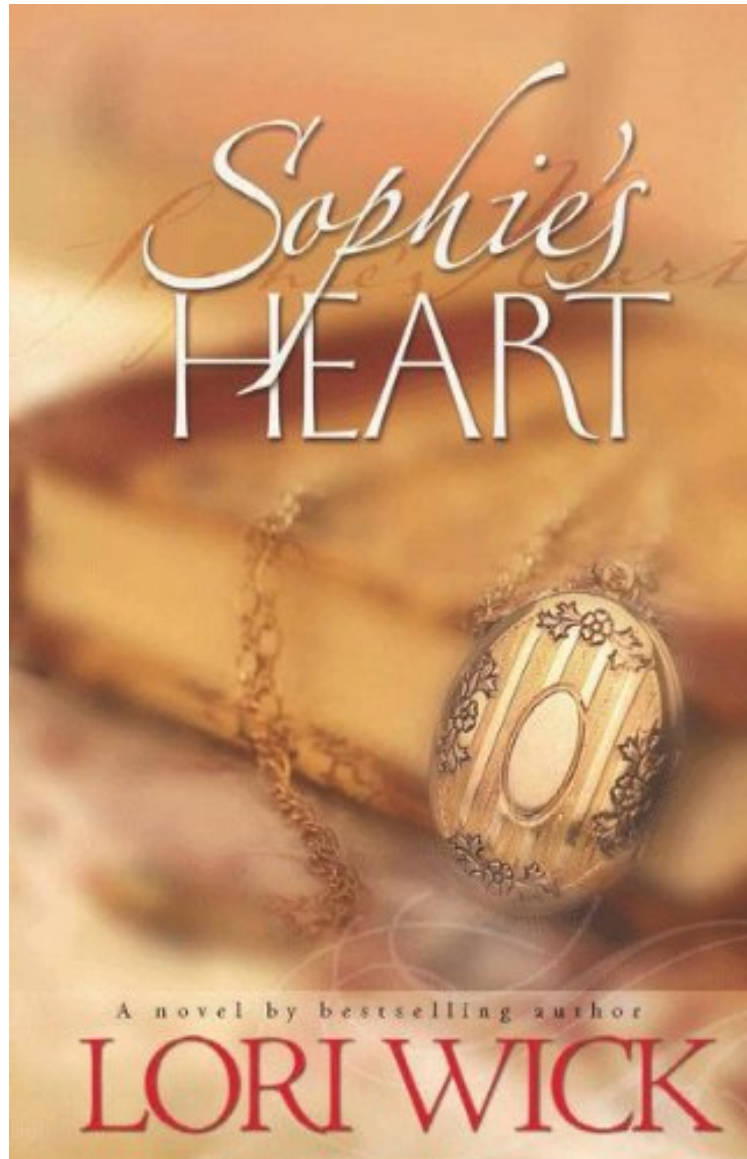


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Not the best book for Lori Wick...Von Ein KundeI was told this book was a very good book. I think maybe for women over 40 it would be, but for myself who's in their late 20's, it was quite boring. The first half of the book was all about Sophie cleaning the house and taking the kids shopping. If I read one more time about cleaning or shopping I was

going to scream! Half way through the book however, it began to pick up. I really didnt like the character of Sophie, I found her to be dull, annoyingly stubborn not to mention sometimes stupid. Like when she received a letter from Mr. Riley's deceased wives mother. The letter was over 3 pages of jobs to do around the house while the family was at the lake. Sophie knew Mr. Riley had no knowledge of the letter but decided to bust her back doing these jobs for him for example climbing a huge extension ladder by herself to clean the outside of the windows, or paint the part of the house. Who in their right mind would actually perform these jobs? It was ridiculous I couldnt help but laugh! I found the part of Mr. Riley falling in love with Sophie pretty unbelievable as well for me. With everything said, this book in my opinion is not Lori's best book, but it certainly was not a horrible experience to read either. As I mentioned before this book would suit an older reader, and not someone like myself.

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