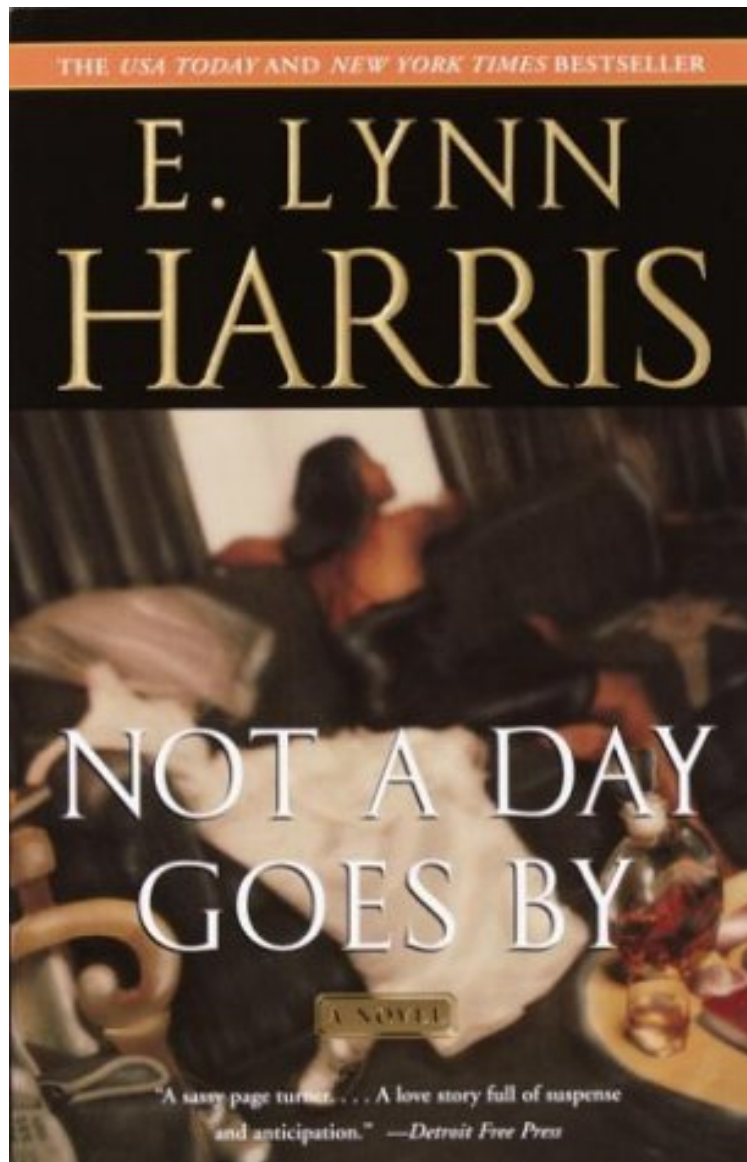


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FABULOUS BOOK...STILL WAITING FOR A MOVIEVon dottie mathewsI WAS THE FIRST PERSON IN B DALTON BOOKSTORE TO GET E-LYNN'S NEW BOOK. AND I READ IT IN ONE DAY AND A HALF.MY COWORKER IS READING IT NOW...I WRITTEN TO YOU E-LYNN MANY, MANY TIMES ABOUT

BEGGING YOU...PLEADING WITH YOU TO WRITE A SCREENPLAY TO YOUR BOOKS. MAN, WHEN IS THIS GOING TO HAPPEN! WE ARE WAITING MAN! THESE BOOKS ARE TOO DARN GOOD TO JUST BE SITTING ON EVERYONE'S SHELVES AFTER THEY HAVE READ IT NUMEROUS TIMES BEFORE. TERRIFIC DID IT, SO CAN YOU. AND THE WONDERFUL THING IS, THE STORYLINE FOR YOUR MOVIE WILL BE SO NEW AND DIFFERENT. NOBODY HAS NEVER DONE A MOVIE ON RELATIONSHIPS IN BLACK HOMOSEXUALITY. OF COURSE IT HAS TO BE DONE WITH TASTE, THAT DEPENDS ON HOW GOOD THE DIRECTOR IS, BUT THE THING IS THAT "IT HAS TO BE DONE! E-LYNN, THE BOOK WAS ABSOLUTELY BEAUTIFUL. YOU SHOWED THAT BASIL CAN BE "HUMAN" TOO. THAT HE CAN LOVE AND HURT. AND THEN, AT THE END GOES BACK TO BEING THE DAWG THAT WE ALL KNOW AND LOVE. YANCY AND HER MAMA AVA WERE A RIOT. ESPECIALLY AVA. I CAN SEE DIHANN CARROLL PLAY HER. I TELL YA, THIS WAS A DELISHIOUS BOOK. I GASPED AND SAID "WHAAAAT" IN PUBLIC SO MANY TIMES, COWORKERS HAD TO ALMOST YANK THE BOOK OUT OF MY HANDS....THEY COULD NOT WAIT TO GET THEIR HANDS ON IT, THAT'S ALL. WE WANT A MOVIE! WE WANT A MOVIE! HOW ABOUT TAYE DIGGS AS BASIL? HUMMMM!

