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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Full of fascinating stuffVon Jacky from GermanyThis was a period of history about which I knew so little, but was absolutely

fascinated by. It was mind-boggling to read of the Battle of Agincourt seen from the other side, as well as Henry V. There is material for endless fiction around these figures. I am definitely going to spend a holiday in Angers and around the Loire soon. The author's theory on the origins of Joan of Arc was original and insightful, and the characters were brought wonderfully to life. Even if you don't know the background, it's a juicy tale. I did find myself referring to Wikipedia to help put things in perspective, just to verify relationships between people and places.0 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. NononononoVon Susanne BodensteinOne of the worst books I ever had the misfortune to buy. Pompous speech, cardboard characters and oh-so-boring. I only managed ten percent though, I couldn't stand it anymore. One one thing you can do with it: Remove from device.

KurzbeschreibungFrance in the Middle Ages. A country torn by internecine strife, and menaced by the might of England's King Henry V. At the country's head is a frightened youth, the Dauphin Charles.Isabeau and the mad King disinherits Charles, their last surviving son, and acknowledges King Henry V of England as the heir to the kingdom after his marriage to their youngest daughter Catherine. Charles VII still has a few supporters though not very many, the main one being Yolande of Aragon whose daughter Marie and Charles are married while still quite young. Yolande takes the reins and rules in the immature Charles's stead and single-handedly keeps Charles hopes alive. Charles's fortunes continue to hopelessly flounder but Yolande expertly manages to keep alive his hopes that one day he may rule FranceWithout the women in his life it is doubtful that Charles would have been able to finally defeat the English and regain all his lands lost to Henry V.The magnificent Yolande, more a mother to him than the depraved Queen Isabeau; Marie, his plain but intelligent wife; but above all, Jehanne, the unblemished girl who will ride at the head of his army whilst swearing allegiance to the mysterious Knights Templar. The girl who will become known to legend as Joan of ArcA meaty dish of lust and medieval intrigue Daily MailIngenious, long and highly readable The Times Best writer of her kind Kent MessengerDeryn Lake started to write stories at the age of five then graduated to novels but destroyed all her early work because, she says, it was hopeless. A chance meeting with one of the Getty family took her to Sutton Place and her first serious novel was born. Deryn was married to a journalist and writer, the late L. F. Lampitt, has two grown-up children and lives in Mayfield, Sussex, with two large cats. She is also the author of To Sleep No More, Sutton Place and Pour The Dark Wine.Endeavour Press is the UK's leading independent digital publisher.Pressestimmen'Ingenious and highly readable' The Times 'She has a strong sense of history and an uncanny ability to bring it to life' Daily MailKurzbeschreibungFrance in the Middle Ages. A country torn by internecine strife, and menaced by the might of England's King Henry V. At the country's head is a frightened youth, the Dauphin Charles.Isabeau and the mad King disinherits Charles, their last surviving son, and acknowledges King Henry V of England as the heir to the kingdom after his marriage to their youngest daughter Catherine. Charles VII still has a few supporters though not very many, the main one being Yolande of Aragon whose daughter Marie and Charles are married while still quite young. Yolande takes the reins and rules in the immature Charles's stead and single-handedly keeps Charles hopes alive. Charles's fortunes continue to hopelessly flounder but Yolande expertly manages to keep alive his hopes that one day he may rule FranceWithout the women in his life it is doubtful that Charles would have been able to finally defeat the English and regain all his lands lost to Henry V.The magnificent Yolande, more a mother to him than the depraved Queen Isabeau; Marie, his plain but intelligent wife; but above all, Jehanne, the unblemished girl who will ride at the head of his army whilst swearing allegiance to the mysterious Knights Templar. The girl who will become known to legend as Joan of ArcA meaty dish of lust and medieval intrigue Daily MailIngenious, long and highly readable The Times Best writer of her kind Kent MessengerDeryn Lake started to write stories at the age of five then graduated to novels but destroyed all her early work because, she says, it was hopeless. A chance meeting with one of the Getty family took her to Sutton Place and her first serious novel was born. Deryn was married to a journalist and writer, the late L. F. Lampitt, has two grown-up children and lives in Mayfield, Sussex, with two large cats. She is also the author of To Sleep No More, Sutton Place and Pour The Dark Wine.Endeavour Press is the UK's leading independent digital publisher.