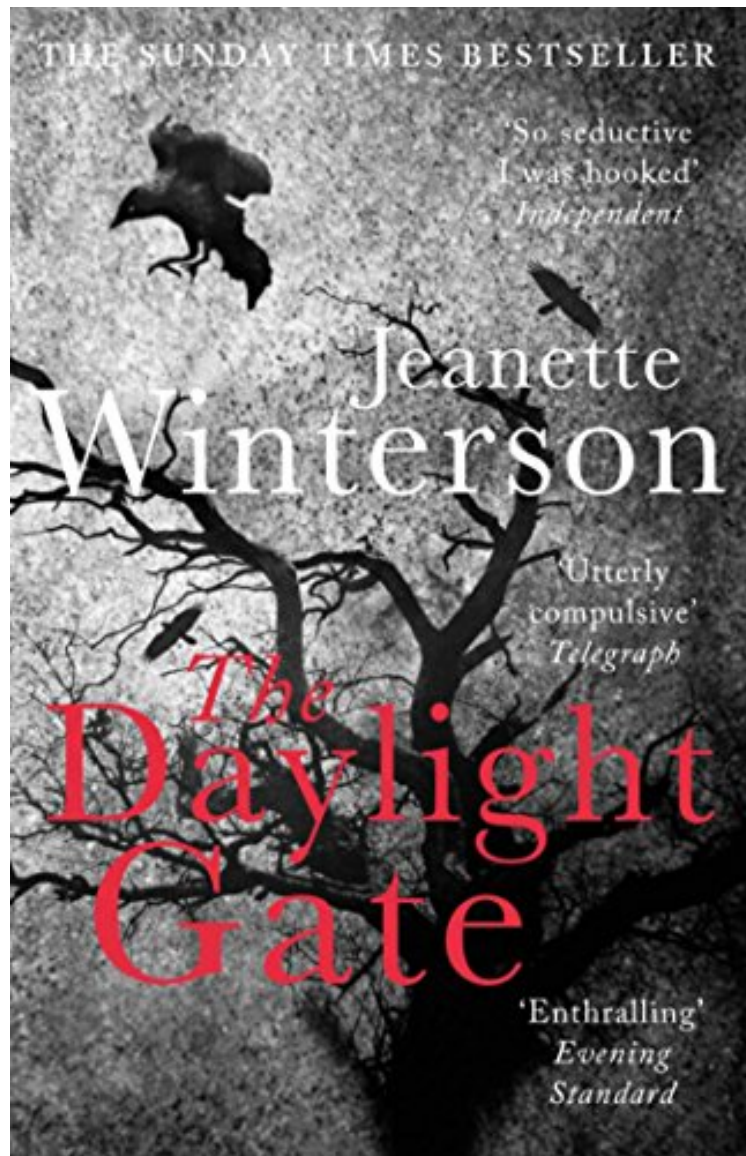


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. I'm torn apart..Von oceanforsilverIm a big fan of Jeanette Winterson and I've read all her "old" books (The Passion, Written on the Body, Oranges are not the only Fruits, etc...) and I thought her newst book would be nice to read. I have to say, it was. But it was different, shorter. I missed her certain kind of magic in it though its just about magic. I did not feel it

this time. Nevertheless, it's a Jeanette Winterson and if you're a fan of hers this one shouldn't be missed in your collection.

Kurzbeschreibung Good Friday 1612. Pendle Hill. A mysterious gathering of thirteen people is interrupted by a local magistrate. Is it a witches' Sabbath? In Lancaster Castle two notorious witches await trial and certain death, while the beautiful and wealthy Alice Nutter rides to their defence. Elsewhere a starved child lurks. And a Jesuit priest and former Gunpowder plotter makes his way from France to a place he believes will offer him sanctuary. But will it? And how safe can anyone be in Witch Country? **Pressestimmen** "If you like her other novels, you will adore this. She has done her homework... the beauty of the writing, exemplary in its pared-down simplicity. It's so seductive that by the middle I was hooked." (Independent) "Sharp-eyed view of history... Winterson is at her best when she's dealing with real horrors." (Observer) "This is a dazzling book. Winterson is a deft storyteller and a writer of wonderful economy. It is one of the very few contemporary novels that I actually wished were longer." (Literary) "A book worth reading utterly compulsive, thick with atmosphere and dread, but sharp intelligence too... Ultimately she combines compelling history and poetic dialogue with suspense... This rather more sophisticated story would make a particularly vivid film." (Telegraph) "Winterson seamlessly blends history with fiction... The Daylight Gate is an enthralling story unfussily told, I read it all in one sitting, only wishing there were more." (Evening Standard) **Werbetext** Based on the Pendle witch trials of 1612, an extraordinary story of magic, superstition, and ruthless murder by Jeanette Winterson, author of *Why Be Happy When You Could Be Normal?*