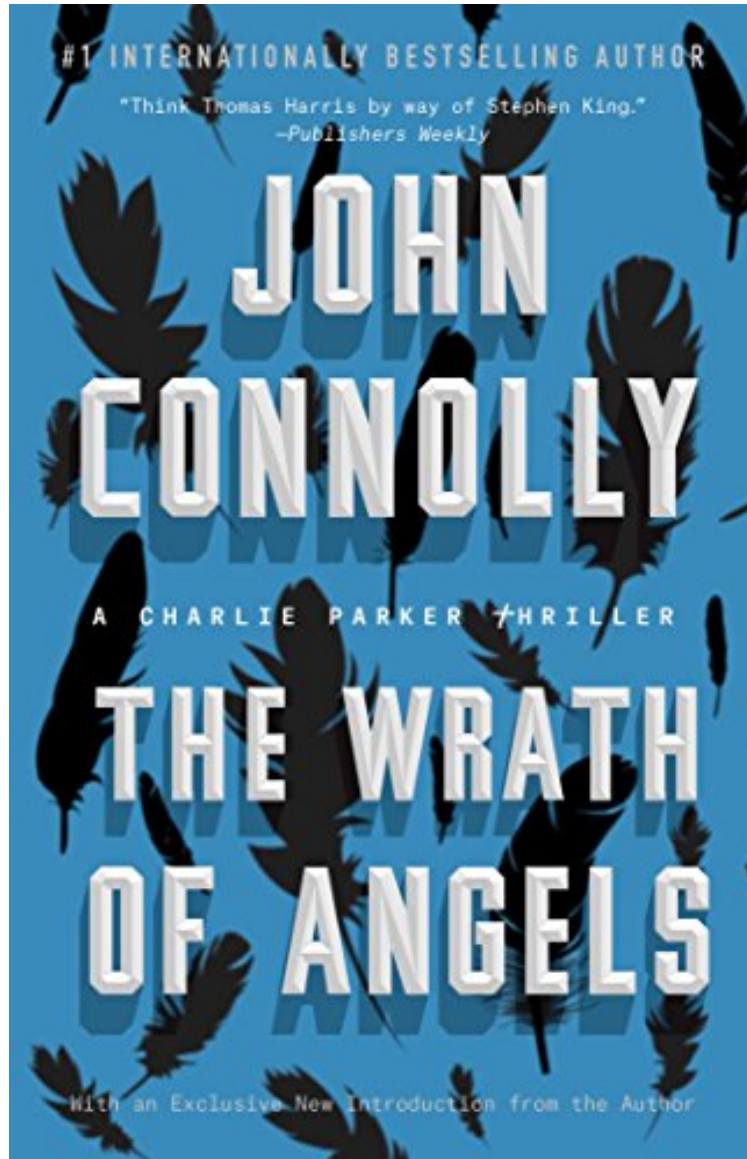


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Von John Connolly : The Wrath of Angels: A Charlie Parker Thriller before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The Wrath of Angels: A Charlie Parker Thriller:

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. The Fallen Angels - Part 2...Von Miki101.Micha All the lovers of the Charlie "Bird" Parker Stories were biting their nails for some kind of "Sequel" of the Black Angel ..Yes, it is some kind of a sequel, personalities will reappear and will

