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Von Allen Houston : Nightfall Gardens (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Nightfall Gardens (English Edition):

Kundenrezensionen Hilfreichste Kundenrezensionen 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. great young adult horror read Von Booklover Lilly Blackwood has been kidnapped by her uncle Jonquil (of whom she did

never hear before) because she is the only female heiress to the Blackwoods and her grandmother is dying. She will be the keeper of the Nightfall Gardens, without her an unspeakable evil will be let loose. Her brother Silas has followed her and now works in the gardens where the sun never shines and not only evil beings are an immense danger. When their parents ran away a long time ago they wanted to protect their children from all this but now it is too late. But Lilly doesn't give up and is looking for the box, Pandora's Box, so that the evil can be locked away for good and she can live free from the curse of the Blackwoods. Lilly and Silas find friends and enemies and are prepared to do anything to escape. Nightfall Gardens was an excellent read, even for me as an adult. I found myself sucked into their world and read faster and faster to know the secrets. Unfortunately this is not a stand-alone book (which I didn't know before reading), so at the end you will be left in the dark if and how they succeed. Strangely, this dark world of the gardens does not only contain evil beings, but also hidden gems from which the two receive help and support. You will find yourself wondering what happens next and I was pleasantly entertained. Would recommend it for young adults, as there is no profanity or sexual related content. There is some horror (but only a bit) in it, nothing too gory :-). Really gripping, original and interesting story. LOVED it, so 5 stars! 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. a dark, dark tale which is not fully resolved at the end (no wonder, it's a series) Von Katharina Gerlach (Indie Autorin) This was a rather surprising read for me. I don't remember when and why I picked it up, so it might have been during one of the free giveaways I sometimes look at. It was a pleasant find when I started reading. The story isn't exactly new (girl must take care of strange heirloom without knowing about her roots) but the author managed to give it so many new twists and turns that it still felt fresh. I loved the main characters brother and the green girl. I found the gardens fascinating and captivating. The prose vanishes into the background and makes the world and its characters come alive. For me, that's always the best sign that a writer knows how to write. I highly recommend this book to fantasy lovers of any age.

Kurzbeschreibung Vain Lily Blackwood and her shy brother Silas wonder if their family will ever settle in one place long enough to lead a normal life. When a mysterious stranger arrives claiming to be their uncle, they discover their parents have been hiding a secret that turns their world upside down. The two are kidnapped to Nightfall Gardens, the family's ancestral home, a place shrouded in ancient mystery, where they meet their dying grandmother and learn of an age-old curse placed on Blackwood females. Lily must take over as protector of the house and three haunted gardens that hold mythical beasts, fairy-tale nightmares and far worse. If she doesn't, the evil trapped there will be unleashed and bring on a new dark age. While she deals with malevolent ghosts inside the house, Silas is put to work in the gardens, where one wrong step means death. Along the way, they search to unlock the secrets of the house and to stop the creatures in the gardens before time runs out and the world is destroyed. Kurzbeschreibung Vain Lily Blackwood and her shy brother Silas wonder if their family will ever settle in one place long enough to lead a normal life. When a mysterious stranger arrives claiming to be their uncle, they discover their parents have been hiding a secret that turns their world upside down. The two are kidnapped to Nightfall Gardens, the family's ancestral home, a place shrouded in ancient mystery, where they meet their dying grandmother and learn of an age-old curse placed on Blackwood females. Lily must take over as protector of the house and three haunted gardens that hold mythical beasts, fairy-tale nightmares and far worse. If she doesn't, the evil trapped there will be unleashed and bring on a new dark age. While she deals with malevolent ghosts inside the house, Silas is put to work in the gardens, where one wrong step means death. Along the way, they search to unlock the secrets of the house and to stop the creatures in the gardens before time runs out and the world is destroyed. ber den Autor und weitere Mitwirkende About the Author Allen Houston is a native Oklahoman who has lived in Japan and Indonesia. He has worked as a journalist at the Dallas Morning News and New York Post. He's currently city editor for Metro New York. Allen lives in Brooklyn with his wife, daughter and a menagerie of animals.