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Description

The long-awaited reissue **diew** York Timesbestseller Catherine anderson's "truly spectacular read" (Linda Lael Miller).

Years ago, Amy Masters escaped the Texas plains for a quiet life as a teacher in Oregon. Then, out of the shadows comes Swift Antelope, the Comanche warrior to whom she once pledged her heart. But Amy's brutal past has made it impossible for her to trust any man-even the bold warrior who has haunted her dreams, the only man she ever loved, the Comanche heart she can't live without...

Insightful reviews

Robin: My review will mirror most everybody else's. One HAS to read Moon first or this story would have been meaningless on it's own. It did drag on a bit with Amy being so shut down and immoveable for so long, but the fact that I loved them so much in the first book kept me reading and it was well worth it when Amy's shell finally cracked and her healing began. I LOVED the first love scene. Swift is the genuine epitome of a romance hero. Someone commented that you really can't, in fairness, compare Moon to Heart and that's true. Heart really has so very little in the way of subplot or antagonist until the very end. The antagonists in this story is the inner struggle of the two main characters and when reading it, one just has to accept the merits of this book for that and not allow yourself to wonder why a typical storyline/plot doesn't ever become part of this story. It was really just a love story of two people and that's ok. I did miss out on Hunter and Loretta though. They were so larger than life in Moon, and in Heart, they stayed in the wings throughout. Overall, it was a great read.

MelissaB: First off, you really need to read Comanche Moon by Catherine Anderson before Comanche Heart because that is where Swift and Amy's story begins. They fall in love at a young age and get betrothed in the Comanche way. Swift Antelope stays with his Comanche tribe during their fight against the whites but promises to come for her when he is finished. She waits years and he never comes, so eventually she ends up in Oregan with her sister Loretta and Hunter.

At the start of Comanche Heart, it has been 12 years after Swift left Amy. He returns to her farm only to be told she died. Three years later, he makes his way to Oregon to find Hunter and Loretta after years of being a gun slinger and riding with the Comancheros. He is amazed to find his Amy alive and well, living as a school teacher near her sister. Amy has never forgotten her childhood love but is terrified of the hard looking Comanchero Swift had become.

Swift still loves Amy and is determined to have a life with her now that he has found her again. Amy is scared of losing the freedom she has at Wolf's Landing if she honors her promise to marry Swift. While she still loves him, she went through a lot in her life that has left her terrified of intimacy and all but broke her spirit. However, Swift is one determined man who is patient and willing to do whatever it takes to win Amy's trust.

I loved Swift and Amy's story! Amy went through so much in her life that she deserved to find happiness with her love. At first I was a little frustrated that she resisted Swift so hard until I found out the hell she went through while faithfully waiting for Swift to come for her in Texas - then my heart broke for her and I couldn't wait to see Swift heal her with his love. Swift had a hard life in the 15 years since he last saw Amy, but he jumps at the chance to start a new life. He is so kind and patient with Amy - he truly was a hero to me. This love story was beautiful and sweet. Swift and Amy deserved their HEA after living hard lives then managing to work their way through many obstacles to find happiness and a chance for a life together.

Highly recommended for anyone who enjoys great romance! Read Comanche Moon first though - not only is it amazing but you see the start of this wonderful love story. Comanche Heart will be rereleased in June 2009!

Seffra: 5 Stars!

I really loved Amy and Swift's story! Oh man, this book was full of angst from the beginning to the end. I loved how their story was told and ughh!! It was just perfect!!

Swift was such a great guy! I loved his sixteen year old self in Comanche Moon and I loved his thirty-one year old self in Comanche Heart! I honestly swooned for him! He never stopped fighting for Amy and her love. He faced humility but still fought on. He knew who he wanted and just went for it.

Amy, Amy, Amy...My heart really hurt reading about what had happened with her in Comanche Moon. I have no idea how she survived it at 12 YEARS OLD but she did because she had the healing love of Swift. She had a lot of self realization in this book and it made me love her so much more! We were used to the strong-willed and sassy Amy in Comanche Moon but that is not who you get in this book. Swift really worked so hard to get Amy to unveil her feeling for him.

My heart went out for this couple and ughhh!! I can't handle how sweet and wonderful their love was. A love that healed one's broken soul.

Here are some of my fav quotes because some just really got to me!

"I thought you didn't believe in heaven."

"Sure I do. Comanche heaven, your heaven, it's probably the same. The gods must keep Indians and you whites separated so we don't know we're up there together and start another war."

Amy wrinkled her nose. "That won't do. It wouldn't be heaven if I wasn't with you."

"My home is where you are. Please don't leave me Swift."

He groaned and grabbed her into his arms, hugging her so tightly she could scarcely breathe. "Leave you? Amy, love, I thought that was what you'd want. Leave you? It's be more like cutting out my heart."

Aren't they cute!!??

