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## KINDLE â Sacred Sins ? eBook or Kindle ePUB free

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A Young Woman Is Found Strangled To Death A Note Left Behind Reads Her Sins Are Forgiven Her Two Victims Soon Follow, And Suddenly Every Headline Is Devoted To The Killer The Press Has Dubbed The Priest When The Police Ask Top Notch Psychiatrist Dr Tess Court To Help With Their Investigation, She Comes Up With A Disturbing Portrait Of A Twisted Soul Detective Ben Paris Doesn T Give A Damn About The Killer S Psyche What He Can T Easily Dismiss Is Tess Tall, Dark, And Good Looking, Ben Has A Legendary Reputation With Women, But The Coolly Elegant Tess Doesn T React To Him Like Other Women He S Known And He Finds The Challenge Enticing







NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF  
*THE VILLA*

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SACRED  
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"Roberts is indeed a word artist, painting her story and characters with vitality and verve." —*Daily News of Los Angeles*

was just okay for me Neither the mystery or the romance grabbed me. I absolutely love anything written by Nora Roberts but Sacred Sins not exactly one of my favorites but it's still worth a read. What I liked I eventually warmed up to the two mc's, Ben Paris is that not a fab name the gorgeous..obviously..detective working a serial killer case and Tess Court, beautiful, smart and caring psychiatrist, who has been assigned to assist and profiling the killer for the police However my favorite character was most definitely Ben's partner, Ed He's such a likeable and engaging guy who has not become the cynical and cold cop as most are portrayed in books The dialogue between Ben and Ed is fabulous.loved the scene where Ed takes Ben to view the house he has just bought some really funny and great interaction between them.The differences between Ben Tess yes, opposites do attract A successful and independent woman from a privileged background and a down to earth regular guy who faces criminals every day of his life and so happens that he absolutely does NOT like psychiatrists The feelings that Tess had for one of her patients, Joey was surprising at first, the way she becomes involved personally with the case, but as I learnt about her, was able to understand it, because she's really a very caring person and not a by the hour doctor.So what made me not TOTALLY CRAZY about this book One of the many reasons I love this author's books is that romance is what I want and this book was the fact that the suspense and mystery was the main plot and the love story just a kind of add on Ben Paris geez his behavior towards Tess.at times I wanted to klap that s my slang for hit his head and get with the times.women can be just as smart, independent as men are for heaven's sake If I was Tess would have kicked his ass a few times OTT alpha male The so many times we have to read about Tess Ben's different stance on how to deal with killers and murderers I must be honest and say that I did skim over some pages that repeated the subject.Okay, I never guessed who the killer was..which was pretty clever.it then falls flat on how he's finally captured Talk about a rush to get to the end imho it could have ended with a bit BANG.And the SMOKING okay, the book was written before the much anti smoking issue came into serious being but geez.Ben smokes, gives cigarettes to a witness, Ben smokes again bet Tess had him brushing his teeth before she kissed him or maybe he sucked on some mints LOVED THIS SCENE You're a shrink You're a cop That's the bell for round one Okay Maybe I see you as someone raking in bucks off frustrated housewives and bored executives Everything harks to sex or mother hating You answer questions with questions and never raise a sweat Fifty minutes goes by and you click over to the next file When someone really needs help, when someone's desperate, it gets passed over You label it, file it, and go on o the next hour Ben All right, let's try a different angle You're a homicide detective I guess all you do all day is two wheel it down dark alleys with guns blazing You dodge a few bullets in the morning, slap the cuffs on in the afternoon and haul him in for interrogation Is that general enough for you TessThough written a few years ago, the story still holds itself and is still a I like read. Poco puedo decir de este libro, salvo que es una muy buena historia como Nora Roberts nos tiene acostumbrado Sin

embargo, a mi parecer, esta novela se centra más en el trabajo que ejerce ella, en la psiquiatría y todo lo que eso conlleva, que en la parte romántica. Es una novela dura, en la que vemos dos puntos de vista de una misma realidad tanto desde el punto de vista religioso como del científico al punto de vista del psiquiatra, que ve al enfermo, al del policía, que solo ve al criminal.

