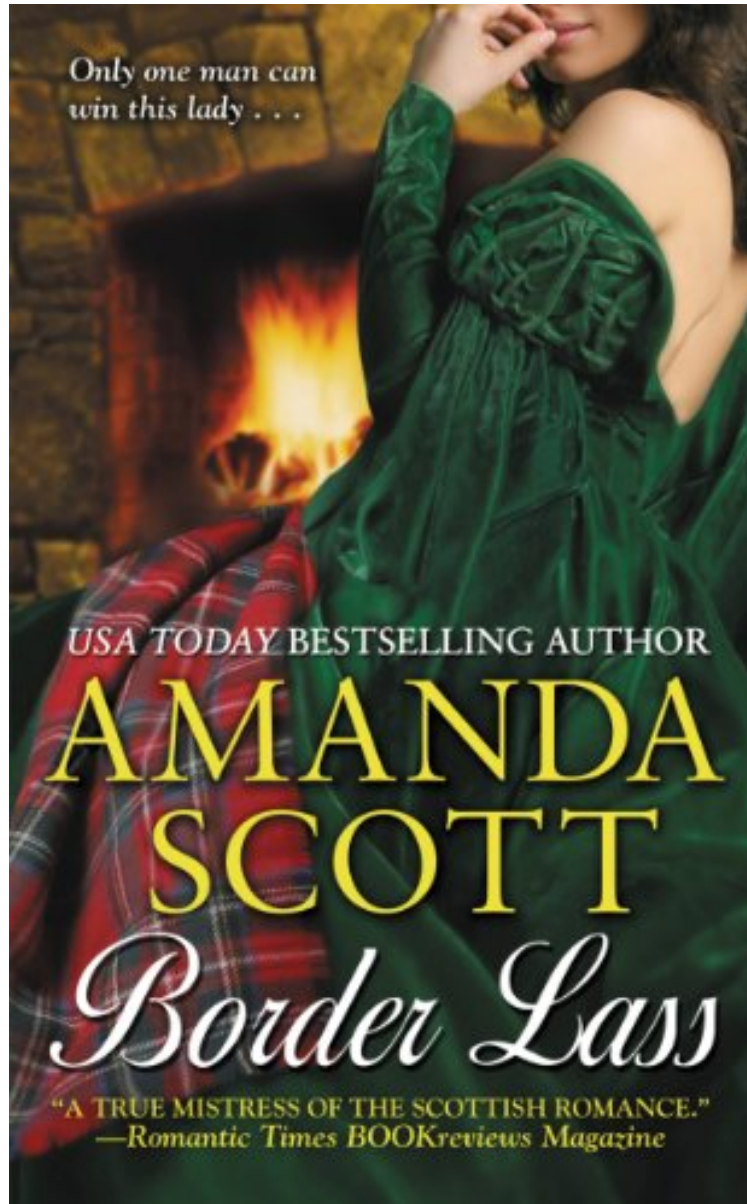


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Fourteenth century Scottish romanceVon Helen Hancox'Border Lass' was a bit of an odd read because its pacing was

rather variable. The narrative dragged throughout the book until the last fifth when it really picked up and lots of things happened. The story is full of political intrigue, family dynasties and travel by horseback but it is also a story of two people getting to know each other, learning each others' natures and realising that they suit. Amalie Murray is a young noblewoman in service to the Princess Isabel. However she knows that her brother, at the behest of Thomas Fife, Governor of the Realm, wants her to marry a particular knight, despite the fact Amalie says she doesn't want to marry. She finds a champion in Sir Garth Napier, a knight who is also attached to Isabel's household, and finds herself verbally sparring with him at times. Sir Garth is trying to get to the bottom of the deaths of two men and knows that Amalie has overheard something. However events move on and Amalie may no longer be mistress of her own life - and Sir Garth may have to change some of his priorities in order to keep her safe. Sir Garth and Amalie were pleasant enough characters, if someone one-dimensional. There were an awful lot of other characters in this story, though, and it did get a little confusing at times. The historical setting was interesting, at a time when border raids took place regularly and clans vied for power and to make alliances with other clans, but overall the dragging pacing of much of the book meant that it wasn't entirely satisfying. Originally published for Curled Up With A Good Book Helen Hancox 2008

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