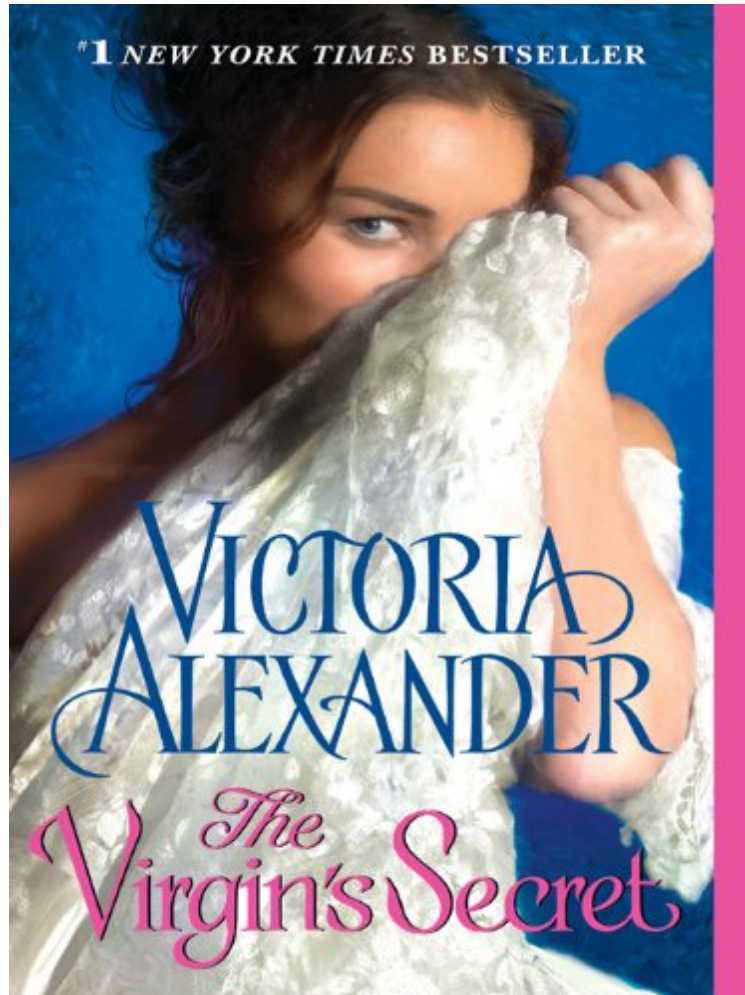


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**Von Victoria Alexander : The Virgin's Secret (Lost City)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Virgin's Secret (Lost City):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Run-of-the-mill romanceVon Helen HancoxThere's little to mark 'The Virgin's Secret' out from any of the other books of this genre out there. It has the requisite cover with woman in a passionate embrace, it's the usual length for this kind of book, the curly font and overblown language on the back cover are what one would expect, etc etc. The story within is fairly formulaic as well, it felt very familiar to me. However, if that's what you want from a book, this one would not disappoint.Nathanial Harrington is an adventurer but is surprised to discover Gabriella Montini, a woman he has just met at a ball, breaking in to his house. In rather a departure from probability, he and his family invite Gabriella to live with them once they have heard her tale of woe. Her late brother had found a special ancient artefact but discovered it

had been stolen just before his death; Nathaniel and his brother Quinton are suspects for the theft, as are two other gentlemen. Gabriella isn't telling the entire truth, of course; she has secrets from her past and she doesn't trust Nathaniel immediately. However, as they work together to try to find out who stole the artefact, they begin to learn to trust each other. But will they get to the bottom of the story? And will they realise that they are made for each other. One aspect of this book that irritated me was the historical inaccuracy overall. It felt as if the author hadn't tried very hard for verisimilitude; people called each other by their first names on casual acquaintance; societies of scholars and antiquarians were arranged just like a modern American museum might be. I wasn't really convinced by much of this story and found it fairly uninteresting at times - its run-of-the-mill nature wasn't enough to lift it above the vast quantities of other books of this genre out there. Originally published for Curled Up With A Good Book Helen Hancox 2009

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