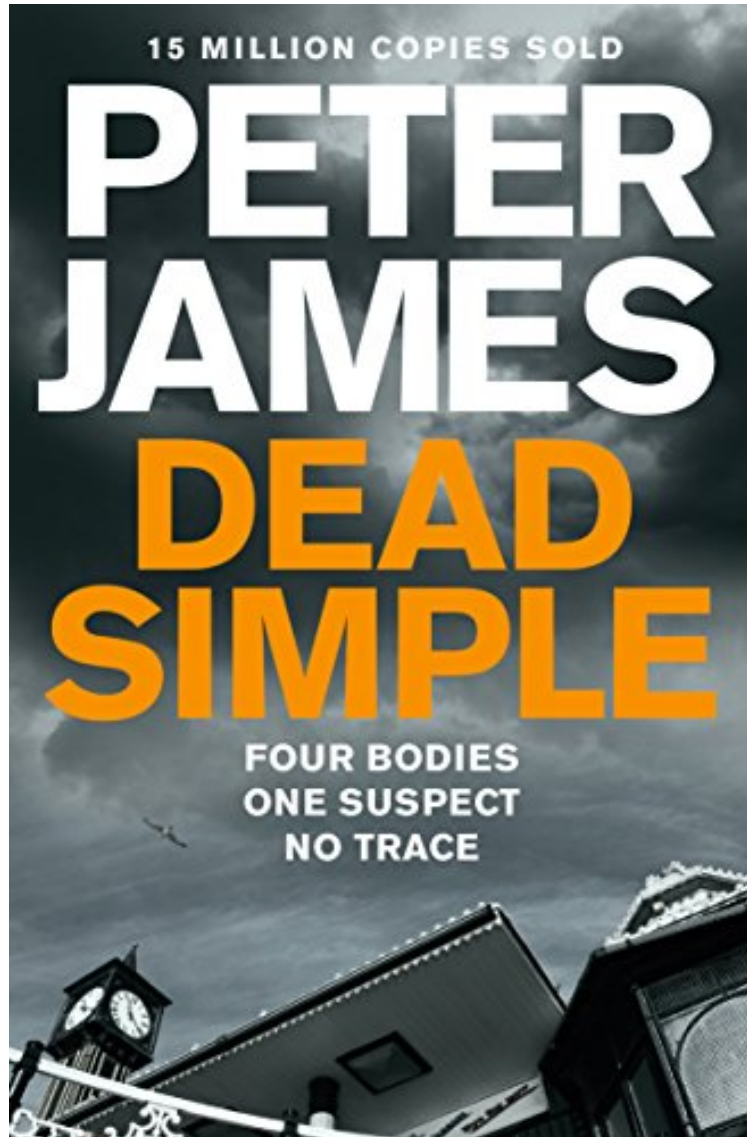


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**Von Peter James : Dead Simple (Roy Grace series Book 1) (English Edition)** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Dead Simple (Roy Grace series Book 1) (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen10 von 10 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Fast paced and furiousVon Kapt`n HannesMy first Peter james Book. Super, So many books today start of well and lose themselves in pages of discription and boring dialog. This book is a fast paced thriller that never slows down. Time and again one is lulled into a sense of false security, and wham! the next twist starts it all off again. Poor Michael is

certainly put through the mill, I wonder, how anyone could possibly survive his ordeals in real life without going mad. Chillingly scary. excellent READ IT!  
3 von 3 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Wow! Unbedingt lesenswert!  
Von Ein KundeDies ist das erste Buch, das ich von Peter James gelesen habe, aber es wird garantiert nicht das letzte bleiben!!! Ein absoluter "Pageturner" - spannend bis zum Schlu. Ich musste es an einem Abend fertig lesen, konnte es nicht aus der Hand legen. Das richtige Ma an "Thrill" und dabei doch ziemlich glaubwrdig. Wirklich sehr empfehlenswert!  
1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Rundum gelungen!  
Von MiezekatzeDer Brutigam wird beim Junggesellenabschied lebendig begraben, und seine Kumpels kommen gleich drauf beim Verkehrsunfall ums Leben. So bleibt er spurlos verschwunden, die Braut ist verzweifelt, und auch der Trauzeuger und Geschftspartner behauptet, nichts zu wissen. Ein Fall fr Roy Grace von der Mordkommission von Brighton, der sich schon auch mal des bersinnlichen bedient, wenn dadurch ein Fall gelst werden kann! "Dead Simple" ist mitreierend und spannend und berzeugt mit einer raffinierten Handlung voll berraschender Wendungen. Die Figurenzeichnungen sind stimmig und rund, und jeder der Protagonisten kommt dreidimensional rber. Die pfiffigen Dialoge haben mir ganz besonders gefallen; jede Figur erwacht darin zum Leben! Ich freu mich schon auf die nchsten Krimis mit Roy Grace in Brighton! 5 Sterne.

KurzbeschreibungIt was meant to be a harmless stag-night prank. A few hours later Michael Harrison has disappeared and his friends are dead. With only three days to the wedding, Detective Superintendent Roy Grace - a man haunted by the shadow of his own missing wife - is contacted by Michael's beautiful, distraught fiance, Ashley Harper. Grace discovers that the one man who ought to know Michael Harrison's whereabouts is saying nothing. But then he has a lot more to gain than anyone realizes, For one man's disaster is another man's fortune . . . Dead Simple is the stunning first novel in the number one bestselling Roy Grace series from award-winning author, Peter James. From Publishers Weekly  
British author James's far-fetched but terrifying thriller is the first of a new series featuring Det. Supt. Roy Grace. Michael Harrison, a successful real estate developer with a penchant for practical jokes, gets a horrible taste of his own medicine. As a prank, four of his friends bury Michael alive in a coffin equipped with a breathing tube and a bottle of whiskey and leave him, ostensibly for a couple of hours. But when their van crashes head-on into a truck and three of them are killed (the fourth dies later "in hospital"), Michael is trapped. His cell phone doesn't work, but he does have a two-way radio whose companion is in the hands of Davey, a mentally challenged young man who finds the phone near the scene of the accident. Grace, a detective with a taste for the supernatural (he uses mediums to help him solve crimes), gets on the case and discovers just how devious Michael's friends have been. The "buried alive" trope is undeniably powerful, and Grace shows promise as a hero but the crime and the plot surrounding Michael's plight are just too cumbersome and transparent to really engage the reader. Copyright Reed Business Information, a division of Reed Elsevier Inc. All rights reserved. From Booklist  
James, the executive producer of the recent film adaptation of The Merchant of Venice, brings his filmic talent to a suspense tale that is almost excruciatingly easy to visualize. His opening premise is startlingly simple, that of the trickster tricked. Four friends celebrate one of their members' impending marriage by embarking on a pub crawl through several Sussex villages. What the groom-to-be doesn't realize is that his pals plan to play a payback prank on him by burying him alive (with a breathing tube and a walkie-talkie) for a couple hours. They leave the scene and are killed by an oncoming vehicle. Enter Detective Superintendent Roy Grace, assigned to investigate the missing-bridegroom case. Grace finds the case difficult, both because of the dearth of clues and because of his own wife's disappearance some years before. Achingly well plotted, with suspense that has no letup. Connie Fletcher Copyright American Library Association. All rights reserved