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Von Emma Donoghue : Landing (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Landing (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. SighVon SpinifexIf you have ever been in a long distance relationship....and I don't mean within the same countryyou have got to read this book.Absolutely loved it and a lot of things in it reminded me of some of the feelings I had when I was just aching for my lover so far away.It made it even more realistic for me because this is before Skype really caught on

and supercheap phonecalls happened - I have been through that and having spent a LOT of money on phonecalls I was hella amused by that bit of the novel. I also really liked that one character was just butch, without further ado - but was also sexually kind of fluid. That really mirrored my world and made me love the book even more. And Sile being that femininely described in very little but poignant detail made me really fall in lust with her...apart from the fact that she was written as a very attractive woman to me. There is just soooo much right with this novel, that I just want to recommend it to all my lesbian literature loving friends, who are sick to their eyeballs with coming out stories. The only gripes I have with is the backwards and forwards both characters go through repeatedly ..ooohand Jael...I coulda kicked her for her behaviour.

Kurzbeschreibung A delightful, old-fashioned love story with a uniquely twenty-first-century twist, Emma Donoghue's *Landing* is a romantic comedy that explores the pleasures and sorrows of long-distance relationships—the kind millions of us now maintain mostly by plane, phone, and Internet. Sile is a stylish citizen of the new Dublin, a veteran flight attendant who's traveled the world. Jude is a twenty-five-year-old archivist, stubbornly attached to the tiny town of Ireland, Ontario, in which she was born and raised. On her first plane trip, Jude's and Sile's worlds touch and snag at Heathrow Airport. In the course of the next year, their lives, and those of their friends and families, will be drawn into a new, shaky orbit. This sparkling, lively story from the author of *Room*, explores age-old questions: Does where you live matter more than who you live with? What would you give up for love, and would you be a fool to do so?

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