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**Von Britt Ringel : This Corner of the Universe (TCOTU, Book 1) (English Edition)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised This Corner of the Universe (TCOTU, Book 1) (English Edition):

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A.F.H. Tintenkrieger  
Britt Ringel knows how to spin a good tale and introduce characters just right to make you feel with them. This book starts off the story around some corvette captain and his crew and their fight in an obscure corner of the universe. What I disliked and thus distracted a star is the overabundance of wet navy labels and descriptions. The fights mostly read like two ships battling at sea and if I'd want to read that, I'd do so by getting out one of my Hornblower books. So please, Britt, strike the main sail on these and go forth with more "scifi". Visualize, if you must, a fight between the Enterprise and some klingons. And also please refresh your knowledge about physics, acceleration and velocity top most. Now if you, dear reader, think I am being pedantic, not so I'd answer. Britt meticulously lists all distances and speeds in every battle ad nauseam. And totally disregards that physical rounds will not be able to realistically hit anything over a distance of several light seconds (1ls= 300.000km). Even a miniscule unevenness in the tube will cause massive deviation over such a distance. And even when one of your six drives is shot you can achieve the same max VELOCITY over time, but not the same ACCELERATION. So Anelace (the ship) would still be able to fly as fast as before, but it would take a whole deal longer to achieve that. Again, I am not being pedantic since I actually could care less about the scientific details if the story is well written, but Britt over explains every course change with a whole lot of mathematical gibberish which plainly lacks physical evidence. Less would be much more here and would let us enjoy the clearly well spun tale in this corner of the universe.

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Bevor ich mir das Buch runter geladen habe, habe ich die zahlreichen Rezensionen gelesen, die sich kritisch mit den physikalischen Ungereimtheiten in der Beschreibung von Waffensystemen und Geschwindigkeiten im Weltraum in dieser Story auseinandersetzen. Nachdem ich nicht viel Ahnung von dieser Materie habe, will ich dazu nicht viel sagen. Auch wenn das nicht alles hundert Prozent wissenschaftlich fundiert ist, fr den Laien geht das durch und bitte schn "beamen", wie in der Enterprise-Serie geht auch nicht und wir fanden es trotzdem gut. Der Fokus von Ringel liegt extrem auf der technischen Seite und seine Beschreibungen der Zerstrungen whrend der Schiffskmpfe ist erstaunlich detailliert und irgendwie trgt das sehr zur Spannung bei. Manchmal war es zu viel und ich bin drber gehuscht, aber ebenso oft hab ich atemlos den Ablauf der Dinge verfolgt und muss sagen, das hatte was. Die Geschichte ist spannend und der Protagonist Captain Heskan ein glaubwrdiger, sympatischer Charakter. Ein bisschen mehr Dialoge wren schn gewesen. Bin gespannt auf die Fortsetzung.

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