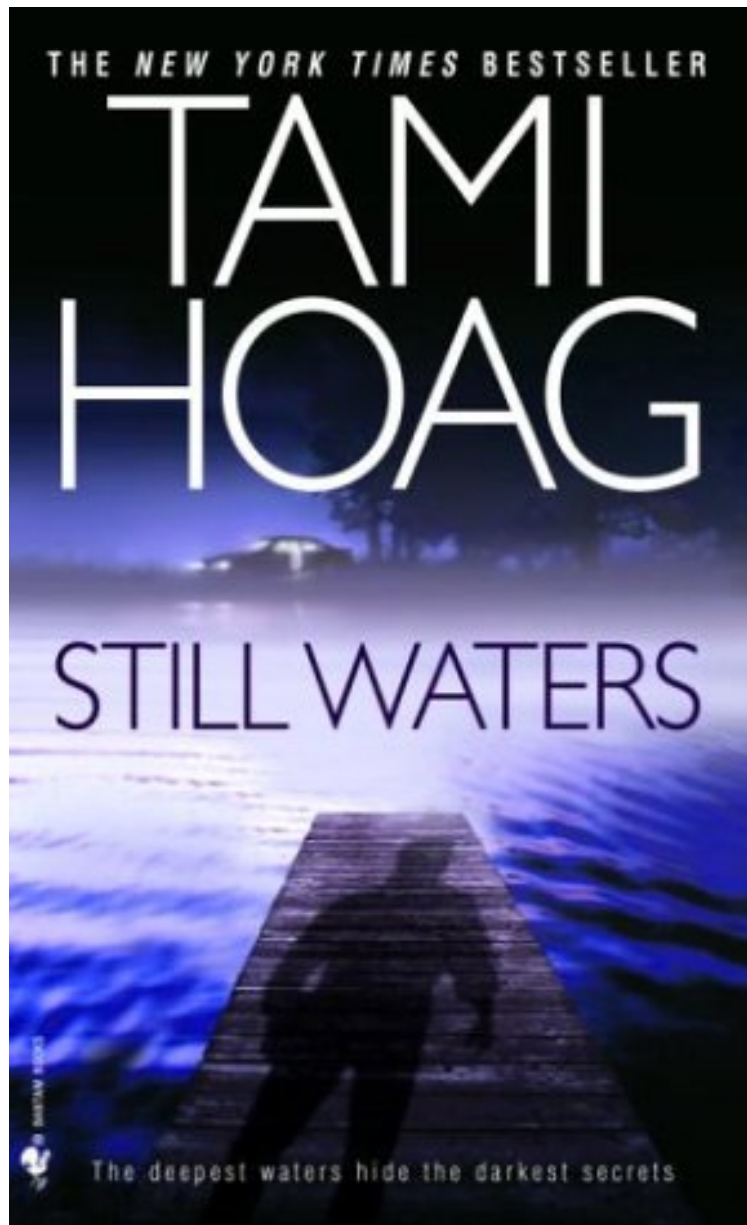


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. One of Tami Hoag's bestVon Kindle CustomerIt was another great book by Tami Hoag, my favorite of hers however, was Cry

Wolf, if you want to read a really great novel, try that one and this. Also *A Thin Dark Line*. Here I'll tell you a little about it. When Elizabeth Stuart moves to Still Water, she expects peace for her and her son after her messy divorce. But a mere two weeks after she moved, her car stalls, and when she walks to a neighbor's house, she finds a dead man with his throat slashed. A man with plenty of people with enough reasons to want him dead. Dane Jentzen is the sheriff of Still Water, and he's finding it hard to believe that there is a killer in his small little town. So he turns to the obvious person, Elizabeth Stuart, who is, in the town's opinion, a dirty slut, but so beautiful, no man can resist her. Dane, still hurting after his wife left him after his football career ended, because of a serious knee injury, wants nothing to do with Elizabeth, but starts to fall for her anyway. As does Elizabeth, although she, too has been hurt by love, and in her words that she's sworn off men. But she may need help, because the killer may have little unfinished business. Like a witness.

