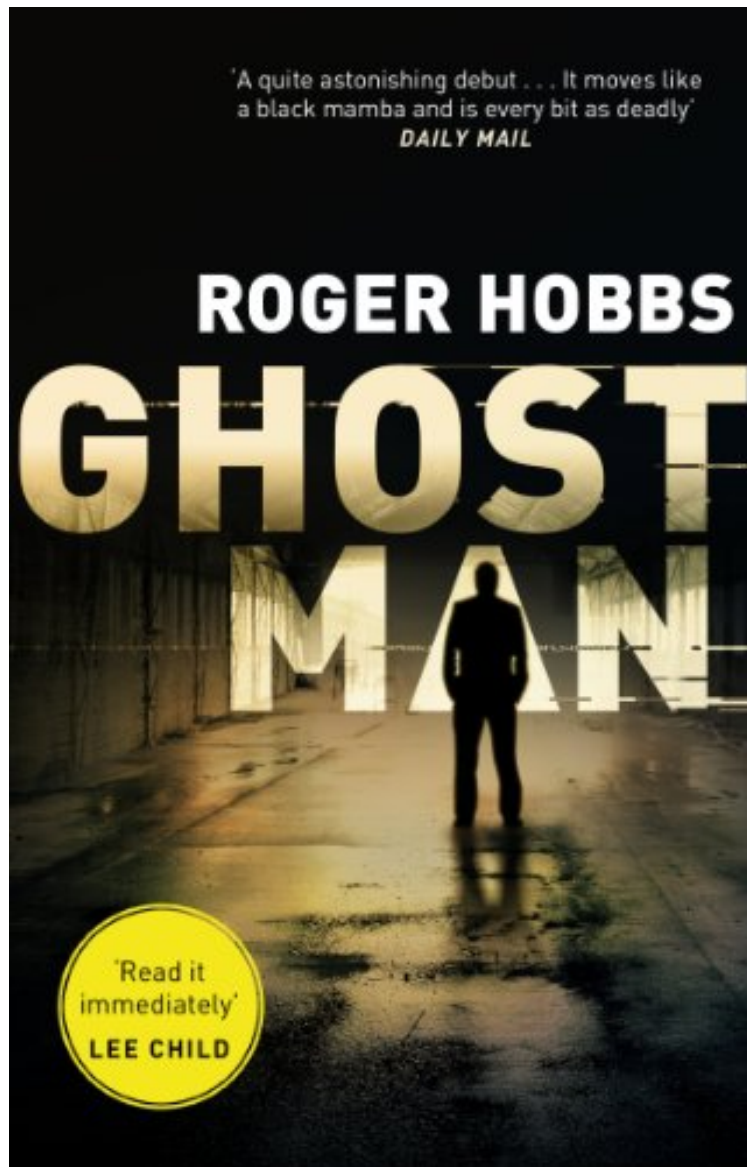


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Ocean's Twelve and Lee Childs books which in some ways it resembles. The story starts with a failed casino robbery in Atlantic City that will make Marcus, a man who was a brain behind all the operation, to call for help man about which very little is known. He is called Jack but no one is really sure what his name actually is, where he is coming from, how old he is or anything else about his background. The only known thing is that Jack is a master criminal who lives on the other side of the law being specialist in disappearing, appearing only when he is intrigued by something. Several years before "Jack" was part of a crew that unsuccessfully attempted a robbery organized by Marcus, when loot was lost and all criminals except Jack were not able to escape, while Ghostman disappeared. Both Marcus and Jack blame themselves for the failed operation but five years later Marcus will want payback when his casino robbery in Atlantic City will result in one of the robbers killed and the other escaping with the money. Marcus will contact the Ghostman instructing him to recover the money and if he succeeds he will consider the two of them even. Of course it is not only the Ghostman who is looking for money, the FBI and some other villains are interested as well, while additional thrilling fact that adds to the excitement is that money will explode in only a few hours due to the attached explosives. And while Ghostman is trying to escape from those who both seek money and himself fighting with time which inevitably flows, the reader will gradually learn what happened five years ago that put Ghostman in the position that he must repay debt. What makes Roger Hobbss novel superior than the competition is that he has conceived a story full of details that not only emphasize the imagination of the author, but certainly points to the detailed research that he spent during its writing. However, it is not just a matter of the story full of details, but the way they are integrated into the story, such as the situation with the Federal Reserve money to which is attached the explosives which prevents long search, instantly becoming major plot element. In terms of the many things it's hard to believe it was a debut work besides above mentioned extensive police procedure and robbery research, the author handles several stories, in addition introducing different time perspective interweaving in which much more experienced writers could easily stuck. The story is easy and quick to read offering many twists and turns so be prepared that if you love this type of literature you will not be able to leave it until the end. Therefore it will be interesting to observe in which direction will go further career of the author, with this first book he raised high the bar what confirm numerous accolades, awards and honors received by Hobbs. It is well known that the second book after a successful first is always the hardest to write. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Gangstermilieu Von AlexS Ein interessanter und spannender Einblick ins Gangstermilieu, zu lesen fast schon wie ein Filmdrehbuch. Manche Erklärungen bleibt das Buch zwar schuldig, insbesondere was das Leben und die Identitäten des Ghostman betrifft, aber das schadet dem Lesevergnügen nicht. Die Handyhersteller hätten eine Freude mit derartigen "Kunden". 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A complete disappointment Von gorazd The book has a plot that verges on science fiction, is completely unrealistic, illogical and improbable. The only high points seems to be technical details, which, if correct, prove diligence of the author. How could this books win any award is a mystery to me. Not recommended.

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