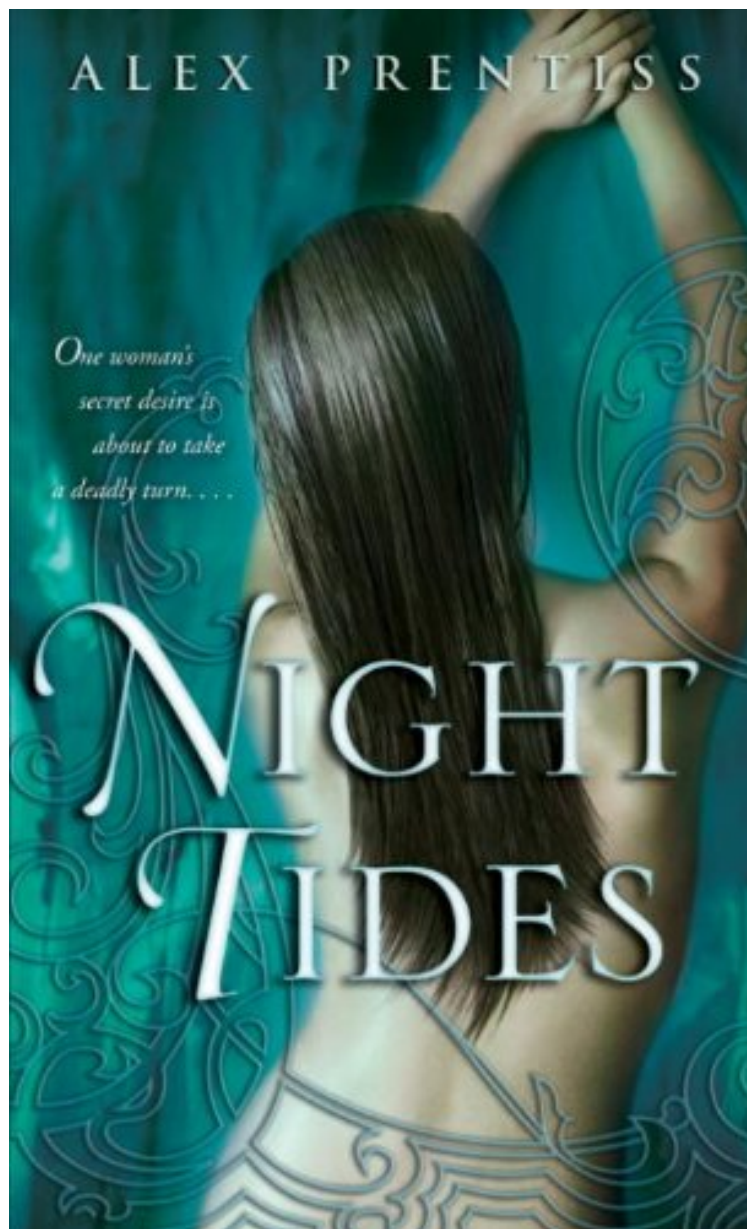


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Von Alex Prentiss : Night Tides (Lady of the Lakes) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Night Tides (Lady of the Lakes):

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debut Von Helen Hancox 'Night Tides' was a pretty decent debut - a mix of paranormal romance and kidnapping mystery. Rachel Matre, our heroine, is somewhat unusual. She appears fairly normal on the surface - a divorced woman who owns a diner in the prosperous college town of Madison. However, Rachel has a couple of secrets; one is that she writes the 'Lady of the Lakes' blog; the second, and more dramatic, is that she has a weird relationship with two of the local lakes, skinny dipping there and having some kind of sexual experience with the mysterious lake spirits or creatures. When young women are kidnapped, leaving behind just their clothes, local police realise there's something serious going on. The lake spirits seem to be telling Rachel to help the women - but how can she? And what if she is a target for the kidnapper too? This summary gives a bald outline of the plot which is actually exciting and gripping in places. The weird relationship-with-the-lake thing isn't as odd as it seems (although it is a bit peculiar) and doesn't take over the story too much. The author has a good writing style and the mystery of the kidnappings was handled well as the perpetrator's motivations were gradually revealed. However this book did show itself as a first novel in some ways. The above summary completely ignores the love interest which felt tacked on and entirely unnecessary; the oh-so-attractive-and-manly Ethan Walker was entirely unnecessary to the plot. I also found that Rachel, the heroine, wasn't always a sympathetic character. She was fairly self-centred and didn't seem to think much about others - just about her own needs. She also seemed to have gathered a surprisingly long list of stalkers which suggested that she might not be the easiest person to get along with. It was an enjoyable read, and presumably the start of a series (in that it didn't entirely wrap up all plot threads). Alex Prentiss is probably an author I'll read again. Originally published for Curled Up With A Good Book Helen Hancox 2010

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