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Von Josh Lanyon

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Von Josh Lanyon : Icecapade before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Icecapade:

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Short but sweetVon SilviaA pleasant read, or rather re-read. Usually, I'm not too much of a fan of novella-length or even short stories, but some authors manage to make even the smallest of bites a good and satisfying one. Josh Lanyon is one of them.'Icecapade' is a novella of some 63 pages, as our friendly online retailer tells us, but it contains all elements necessary to make it a good read nevertheless. There's a brief flashback, there's character development, there's relationship development, there's a hint at a case, there's a more imminent problem at hand that needs solving first before the guys figure out what it really is they want from each other, there's romance, tension and a very satisfying ending. Living proof that you don't always need 350 pages to tell a good story.Josh Lanyon wouldn't be Josh

Lanyon if he didn't sneak a few good laughs in, however. Firstly... llamas? Well, now I know that a baby llama is called cria. Thank you. Always adding new vocabulary to my collection. Secondly, there's stuff like this: "And here I was thinking you'd enjoy watching me break my neck." "Not in front of Francis." And of course, this: "If you think the earth moved just now, imagine what'll happen when I f*** you." There's little gems like that all over Lanyon's work, and I've begun collecting them. So. Yeah. Short, but satisfying. I'll never get tired of reading Josh Lanyon stories. Good thing the man has written so many :-)

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When I bought my kindle in December I made the wonderful discovery that there were loads of Josh Lanyon's novellas that I hadn't read (or heard of, for that matter) and I set out to remedy that as fast as I could. I have 16 of Josh's books/publications on my reader now and have just started to reread them systematically. This story is no exception to that. Typically loveable, if flawed, characters, well done sexual tension, and meaningful sex. And let's not forget a happy ending. I've reread the Adrien English series about five times now and always miss Adrien and Jake when I'm finished. All of Josh's stories that I've come across are like that to me in that I wish I knew those characters in real life. Just read him, I don't think you could be disappointed if you tried.

Kurzbeschreibung

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