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Von Tanya Huff

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**Von Tanya Huff : Blood Price (Blood Series)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Blood Price (Blood Series):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen17 von 17 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Excellent Series, for books about a PI and a Romance WriterVon Ein KundeI really enjoyed this novel, and all the

others that followed. I'm a sort of fan of vampire fiction, from the sublime (A Taste of Blood Wine), to the extremely cheesy (too many to mention here). When I first picked up the book, it was at a friend's recommendation. I didn't expect to much..come on, an (almost) blind detective and a vampire romance writer working together? Still, I was very pleasantly surprised. First of all, I'm a sucker for fantasy books set in Canada. So much is set in the States, or in Europe, or in Worlds Beyond. But to read something that takes place an hour and a half from where I live...cool. I knew where they were searching, where they lived, where things were happening, and Huff described it well. Secondly, the characters were so much better than I thought. They had depth...motivation, a sense of history, definite personalities (talk about rocks and hard places!), and little quirks that made them seem real. The friction between the three main characters is tangible, but I could see why they liked each other, too. Third, there was a plot. The characters had a purpose, and it had a bit more to it than good-vs-evil. Each of the books also explored other 'issues' (at the risk of sounding cheesy): isolation, family, power, tolerance, bigotry... Fourth, the books were funny. Not laugh a minute joke books. They were serious, and dealt with serious issues. Still, Huff never let her books get bogged down with their own seriousness. She let it be funny, just when you needed it the most. So, I really enjoyed the series. I think I liked the first book the most (hence my review here instead of in Blood Pact, for example), but that might just be sentiment talking. I wish there were more books like these out there.

5 von 5 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Very good  
Von Suzatm  
This is the first in the series featuring Vicki, Celluci and Henry Fitzroy. I read these a little out of sequence where I read the third one first - so I will say again that it is best to read these in order. In reading Blood Price it gave me the background of the main characters and how they all met. I was not looking for a detective novel, I was looking for pure entertainment where the real world could be suspended for awhile. And I found it. I really like the three main characters and am looking forward to reading the remaining three books. Tanya Huff does a really good job at describing the many emotions and thrills in the book - from horror, fear, despair, happiness, love, desire.....I think she did a great job.

2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Fast paced, tension filled read with top notch characters  
Von Ein Kunde  
Victory Nelson, a former homicide officer turned private investigator, stumbles upon a grisly murder scene where the victim appears to have been ravaged by a vampire. She quickly finds herself deeply entangled in the case when a victim's girlfriend hires her to follow the vampire angle after the Police refuse to believe vampires exist. Henry Fitzroy, a vampire, has his own personal agenda for finding this apparent vampire killer. Sure he drinks blood but he's not a killer. He's just trying to eke out a living as a romance writer and maintain a low profile in order to avoid having his head cut off and stuffed with garlic by superstitious, hysteria driven fanatics. Norman Birdwell, a stereotypical High School geek (complete with pocket protector), has been raising demons to seek revenge on all of those who have laughed at him. As Norman becomes obsessed with his newfound power he gets a little arrogant and unleashes a force he can't control. Vicki and Henry join forces and find themselves confronting an evil more terrifying than they first assumed. If they can't track down the man behind the murders all hell is going to break loose. Blood Price is a fast paced, tension filled read that shows us the dangers of the media and confronts us with the madness that is concealed just under the surface of many of us. The darkness is balanced with just the right amount of subtle humor like the following gem: "Anything much happen today?" Greg asked sliding into the recently vacated chair. He should've waited a little longer. It was still warm. He hated sitting in a chair warmed by someone else's butt. Great stuff!

As I'm always fascinated with age old vampires, I was enthralled with the glimpses into Henry's past. The spark that was ignited between Vicki and Henry leaves the reader dying to know where these captivating characters are headed. I can't wait to start the next book

Kurzbeschreibung  
The Blood Books are now available in "Blood Ties" TV tie-in editions. View our TV tie-in feature page here here. Vicki Nelson, formerly of Toronto's homicide unit and now a private detective, witnesses the first of many vicious attacks that are now plaguing the city of Toronto. As death follows unspeakable death, Vicki is forced to renew her tempestuous relationship with her former partner, Mike Celluci, to stop these forces of dark magic along with another, unexpected ally Henry Fitzroy, the illegitimate son of King Henry VIII, has learned over the course of his long life how to blend with humans, how to deny the call for blood in his veins. Without him, Vicki and Mike would not survive the ancient force of chaos that has been unleashed upon the world but in doing so, his identity may be exposed, and his life forfeit.

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Praise for the series: An interesting departure from the many vampire books now available. It provides an entertaining and engrossing story for leisure reading. *Kliatt* A suspenseful story that deals with the emotional content of the situation rather than the obvious potential for overt horror. *Science Fiction Chronicle* Huff has retained her humor along with her horror, her characters have continued to develop, and her plots are quirky and original. *VOYA* Explores the borders of death and beyond with an intensity that is only partially lightened by touches of ironic humor. Written with the authors usual flair for realistic fantasy. *Library Journal* "A yummy concoction of equal parts fantasy and mystery, throwing in a splash of humor and a dash of romance to beguile the palate quite delightfully.... Ms. Huff manages to develop all her different plot threads to marvelous effect. How could anyone resist this vastly entertaining pastiche?" *RT Book s* From the Trade Paperback

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