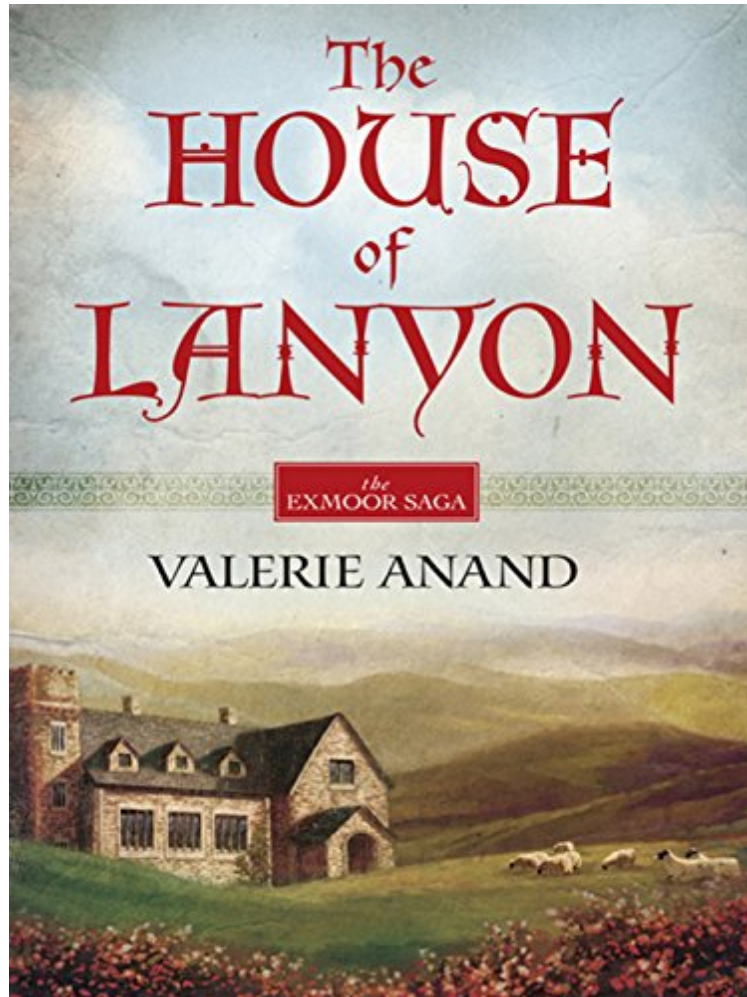


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**Von Valerie Anand : The House Of Lanyon (Mills Boon MB)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The House Of Lanyon (Mills Boon MB):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Eigentlich 3.5Von Fuchs JoanNach einem unglaublich schlechten Start, der an die wstesten Barbara Cartland-Verschnitte erinnerte und mich das Buch schon fast weglegen liess, hat es sich dann aber doch noch zum zumindest teilweise Guten gewendet.Von dieser Autorin bin ich einfach Besseres gewhnt. Wenn es jetzt ihr erstes oder 2. Buch gewesen wre, dann htte man sagen knnen, dass da erzhrerisches Potenzial drin liegt, aber mit ihren Serien und historischen Romanen hat sie einfach so eine hohe Latte vorgelegt, dass sie selber daran fast gescheitert wre. Die Geschichte ist eigentlich ganz gut, wenn auch anfangs vor Slze tiefend. Eigentlich nicht so schlimm, doch ich htte es hier einfach nicht erwartet. Danach wird es etwas konsequenter und nicht mehr so langatmig. Aber immer noch

scheinen gewisse Ablufe einfach konstruiert. Da ich den Nachfolgebund bereits im Regal habe, werde ich ihn wohl lesen, da dieser nicht ganz erbarmlich geendet hat, aber es hat mit dennoch einen ziemlichen Schock versetzt.

**Kurzbeschreibung**When two ambitious families occupy the same patch of English soil, rivalry is sure to take root and flourish.A glimmer of initiative swells into blind desire, and minor hurts, nursed with jealousy, fester into a malignant hatred. When a bitter feud is born, the price for this wild and beautiful piece of ground will take more than three generations to settle. Richard Lanyon answers to no one save the aristocratic Sweetwater family, owners of the land he farms.His bitter resentment is legend within the bounds of their tiny Exmoor community, but as their tenant, Richard must do their bidding. Still, even noblemen don't have the power to contain ruthless ambition, and the Sweetwaters are no exception. Driven to succeed, Richard is prepared to take what is not his, and to forfeit the happiness of his family to claim the entitlements he lusts for.In this epic story Valerie Anand creates a vivid portrait of fifteenth-century English life that resonates with the age-old themes of ambition, power, desire and greed.From Publishers WeeklyThe War of the Roses rages around the Lanyons in Exmoor, England, prosperous tenant farmers of the landed Sweetwater family. Peter Lanyon and his wife, Liza, bridle at his father Richard's attempts to run their lives as Richard, who hides a dark secret, tries to raise the family's station. Through war, intrigue and natural disaster, Peter and Liza love each other in their fashion, though each has a great lost love, and their mistakes come back to haunt them. As the Lanyons find favor with the Duke of Gloucester (who will be Richard III), it may be a case of being careful what you wish for. There's not enough historical detail to place the Lanyons in their time and place, and the book's pace is slow, but Anand, who writes the Ursula Blanchard mysteries as Fiona Buckley, has a light touch that carries this family saga. (Nov.) Copyright Reed Business Information, a division of Reed Elsevier Inc. All rights reserved.

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