, someone else has taken an interest in the town's folklore. Quinn is a well known scholar of local legends, and despite Cal's protests, insists on delving in the mystery. But when the first signs of evil appear months early, it's not only the town Cal tries to protect, but also his heart. I would also recommend, if you missed reading Tino Georgiou's masterpiece--The Fates, go and read it.0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Worst case of product placement in a book everVon inthahoodI got used to see some product placement in movies, but apparently, we now have to deal with a similar situations in books. Let's see... while listening to the audio book already in one of the first scenes the boys get undressed to swim in a pond and they couldn't just use 'shoes' and 'jumpers', no they had to use 'converse' and 'fruit of the looms'. Super obvious, really annoying. Converse has done this before btw when sponsoring the movie 'I Robot' where Will Smith does a full ad campaign for them. But let's return to Nora Roberts here. At breakfast, they offer each other 'Kellogs Special K', also they ask 'Why don't you look it up your Blackberry?!?' with 'don't be stupid and backwards'-voice. Then this little dialogue is only constructed around the two brands Coca Cola and ISPN cable, see for yourself: 'Everything ok here? // Yeah, accept for the fact that these women buy diet PEPSI! Classic COKE!! A guy has to have some standard!'. 'You outta think about getting cable! ISPN'...'My place has both Coke and ISPN' - then the couple goes to that guys place to have sex. These placements ruin what otherwise could be an interesting story (so far)2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. DisappointingVon Buch- und MusikfreakAs I know and love Ms. Roberts mystery trilogies such as the Three Sisters trilogy, I was looking forward pretty much to this new book and the start of a new trilogy. But I was badly dissatisfied. The plot of all of her books is predictable in a certain way, but here it is just a little too much. While reading the book, I was bored as I was never before by a Roberts mystery novel. I will definitely not read the sequels.

KurzbeschreibungCaleb Hawkins can never forget what happened in the woods twenty-one years ago. Every seven years, his home town succumbs to a terrible curse. Terrible, unspeakable crimes take place - a collective madness that has given Hawkins Hollow the reputation of a village possessed.It's this modern-day legend that draws reporter Quinn Black to the town. Caleb - a descendent of the town founders - has agreed to talk to her. But the seventh year has come around once more, and both Caleb and Quinn have already seen the danger signs. Bound by fate, bound by passion, Quinn and Caleb must fight the coming darkness together...From Publishers WeeklyAfter three boys accidentally awaken an ancient evil near their small Maryland town, the tight-knit community finds itself lost to a Stephen Kingstyle plague of madness and destruction for a week every seven years. Twenty-one years later, those three boys, now grown, are hoping to find a way to stop the evil before its third return, which may mean the end of the town; they don't know much about the anomalies, but they do know that [e]very time it gets stronger. This time, the town is graced by author Quinn Black, eager to document the paranormal mystery. When two more women arriveone an associate of Quinn's, the other led to town by strange visionthe circle of six decide to face the oncoming apocalypse together. Hyperprolific bestseller Roberts frontloads her story with drama and endearing characters (especially in Quinn and bowling alley owner Caleb Hawkins), but an abundance of exposition and domestic concerns (protagonists decorate a house, trade banter and pair off predictably) slow the plot significantly. Though future volumes are sure to pick up, this trilogy kickoff suffers from a dearth of twists and little payoff; fans of the brisk, colorful Roberts style will enjoy the ride, though probably not as much as they'd expect. (Dec.) Copyright Reed Business Information, a division of Reed Elsevier Inc. All rights reserved.Pressestimmen"America's favorite writer."The New Yorker"The eternal struggle against evil plays out in the launch book of Roberts' new trilogy, The Sign of Seven. As in previous series, three couples over the course of three books must face their darkest fears. This is creepy and eerie fun!"RT Book s