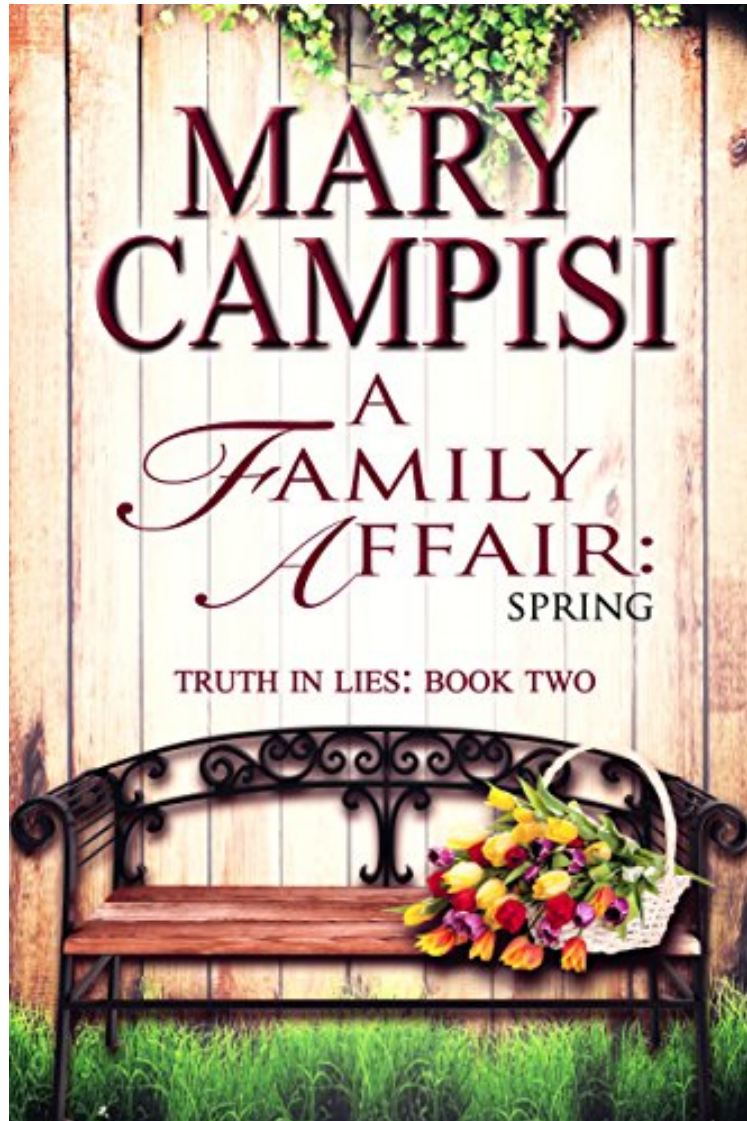


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**Von Mary Campisi : A Family Affair: Spring (Truth in Lies, Book 2)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised A Family Affair: Spring (Truth in Lies, Book 2):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. great storyVon EliAI really enjoyed reding this book. It tells the sory of Christine and how, after her dad died, she finds out about the secret affaire he had hidden from his family for many years.The story really caught me, it was one of the books I find hard to put down. I could feel with the characters who were described very well. I also liked the writing

