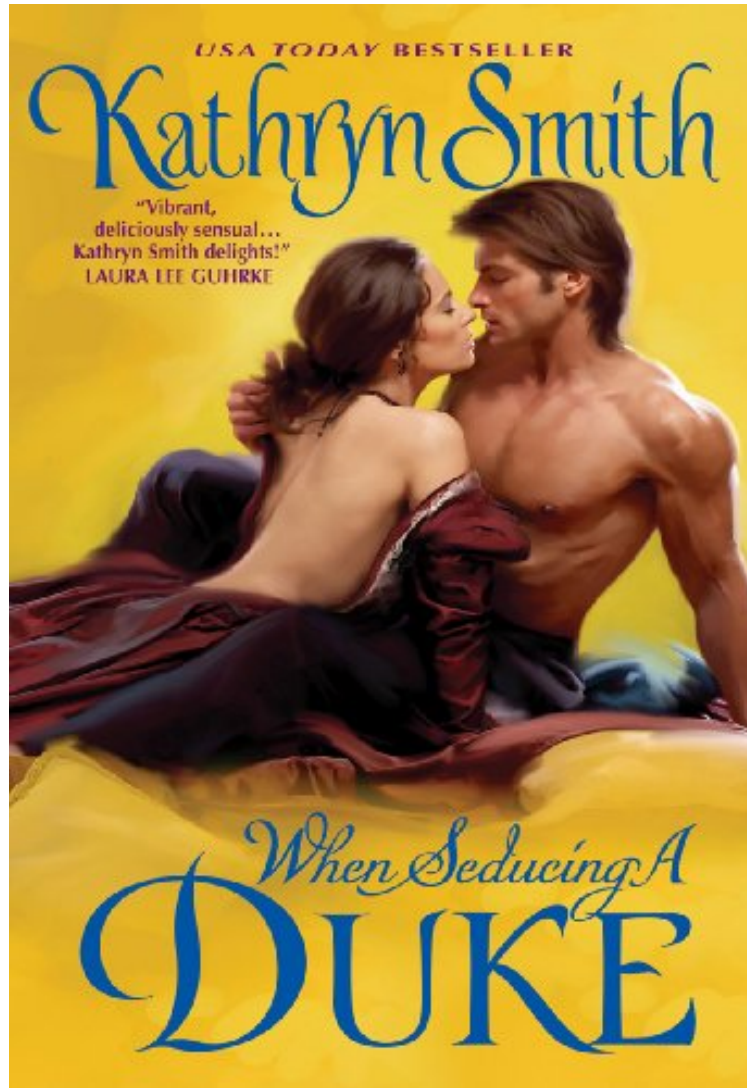


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Von Kathryn Smith : When Seducing a Duke (Victorian Soap Opera) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised When Seducing a Duke (Victorian Soap Opera):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich.
Reasonable ReadVon Helen HancoxDespite some quite significant flaws for this reader, 'When Seducing A Duke' was actually a reasonably enjoyable read. The story, although not particularly inventive, kept my attention as we watched the interaction between Rose Danvers and her guardian, the Duke of Ryeton. Her first interaction is to seduce him but only as a lady of mystery at a masked event; she knows he's not interested in her as herself so has to pretend to be

someone else. The thing is, the reader is aware that the Duke is looking for someone just like Rose - she fascinates him but he promised her father to leave her alone. But when her identity is discovered, their relationship has to change. But can Rose help the Duke to move back into society and can she trust that the rake has really reformed? I don't suppose this author was aiming for a historically accurate book. Well, at least I hope she wasn't, as she missed rather dramatically. The usual Americanisms appeared throughout this book in language. Manners were also a bit suspect at times - people having cream and sugar with their tea???? And what is it with weird names in books at the moment? Our main male characters in this book were named Greyden, Archer, Kellan and Branton. Eh? Never heard of any of those names, they sound most un-English. As did the fact that once our heroine married she introduced herself as Rose Danvers Kane, retaining her maiden name, which just wasn't done. These irritants aside, the conversations between hero and heroine and hero and his brother were full of earthy Anglo-Saxon. It's hard to know exactly what lovers said to each other but I rather hope people chose rather nicer words than in this book. The hero's past is fairly unedifying and the heroine admits herself that she is often selfish but I did feel that the two were a good match for each other. I found parts of the book good, parts slow but overall it didn't feel like a historical romance I could believe in due to the inaccuracies. Still, for those who don't mind earthier reads in this genre it's probably worth reading. Originally published for Curled Up With A Good Book Helen Hancox 20090 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Delightfully different Von Anna D. 'When seducing a Duke' was a delightful surprise for me. It doesn't follow the typical plot line and also the characters aren't typical. I think this book is way more realistic than most romantic novels. Of course we want romantic dreams come true in novels, but a little bit of reality can't do any harm and in this book it's just the right amount for my taste. Love doesn't always solve all problems and you have to invest some work if you want a happy ending. I also very much like heroes who pine away for one special woman. And there's a lot of it in 'When seducing a duke'. :-) Once I started reading I couldn't put it down, because I always wanted to know how the next chapter would turn out. A really delightful read. I thought it a little sad that not all plot lines were resolved at the end. Of course all important things were resolved, but it would have been a rounder end if also the small plot lines would have found an end.

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