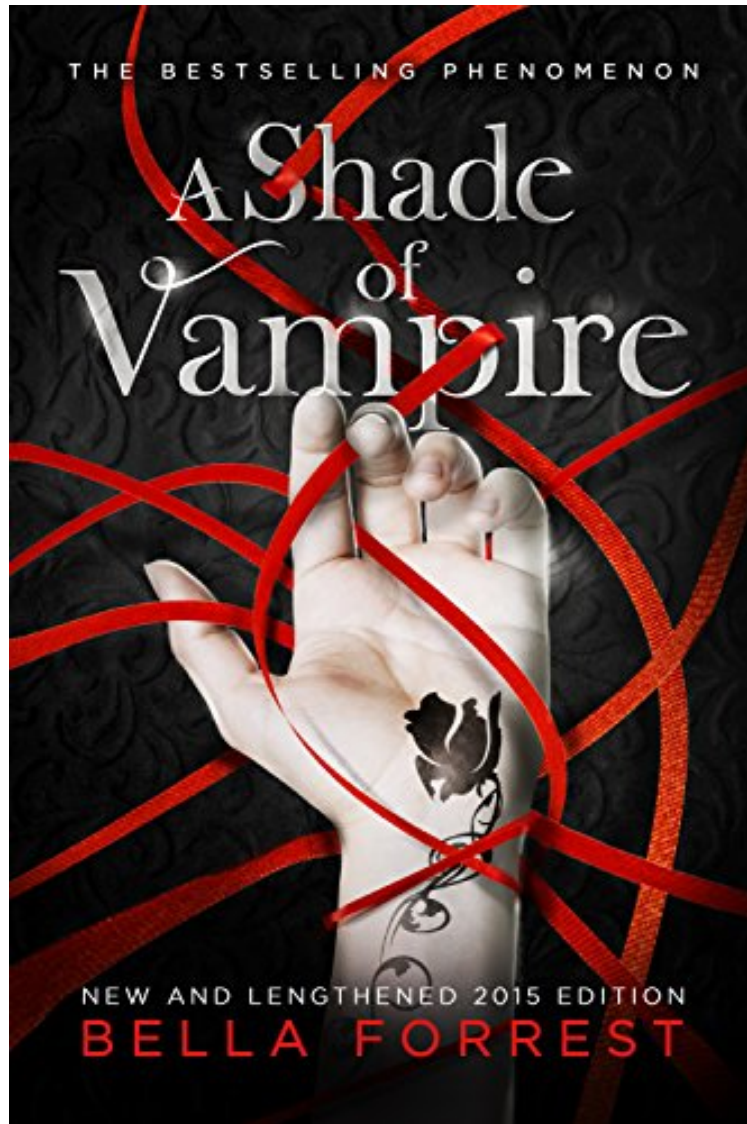


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Von Bella Forrest : A Shade of Vampire (New Lengthened 2015 Edition) (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised A Shade of Vampire (New Lengthened 2015 Edition) (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen5 von 5 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Plain boring.Von NaamirahDie Einfhrung der Hauptfigur Sophia zu Anfang der Geschichte empfand ich noch als

