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**Von Devon Monk : Magic in the Blood (Allie Beckstrom)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Magic in the Blood (Allie Beckstrom):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen8 von 9 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. An excellent follow-up to Magic in the BoneVon Curls Up With A Book"Magic in the Blood" is the sequel to "Magic to the Bone" and goes a long way towards establishing Devon Monk as one of the top Urban Fantasy writers out there.Allie, having largely forgotten the events happening in book one due to her "special" relationship with magic, is

hired by the police to Hound the disappearings of a couple of teenage girls. Of course, Zayvion is along for the ride and Allie tentavily makes contact with other hounds in the city - the rather isolated "I can do it all on my own" - Allie of book one learns that some backup from time to time ist not the worst idea. Overall a great plot, characters we thought dead make an appearance again, we find out more about why magic goes haywire around Allie and there is a great final showdown with more than enough twists to explore in the next book (Magic in the Shadows coming November 2009 - gotta love fast writers!)Overall this book is at least as good as the first installment, great Urban Fantasy in the realm of Patricia Briggs (who incidentally gave her a good review), Kim Harrison or Ilona Andrews. If you liked Magic to the Bone - buy this book. If you haven't read the first book you should really start there before reading Magic in the Blood.0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Allie reloaded: Magic in the BloodVon Brainwashed Turanga Leela"Magic in the blood" in the blood schliet wenige wochen nach den geschehnissen des ersten bandes "Magic in the Bone" an.Alli hat nach ihrem Koma smmtliche Geschehnisse des ersten Bandes vergessen. Das schlie sowohl ihre Verwendung von wilder Magie als auch ihre Beziehung zu Zayvion mit ein.Im neuen Band muss sich Alli nun mit ihrem vor Kurzem verstorbenen vater erumschlagen. Er starb unter mysterisen Umstnden, und eines Abends zu Anfang des buches steht erbei ihr im Bad. Irgendwie durchsichtig, irgentwie nicht so richtig da. Irgentwie wie ein Geist.Was vermutlich daran liegt, dass er nun einer ist, und Allie ihn sehen kann. Auch wenn in der wet in daer Alli lebt Magie bei jedem zum Alltag gehrt, ist es doch nicht normal Geister zu sehen. Und so beschliet Allie, dass sie halloziniert, weil sie den Tod ihres Vaters noch nicht verarbeitet hat, und mlchte dass an seinem Grab nachholen.Der rote Faden der Geschichte jedoch ist ein Fall an dem Alli fr die Polizei arbeitet. Sie soll als Spurenlsserin nach dem Verbleib einiger entfhrtter Mdchen suchen. Schnell drngt sich bei ihr jedoch der Verdsacht auf, das einer ihrer besten Freunde fr ihren Tod verantwortlich ist. Hier muss sie sich selbst die moralische Frage stellen, ob es in Ordnung ist, der Polizei die Identitt des Verdchtigen zu verraten.Obendrein wird sie von einem drogenboss erpresst eben diesen Freund an ihn auszuliefern, ansonsten droht ihr der sofortige Tod.Man merkt, es passiert viel im Buch und doch ist alles miteinander verwoben. Auch gefllt mir das Ende sehr gut, da sich Allies Status Q nach all den Erlebnisse verndert hat.0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Want to read moreVon ChrisFirst time I read a book form this author and I loved it. The main character is dysfunctional/functional, interesting, lively and confused. The setting is realistic in the sense that life does not have to be kind, can jerk you around and gives no excuses and that we have to find the good things, that may be fleeting but make it all worthwhile. When I finished, I ordered the next book of this series.

KurzbeschreibungAllie Beckstrom knows better than most that there's a price to pay for using magic; she's suffered her fair share of migraines and gaps in her memory during her time working as a Hound, tracing spells back to their casters. But now Allie's been visibly marked by it with a mysterious iridescent tattoo. She's not only lost all memory of how she got it, but also of the man that she's supposedly fallen in love with. Oh, and as usual, she's completely broke.So when the criminal magic enforcement division of the police asks her to consult on a missing persons case, things start to look up. At first, it seems to be a fairly straightforward way of earning some money but like most things in Allie's life it soon turns into a dangerous mix of underworld criminals, ghosts and blood magic. This time Allie is going to discover it takes more than magic to survive . . .Pressestimmen"Fiendishly original." -- Patricia Briggs"Intrigues and excites. A promising beginning." -- Nina Kiriki Hoffman"We're going to be hearing a lot more of Devon Monk." -- Patricia BriggsKurzbeschreibungAllie Beckstrom knows better than most that there's a price to pay for using magic; she's suffered her fair share of migraines and gaps in her memory during her time working as a Hound, tracing spells back to their casters. But now Allie's been visibly marked by it with a mysterious iridescent tattoo. She's not only lost all memory of how she got it, but also of the man that she's supposedly fallen in love with. Oh, and as usual, she's completely broke.So when the criminal magic enforcement division of the police asks her to consult on a missing persons case, things start to look up. At first, it seems to be a fairly straightforward way of earning some money but like most things in Allie's life it soon turns into a dangerous mix of underworld criminals, ghosts and blood magic. This time Allie is going to discover it takes more than magic to survive . . .