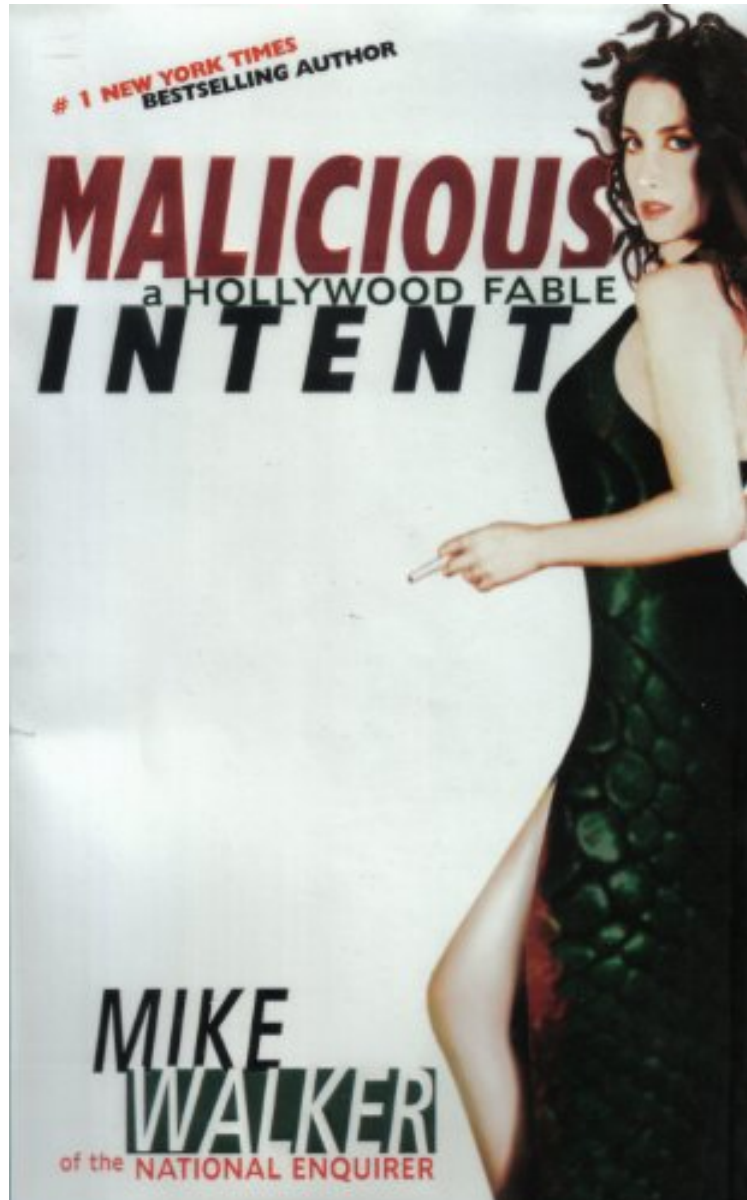


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Great Piece from Publisher's Weekly!Von Ein KundeHot Deals by John F. Baker -- May 31, 1999KING OF GOSSIP The name of Mike Walker can mean several things. For one, he is the gossip columnist for the National Enquirer (which is

much less downmarket than it used to be, and its supermarket tabloid brethren still are). He appears every Friday on Howard Stern's popular radio and TV talk show. He was the collaborator on two bestselling O.J. Simpson books at the height of that craze: Faye Resnick's on Nicole Brown Simpson and one by an O.J. juror. Meanwhile, MGM-TV is launching a new nationally syndicated show, *The National Enquirer* with Mike Walker, in the fall. Now Walker is turning his talents to fiction: *Malicious Intent: A Hollywood Fable* will appear in October from small but enterprising Bancroft Press in Baltimore, which specializes in books by journalists. Sold by Walker's agent, Caron K, the book is a gossipy saga about a sexy Jackie Collins-style actress, told with a great deal of inside savvy. It's also to be a Literary Guild selection for October. Bancroft is distributed by National Book Network.0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Gossip Guru Delivers Delicious TinselTown Tall TaleVon Ein KundeI got the inside scoop on the raciest, most entertaining novel of the season. Mike Walker's *Malicious Intent* is a non-stop thrill ride through the dangerous and spectacular world that is Hollywood. And let me tell you, it ain't no Disneyland. Charmain Burns is a sexual predator, a vengeful starlet with a sordid past and a few secrets she doesn't want shared. Cameron Tull, a big-time Gossip guru, will stop at nothing to uncover the truth. This story sizzles with deceit and seduction -- two things Hollywood thrives on. And Mike Walker should know-- he's been a top-notch gossip reporter for years and still going strong! So put the kids to bed, slip into something slinky, and grab your copy of *Malicious Intent*. In Hollywood, the night is always young. Also recommended: Jackie Collins -- *Hollywood Wives* Jacqueline Susann -- *Valley of the Dolls* Danielle Steele -- *Lucky*0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. *Malicious Intent*Von Lee FLike the "Godfather," this is one of those rare books that you just can't put down. It's laugh-out-loud funny, fast-paced, and sex-x-x-y. Just when you thought that Hollywood glitz has worn thin the proverbial carpet, here's a juicy read that's as new and riveting and outrageous as its author - who's on the *National Enquirer* TV show and on Howard Stern. It's no wonder Howard loves this guy. He's got all this inside scandal. And if you read between the lines, you'll recognize who these celebrities are. Walker does an end run past the stars and Hollywood powerbrokers who would otherwise sic their lawyers on him to shut him up -or their henchmen to bust his kneecaps. Hollywood is bound to make a movie of this, but no film can get inside the heads of these intriguing characters the way this book does. You want a great read? This book is for you.

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