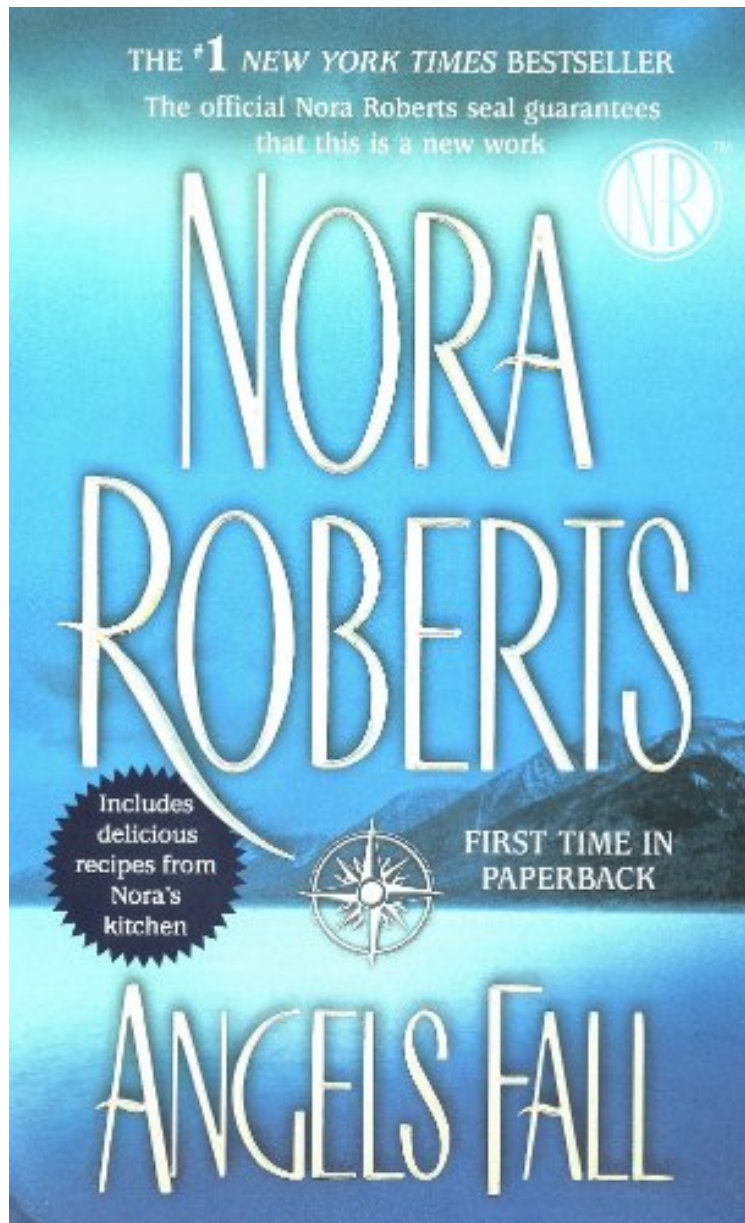


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Von Nora Roberts : Angels Fall before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Angels Fall:

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen5 von 5 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. An Appealing Heroine, Feisty Characters, Wonderful Sense of Place, Good Suspense and a Nice RomanceVon Donald

Mitchell Just when you think there's no new way to tell the story of a knight in shining armor who saves the fair maiden, along comes Nora Roberts to turn that time-tested formula on its head . . . with great results. If you want a great new book for your vacation, get *Angels Fall!* If you have ever been to Wyoming, you probably came away in awe of the Tetons. Seeing those peaks is in some ways even more moving than the Grand Canyon. And on a hot day in July, it's nice to think about being in Wyoming. The Tetons are a primary spiritual character in this book, helping to inspire the fictional characters to take the right steps. A fragile woman, Reece Gilmore, finds herself stuck in Angel's Fist, Wyoming (not too far from Jackson Hole) after her radiator hose splits. Needing to make a few bucks, she impulsively applies for the cook's job at short-order Angel Food. Clearly, she knows what she's doing. While most people would freak out from the pressure, it's almost a relief to Reece, as it takes her mind off other issues. Gradually, we learn that Reece is on the road to try to erase very unhappy memories. I won't say more because Ms. Roberts does a nice job of letting the details emerge in the novel. Meeting the people in Angel's Fist soon makes Reece think that she might like to stay . . . except for one problem: Reece observes a murder while on her first hike. But no one can find a body . . . or signs of a murder. Is Reece crazy? The incident does have one positive element, it brings Reece into close contact with Jamsion P. Brody (who prefers to be called Brody), a mystery novelist whose posterior is causing much conversation among the younger women in town. Their relationship blossoms in unexpected ways . . . both for the reader and for them. The issue of Reece's sanity becomes clouded by lots of incidents where the unexpected happens. But as Reece points out in the book, "It's not paranoia if they're really after you." The novel is filled with delightful characters you'll long remember . . . and may wish to meet: Joanie: She owns Angel Food and likes to talk tough . . . but may be a little bit softer than that. Lo: Joanie's son whose nickname is short for "Lothario" and who has plans for Reece. Linda-gail: The waitress who wants Lo . . . as a faithful husband. Mac: Loves to help people. Rick: The local sheriff who finds himself unwilling to place too much credence in the views of a newcomer, but has a delightful family. The mystery story is well done. You'll probably be thinking it's one of four characters right up until the last few pages. The most delightful aspect of this well-written story is that Ms. Roberts doesn't rush her story, her characters or your pleasure in enjoying the book. Although I'm far from a big foodie, I loved the many interesting food references in the book. It's like the Goldy Schultz stories in a way . . . but without the recipes. Like Goldy, Reece communicates through food. Read this book and enjoy yourself! It won't hurt to have a nice glass of wine and some tasty snacks nearby while you do.

