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Von Kevin Hearne : Staked: The Iron Druid Chronicles, Book Eight before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Staked: The Iron Druid Chronicles, Book Eight:

Kundenrezensionen Hilfreichste Kundenrezensionen 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. It could

be more than you expected
Von Ein Kunde
Final cut between vampire and druids. Some parts are still dreaming aloud, but even then you get surprised in a brief moment.
2 von 3 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. The druid trio is back
Von Sabrina
Having been an Iron Druid fan from the start, I'm glad to see a stronger book in the series again. Hearne definitely stepped up his game, juggling the 3 POVs with ease and deepening the distinct voices for Atticus, Owen and Granuaile. I have to admit I'm still not a huge fan of Granuaile's POV, the tone is too rigid for me even though it's clear Hearne intended on making her an intelligent, independent badass. I love the raunchy humour Owen brings, he's certainly earned his spot in the cast and I look forward to reading more of him. He makes me laugh out loud, and that is always a defining factor for me. While there's still the same amount of humour like in previous books, I feel it came at Oberon's expense. Oberon just isn't the same hound, he really seems all grown up (maybe that's a good thing, that hounds can have character arcs too?) but I do miss the old playful banter and inside jokes Atticus and Oberon shared. I guess this is the downside to having 3 POVs, that a character like Oberon is going to get a smaller role. As far as pacing and action is concerned, it's everything you want. Again, the characters POV determines the type of action scene you get and it's executed wonderfully. The story didn't lag at all. Hearne incorporated his travel experiences to the novel and brought all the settings to life in an authentic way, even if he's missing the c in s*****. And yes, poutine really is awesome. Thanks to Kevin Hearne for making me fall in love with the Iron Druid Chronicles all over again.
5 von 5 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Story seems to have lost momentum
Von Florian
Somehow, adding 2 other characters point-of-view to the story seems to take a lot of the fluidity of the action that was remarkable in the first several books. The story appears fragmented and drawn out.

Produktbeschreibung
NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER Iron Druid Atticus O'Sullivan, hero of Kevin Hearne's epic urban fantasy series, has a point to make and then drive into a vampire's heart. When a Druid has lived for two thousand years like Atticus, he's bound to run afoul of a few vampires. Make that legions of them. Even his former friend and legal counsel turned out to be a bloodsucking backstabber. Now the toothy troublemakers led by power-mad pain-in-the-neck Theophilus have become a huge problem requiring a solution. It's time to make a stand. As always, Atticus wouldn't mind a little backup. But his allies have problems of their own. Ornerly archdruid Owen Kennedy is having a wee bit of troll trouble: Turns out when you stiff a troll, it's not water under the bridge. Meanwhile, Granuaile is desperate to free herself of the Norse god Loki's mark and elude his powers of divination: a quest that will bring her face-to-face with several Slavic nightmares. As Atticus globetrots to stop his nemesis Theophilus, the journey leads to Rome. What better place to end an immortal than the Eternal City? But poetic justice won't come without a price: In order to defeat Theophilus, Atticus may have to lose an old friend.
Don't miss any of Kevin Hearne's phenomenal Iron Druid Chronicles novels: **HOUNDED** | **HEXED** | **HAMMERED** | **TRICKED** | **TRAPPED** | **HUNTED** | **SHATTERED** | **STAKED**
Praise for Kevin Hearne and The Iron Druid Chronicles [The Iron Druid books] are clever, fast paced and a good escape. Jason Weisberger, Boing Boing Celtic mythology and an ancient Druid with modern attitude mix it up in the Arizona desert in this witty new fantasy series. Kelly Meding, author of Chimera Outrageously fun. The Plain Dealer, on Hounded Superb . . . plenty of quips and zap-pow-bang fighting. Publishers Weekly (starred review), on Hounded Exciting . . . [Atticus] is one of the best main characters currently present in the urban fantasy genre. Fantasy Book Critic, on Tricked Funny, razor-sharp . . . plenty of action, humor, and mythology. Booklist (starred review), on Shattered