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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Plain awesomeVon PiusWritten by Matthew Lewis during a short period of ten short weeks when he was just nineteen, "The Monk" proved to be a controversial novel at the time that it was written. Faith, deception, loyalty, sorcery, murder, Satanism, incest, rape, ghosts, and the inquisition gave the novel the popularity it has retained until today. Even though its plot made the novel controversial when it was published in 1796 to the point where it as held to be blasphemous

and resulted to censorship, Lewis nevertheless gained in popularity. The story is basically about Ambrosio, who as an enfant was found at the doors of the abbey, stirring talks that he was a divine-sent child. He grew up to become an ostensibly pious and deeply revered Abbot of the Capuchin monastery in Madrid, a fit in holiness that aroused the resentment of the devil who decides to plot his fall. The devil plotted the fall through the working of a young female who disguised and became a novice under the tutelage of Ambrosio, the immaculate monk. Ambrosio's fall is plotted through out the later stages of the novel as his fight with the deep passions of his body, the machinations of the devil and his attempts at redemption. Anti-Catholic in nature, this Gothic classic is perhaps the best in its genre. I am certain the author enjoyed every moment while he was writing it because the story flowed all the way through to the end. Comes with Disciples of Fortune as a recommended classic. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Klassiker Von Henning Tja, da grauts Jedem bei dieser schaurigen Geschichte... Atmosphärisch dicht, unaufhaltsame Spannungssteigerung und ein wirklich furioses Ende. Wenn man keine Lust mehr auf seichten Horror hat, dann unbedingt lesen!

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