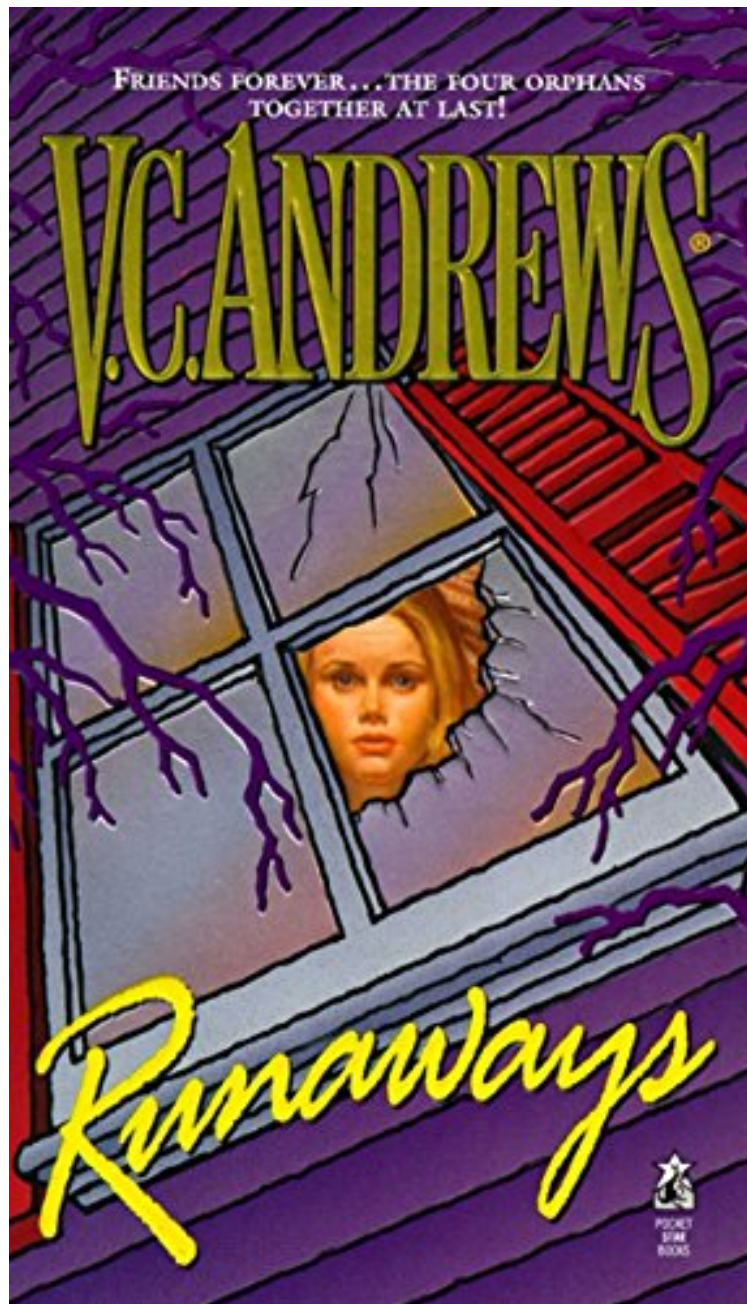


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RunawaysVon Crystal RitchieRunaways,by V.C Andrews, was a very interesting book because; it dealt with real life information, it was exciting,and it teaches a good lesson. Runaways was about four girls who felt very unwanted. They lived in a foster home with Gordon and Louise Tooley. Gordon was very rude and mean to the girls. Louise ruined every chance the girls had to be adopted, she would tell lies to every one who tried to adopted them. They finally got tired of it and decided to runaway. They made plans to go to California. They put there money together and they had about 3,000 dollars all together. They stole Gordon's car and headed south. Brooke decided that they would sleep in the car to save money. They found an old abanded road and decided to rest there. In the middle of the night Brooke was awoke by a light. Brooke woke up Crystal and told her to look. It was an old man who lived in the house at the end of the road. The kind man told them they could stay at his house with his wife they all agreed. They went inside and the old lady was very pleased to see them, they stayed there for two days and then they were on the road again. Whille on there way they saw a girl standing on the road hitchhiking, they stoped and picked her up. Her name was Sunshine, She was very nice to the girls. She had fake credit cards so she got them a hotel. when Brooke woke up the next morning she noticed there money was gone. Sunshine had stolen it. They had no money for gas or food. Raven made a suggestion that they get a short job to make some money. So they went to this cafe and asked the women if she neede help and she said "yes". She let them stay in a littli caben behind the cafe. The0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. It Is Time To Let VC Andrews Rest In PeaceVon Ein KundeI first read the "Flowers In The Attic" saga over ten years ago, and have reread it many, many times since. This series, and the start of the "Heaven" series, was wonderful - the story lines were original and intriguing; the characters complex and believable. Unfortunately, as many readers know, VC Andrews passed away before completing the "Heaven" saga. Since then, several series of books have been published bearing the author's name - but that is where the similarity ends. The unidentified writer that has been cranking these novels out does his or her best to imitate the flowery writing of Andrews' work (and that's not all that is imitated - there is a scene in one of the "Dawn" books that is copied, WORD FOR WORD, from Cathy and Chris's first sexual experience in "Flowers". I kid you not - compare the two books!), but does not come close to creating the kind of absorbing, fascinating stories that Ms. Andrews wrote. The characters we are now presented with are completely two dimensional. You have your "good guys" and your "bad guys", who are clearly identified from Page One, and never, ever give us a glimpse at any other facet of their personalities. The same plot elements are repeated in every book - young girl is orphaned or abandoned, sent to live with cold hearted guardian, falls in love with brother/cousin/uncle. Anyone who has read one of these series can easily predict the outcome of the next. I don't mean to criticize the writer of these books so much as the idea that VC Andrew's talent could be duplicated by simply following a formula. It can't. Please, stop trying.0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. That old magic is back . . .somewhatVon Ein KundeWell, I was VERY disappointed with that little orphans series, those books were so Fear Streetish, but I still checked the bookstore everyday looking for the runaways, anyway, I'm done with it now and I experienced the same kind of page turning time I had with the dollanganger/casteel books, not as good, by any means, but still a good book overall. I liked the dark atmspere and the way those four vixens got out of "HELL HOUSE". Also another thing that caught my eye is that this is the first book since Dark Angel that has stepback art on both sides of the inside cover, only Dard Angel and Petals on the WInd have this, it's cool to see it again. You may not know that since the stepback art is only on the first printed editions and Petals and Angel are old books. Those four orphans were so hot too. Raven and Butterfly were sex kittens, Crystal was the brainy, career red hot vixen and Brooke was the strong type. All in all, a good book. I can't wait for Olivia though, the logan series was much better, I also heard rumors about the upcoming series to have a BIG surprise. Maybe they found a manuscript that the REAL V. C. wrote and will publish it?~Tom Nordlum

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