2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Extraordinary read - even by NR standards
Von M. Scheibenberger What a delight. This was the first book in ages that I literally could not put down. Reece Gilmore, chef extraordinaire, is an emotionally bruised woman trying to find back to herself after witnessing a horrific crime in which several of her friends were killed and she was the sole survivor. She up and leaves her Boston home and drives west, ends up in a little town called Angel's Fist in Wyoming. There she meets former Chicago Trib journalist, now crime writer Brody... what a wonderful pair of protagonists. She witnesses a murder and has a hard time convincing the local law enforcement that what she saw was real and not a flash back from the past. Then little things start to happen in her apartment, making her (and others) doubt her own sanity and that's just what the murderer wants - to discredit the witness by driving her back over the ledge she has just returned from... Not that a true Nora Roberts fan would expect anything less, but this book and its extraordinary characters (the rest of the cast is also superbe) has gripped me by the collar and refused to let go. Snappy dialogues, well-thought through plot, perfect read. Where is this town? I want to go and spend my next vacation there. ;-)

1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. An Appealing Heroine, Feisty Characters, Wonderful Sense of Place, Good Suspense and a Nice Romance
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Kurzbeschreibung#1 New York Times bestselling author Nora Roberts explores the wilds of the Grand Tetons and the mysteries of love, murder, and madness in this engrossing and passionate novel. The sole survivor of a brutal crime back East, Reece Gilmore settles in Angels Fall, Wyoming temporarily, at least and takes a job at a local diner. One day, while hiking in the mountains, she peers through her binoculars and sees a couple arguing on the bank of the churning Snake River. And suddenly, the man is on top of the woman, his hands around her throat... By the time Reece reaches a gruff loner named Brody farther down the trail, the pair is gone. And when authorities comb the area where she saw the attack, they find no trace that anyone was even there. No one in Angels Fall seems to believe Reece except Brody, despite his seeming impatience and desire to keep her at arms length. When a series of menacing events makes it clear that someone wants her out of the way, Reece must put her trust in Brody and herself to find out if there is a killer in Angels Fall, before it's too late. From the Paperback edition. From Publishers Weekly Roberts's latest novel of romantic suspense is a cunningly calibrated portrait of a young chef's recovery from violent trauma. While driving in the Grand Tetons, displaced Bostonian Reece Gilmore stops in the small town of Angel's Fist, near Jackson Hole, Wyo., and considers the "Cook Wanted" sign in Joanie's, a local diner. Still rattled by a shooting spree at her Boston restaurant that left her wounded and the only survivor among 12 co-workers, Reece is easily spooked, as noted by her plainspoken new boss, Joanie, and the locals who frequent the restaurant. Among them is a wary, unattached mystery novelist, Brody. Indeed, when Reece claims to have witnessed a murder while hiking along Snake River, few except Brody are inclined to believe the skittish new resident: Sheriff Rick Mardson hasn't found any clear evidence of a woman struck down near the river; Doc Wallace is suspicious of Reece's fragile mental state; and Joanie isn't about to cut Reece any slack while running a busy kitchen. Roberts cleverly casts suspicions on the locals while developing the romance between the two feisty protagonists. A slow-burn start combusts in a satisfying denouement; Roberts's legions of fans will be enthralled. (July) Copyright Reed Business Information, a division of Reed Elsevier Inc. All rights reserved. From Booklist After suffering a horrific shock, Reece Gilmore is slowly starting to put her life back together. Leaving her home in Boston, Reece travels around the country, but when she arrives in Angel's Fist, Wyoming, her car refuses to go any further. Planning on staying only until she earns enough money to fix her car, Reece takes a job as a cook in the Angel Food Cafe. Then, as she gets to know her new boss, her co-workers, and the other residents of the little town, including Brody, an annoyingly stubborn yet mysteriously sexy writer, she starts to believe that for the first time in a very long time, she may have found a place she might actually want to call home. Reece's hard-won happiness and sense of security is threatened, however, when she becomes not only the sole witness to a murder but also the next target of the killer, who is determined to drive her crazy. Once again, the best-selling, prolific, and endlessly imaginative Roberts deftly imbues a deliciously subtle sense of menace into a chilling and thrilling plot, thus creating yet another of her many irresistible and terrifically satisfying novels of romantic suspense. John Charles Copyright American Library Association. All rights reserved