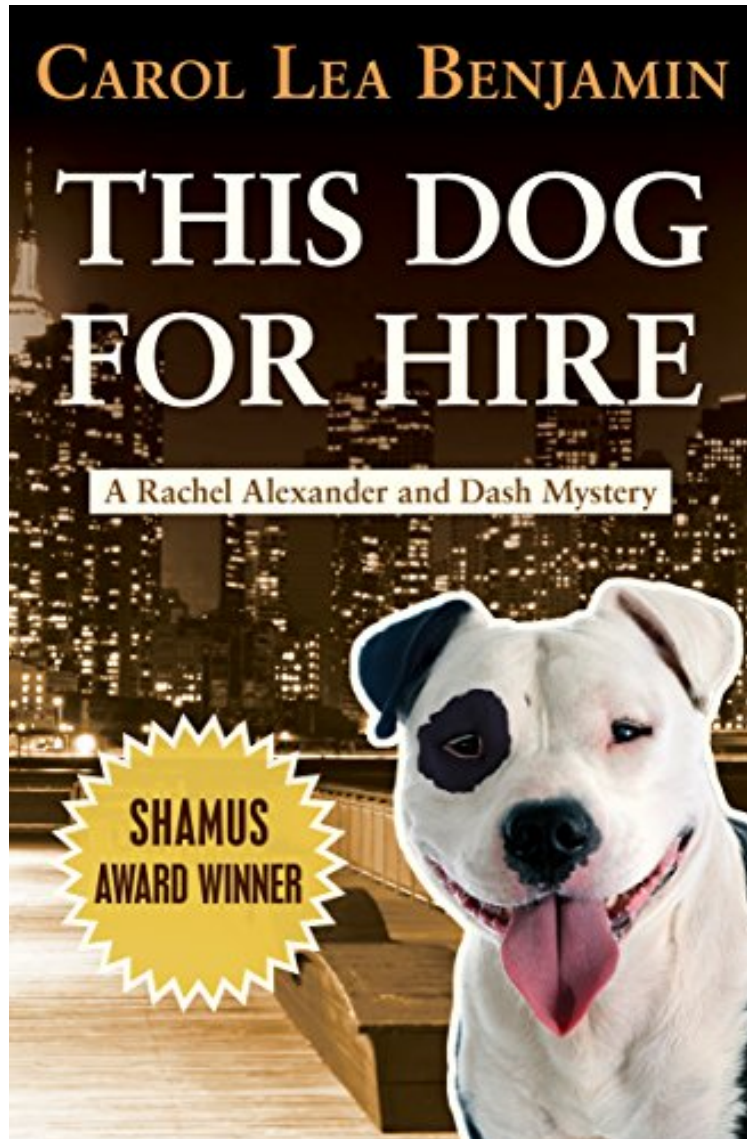


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Von Carol Lea Benjamin : This Dog for Hire (The Rachel Alexander And Dash Mysteries Series) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised This Dog for Hire (The Rachel Alexander And Dash Mysteries Series):

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detective story could use more "Dash" Von Ein Kunde Noted dog training book author Carol Lea Benjamin brings what will undoubtedly be the first in a series of Rachel (human private eye) and Dash (pit bull partner protector) detective adventures. The story revolves around the murder of a rising young artist and the sole witness to the crime -- his champion Basenji, Magritte. Benjamin strives for a jaded, hard-boiled tone through most of the book, but slips into enthusiasm from time to time, especially when describing the Westminster Kennel Club dog show and some of her fellow (real-life) dog trainers (e.g., her polite nod to Arthur Haggerty.) The most curious thing about the book is the lack of involvement of Dash. We learn lots about Rachel (an interesting character), but Dash remains a canine plot device, available when needed to subdue bad guys or to search empty houses, but otherwise a cipher. The Basenji gets more attention! The book's conclusion is satisfying and makes up for some of the earlier inconsistencies in tone. It's a good story. But let's have more Dash in the stories too, Carol! von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. good book, read her non-fiction Von Anna MacSorley Carol Lea Benjamin's always a fun writer to read. Her nonfiction books are excellent are a good way to find out how to train dogs. Her fiction isn't always accurate often gives misleading pictures of how dogs are trained what they can do. For instance, just because you have a therapy dog, you're not entitled to go to restaurants to other places that don't allow dogs. That's reserved for guide dogs assistive dogs, not for therapy dogs. However, the plots are always fun interesting. Highly recommended. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Exciting hardboiled detective mystery set in New York City Von Ein Kunde Renowned dog trainer Carol Lea Benjamin brings us a hard boiled detective novel set in New York City. Rachel, who has disappointed all family expectations and her highly trained faithful companion, pit bull, Dash are hired to find out who killed the owner of a famous champion bisengi. The search winds through the SOHO art scene, wanders the West Village and includes a tour behind the scenes of the AKC show at Madison Square Garden. A fast-paced read. Can't wait for the further adventures of Rachel and Dash

Kurzbeschreibung Winner of the Shamus Award for Best First PI Novel: In the first book of Carol Lea Benjamin's acclaimed mystery series, Greenwich Village PI Rachel Alexander and her loyal pit bull must find a killer and a missing show dog Divorced dog trainer turned private-eye Rachel Alexander and her canine assistant Dash short for Dashiell are hired by a man named Dennis Keaton to investigate the hit-and-run death of his friend and neighbor Clifford Cole, whose body was found on an isolated Christopher Street pier. The police are treating the gay painter's suspicious death as a hate crime, but Dennis insists Cliff hadn't cruised the waterfront in months. Plus, Magritte, Cliff's champion basenji competitor in the upcoming Westminster Dog Show may have been a witness to the crime and is now missing. The search for answers takes Rachel and Dash from the SoHo art scene to the most famous dog show in America. Now Rachel is in the sights of a killer hunting her across a treacherous urban landscape. There's no one she can trust especially not of the two-legged variety. This Dog for Hire is the 1st book in the Rachel Alexander and Dash Mysteries, but you may enjoy reading the series in any order.