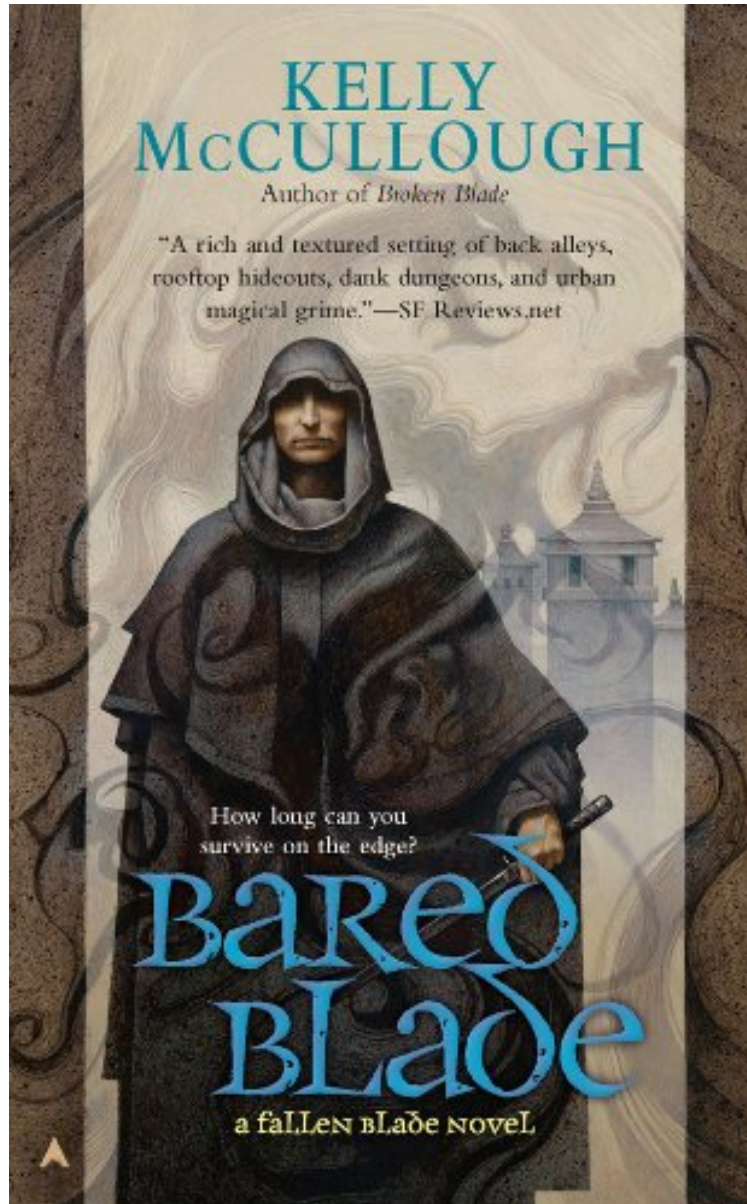


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Von Kelly McCullough : Bared Blade (A Fallen Blade Novel) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Bared Blade (A Fallen Blade Novel):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. This author just gets better and better.Von Detra FitchSet in a coastal city called Tien, the thousand-year-old capital of

Zhan. Once he was known as Aral Kingslayer. He was a Blade of Namara, bringing the Unblinking Eye of Justice to those too powerful to find it in the courts. With his goddess dead and most of his order having either been executed or turned traitor, Aral keeps a low profile. Triss is his partner, friend, and familiar. Triss is a Shade, a creature of living darkness who spends most of his time in Aral's shadow - literally. Only over the past year has Aral been able to pull himself out of the deep depression that his loss had placed him. Now Aral is staying more sober and alert. His skills as a Blade are rusty, but he is slowly returning to what he once was. Aral and Triss are sitting in a bar, still keeping a low profile, when two foreign women enter. As trouble walks up to the ladies, Triss insists that Aral aid them. As the dust begins to settle, Aral and Triss learn that the two women are Dyad. A Dyad is a collection of three distinct minds and personalities. Stel and Vala each have their own body and their own brain; however, a master entity has also been formed from their conjoined souls, called their Meld. (For the sake of this synopsis and review, let us refer to the Dyad as VoS.) VoS needs the help of Aral and Triss to locate and retrieve a priceless stolen artifact. VoS had been escorting the item to its rightful place when their group had come under attack. It was only by luck that VoS had been scouting ahead and survived the resulting massacre. Though his goddess might be gone, Aral is still her Blade and it is his duty to help VoS. But VoS is not the only magical being in Tien searching for the Kothmerk. There is also the Durkoth who look to be made of marble. They are able to move through earth as easily as a human can glide through water. The Crown Guard and the Elite (who are the king's pet killers with giant stone dogs) are also on the hunt. By helping VoS, Aral and Triss are thrown into a situation that would forever alter their lives - if they somehow survive, that is. The body count is rising, the enemies are closing in, and time is running out. ***** FIVE STARS! The character of Aral is intelligent and audacious. Triss is like his voice of reason. This combination makes for an enthralling adventure and actually caused me to lose an entire night of sleep. By the story's end, I was introduced to a new character or two, who I eagerly look forward to seeing more of in the next installment. (Book three is titled *Crossed Blades (A Fallen Blade Novel)* and due for release at the end of November 2012.) As I was following Aral's footsteps, I learned a little bit more about the training of a Blade and how one is chosen. It is now obvious to me that McCullough put a lot of thought into the infrastructure of Namara's Order. I have a much clearer idea of how the temple operated. In fact, it is so precise and becoming structured enough to me that I cannot help but wonder if McCullough is a "method writer", if there is such a thing. (If so, McCullough owes his family and friends big time for putting up with him.) After reading the first book of this series (*Broken Blade*), I did not believe that the author could possibly get any better. Never have I been so happy to be proven wrong. This author seems to get better and more original with each book he has published. I know that I probably sound as if I am gushing, so I want to make it clear to you that I do not personally know this author. I gain nothing by singing his praises and I have absolutely no reason to lie or embellish. Therefore, I strongly urge you to read with caution, because Kelly McCullough's writings are highly addictive and there is no known cure. ***** Reviewed by Detra Fitch of *Huntress Reviews*. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Empfehlenswert Von T. Kaestner Kurzweilig und eine passende Fortsetzung zu *Broken Blade*. Wer das erste Buch mochte dem wird auch dieses gefallen. Weiter so! 0 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. *Boring Blade* Von DIMI Not new, not interesting, no sex, no romance, no adventure, no action, no fun... God, I miss Fritz Leiber !

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