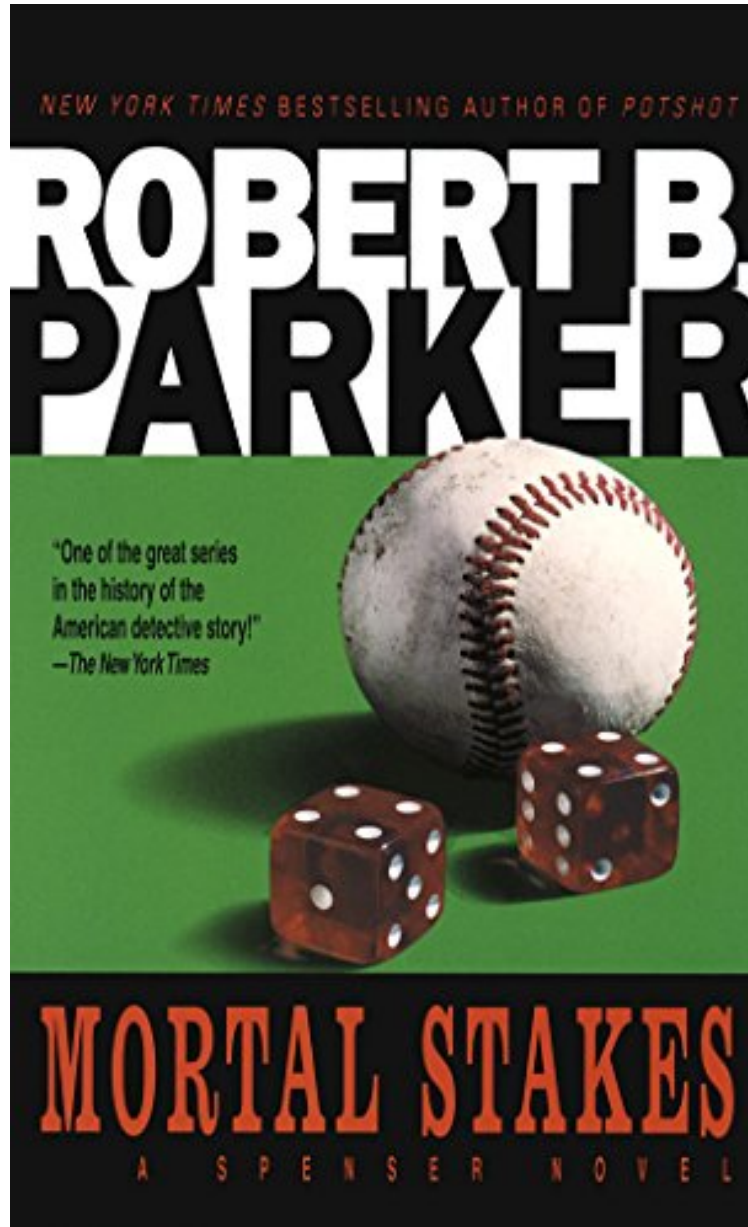


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**Von Robert B. Parker : Mortal Stakes (The Spenser Series Book 3) (English Edition)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Mortal Stakes (The Spenser Series Book 3) (English Edition):

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and National Pastime Von Christian Johann Im dritten Teil der Spenser-Saga dreht der lebenswerte Privatschnffler aus Boston so richtig auf. Reihenweise verführt er die Frauen, er offenbart seine dunkle Seite, exekutiert zwei Mafiosis und vertrimmt einen Tae Kwon Do-Kmpfer. Der Plot ist dieses Mal eng mit des Amerikaners liebster Freizeitbeschäftigung verbunden: Baseball. Mit seinem Einsatz im Milieu der Red Sox schien Spenser schon einmal ein frühes Vorbild für den guten Myron Bolitar zu liefern. Der ist zwar erst ein Vierteljahrhundert später seinen ersten Baseball-Fall (The Final Detail (Myron Bolitar)). Es macht aber Spaß, die Parallelen zu entdecken. Würde Win von Spenser eigentlich genauso bel Haue bekommen? Zurück zur Story: Einem All-American-Baseball-Star unterlaufen hin und wieder unerklärliche Fehler. Der Manager seines Teams beauftragt Spenser damit, herauszufinden, ob Spiele verschoben werden. Spenser, der sich als Autor tarnt, kommt den Spielern und der Familie des Stars näher. Auf der Suche nach Ungereimtheiten wirbelt der Mann mit dem einarmigen Liegestütz allerhand Staub auf. Bostoner Gangster, ein New Yorker Pimp und die Puffmutter eines Edel-Etablissements werden befragt und von Spensers großer Klappe sichtlich zermürbt. Nebenbei spielen auch weiterhin Frauen, Sport und gutes Essen zentrale Rollen in Spensers Leben, sodass man sich am Ende fragt, wie Robert B. Parker es jedes Mal schafft, das alles unter einen Hut zu bringen. Den einzigen Stern Abzug gibt es von mir für den Mangel an wirklicher Herausforderung. Wieder einmal wirkt Spenser ein bisschen zu cool, fast Reacheresque (Killing Floor (Jack Reacher)). Obwohl: Als er im Verhalten des Baseballspielers erkennt, dass dieser droht daran zu zerbrechen, zwei Moralsysteme (Fair Play/Baseball und Familie) gleichzeitig aufrechterhalten zu wollen, beginnt es auch in Spenser zu arbeiten. Die folgenden Filme versprechen tieferen Einblick. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Excellent Von Harmoni This is the 3d in the Spenser series. Next to Sandy Kofax, Marty Rabb is the best pitcher Spenser has ever seen. Rabb is with the Red Sox, and someone in the organization hires Spenser to find out if there is any truth in the hint of a whisper that he is throwing games or allowing hits. There are lots of laughs in this story, especially in the first half. Spenser is also quite introspective. He sleeps with Brenda Loring twice, and, while that disturbed me, I liked what he thought when he first kissed her: "There is excitement in a new kiss, but there is a quality of memory and intimacy in kissing someone you've kissed often before. I liked the quality. Maybe continuity is better than change." Brenda is not dating Spenser exclusively, and there is no mention whether Susan is. At one point, Spenser needs to talk about something, and he realizes that Brenda is only for fun times and that he can discuss serious issues with Susan. This story presages the commitment to each other made by Susan and Spenser in Promised Land. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Spenser on the brink of values Von Ein Kunde In his third novel, Spenser has to go to the brink of his values and mankind's rules to solve an obvious deadlock. In this case of indirect blackmail (you'll know what I mean when you read it), an innocent player of the Boston Red Sox does everything to repay his and his beloved wife's debts from the past. When almost losing his career as a top pitcher and everything else that matters for him, Spenser steps in and takes drastic measures to get him out. This story is fun and at the same time it is fear when you realize what it takes to solve this case. I still do not know, whether I like Spenser more than ever for his bravery or whether I disapprove his entire behavior. In any case, this again is a great story and you should definitely read it.

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