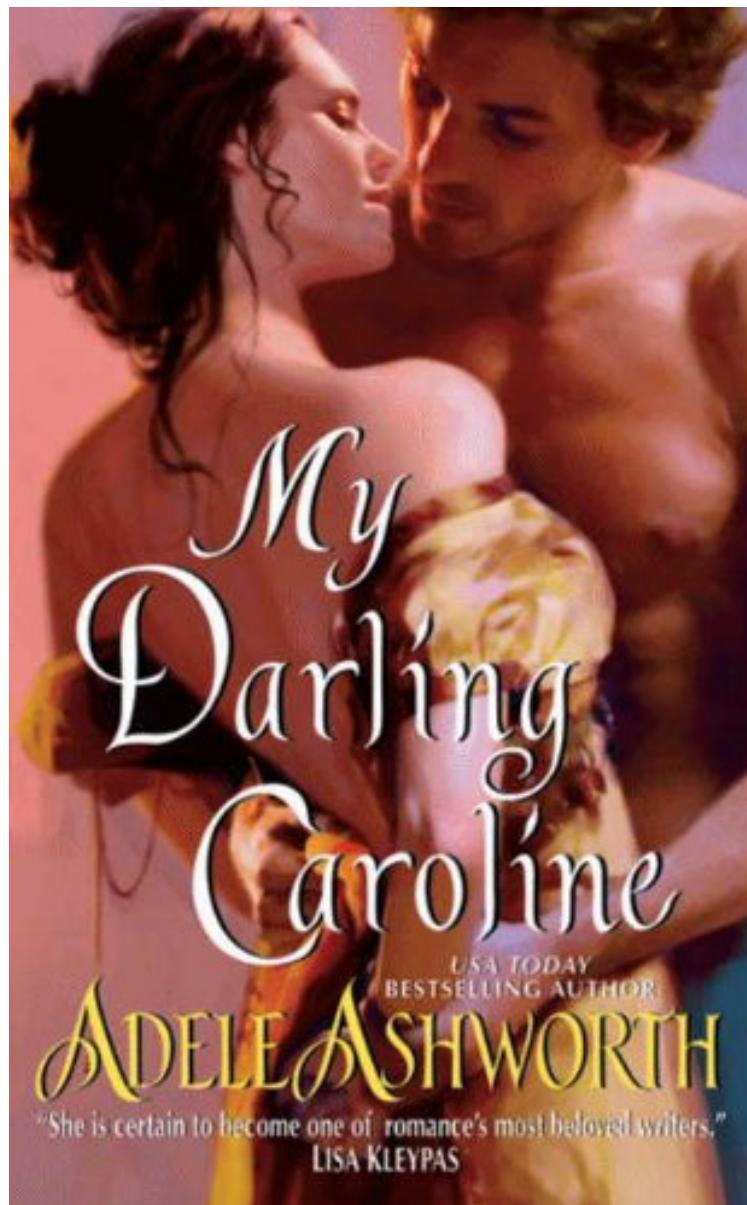


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**Von Adele Ashworth : My Darling Caroline** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised My Darling Caroline:

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Innovative and refreshingVon Ein KundeIn 1815, brilliant Caroline Grayson wants to be a botanist. Her ingenious

research in her father's garden on mixing roses is way ahead of its time, but ignored by the male-only botanists field because women are scorned as being too dumb. Caroline is accepted to attend Columbia University by pretending to be a man. Though Caroline plans to travel to New York in a few months, her father has other ideas for his favorite daughter. He decides she should marry their neighbor, The Earl of Weymerth, Brent Ravenscroft. He blackmails the Earl into agreeing to the nuptials and Caroline has no choice but to marry the Earl. Brent and Caroline are immediately attracted to each other and soon they fall in love with one another. However, there are many problems and hidden agendas that need to be worked out between the pair if they are to share a lifetime of happiness together. Awesome Adele Ashworth scribes one of the best Regency romances of the year with *My Darling Caroline*. The story line cleverly yet entertainingly discusses the prejudice normally intelligent and rational men have towards intelligent females. Readers will admire the lead female protagonist for her courage, passion, and refusal to give in to the male establishment. As wonderful a role model as Caroline is, Brent is that rare huggable male, who understands and urges his wife to use her brain even as he wants her to be his loving wife and mother to his children. Ms. Ashworth raises the level of Regency romance by her touching story line that demonstrates what we all lose when any group is the recipient of prejudicial behavior. Historical romance readers of all eras will be totally enthralled by this absorbing drama which also happens to be the debut novel of tomorrow's superstar Harriet Klausner.

0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. amateurish, disjointed and genuinely (a little bit) moving Von Diana Muir Ms. Ashworth has real problems with plot development. Plot devices are introduced with an abruptness that makes the reader's head spin, only to disappear without a trace. Motivation among these characters is confusing to say the least, of course, when you fail to understand Ms. Ashworth can be relied upon to explain it all - usually about 100 pages late. to make matters worse, Ms. Ashworth has a wholly inadequate grasp of the period. We don't mind the leap of faith required to imagine a young woman of the period who wants to study in the University above all else, it is the little things that annoy. Ashworth gets titles wrong, whisks characters about England with a rapidity that would require horseless carriages, and her idea of espionage in the Napoleonic period is nothing short of grotesque. Her idea of human character is equally distorted. Would that we all had a set of such omniscient, omnipotent, devoted relatives. To top it all off, Ms. Ashworth's grasp of the English language is shaky. So why read an Ashworth book? Because sometimes, just sometimes, she writes a scene where the emotions are compelling and we are genuinely moved by the plight of the hero and heroine.

0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Wonderful debut book! Von pontmarie This is a wonderfully written, emotionally satisfying book with characters I cared a lot about. Caroline Grayson wants to breed flowers, unfortunately, in 1800s England women are not taken seriously as scholars and Caroline's efforts to attend university seem thwarted. Just when she has made up her mind to leave everything behind and go to school (under a name that won't reveal she is a woman) her father determines she is to marry. Her first meeting with the Earl of Weymerth is not a promising one, but after the wedding, Caroline begins to discover just what a wonderful person her husband, Brent, really is. She must still decide whether to give up her dream or to leave Brent, whom she has fallen in love with, not to mention little Rosalyn whom she loves as well. Brent's past as a spy also poses problems. I absolutely loved this book. Caroline and Brent are wonderful lead characters and I hope you'll give them a try.

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Buchrückseite No man's darling . . . One by one, Lady Caroline Grayson watched her four sisters celebrate their betrothals, truly sure that marriage was not in her future and perfectly pleased with that fact. Or so she thought. Brent Ravenscroft, Earl of Weymerth, nearly gave his life for the Crown. He returned to England a hero with no intention of taking a bride, certain his brusque demeanor would intimidate any young ladies drawn to his good looks or so he thought. Bound by a business transaction, Caroline and Brent begin life as husband and wife. Utterly determined not to fall for each other, they stubbornly ignore the sparks flying between them and keep secrets at every turn. They would resist the lure of love and the pleasures of the marriage bed forever . . . or so they thought.