I read this for Romance Book Bingo 2017. Headless Woman square I vaguely recall reading this book when I was a teenager I re-read it because I was totally light on details I think I ended up getting bored with it and never finishing it though. If the book didn't have a cover with a woman half out of a dress with Fabio and his flowing mane of hair I tended to not sneak those from my mom. Sacred Sins is a pretty good procedural by Roberts. There was some romance, and the two leads didn't annoy me to death like in the sequel you can read that review later. You can see some elements that will follow Roberts later on in her In Death books later on. Heck, I see the heroine in this one, Tess Court, being really similar to Doctor Charlotte Mira. The set up is that psychiatrist Tess Court is asked to help out the DC police when they suspect a serial killer is in their midst. Tess is reluctant to take the case, however, the MO of the killer has her wondering about whether this killer is as evil as the police portray him to be. Her ability to look at the gray in something that looks totally black and white sets her up for constant fighting with D.C. detective Ben Paris. Ben has a lot of feelings about psychiatrists none of them good and thinks in the end all Tess is going to do is give out some sob story about the serial killer when he is eventually captured. I have to say, that I really enjoyed Tess. I think it's honestly because of the fact she comes across as sensible. She doesn't go around disparaging any of her patients with mental issues. She even clues into the fact that perhaps the serial killer may be schizophrenic based on his writing, what he is doing to the victims after they die, and even what he is telling her once he seeks her out. I don't know if I could have been able to keep my head like Tess does or be able to be so neutral when she gets involved with this case. Her ability to fight to get her patients what care they need in order to live full lives is what really made me like her. The character of Ben was a little harder to take. I think it's because Roberts sets him up as a ladies man. Which is okay, but I just wasn't seeing it. His annoyance at feeling attraction for the good doctor and him fighting against it felt very true too. The issues with him not wanting to see the bad in the world though got a bit old. I liked that Tess pushed back on him wanting her to be separate from his work. He's a cop, they are seeing each other, she wants to be part of that too. The secondary characters really work for this one too. Ben's partner Ed Jackson is a straight up hippie. I am still trying to wrap my head around anyone in DC in the late 1980s this was originally published in 1987 would be all about not eating meat, not smoking, and eating berries every five minutes. I also liked that we get some insight into a Catholic priest who also has a degree in psychiatry who is able to give some insights into the serial killer's religious meanings behind these deaths. One of Tess's patients is also included as a secondary character, and my heart broke with that whole story line. Roberts does a great job writing a teenage boy who

feels lost and alone The romance between the two of them really works for me Though I have to say, I was not a fan of Ben being handsy with Tess without permission A few times Roberts notes that he reaches out and takes some of her hair and winds it or plays with it Umm this is before they even are physical with each other Then again, I am a black woman, do not touch my hair without permission.The writing is pretty good I thought Roberts does a great job setting up the overall plot We get POVs from Ben, Tess, and the serial killer We also get a couple of what I thought were funny moments I also loved how Roberts shows how Tess is affected by what happens to her patients, though she does her best to not let it overwhelm her.The flow is a little slow here and there, but I am not going to complain about how Roberts sets the book up She does a good job of building everything up I did get a bit over the back and forth between Tess and Ben though regarding what are they doing and I was just waiting for Ben to catch up to the fact that he really cared about and was falling in love with Tess The setting of DC made me smile Roberts obviously knows the city layout and she is able to point out a few landmarks that I know Rock Creek Park, the Kennedy Center, etc and makes the city as much a part of the whole book as the characters The ending is the only part that I think really came out of left field It felt a little Lifetime Movie for me when you find out the serial killer is the ice cream delivery man that has been running around.

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