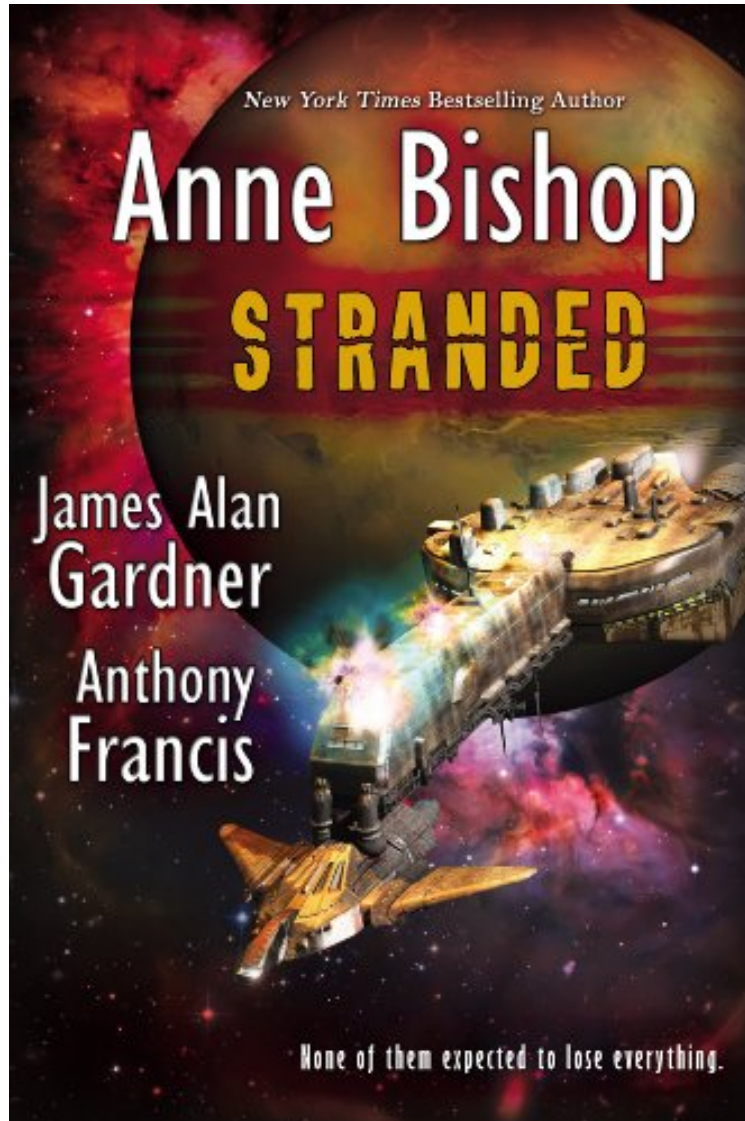


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Gut geschrieben - aber zu kurzVon Dany MohylaAnne Bishop geht zu meinen liebsten Autoren. Ihre Bcher leben von vielschichtigen Charakteren, einzigartigen Welten und unmenen an liebevollen Details. Zum Beispiel kann es vorkommen, dass die mchtigen Helden an Mutters Tisch sitzen und eins mit dem Kochlffel berzogen bekommen -

wegen einer frechen Bemerkung oder so. Ihre Bcher kann ich alle wrmstens empfehlen! Zu diesem Buch: es sind drei Kurzgeschichten, die allesamt gut bis sehr gut sind. Leider sind sie nicht miteinander verknnpft... und jede hinterlsst das Verlangen nach mehr - daher nur 3 Sterne. Wenn man zu dem Punkt kommt, wo man die Welt anfgnt zu verstehen, die Charkater liebgewonnen hat folgt kurz darauf das Ende der Geschichte und es htte noch so viel Potential ein grosser Geschichte daraus zu machen.

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Serendipity gasped. These were adventurers. The gravity was clearly punishing their slender frames, but they kept going, crawling out of the smoking ship from every hatch, rappelling down on spacelines, tools jangling on their belts when their boots touched the broken earth.
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