give our PI Charlie "Bird" Parker a very very hard time...And no, the story of the Fallen Angels doesn't end here. New big adversaries are appearing, old acquaintances like "The Collector" threaten to change sides and may search revenge on our hero and his sworn friends Louis and Angel...So we will have - and surely want - to follow Charlie "Bird" Parker for other novels (a lot of them I hope!). First, to give him the possibility to find out WHO or WHAT he really is...And then, to give him finally the possibility to let a real Armageddon happen! And send the Fallen Angels and their Followers down there where they belong...To tell more about the action in a review about a masterpiece like this would mean spoiling...So, read and enjoy, just as I did! Thank You, Mr Connolly! And ... more of this kind... 1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Back to the roots, but also lengthy Von Lars Nitsch Most reviewers regard Connolly's latest Charlie Parker-thriller as somehow 'back to the roots'. Considering the supernatural aspects, I agree. Especially in the end, the book is a shake-hands of fallen angels and supernatural entities. Alongside, also the detective's role in this eternal contest of good and evil is looked at more closely a part which was missing in the last two novels. And again, also Angel and Louis join the game, so every fan of Charlie Parker and I consider myself as such a fan should love this book. Should. I really like the journalistic approach of John Connolly, his ability to sketch very intense, genuine and sympathetic portraits of minor characters. This adds a lot of atmosphere to the book, but also lengthens the story quite a bit. The old friend of Parker's grandpa, the pimp who is brought to justice by Louis and Angel or the unkempt tourist guide for sure every portrait has its justification, but in total, they don't give much to the development of the story and Charlie Parker. This is even more obvious as the showdown of the book is over really, is written somehow overhasty and didn't meet my high expectations I had when starting the book. I liked it, but actually, the development of Parker doesn't make a lot of progress. 2 von 3 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Der Gral der Gefallenen Von Arno Gndisch Die Entdeckung eines unbekanntes Flugzeugwracks tief in den Wldern von Maine ist eine fieberhafte Suche nach einer Liste aus, die fr manche Kreise sehr wichtig zu sein scheint. Als ein Teil dieser Liste in die falschen Hnde gert, beginnt eine Mordserie, deren Ende nicht abzusehen ist. Charlie Parker wird ebenfalls beauftragt, nach dem verschollenen Wrack zu suchen und die vollstndige Liste sicherzustellen. Untersttzt von seinen Freunden, beginnt er die Suche, nur um festzustellen, da ein alter, lngst totgeglaubter Feind scheinbar wiederauferstanden ist, und der rstelhafte "Collector", der bisher unter Parkers Gegenspielern aufrumte, nun auch Parker selber im Visier hat. Am Absturzort des Flugzeugs, einem seit Jahrhunderten verfluchten Ort, in dem Tote keine Ruhe finden und eine uralte dmonische Macht nach Erlsung ruft, kommt es schlielich zum Showdown... Im Gegensatz zu dem etwas routinemig gehaltenen Vorgnger "The Burning Soul" zieht Connolly hier wieder alle Register seines Knnens. Die mystische Atmosphre der Handlung erinnert an frhere Grotaten wie "The Black Angel" oder "The White Road", die alte Frage nach dem Sinn von Gewalt und Gegengewalt wird hier erneut gestellt und wird auch in "The Wrath of Angels" nicht final beantwortet. Hoffen wir, da Connolly sie noch in vielen weiteren mystischen Thrillern stellt...

Kurzbeschreibung In the depths of the Maine woods, the wreckage of a plane is discovered. There are no bodies, and no such plane has ever been reported missing, but men both good and evil have been seeking it for a long, long time. What the wreckage conceals is more important than money. It is power: a list of names, a record of those who have struck a deal with the devil. Now a battle is about to commence between those who want the list to remain secret and those for whom it represents a crucial weapon in the struggle against the forces of darkness. The race to secure the prize draws in private detective Charlie Parker, a man who knows more than most about the nature of the terrible evil that seeks to impose itself on the world, and who fears that his own name may be on the list. It lures others, too: a beautiful, scarred woman with a taste for killing; a silent child who remembers his own death; and a serial killer known as the Collector, who sees in the list new lambs for his slaughter. But as the rival forces descend upon this northern state, the woods prepare to meet them, for the forest depths hide other secrets. Someone has survived the crash. Something has survived the crash. And it is waiting. . . . Pressestimmen Strongly recommended for plot, characterization, authenticity . . . horror . . . and humanity. (Library Journal (starred review)) A great read. (Booklist) Memorable . . . it takes readers on a path they truly won't believe, offering diehard evil from the first to the last page . . . Connolly has once again delivered an all-out thrill ride! (Suspense Magazine) Connolly leaves us wanting more. (Florida Times-Union) I believe that I have already read what is sure to be one of the best books to be published this year: THE WRATH OF ANGELS . . . Read this with the lights on and the doors locked. (Bookreporter.com) A great, epic time spent with friends and enemies. (Mystery People) Connolly's superb fusion of noir and the supernatural is to be savored, and not to be missed. (My Bookish Ways) It kept me captivated throughout and wowed me with all its revelations . . . The Wrath of Angels marks itself as a high point of the Charlie Parker series. (Fantasy Book Critic) Werbetext The eleventh Charlie Parker thriller.