0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Louisiana Reflections on Literary Food For The Soul! Von Terence This is your reader from New Orleans, Terence. In case the world did not know, we, here in the south do have a literary minds as well as an eye for what is fast becoming a Literary Icon mecca. I purchased your book after I got off of work the day the book was released and after an early business dinner decided to settle in for what I knew was going to be an exciting ride. The book captured my attention from the very beginning. It was like I never closed the back cover on Abide With Me as the characters seemingly flowed into their daily routines. I thought to myself, Mr. Harris could go on and on developing these already complex characters. I mean with Zurich and Sean, Tamela and Caleb, Raymond and Trent, Jared and Nicole (the twins were a nice touch) there are just so many story lines to unfold. Whether or not you have the strength to do it, I don't know but I can tell you one thing as I look into these people's lives, each one contains a bit of myself. Yancy turned out to be just like I thought she would be and I am speaking from experience seeing as though I just rid myself of a male version of her about 6 months ago. Basil couldn't be anybody else but Basil. He is in a class of playas all by himself. I stayed up last night until I finished the book. Although you said it a was short selection, I thought it was just the right size for summer reading. You have outdone yourself again. Your pictorial layout in Essence and in the book jacket look extremely nice. I just wanted to let you know that you have hit paydirt once again and you can take a bow. You have proven that the power of the pen is definitely more powerful than the sword in the most profound way and that is through the expression of life in it's truest form. Move over John Grisham because Hollywood is definitely going to take notice whether they want to or not. E.Lynn Harris is here to STAY!

0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A Fast, Fun and Sensational Ride Von RMN1994 This was my first time reading an E. Lynn Harris book and I was thoroughly impressed with "Not a Day Goes By", a story about John Basil Henderson and his bride-to-be Yancey Harrington Braxton. They both have secrets that threaten to destroy their impending union and E. Lynn keeps you gripped to your seat as you're taken from one dramatic scene to another on the couple's quest to reach the altar. The plot was tighter than tight and remained on focus throughout the book. This means that every scene and every character added something and was built upon the central theme of the story. Because the plot was so tight, you must give a nod to his editor because only good editing can make a book read as well as "Not a Day Goes By." From the drama surrounding Basil and his past, to the antics of Yauncey and her unforgettable mother, Ava, E. Lynn's characterizations are strong and noteworthy. They are realistic characters and you are allowed to feel their every mood. I actually noticed when I was laughing and/or shedding tears (a rarity for me) during the most hilarious and sensitive scenes. This book is the epitome of a page turning novel. The outstanding writing, awesome plot twists, memorable characters, and laugh really loud dialogue should make "Not a Day Goes By" one of the most commendable novels of the year.

Kurzbeschreibung John Basil Henderson has always played the field, both as a professional football player and as an equal opportunity lover. After retiring his jersey for a career as a sports agent, the dashing playboy is surprising everyone including himself by deciding to settle down and commit to his new love, Yancey Harrington Braxton. A fiercely driven Broadway star on the rise, blessed with beauty, charm, and a fondness for the finer things in life, she appears to be his ideal mate. A lavish wedding is planned, but just before the nuptials, fate and a little comeuppance threaten the happy couples future. Charged with narrative exuberance and sumptuous detail, Not a Day Goes By proves that nobody spins a sexy urban love story like E. Lynn Harris. From the Trade Paperback edition. de Set in New York in the closing months of 1999, E. Lynn Harris's tightly plotted Not a Day Goes By bears all the outward markers of a romance by Danielle Steel or Jackie Collins--wealth, glamour, sex, and intrigue--except that the two main characters are more like the wily villains of a Dynasty remake. John "Basil" Henderson, a former football player who has started a successful sports agency with a friend, is a gorgeous, arrogant, bitter, woman-hating, homophobic, African American

bisexual who is used to people staring at him. "Especially when I was naked," Basil confides, "My ass was perfect and my jimmie was both long and thick." Basil has fallen in love with an equally alluring figure, Yancey Braxton, a bronze-skinned Broadway singer whose beauty and dedication are matched by ferocious self-absorption and cunning. (Instead of attending her 10-year high school reunion, Yancey sent signed photos of herself and press packets.) Basil feels that his love has rescued him from the shallow life of a player, and he allows himself to believe that she is a good person, and that when they marry, she'll settle down a little and provide him with children. Yancey cares for Basil, too, but her career comes first. After that, sex and money. Babies aren't even on the list. Harris's most sympathetic characters are Yancey's roommate, Windsor, a plump schoolteacher who spends her spare evenings holding abandoned babies at Hale House, and Zurich Robinson, a gay Christian ex-athlete who briefly considers joining Basil's agency, eliciting a string of ugly clichés from Basil's partner. Meanwhile, Basil, that pillar of integrity, listens in silence. The deal is scotched when Zurich announces that he has been interviewed for an article on gay men in professional athletics. When Basil asks him why he is coming out, Zurich tells him about another young quarterback who tried to run from his sexuality by getting married. The day of the wedding, he shot himself. "As Zurich told the story," Basil recounts, "I could picture the young man and for a brief moment felt the pain he was struggling with. I had been there. But it had never gotten to the point where I wanted to kill myself. If I could have talked to Milo I would have told him, "Roll with it young brother.... There is a way to have your cake and ice cream, too." Suffice it to say that after a series of delicious plot twists and acts of increasing wickedness, it becomes clear that Basil and Yancey are too damaged to save each other. Although the characters in his sixth novel are somewhat two dimensional and his prose a little flat, E. Lynn Harris can manipulate a story line with the skill of an Eagle Scout earning his badge in knotmaking. Don't start this page-turner if you don't have six or seven free hours in which to read it straight through. --Regina Marler.com

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