Ally72: This was once one of these attractive booklet and person who I knew I needed to be in a definite temper to read. I anticipated it to be choked with emotion among Amy and quick and that i used to be right. the tale occurs nearly fifteen years after Comanche Moon ends. within the final e-book we learn the ache Amy went via whereas captured through the bandits. Unfortunately, her soreness does not finish at that time and there have been extra difficulties forward for Amy. i believe the worst half approximately analyzing it was once figuring out these different types of crimes occurred to ladies and children. rapid and Amy enjoyed one another as little ones and that by no means replaced as they turned adults (despite the entire difficulties they endured). quick Antelope/Lopez is really what a hero is intended to be in my opinion. he's one in every of my favourite characters that i've got ever examine and Amy used to be an ideal supplement to him. there have been elements within the tale that I needed to cease and take a holiday simply because Amy made me suppose so sorry for her. If somebody hasn't learn this ebook and is interpreting this review, it most likely sounds very dark. it really is not since it can be approximately desire and the braveness to proceed on whilst confronted with traumas. Comanche center just isn't just like Comanche Moon except the characters are the same. I enjoyed either books for various purposes and that i hugely suggest it to someone who's within the temper for a romantic and emotional stuffed book. Lastly, the finishing was once very pleasurable and made me suppose so satisfied at the final page.

Auntee: enjoyed it. Loooved it. definite I know, it wasn't "Comanche Moon", which IMO is Catherine Anderson's epic romance, and it might be demanding to compete with that one. This one was once a bit different, extra of a directly romance among those that have not visible one another in 15 years, for the reason that they have been kids. either Amy and fast Antelope(Lopez) have each one been via hell in the course of these years and adjusted so much, I wasn't definite in the event that they may well recapture the younger love that they had after they have been a ordinarily carefree 12 yr outdated and a blossoming-into-manhood sixteen yr old. This booklet information the painful trip they have to each one take to reclaim the happiness they as soon as shared, and the way they conflict racial prejudice, take care of regrets, and rediscover the deep love and belief they as soon as shared with every one other. I shed many a tear whereas interpreting this one, either for Amy and for Swift. Amy used to be essentially a shell of a lady while rapid got here again into her life, hiding out at the back of her instructing task and the safety of her cousin Loretta's family. yes it used to be a secure life, however it was once no lifestyles for the previous lively younger lady from Comanche Moon. and she or he gave speedy this type of difficult time while he ultimately got here again into her lifestyles and attempted to make her honor her younger promise of marriage. Yes, I understood that she used to be unsatisfied and fearful of what he'd turn into at the outdoors (a infamous gunslinger who rode with comancheros), yet i used to be hoping she'd glance deeper and discover this was once her Swift, the guy who might by no means deliberately damage her. occasionally her reluctance to simply accept speedy aggravated me, although i could not blame her in the end that had occurred to her. This woman had adequate horrors to final a lifetime. seeing that she sincerely hadn't particularly handled her awful past, I had my doubts that fast will be in a position to reconnect with her. yet boy he was once tenacious and single-minded! occasionally he was once a bit ham-handed and insensitive, yet I by no means for one minute

doubted his love for Amy. Many a time i presumed "Don't quit Swift" every time Amy attempted to close him out.I relatively cherished fast as a hero. i presumed he was once caring, sexy, sensitive, and wonderful. The issues he was once keen to do to be with Amy...the man by no means gave up. once or twice he made me cry (the spelling bee; whilst he made up our minds he may eventually depart Amy by myself and nearly made it out of town; whilst he ultimately discovered the scope of all that Amy have been through; whilst he was once framed for a homicide he did not dedicate and nonetheless attempted to guard Amy's reputation) and that i so sought after him to have a HEA, yet i used to be additionally anxious that he would not get one. simply incredible storytelling by means of Catherine Anderson. And Amy, oh she got here an extended way. i used to be so pleased with her while she ultimately stumbled on her selfworth again--her 'Comanche heart'. Her protection of quick whilst he used to be accused of homicide introduced tears to my eyes. that is while i used to be confident of her absolute love for him.I loved getting a glance into the following e-book in an effort to be Indigo's (Loretta and Hunter's daughter) story. She jogs my memory a little of the courageous and lively younger woman that Amy was. even though i need to admit i used to be a bit shocked with Loretta and Hunter's parenting skills--I suggestion they gave her waay an excessive amount of freedom--and Indigo approximately paid for that. This was once a superb romance, one i would not hesitate to suggest to any reader. simply ensure that you do learn "Comanche Moon" first--you will not are looking to fail to spot the numerous backstory that it provides. there is romance, passion, tears, and a bit suspense, and a truly fulfilling HEA. What extra may perhaps you want? five stars.

Nonie?serenity2bliss: whereas I admit it is not as robust as Comanche Moon, Comanche center continues to be lovely wonderful. My 3rd e-book by means of the writer and so far, i have rated all 3 an exceptional five stars rating. i suppose 2012 could be a Catherine Anderson yr for me;) If purely i will locate her older books...

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