0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. still Waters Von princess\_dina@hotmail.com A good Romantic novel twingled with suspense as there is a murder involved. When Elizabeth Stuart searched for a quiet, peaceful home for herself and her son, Still Creek seemed perfect. Nestled in the heart of lush Amish farmlands, this small, idyllic Minnesota town would allow her to put a shattering divorce behind her. But as any other small and quiet town the locals do not like strangers were noticeably cool to the newcomer--who was rumored to be a gold-digger--especially when she started stirring up controversy with her newspaper. And now when a murdered body appears at her feet, she was a suspect..particularly with the arrogant sheriff whom she dislikes at first and falls in love with later. An ex-pro athlete who had returned to Still Creek a hero, Sheriff Dane Jantzen doesn't have much use for the media--especially not in the form of this glamorous, gutsy outsider who spells trouble with every word she prints. So when she becomes his suspect in a vicious crime, the last thing Dane expects is the jolt of attraction at their every encounter. Elizabeth would soon challenge Dane's every assumption, including the one that he's better off without love.

0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Heavy on the romance, light on the suspense Von Ein Kunde A slightly better than average offering from the very capable Tami Hoag, who thrives on mixing edgy romance with suspense and crime. For those who have read other books by Hoag, "Still Waters" does not measure up to her best work - "Night Sins" and "Guilty As Sin." In this book, Hoag drifts off track from the suspense plot frequently, while over-dramatizing the sex and romance storyline. Hoag also gets lazy with her editing/vocabulary - the same words and phrases turn up on every other page. The word "sardonic" appears at least thirty times, and everyone in the book seems to "arch a brow." Hoag also fails to present a heroine/protagonist of her usual caliber; the lead character is hyper stereotyped as the rough-edged, tart-tongued Texan with her Gucci bag and "Caddy" automobile. The book is quick paced and interesting enough for a good read on a slow afternoon, but definitely not Hoag's best work to date.

Kurzbeschreibung The deepest waters hide the darkest secrets....When the body of a murdered man literally falls at Elizabeth Stuart's feet, she's able to wash away the blood--but not the terror. Unwelcome newcomers to Still Creek, Minnesota, she and her troubled teenage son are treated with suspicion by the locals, including the sheriff. Yet nothing will stop her from digging beneath the town's placid surface for the truth except the killer. Running from a messy divorce, Elizabeth believed buying a small-town newspaper offered a fresh start for herself and her son. But idyllic Still Creek, nestled in the heart of lush Amish farmlands, hides secrets dangerous enough to push someone to commit murder. Now Elizabeth must risk everything to save herself and her son, and to unmask the killer...before the current of evil flowing through Still Creek drags her under. When Elizabeth Stuart searched for a quiet, peaceful home for herself and her son, Still Creek seemed perfect. Nestled in the heart of lush Amish farmlands, this small, idyllic Minnesota town would allow her to put a shattering divorce behind her. But the locals were noticeably cool to the newcomer who was rumored to be a gold-digger especially when she started stirring up controversy with her newspaper. And now when a murdered body literally falls at her feet, she has a slight credibility problem...particularly with the arrogant sheriff whose blue eyes seem to know her darkest secrets. An ex-pro athlete who had returned to Still Creek a hero, Sheriff Dane Jantzen doesn't have much use for the media especially not in the form of this glamorous, gutsy outsider who spells trouble with every word she prints. So when she becomes his suspect in a vicious crime, the last thing Dane expects is the jolt of attraction at their every encounter. Elizabeth would soon challenge Dane's every assumption, including the one that he's better off without love. But as they risk everything to uncover the truth, the current of evil that contaminates Still Creek threatens to pull them both under...From the Paperback edition. From Publishers Weekly After a messy and very public divorce from her magnate husband, Elizabeth Stuart is persuaded by her old college chum to move from Atlanta to Still Creek, Minn. When car trouble strikes, Elizabeth hoofs it to a construction site--and finds the developer, Jarrold Jarvis, in his car with his throat cut. Sheriff Dane Jantzen figures the deed was done by a transient: Jarrold's wallet was stolen and his glove compartment rifled. Elizabeth, who now owns the local newspaper, suspects most everyone in town: Jarvis had kept a secret list of names of people who owed him money. Dane and Elizabeth start off their eventual romance by treating each other like dirt--exchanging what passes for snappy repartee. Dane insists on escorting Elizabeth to a press conference because "I want to know where your mouth is." She retorts, "it won't be kissing your ass." The characters are no more agreeable than the plot is focused on

finding the murderer. Perhaps that's why the effect of Hoag's ( Lucky's Lady ) story is less "still" than static. Copyright  
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standard in suspense.The Atlanta Journal