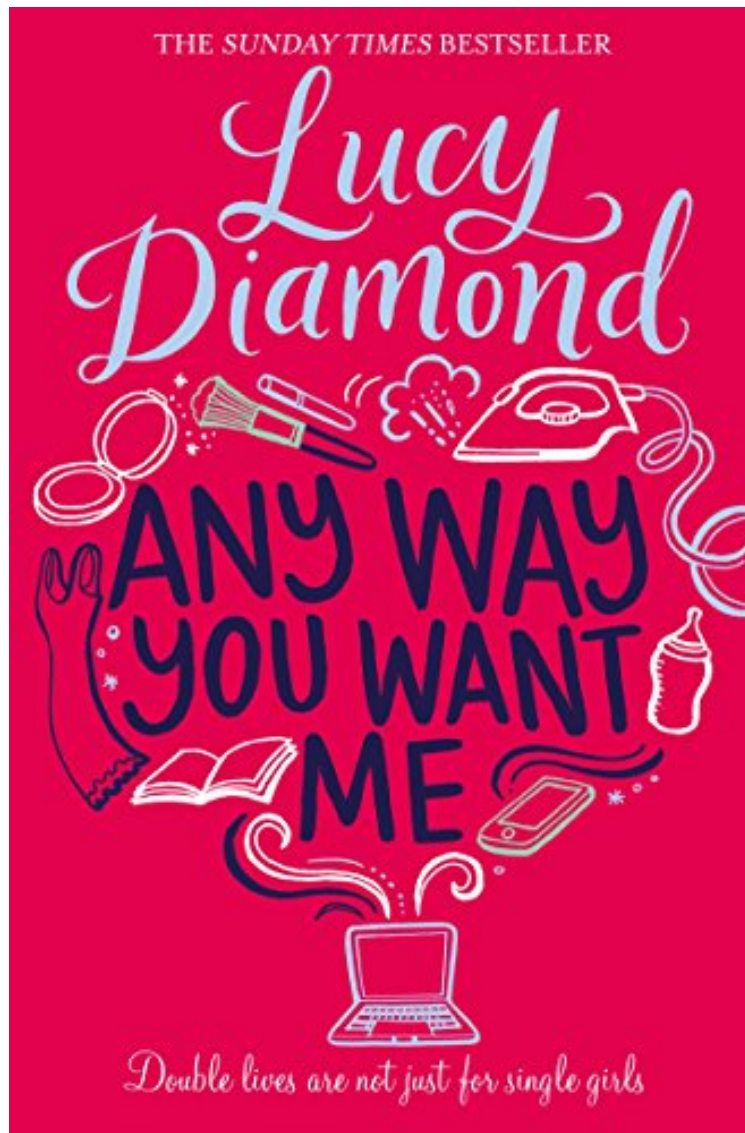


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**Von Lucy Diamond : Any Way You Want Me (English Edition)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Any Way You Want Me (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Aprubt ending, but otherwise a realitiv storyVon Sine causaI liked the book, and I liked especially that it was so realistic most of the time. Adultery happens, it's a fact and not always is the person doing it a bad person. I could understand the heroine's motives, at least at first. I didn't quite get why she didn't just try to find a hobby or a job if she felt like the

children took up too much of her life, but I still could understand in general how the whole thing could happen. What I found a bit weird was that there were so many friends around the heroine and new ones kept appearing throughout the story but never taking on any important part - it was like whenever the heroine needed someone, a new character showed up without being mentioned before, but for some reason these all were wonderful friends who could be confided in and didn't mind putting their lives on hold for a bit until the heroine had sorted out her own situation, whereas the characters who were supposed to be best friends and siblings didn't play an important part at all. The ending was very abrupt and unrealistic and it all happened too fast, too, after we were described the whole affair at length. The book also lacks some serious editing - sometimes it was like the author had copied and pasted parts of the stories and then forgot to check whether the parts actually go together. E.g. there's one chapter where the heroine lies in her bed listening to her partner come home and the next line she's talking to him at breakfast - there's not even a new paragraph to indicate there's been a change in time and setting. Oh well. Still four stars because it was a story so honest and completely different from the usual chick lit stuff despite a lame ending and horrible editing.

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Von javelinx Looking for a light-hearted, funny romance, I found "Any way..." in a public library. It was decidedly more than expected. The beginning is rather standard: young mother on her first evening out again with one of the girls, one guy tries to flirt with her, but she has to go home because the baby is crying inconsolably; ensuing some jokes about moms at home, the disdain from childless career women, work partners of her mate, and other depressing factors, feeling weighed down by small children and family. Then the story takes another turn: instead of overcompensating by trying to become Over-Mom, Sadie fantasizes herself into another identity, trying to get in touch with her first lover, applying for a job she isn't qualified for, and going so far as to begin an affair with Mark, the husband of her partner's boss. This was a real stunner: a young mother, between breast-feeding and doing the dirty laundry, nearly going at it during a business party in a little broom closet, while her partner - and his boss - are next door. They begin an affair, while Sadie knows next to nothing about Mark. Their encounters get riskier and riskier, and it seems it can only be a matter of time until they are discovered. !SPOILER! Then Sadie gets pregnant, not knowing whether her partner Alex, or her lover, are the father of the unborn. Sadie loses the child, and the truth has to be told, because Mark threatens her. The rest you have to read for yourself, the book really gets under your skin. What I liked especially was the unique blend of hard reality - the nerve-racking all-day job of rearing small children, while fighting against low self-esteem and disdain from others - and the surreal idea of having a steaming love-affair with two children under two at home. So this is not another one of the slightly funny, slightly teary-eyed love stories where it's clear from page one that our heroine will get her hero, but a painful fight for personal happiness with unexpected twists and turns. Hopefully, Lucy Diamond will continue writing such stories, I look forward to reading them.

0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Realistic chick-lit with a scarlet letter

Von Carina It's very rare to find a chick-lit novel portraying an actual desperate housewife, never mind an adulterous one and I think Lucy Diamond did a very good job with this difficult subject. The plot isn't the tightest but the writing is funny and moving. I found it hard to dislike the heroine...until the much too short and unsatisfying end that is. Still it remains a satisfying insight into the life of contemporary British woman and I'll be definitely checking out the rest of the author's books.

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