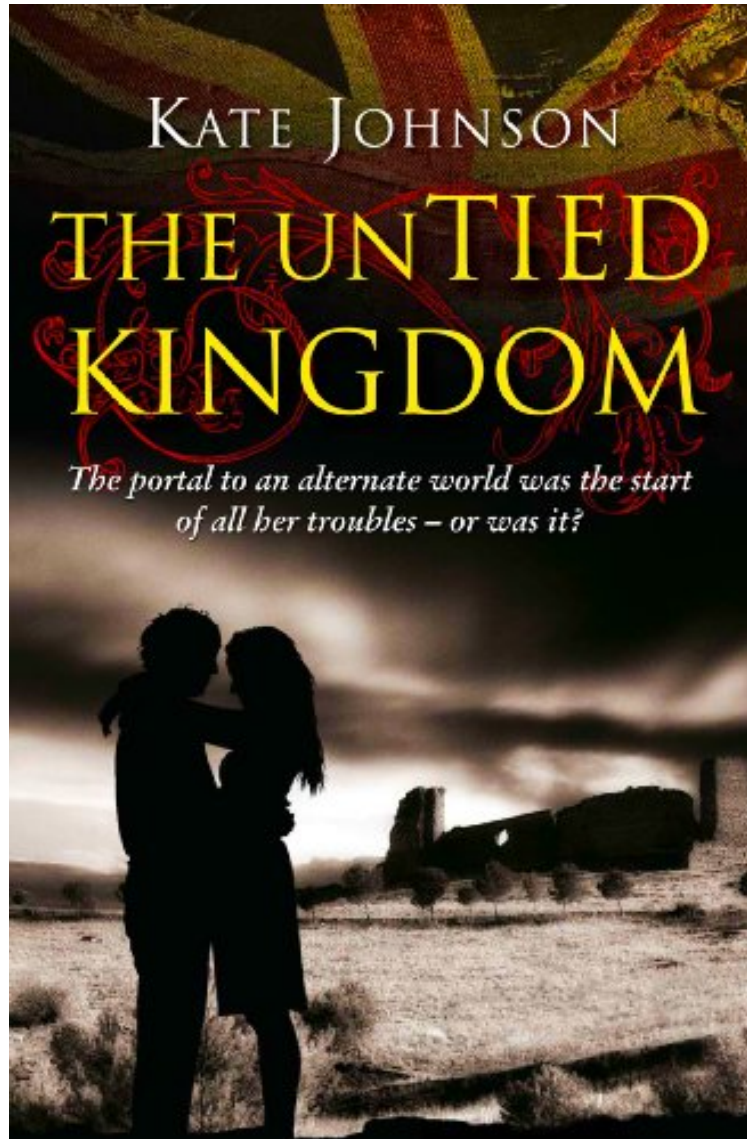


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Von Kate Johnson : The UnTied Kingdom (Choc Lit) (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The UnTied Kingdom (Choc Lit) (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Spoilers possibleVon Lucinal bought "UnTied Kingdom" because I loved "Impossible Things" by Kate Johnson SOOOO much, it's one of my favourite books! This novel is quite different but sadly not nearly as good. The characters didn't show as much development and lacked depth. Additionally the story was too predictable and not exactly my type of

romance, because I didn't see their connection or any real chemistry between them. They felt lust/attraction but didn't know each other before they fell in love. Which wasn't that surprising because I didn't really know Eve and Harker, they were too one-dimensional. Yes, they had a past, but especially Eve handled some things too well. She needed to help Daz amputate injured soldiers and although she was in shock after it happened she wasn't as traumatized as I would've been (I guess). I liked her humour but I didn't feel a real connection to her. Overall the humour was well placed and made the story lighter (it's basically a war story). And I had some problems with Harker as well. Firstly he SMOKE! Sorry, I might sound ignorant but I think smoking makes every person seem a hundred times less sexy. I just can't stand the smell and honestly wouldn't want to be with someone who smokes.... And I can't get over the fact that he would've let Eve die in prison because he stupidly thought she was lying to him and a spy. AFTER she saved his ass and he promised to come back. Without Mary White she would be dead because he was an idiot! She could've been even more hurt (he shot her in the leg and she burned her hand heavily when the enemies tried to torture her with a hot iron) and raped. I mean, I guess realistically that would've been her fate, there was no reason why they wouldn't rape and torture or kill her. AND what made me even more furious is that she wasn't angry with him. He didn't have to grovel and make her forgive him because she just accepted that he mistrusted and then left her. Why? If someone did that to me, someone who seemed to care for me I would be so hurt I would be angry for a loooong time. But the story was entertaining and I liked the idea of an alternate universe where England is like a third-world nation (although the health system seemed quite modern) and France is spread over a third of the world. Eve said something like "this England made all the wrong choices, whereas my England made all the right ones". Of course this made the world-building quite easy, because Kate Johnson could add all the modern stuff she needed (Internet, Modems, ...) which were available in all other countries and could leave out the things she didn't want or need. Nevertheless thinking about our world, the "other England" felt unreal. I mean if they have coal why can't they use it for electricity? Or if the internet exists outside it couldn't be that hard for the Army to get access to computers and the internet. I mean I guess even in North Korea and other isolated countries phones and computers are available, at least for the Army. Overall this was a nice read but sadly nothing too special. I can only recommend "Impossible Things" though, that book really flashed and amazed me!

0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. The untied kingdom. Von Stephen Grant I truly loved this book I've never heard of the author but I will most certainly be looking for more of her books. Loved the characters and story line

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Pressestimmen Shortlisted for the Contemporary Romantic Novel award by the Romantic Novelists' Association's Awards 2012 "The UnTied Kingdom" is an epic tale of love, war, loss and hope. Author Kate Johnson does a magnificent job of character development and world building. Best Book Award. It's not often I give a Best Book, but The UnTied Kingdom certainly deserves this rating. It's a book that drew me in until I had to get to the end to find out what surprise the author had written to finish the book.

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