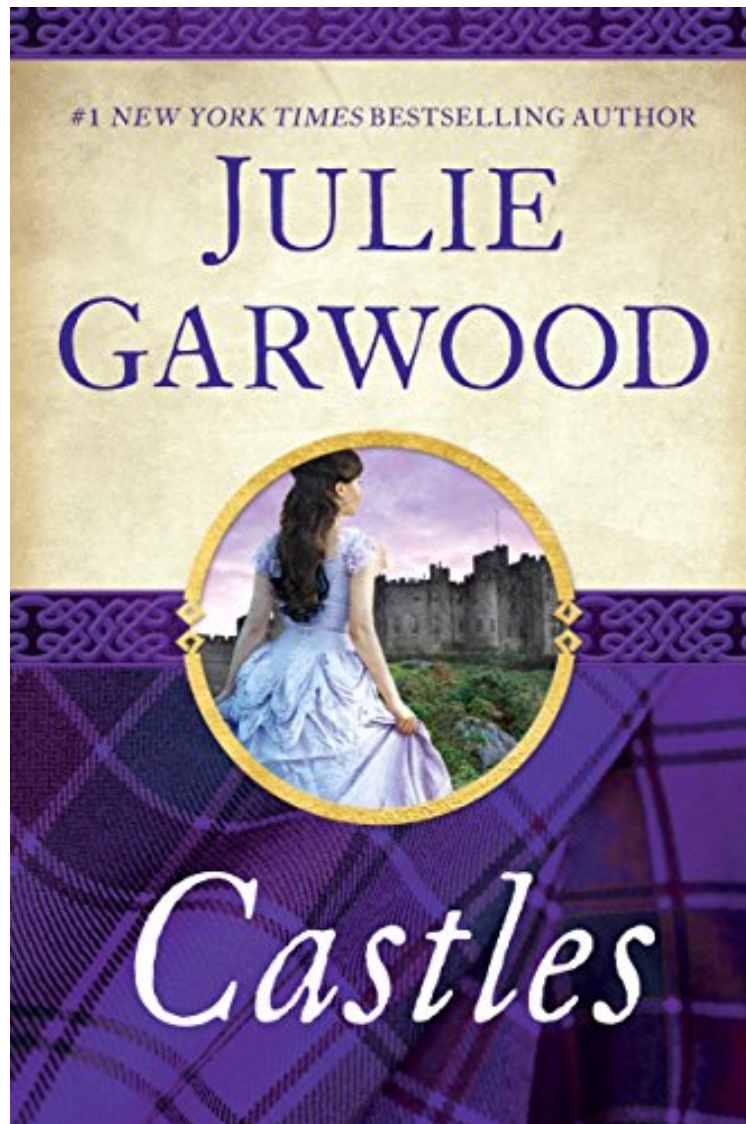


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Von Julie Garwood : Castles (Crown's Spies) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Castles (Crown's Spies):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Not the bestVon Ein KundeI was very disappointed by this novel. If I'd read it alone, maybe I would have liked it. But I read it as a continuation of the series. I was very upset that Nathan does not make an appearance until the end of the novel. I was also disturbed by the physical changes Garwood made in the other characters from previous novels. To me, it just

isn't a sequel. Colin did not seem like himself. Even when viewing the book separate from the rest, the character of Alesandra is not fully fleshed out. Nor is the story believable. I didn't buy their romance for a minute. I can only recall a few memorable moments from this novel--one touching, one funny. This is definitely a novel to borrow but not to buy. 1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. My favorite romance novel - ever! Von Laurie Gold Julie Garwood's Castles is my favorite romance novel. It's also the first Garwood romance I ever read (several years ago). What makes it shine so bright? Incredible humor, fabulous love scenes, and characters so very easy to love. All that, and a princess too! Some readers find Garwood's heroines too stupid to live, but I never have. I do, however, find each's quirks to be lovable, and when I interviewed the author back in 1997 and she revealed their flaws are based on her own, I marveled at how she could turn personal weaknesses into delightful quirks of character. The heroine is not only wonderful in this book, though - the hero is to-die-for. As I wrote in my Desert Isle Keeper Review at All About Romance, "While he doesn't want to marry her himself, he finds something wrong with every single bachelor he, his father, his brother, and Alesandra discuss. One has bow-legs, another gambles, and still another has a case of 'bad humours'." This is truly a delightful and charming romance and I encourage one and all to read it. If you are like me, you'll end up with two copies - one to keep and one to lend out to friends. TTFN, Laurie Likes Books Publisher, All About Romance 1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Not her best Von Ein Kunde I have read many of Garwoods' books but this one is simply not her best. The heroine Alesandra could not convince me that she is supposed to be very intelligent - how could she, considering her stupid reactions as soon as Colin was "at stage". Confronted with his presence, she seemed neither be able to think nor to phrase a complete sentence. Bah! I found her extremely dull-witted! And Colin - I understand why it took him nearly until to the end of the book to find out that he might have married a clever woman... I would never come to that conclusion looking at Alesandra's confusing behaviour. Thanks god she found Colin otherwise she would not have been able to survive. Nevertheless, I gave the book 3 stars since it contains some action with the unknown murderer. But don't buy this book, try "The Bride", "Ransom" or "The Secret".

Kurzbeschreibung Passion and danger abound in this classic historical romance from #1 New York Times bestselling author Julie Garwood. Orphaned and besieged, Princess Alesandra knows that only a hasty marriage to an Englishman can protect her from the turmoil in her own land. The bold, raven-haired beauty instantly captivates London society, much to the amusement of her makeshift guardian, Colin, younger brother of the Marquess of Cainewood. But when Alesandra is nearly abducted by her unscrupulous countrymen, Colin knows he must protect her and offers a marriage that should be in name alone until their first kiss ignites a wildfire in his soul. As the lovely princess dashes headlong into unforeseen dangers, Colin will risk his own life to save her and claim Alessandra as his own forever... From Publishers Weekly Princess Alesandra (of some unspecified country) has been happily tucked away in a convent, but in 1820 the wicked General Ivan indicates that he has designs on the princess: if he marries her, he can take over the kingdom. Alesandra's guardian, the Duke of Williamshire, brings her to England to assure her safety. Unfortunately, the duke and his wife become afflicted with a "mysterious ailment"; the only solution is for the princess to live with Colin, the duke's eligible bachelor son, in his London townhouse. The duke and duchess think Colin should marry Alesandra. Colin, however, wants no part of marriage; and Alesandra, who alternates between moments of intelligence and sheer vacancy, will marry anyone who won't hand her over to that awful Ivan fellow. When Alesandra is almost abducted by men from her homeland, Colin's protective instincts shift into high gear. Can love be far behind? Also lurking in the background is a serial killer, who threatens Alesandra but serves no immediate purpose in furthering the silly plot. Garwood (The Secret) has done better work than this. Copyright 1993 Reed Business Information, Inc. Pressestimmen Julie Garwood attracts readers like beautiful heroines attract dashing heroes. (USA Today) [Garwood is] the Rembrandt of romance novels. (Kansas City Star) Romantic Times A charming, sweet, funny romance, brimming with sparkling dialogue, delightful characters, and a story that flies. Rendezvous The story is splendid, the characters are wonderful, and the dialogue excellent.... The secondary characters are marvelous and there are many from which to choose, including some of our friends from Ms. Garwood's earlier books.... A keeper.