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**Von Laura Resnick : Disappearing Nightly: Book One of Esther Diamond (Esther Diamond Novel)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Disappearing Nightly: Book One of Esther Diamond (Esther Diamond Novel):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich.

Charming, funny, entertaining ... :o)Von BookwormI really had a lot of fun with this one! I read the German version on my Kindle - sadly the original English version (title: "Disappearing Nightly") was not available either for Kindle or as a "real" book ... :o(Anyway, if you are looking for some light (but very good!) entertainment then you will probably enjoy this book! The story is told by Esther Diamond, a young actress working and living in New York - her voice is charming, funny and very sarcastic ... I loved it!"Disappearing Nightly" is not really a "Paranormal Romance" book. For one, both parties involved in the romance (and yes, there is one) are quite human! It could probably be categorized as "Urban Fantasy", although personally I think "Supernatural Crime" would be more fitting ...About the story:Esther Diamond plays a nymph in the chorus of a fairly mediocre Off-Broadway play. She is also the substitute for lead actress Golly Gee. Then one night Golly disappears during the grand finale of the show - a magic trick involving a glass box with a secret compartment - and Esther is expected to take her place. Before Esther can take the stage, though, an elderly man appears in her wardrobe to tell her that Golly's disappearance had supernatural reasons, and that several other people also recently disappeared on stage during similar tricks.Even though Esther is skeptical at first she starts to work together with Max to find out what happened to Golly. Over the course of the next days a few other people join them, creating an illustrious group consisting of - among others - Esther, Max, two magicians and several drag queens. And then there's the handsome Detective Connor Lopez who seems to think that they have all lost their minds - at least a little. What follows is a turbulent and very entertaining whodunit with sometimes quite unconventional investigative methods ...

;o)\_\_\_\_\_I really enjoyed this book - so much so that I downloaded the second book in the series for my Kindle before I was completely done with the first one! I can't say that "Disappearing Nightly" has a lot of substance but it's definitely entertaining and a lot of fun to read! I can't even count how many times this book made me laugh out loud!!!Added to that the characters are quirky and likable, and I am really looking forward to meeting most of them again in the next book ... :o)0 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Something missing...but goodVon AmberWell this started off good and then I found it became a little boring in the middle then near the end it got good again and was suddenly over!Good mix of characters and great writing. A few funny moments and a great storyline. However I felt there was something missing...not including the people who had disappeared that is! All in all a good read and an interesting enough story to keep people reading till the end.I will read the next book to see how this story continues. The 2nd part is advertised as being out in Dec 06...but after looking for it I found that the author changed publisher and the 2nd part isn't actually out until the beginning of 2008. So I will keep my eye out for it.1 von 3 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Something Missing but goodVon AmberWell this started off good and then I found it became a little boring in the middle then near the end it got good again and was suddenly over!Good mix of characters and great writing. A few funny moments and a great storyline. However I felt there was something missing...not including the people who had disappeared that is! All in all a good read and an interesting enough story to keep people reading till the end.I will read the next book to see how this story continues. The 2nd part is advertised as being out in Dec 06...but after looking for it I found that the author changed publisher and the 2nd part isn't actually out until the beginning of 2008. So I will keep my eye out for it.

KurzbeschreibungEsther Diamond, a struggling actress in New York, seems destined to attract supernatural mayhem.When bizarre magical disappearances disrupt shows around the city, Esther receives a mysterious warning not to go on with her off-Broadway show. Desperate to stay on stage rather than resort to waiting tables, Esther turns to her new BFF, Dr. Maximillian Zadok, a 350-year-old mage whose day job is protecting New York from Evil. Determined to get to the bottom of this mystery without losing her job, Esther and Max team up with a conjuring cowboy, a banker with stage aspirations, and a flock of fearless drag queens. Also on the case is Detective Connor Lopez, a sexy cop who has a thing for Esther, but who fears that she and Max may be a bigger problem than the vanishing performers.Since the show must go onand the astronomical rent must be paidEsther, Max, and their friends pursue Evil to its lair in their fearless determination to find the missing performers and restore harmony to the city that never sleeps. Disappearing Nightly is the thrilling first novel of the Esther Diamond series.PressestimmenSwift, fresh, and inventive, DISAPPEARING NIGHTLY is Laura Resnick at her witty best. Not to be missed!Mary Jo Putney, New York Times bestselling authorA paranormal screwball comedy adventure. Light, happy, fantastically funny!Jennifer Cruise, New York Times bestselling authorA delightful mlange of amateur sleuth mystery, romance and urban fantasy.... Esther Diamond, (is) a protagonist as quirky as Charlaine Harris's Sookie Stackhouseand with the sex appeal of Laurell K. Hamilton's Anita Blake.ExplorationsPressestimmenSwift, fresh, and inventive, DISAPPEARING NIGHTLY is Laura Resnick at her witty best. Not to be missed!