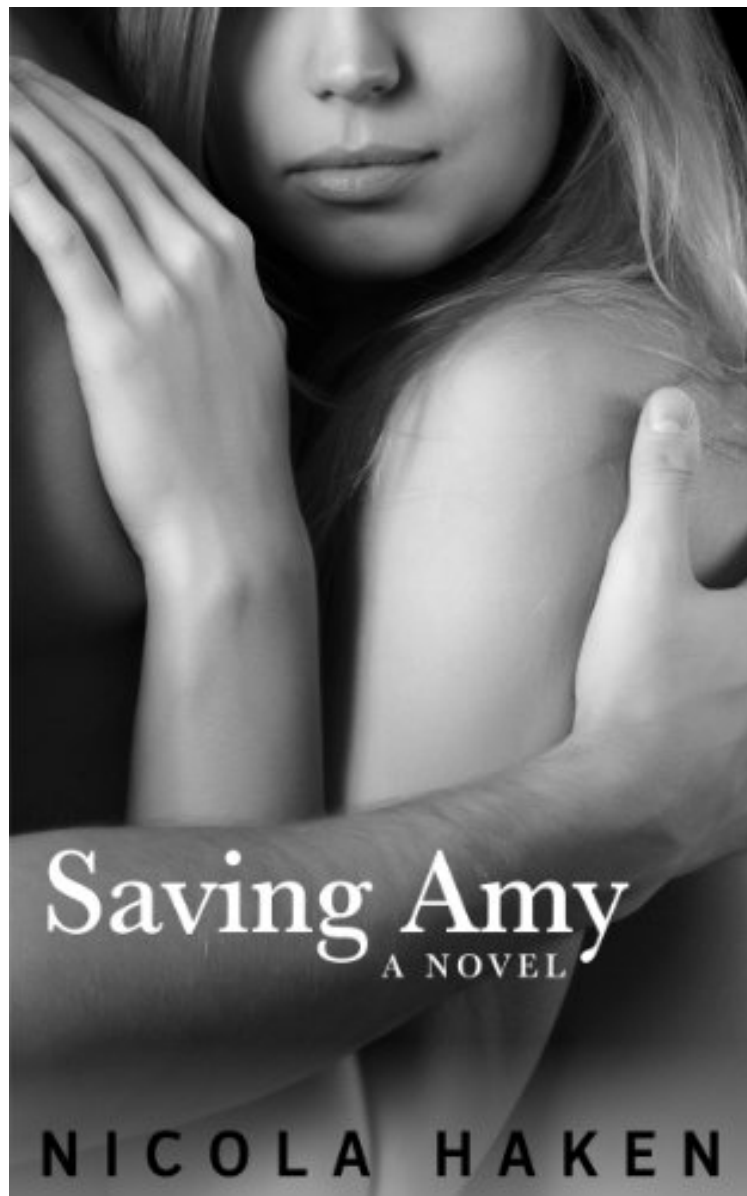


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Von Nicola Haken : Saving Amy (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Saving Amy (English Edition):

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with pages over pages describing the abuse a young girl is suffering from the hands of her father. Amy Hope has never known love but a life full of hate, pain and abuse. At the age of 17 the only way she knows how to cope is alcohol and random sex, until one day she is lured into trying drugs. This is where her downward spiral begins, leading her to laying half-dead on the concrete and ending up in hospital. This is where she meets Dr. Richard Lewis and it is not the first time he is saving her life. She feels instantly attracted to him despite their age gap of 10 years and him being her doctor. As he repeatedly helps her and wins her trust, they get closer and finally start a relationship. You might think that this is the part where Amy gets saved, but with one person in the relationship having loads of baggage and the other one having secrets that threaten to make them fall apart, the relationship is bumpy and rocky and full of issues that put their happiness at danger. Can they make a relationship work despite their age gap, their different backgrounds and financial situations? And can they make it work with all the demons haunting them? Up until the end of the book, I could just never be sure if one of the many issues those two have separately or together as a couple wouldnt break their neck. There were so many things that came up, people trying to get in their way, that I at times did not think a happy end would ever happen. I really enjoyed the story and the fact that Nicola Haken kept me guessing up until the bitter end. Amy was an incredibly strong girl. Having gone through the abuse and neglect that she experienced, she still wasnt giving up. She had her weak moments, but that is understandable. What counts is that she did want a better life for herself. At times she was acting immature or irrational, but with her history it made sense. She wasnt used to being loved, she wasnt used to be able to trust and she wasnt used to people being anything other than mean, brutal, abusive and hateful. The fact that she dared to love and dared to trust made her strength shine even brighter. I also loved her snarky attitude. Her thoughts and comments were at times laugh out loud funny, which was really needed with the dark and twisted nature of the story. Richard on the other hand thankfully wasnt the flawless knight in shining armour. His armour had quite a few chinks due to mistakes and false decisions he has made in the past and keeps on making during the course of the relationship. He carries around enough guilt and self-hate to suffice for a lifetime. Although a bit unethical in my eyes for a doctor to start a relationship with his patient that is ten years younger, his explanation made sense and the way it was addressed took most of the discomfort this relationship created for me away. This books made me understand that you cant choose who you fall in love with and age sometimes can be nothing more than just a number. He was incredibly understanding and patient towards Amy, not to mention protective and caring. But at times I found his love a bit over-bearing and suffocating. And the one huge big mistake he made, made me want to slap him silly. Could Amy ever trust him again?! I know I would have had a hard time. After the horrific start the story centres on Amys and Richards relationship with all its ups and downs, bumps and detours. Then the end of the book became just as horrific and dramatic as the beginning if not even more. It packed a serious punch. Tragedy and terror caught up with Amy and threatened to shatter her world and her new life and happiness. Just when I thought the suspense, terror and angst couldnt be topped, Nicola Haken proved me wrong. It took all my self-restraint not to pull out my hair. After all the breath-holding and teeth-clenching, the epilogue made up for everything. While before I was bawling my eyes out because of the desperation, pain and agony Amy and to a certain degree Richard went through, with the epilogue there was lots of happy bawling. This book is not for the faint of heart, but definitely worth a read. 4.75 messed-up, tearful, emotional stars. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Wow Von UihUij Also die kleine hat echt was durchgemacht und es wird sehr gut erzählt! Die Story ist authentisch und wirklich fesselnd! Sehr zu empfehlen!

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