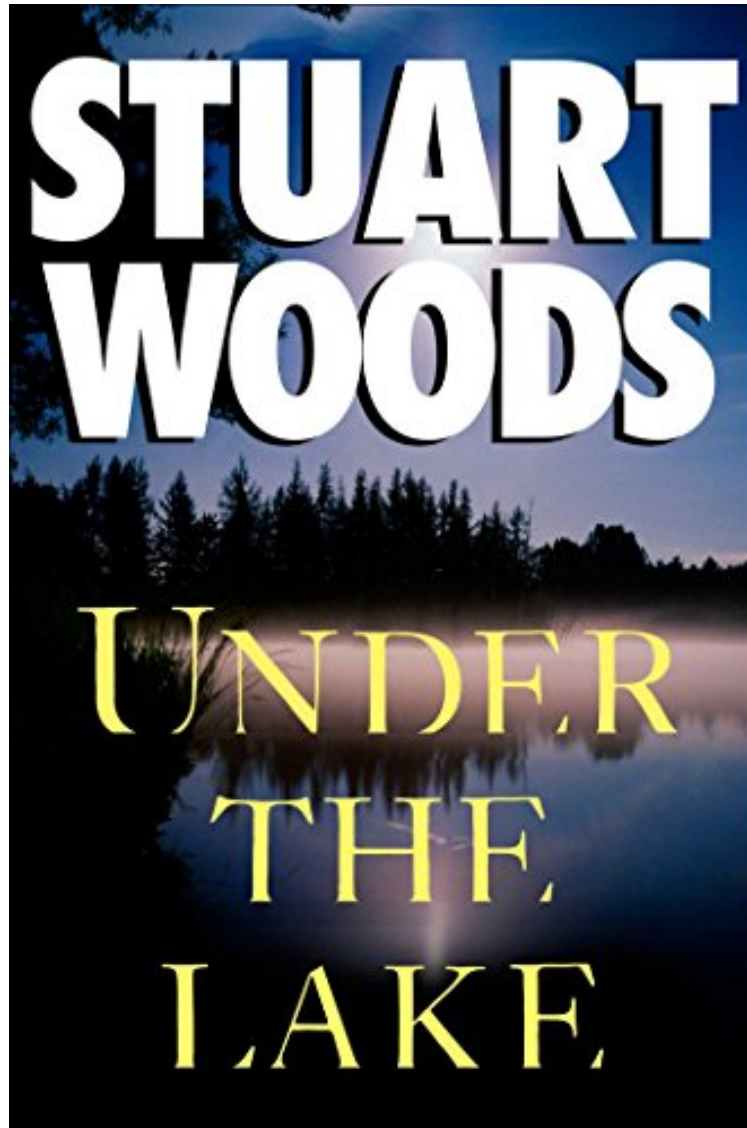


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KurzbeschreibungFrom bestselling author Stuart Woods, a thriller featuring John Howell, a former investigative journalist trying to escape from his past who finds a perfect sanctuary in a lakeside home in the North Georgia Mountains. But little does he realize the small town harbors a dark and evil secret, hidden deep within the lakes waters.In the beautiful mountains of North Georgia lies a lake built by an obsessed man at a terrible price. This placid body of water has brought prosperity to an isolated community, and with it, two strangers who intermingle with the insular local folk, strangers probing into crimes against nature from generations past that cannot remain submerged beneath the waters' surface. Under the Lake marks the eagerly awaited return to the South of his Edgar Awardwinning novel Chiefs. John Howell, once a top investigative journalist, comes to this backcountry town on the run from a once promising personal and professional life that has somehow gone sour. What he finds is a mystery so deep, so complex, so bizarre, that he cannot concentrate on the book he has come here to write. The story begins with his entanglement in a subtle, but relentless battle waged by the autocratic town father and the local sheriff against an outcast family, ravaged by its origins. Howell is further drawn in by his involvement with two womenan ambitious young reporter on the prowl for corruption, and a shy backwoods beauty, forsaken by the world because of her family's ill kept secret. Then, without warning, visits from an otherworldly young girl haunt Howell as his rustic cabin becomes a spectral theater offering strange and frightening images of a hideous event of long ago.From Publishers WeeklyThe Edgar Award-winning author of Chiefs (basis of a TV miniseries) and the bestselling Deep Lie now offers a highly readable if somewhat overheated thriller-cum-gothic that includes murder, drug smuggling, faith healing, hallucinations, revenants and incest. A one-time ace reporter rents a cabin in a backwoods Georgia town, then stumbles upon and determines to solve the town mystery, which involves a seemingly affable sheriff, an autocratic town father and an incest-ridden family whose once-prosperous farm now lies under a lake. He joins forces with a plucky female reporter bent on proving that the sheriff is "dirty," and there's never a dull moment as the story surges toward its exciting climax. The conclusion is a little too far-fetchedbut by that time readers have had more than their money's worth. Major ad/promo; Literary Guild and Doubleday Book Club alternates. Copyright 1987 Reed Business Information, Inc.PressestimmenPraise for Under the LakeAnother gem...A book to read and get chills from on even the hottest day.San Diego UnionKeeps you turning page after page.The Washington PostOverwhelming...Ive never read a novel like it in my lifeEverything is swept away by the simple raw power of the concept and Stuart Woods ability to actually carry it offIll have nightmares about that lake!Stephen King A blockbuster certain to keep you turning the pages long into the night.*The Macon Telegraph News Never a dull moment as the story surges toward its exciting climax.Publishers WeeklyMore Praise for Stuart WoodsStuart Woods is a no-nonsense, slam-bang storyteller.Chicago TribuneA world-class mystery writer...I try to put Woodss books down and I cant.Houston ChronicleMr. Woods, like his characters, has an appealing way of making things nice and clear.The New York TimesWoods certainly knows how to keep the pages turning.BooklistSince 1981, readers have not been able to get their fill of Stuart WoodsNew York Timesbestselling novels of suspense.Orlando Sentinel