style. At some points I found it a little predictable but all in all a good book. 4 von 4 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Stellenweise frustrierend. Von CoffeeAndBooks: Meine Rezension zu A Family Affair von Mary Campisi fällt zwiespältig aus. Einerseits denke ich, dass das Buch ein großes Potenzial hat/hatte - es aber leider nicht ausgenutzt hat und andererseits gab es Momente wo ich dachte "What a mess" - was für ein Kuddelmuddel! Die Geschichte dreht sich um Christine, die erfährt dass ihr Vater ein Doppelleben mit einer zweiten Familie geführt hat und wie ihr Leben durch diese Erkenntnis eine andere Wendung nimmt. Ich finde, dass das Familiendrama im Großen sehr gefühlvoll und realistisch erzählt wurde, Mary Campisi schreibt es wirklich sehr packend. Allerdings auch einseitig - schnell ist klar dass die Ehefrau ein eiskaltes, manipulatives Miststück ist und "the other woman", die Affäre anscheinend die wahre Liebe von Christine's Vater. Ich will hier nicht die große Moralkeule schwingen, aber es ist kein bisschen Reue da oder auch ansatzweise zu erkennen dass es falsch war, sich wissentlich an einen verheirateten Mann heran zu machen - die Entschuldigung "ich konnte nicht anders" kommt oft im Buch vor und ist schlichtweg dämlich. Sehr bläss fand ich auch die Hauptperson Christine, sie lässt sich emotional von ihrer Mutter ausnutzen und bietet niemanden richtig Paroli, weder ihrem versnobten Freund noch Nate (dessen Mutter die Affäre mit Christine's Vater hatte). Wie sie es geschafft hat an die Spitze einer Firma zu kommen ist mir ein Rätsel. Unausgereift ist auch die Liebesgeschichte zwischen Christine und Nate - mir ist schon klar, dass es ein Happy End am Ende geben sollte, aber es kommen noch weitere Handlungsstränge hinzu (Beziehungen zwischen Christine's Mutter und Onkel, ihre Halbschwester, Liebesgeschichte, berufliche Veränderung und noch mehr) die einfach viel zu viel und verwirrend sind. Die Geschichte hat mehr Tiefe verdient und so wie Mary Campisi schreibt, kann sie das durchaus - was für mich um so frustrierender war. Das Buch hätte meiner Meinung nach noch einige Kapitel mehr gebraucht um richtig zur "Geltung" zu kommen, die Grundgeschichte ist interessant: was man aus so einer Ausgangslage machen kann hat Gromeisterin Nora Roberts mit der "Born in" Triologie bereits brilliant gezeigt. Das Buch von Mary Campisi war leider an manchen Stellen sehr unbefriedigend (für mich persönlich), allerdings hat es mich zum Denken angeregt und das ist schon mal was ;-)(auch auf meinem Blog gepostet) 4 von 4 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. amazing psychogram of two families. Von glauka: Wow...that's the first thing that comes in my mind...I took the book because it was free and I read it in two days through...Amazing. Campisi describes very accurate and after the first lines draws you in the world of two different families they are connected because of the double life of the patriarch and after his sudden death the daughter of the distinguished family finds out about a second family. Intriguing characters and very real described. Even if it wasn't for free I would gladly pay for it...Now it's a nice surprise. You'll love it!

Kurzbeschreibung A Family Affair: Spring is a story of betrayal, forgiveness, and redemption, all wrapped up in the lives of the people we love to love, and even a few we love to hate. Harry Blacksworth is rich, handsome, the ultimate playboy with a killer smile and a clever wit. He's fought it, denied it, ignored it, but the damn truth won't go away: He's fallen in love. And just when he's accepted that fact, Greta Servensen, the only woman he's ever trusted, breaks his heart. Christine Blacksworth and Nate Desantro beat the odds when they fell in love and married. But staying married is threatened when the foundation behind every good relationship--trust--is challenged. Gloria Blacksworth descends upon Magdalena in all of her designer-clad arrogance, determined to make Christine change her course and return to Chicago and her old life. It may take a well-planted lie or two, but Gloria doesn't plan to fail. When she finally confronts Miriam Desantro, the "other woman", Gloria discovers more than she ever wanted to know... or admit. Angelo "Pop" Benito is The Godfather of Magdalena. Nothing happens in that town without his knowledge or approval. And Pop doesn't do anything without a long sit-down with his dead wife, Lucy, and a half dozen pizzelles by his side. He'll need a lot of lung power and a tray of his favorite treat to help Nate and Christine out of a real mess. And he may need the help of his checkers buddy and Magdalena's shining star, Lily Desantro. Truth in Lies Series: Book One: A Family Affair Book Two: A Family Affair: Spring Book Three: A Family Affair: Summer Book Four: A Family Affair: Fall Book Five: A Family Affair: Christmas Book Six: A Family Affair: Winter Book Seven: A Family Affair: The Promise Book Eight: A Family Affair: The Secret Book Eight: A Family Affair: The Wish Don't miss That Second Chance series: Book One: Pulling Home - (Also prequel to A Family Affair: The Promise) Book Two: The Way They Were - (Also prequel to A Family Affair: The Secret) Book Three: Simple Riches - (Also prequel to A Family Affair: Winter) Book Four: Paradise Found - (Also prequel to A Family Affair: The Wish) Book Five: Not Your Everyday Housewife - Friends, do-overs, and living large. Book Six: The Butterfly Garden - Sometimes love happens when you least expect it. Kurzbeschreibung A Family Affair: Spring is a story of betrayal, forgiveness, and redemption, all wrapped up in the lives of the people we love to love, and even a few we love to hate. Harry Blacksworth is rich, handsome, the ultimate playboy with a killer smile and a clever wit. He's fought it, denied it, ignored it, but the damn truth won't go away: He's fallen in love. And just when he's accepted that fact, Greta Servensen, the only woman he's ever trusted, breaks his heart. Christine Blacksworth and Nate Desantro beat the odds when they fell in love and married. But staying married is threatened when the foundation behind every good relationship--trust--is challenged. Gloria Blacksworth descends upon Magdalena in all of her designer-clad arrogance,

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