einigermaßen gelungen. Hier wurde wenigstens ein bisschen biographischer Hintergrund geliefert. Die eigentliche Geschichte aber, um den eben wieder erwachten Vampirprinzen (wider Willen) Derek und seine Sippe bleibt völlig flach. Die von Derek vor Jahrhunderten für seine Familie geschaffene Zuflucht auf der in Dunkelheit gehüllte Insel namens The Shade wird nur rudimentär beschrieben (so eine krude Mischung aus Lost und high-end Baumwipfel Familien Resort). Derek steht ein eigener Harem aus fünf attraktiven jungen Frauen zur Verfügung, die aber bis auf Sophia nicht weiter beschrieben werden und von denen er sich weder ernährt, noch sonst in irgendeiner Form bedienen lässt. Dass Sophia und er am Ende (nach 2h Lesezeit) ineinander verliebt sind, lässt sich von ihrer Seite vlt. durch das Stockholm Syndrom erklären. Bei ihm könnte Sauerstoffmangel im Gehirn während des 500jährigen Beautyschlafes in Frage. Das ist aber reine Spekulation, da das Buch leider keine nachvollziehbaren Gründe für eine derartige Beziehungsentwicklung liefert. Die Serie mit Twilight zu vergleichen ist einfach nur PR. Da ist eben noch keine Autorin auf den Vampirzug mit aufgesprungen. Das Geld und v.a. die zwei Stunden Lebenszeit kann man sich getrost sparen. 2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. not very convincing Von Elodie Colt The problem with writing a review for a book is that you always have a standard to compare to - the same with movies who don't win the oscar because there are too many better movies this year nominated for it. I've read about 150 paranormal/fiction/fantasy books and the best one so far is the Afterlife Saga by Stephanie Hudson. Granted, you can't compare Afterlife with this book, but from all the books I've read, this one didn't capture me that much: 1) The chapters are too short (I don't even think that the kindle version has 297 pages, it was far shorter than that as I needed 10min for 10%). You read about 3-4min for each chapter, that's not enough to put high quality content into it - the depth was definitely missing. Actually, I don't understand why she made so many books if the first one is so short (well, I do understand, it's all about money...). 2) The characters lacked personality. Sofia: The only thing you know about her is that she has auburn hair, a mental mother and has regular panic attacks. Then, she meets a vampire (and doesn't even freak out on the fact that vampires exist - wtf?), and suddenly she's the bravest of all - why? Derek: For some reason (nobody knows) he is the most feared and has incredible bloodlust after waking up, still he has no problems sleeping next to Sofia after - yeah what, a few weeks? Days? There's no track of time in those books. He is a high ranking vampire, but somehow he doesn't seem very masculine to me, more boyish. 3) It may sound strange, but I didn't feel anything. I didn't feel love or pain or horror or whatever the author wrote about. There were just sentences that blended together, but the story lacks the power to really feel with the characters. 4) After finishing the book I realized that nothing really happened. Yeah, there were two or three dangerous situations, but if those situations are written in 3-min-chapters, it doesn't really capture you. So, when Sofia says in one of the last chapters "We've been through so much" I nearly choked. 5) Wording: Maybe the saga is for the younger readers or the ones who like shallow stories, but more than 70% of the sentences began with "I". I'm a writer myself and I know how hard it is to avoid "I" when writing in the first perspective, but that's exactly the challenge. 6) The story with her being part of his harem gave the reader a wrong impression because he never used any one of the girls for sex or as slaves in general. The only question is: Why? Because he's such a good guy? Then why does everyone fear him? Too many questions left unanswered. I hardly ever give less than 4 stars and 90% of the books I've read were really good, but definitely not this one. Won't read the others. 2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Comparable to Twilight? - Absolutely NOT! Von Miss Lillie How did I get this novel? - I surfed the kindle-shop, threw a closer glance to my recommendations and saw in similar products the cover of "A Shade of Vampire" by Bella Forrest, clicked, read the blurb and bought it. Last week I read a devastating review by a passionately fan of Twilight who had said that "A Shade of Vampire" is completely boring and you should better not read it. So I began to read two days ago and was amazed. Bella Forrest's characters are so much stronger than Stephenie Meyer's. The female protagonist Sofia isn't as vague as Bella is, she isn't flawless but she is much more interesting than Bella Swan. The story is totally different to Twilight, in "A Shade of Vampire" the coven lives in "The Shade" a secret place, where they're hiding from the hunters. Humans are their slaves and so is Sofia a part of Derek Novak's harem, but he's different and he fell in love... I can't wait to read "A shade of blood"!

Kurzbeschreibung With over 7 million copies sold in the series and more than 135,750 worldwide 5-star reviews, A Shade of Vampire will transport fans of Twilight, The Mortal Instruments and The Vampire Diaries to a world unlike any other... On the evening of Sofia Claremont's seventeenth birthday, she is sucked into a nightmare from which she cannot wake. A quiet evening walk along a beach brings her face to face with a dangerous pale creature that craves much more than her blood. She is kidnapped to The Shade, an enchanted island where the sun is eternally forbidden to shine - an island uncharted by any map and ruled by the most powerful vampire coven on the planet. She wakes here as a slave, a captive in chains. Sofia's life takes a thrilling and terrifying turn when she is selected out of hundreds of girls to take up residence in the tree-top harem of Derek Novak, the dark royal prince. Despite his addiction to power and obsessive thirst for her blood, Sofia soon realizes that the safest place on the island is within his quarters, and she must do all within her power to win him over if she is to survive even one more night. Will she succeed? Or is she destined to the same fate that all other girls have met at the hands of the Novaks? Buy now to find out... "I challenge

you to read this book and not love it." - Get Lost In Fiction "A new spin on a crowded genre. Unique, passionate, thrilling." - Faerie Tale Books "...an utterly enthralling, highly exciting and beautifully sensitive story. Five stars and a standing ovation." - Books For Tomorrow _____ Note: Derek Novak and Sofia Claremont's story is only a 7 book series. It completes in Book 7: A Break of Day, and the characters embark on entirely new adventures from Book 8: A Shade of Novak. *Beware of spoilers in the reviews below that are without spoiler alerts*