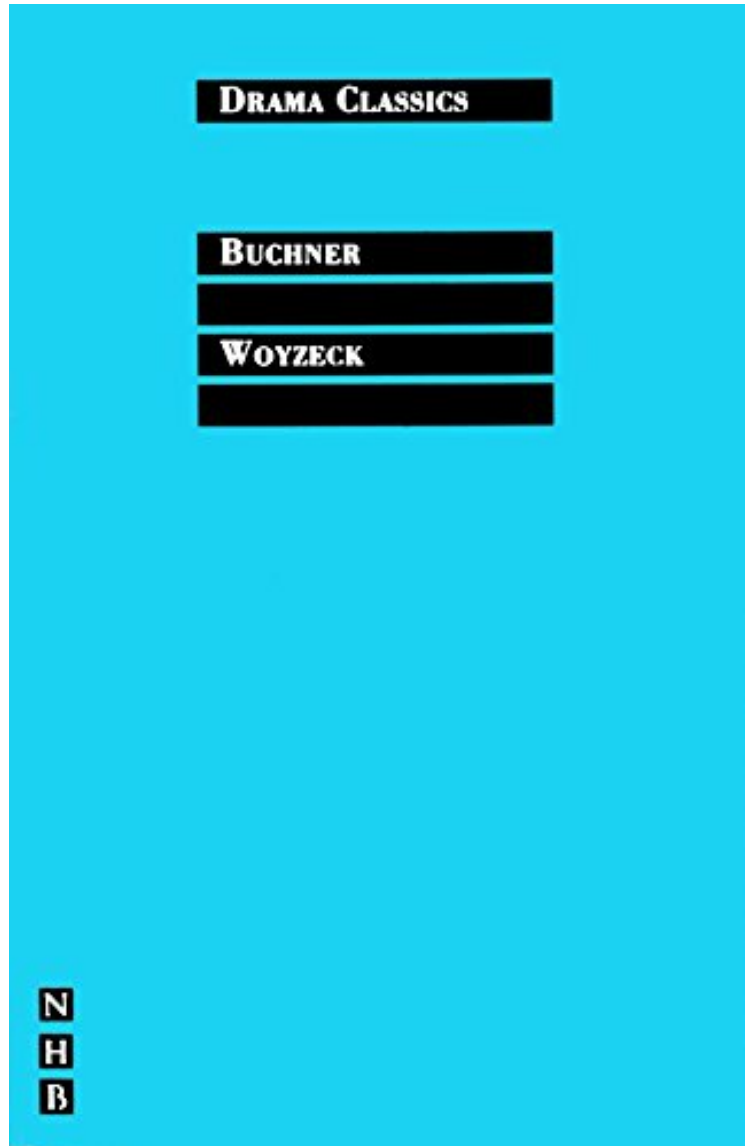


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ich bentige sie dringend!4 von 4 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Fast-Paced and Gripping Von Brendan Adkins (I always wanted to say that.) Woyzeck is a designer's nightmare but an actor's dream: a tragedy of immediate imagery, almost written for the MTV generation. Scenes that last at most two pages flicker around archetypes like the overbearing Major and the menacing Doctor, while the play's more human characters find themselves caught in between. There are searingly tragic moments (as befits the genre). There are also darkly funny ones: Woyzeck's conspiracy theories, Andres's childish songs, the Scholar's politically incorrect comments. Buchner left the world young, and if this play is any indication, that's a tragedy too. As a reader, an actor or a (shudder) designer, you'll enjoy being swept along by his work.2 von 2 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Hochaktuell Von MULLEN Natürlich ein Klassiker, der nichts von seiner Sprengkraft eingeht hat. In Zeiten des Prekariats zudem noch hochaktuell: Determination durch soziale Deklassierung führt zu Gewalt - auch heute noch eine höchst diskussionswürdige These! Außerdem eine vorbildliche Textedition durch den Suhrkamp-Verlag!

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