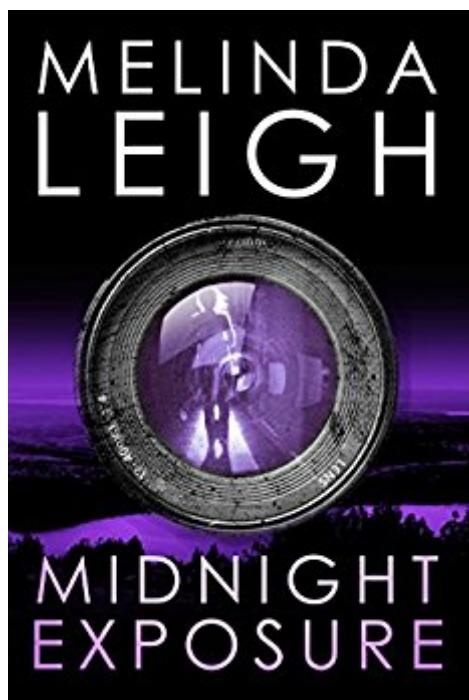


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Synopsis

The first suspenseful thriller in the *Midnight* series from Wall Street Journal bestselling author Melinda Leigh. When two hikers disappear from their hometown in Maine, everyone blames the blinding storms. But the truth is far more sinister. Unaware of the danger, tabloid photographer Jayne Sullivan follows an anonymous tip to find the most reclusive sculptor in the art world. Instead, she finds mysterious handyman Reed Kimball— and a small town full of fatal secrets. Five years ago, Reed buried his homicide detective career along with his wife. But when a hiker is found dead, the local police chief asks Reed for help. Why was a Celtic coin found under the body? And where is the second hiker? Desperate to avoid the media, Reed doesn't need a murder, a missing person, or a nosy photographer. Until Jayne is attacked, and he realizes that her courage is his undoing. Reed must risk everything to protect her and find a cunning killer.

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Customer Reviews

Midnight Exposure is definitely a fun ride. Throughout the entire novel I was antsy to know what was on the next page. The romance factor, the tension of the mystery: all great. Until you get closer to the end of the book. There's a chapter or two that feel very disconnected from the rest of the story.

Or, more so, the story/characters evolve into a darker tale as the book goes on, then the author scrambled to get the reader to remember how lighthearted the story started. Not to mention (I'm still not sure if this was intentional or not) that the killer's identity is pretty much spoon-fed to the reader. And by the end, with a few big issues still overhead, the characters almost go completely out of character in order to wrap the storyline up. I think a few extra paragraphs could've helped toward the end, but all in all the story was enticing and fun to read.

This yarn will please those who like magic circles and bloodletting. From the moment a publicity

news writer called Jayne arrives in town, strange events constantly beseech her every move. We read about mysterious vanishing of numerous young girls. One is locked and chained inside a dungeon awaiting the fate of a maniac Celt who believes in the past, and follows blood letting plots. The writing is gripping and heart pounding as shocking adventures befall the heroine. Reed is a dark character who holds secrets from the past concerning the death of his wife. Also he is really a famous sculptor seeking seclusion in a snowbound, isolated dwelling. To make the story more compelling all this takes place in a tiny settlement with one police chief. Weird hooded persons abound around every corner. All the characters in this wonderful story are most deceiving.

Another new to me author, but not for long, is Melinda Leigh. I read her romantic suspense, *Midnight Exposure*. Another multi-layered page-turner. I really liked the reasons for the creepy villains actions. She developed that well without tipping her hand by prematurely revealing him (I knew one character had to be involved but minute clues said he wasn't the main bad guy and that kept me guessing for awhile). You really got to see the bad guy's arc and goals and motivations. Still a very creepy guy but very well done. This one starts with the disappearance of two hikers, which is blamed on the snowstorms in the Maine wilderness, but it's oh so much more. Add in the attempted kidnapping of visitor, Jayne Sullivan, a tall red-headed beauty who is a part time tabloid photographer, a reclusive sculptor with past, and sparks fly. There is a well done happy ever after but not before some serious danger to traverse and problems, one of which is to keep Jayne out of the hands of a creepy Druid with an agenda. I really enjoyed the story. Clever in execution and fast paced with a good romance attached. .

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