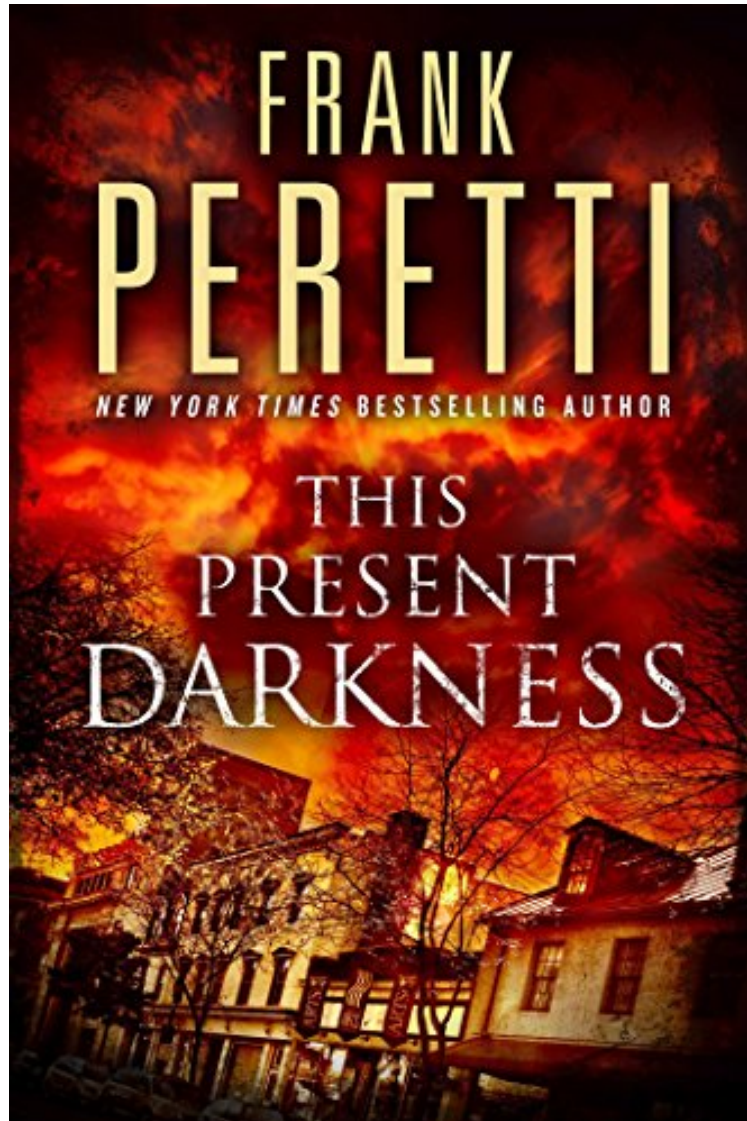


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thriller. I was reminded of John Grisham's *THE FIRM* in terms of the numerous characters, the sheer number of problems and situations that arise, the insidious nature of the enemies, and the severe tension in this book. This book was packed with action, nevertheless information necessary to solve the ever-widening puzzle was doled out very slowly and only as necessary; there were many twists and turns of plot, and the spiritual aspect of the book was downright intriguing. Through all, Peretti manages to convey to the reader the vast importance of the spiritual realm beyond the scope of the book. Entertaining, yes. Eye-opening, even more so. 1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A Keeper for the library Von Dan Cole I have read and reread this book often. It is the first book that I have read that dealt with spiritual warfare. I looked for references to this warfare in the Bible and found that there is a solid Biblical base for this story. Mr. Peretti takes the reality of spiritual warfare and comes up with a gripping story from it. It is an entertaining book and one that I always find hard to put down, even after all the times that I have reread it. Mr. Peretti is a very gifted writer. He makes the story so real that it is hard to NOT come up with the images from his work. I love this book immensely and have no problem recommending it to anyone. Even if they are not Christian or if they do not think that spiritual warfare is real. This one is a keeper for anyone's library. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Angelic Forces at Work Von Donald Brickeen An interesting concept, of which until Peretti has never been written of, to my knowledge. Many a Christian has wondered of the spiritual activity that takes place daily in heaven and earth, and whether this is a true interpretation of the events taking place in the spirit world or not, it does present itself to be very entertaining reading. Peretti's first novel, if I'm not mistaken, and by my judgement, his finest. I have read this book several times, and after each time I walk away with something I never received from it before, while still maintaining a degree of freshness, so as not to become a stale story. More than anything, I must confess that this novel makes the reader think - and I understand that that is a tired cliché at best, but I must strongly contest that it is in fact the case here. Prepare to be stimulated.

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