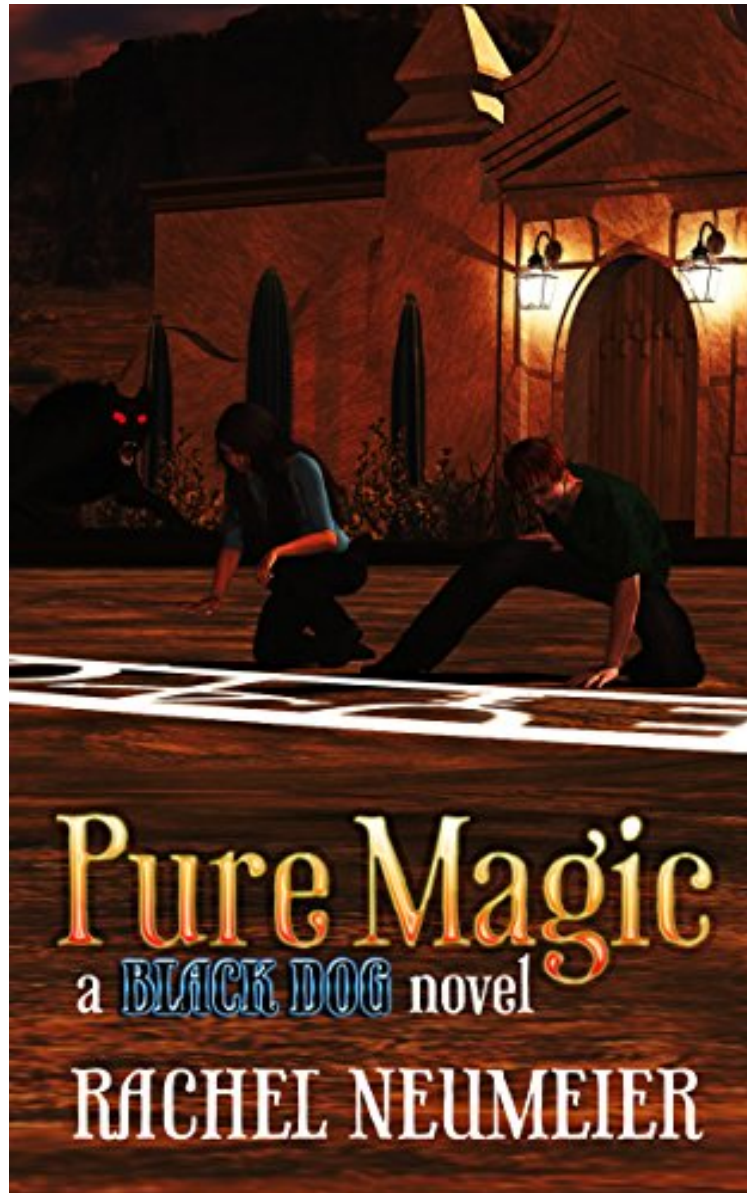


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Von Rachel Neumeier : Pure Magic (Black Dog Book 3) (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Pure Magic (Black Dog Book 3) (English Edition):

Kundenrezensionen Hilfreichste Kundenrezensionen 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Pretty good sequel the werewolf YA keeps its unique and entertaining world and plot Von Mina Note: this is the sequel of Black Dog and although the world and main points of the past are explained at some point [most of them late in the

story], I don't recommend to start the YA series here. I'd start with book one. Review I remember having been blown out of my socks by Black Dog because of its very different and new approach on the werewolf theme and the overall world building. And then there were the characters who are so immensely different from each other they really felt like real persons. And the permanent and distinct feeling that the world of the Pure and the Black Dogs is indeed its own universe, with a unique variety of werewolves, vampires, magic that works shadow and light, alliances, friendships and enmity. And all the time I felt that it could be totally real, this slightly off magical world. This feeling and the amazement at the wonderful and intense world R. Neumeier wrought, I had it here too, reading Pure Magic. And all the wonderful and complex characters are again part of the plot, there even is another character who has his own voice in his POV, Justin, a very bewildered young man who discovers the rough way that he is Pure [the only ever found male one, mind you] and that there is a world full of monsters. His view of the wolves, the Dimilioc clan and Natividad and her magic is a very likable addition to the story. That he has his very own view of Natividad and Keziah, the volatile arabic Black Dog, only makes this so much more entertaining. The overall story is a smooth continuation of the events on book one. Natividad and her brothers are an integrated part of Dimilioc and they all have to work to establish stability in the aftermath of the war between vampires and Black Dogs. There are several threats to Dimilioc in various parts in the country and the clan is spread very thin. Adding to these problems are the machinations of some very very evil enemy who is for unknown reasons bent on getting Natividad, Alejandro and/or Ezekiel in his hands. And again, there are fierce battles that make one bite one's fingernails, since it's kind of rarely a given that each of the good guys survive. As a part of the backstory, there is still Natividad's 16th birthday looming in the future, by which she has to choose one of the Black Dogs as her mate. And as she says herself, things between herself and Ezekiel are... complicated. So I guess you gathered that I liked the story a lot and it's a very good YA. But for me, not as overwhelmingly awesome as Black Dog was. Firstly, it took me quite some time to get back into the story and the author did not really help. The information Justin, the newly discovered Pure, gathers could have helped me, but it's a long way until these things are told. That was a bit distracting. And I don't know, if Natividad was as reckless and sometimes stupid in the prequel. Here, she does stuff that is not only incredibly dumb, but has the direst consequences for so many people [not to mention that it is not her to be punished for it in the end]. And when I hear her say she wished Grayson were there to save them all, I got really angry, because after all she causes, she isn't even able to suck it up and carry on like a grown up. I know, she is only 15, but well, if she behaves like a teenager, she mustn't complain if she is treated like one. Another thing was the ceaseless use of the word meek. I got it: no angering the bad Black Wolf, lest he or she rip you to pieces. But the word stood right out. Because time and again, Natividad is deliberately saying things meekly. I abhor meek, if you haven't gathered. But the complaints aside, I did find myself totally immersed in the world and the plot. And yes, even being annoying at times, I liked Natividad and the other characters enough to care a lot about what happened to them all. And besides, just when I thought, I would never really feel anything romantic between Natividad and Ezekiel, Ms. Neumeier did something very unexpected. And: kudos for not establishing a love triangle. I appreciate it. Just as I appreciate that there will be more books about the Black Dogs and the Pure. A good thing, too, because the end is... a bit open. Not a cliffhanger, but not totally wrapped up as well. Anyway, I recommend the book and will surely continue the Black Dog series.

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