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Captain Curmudgeon says

I'm a sucker for clever titles. Often they don't pan out.

Sonja Eckhart says

Good read.

Vicky says

I've only read a few books in this series. This one by far has the most drama, intrigue, and mystery. There are two murders and Rachel sees a connection between the two: one is a transvestite and the other is an undercover cop. Rachel gets a part time sales job in the day and by night is a hooker (hired by other transvestite hookers to help find the killer of their friend). The ending is very harrowing and I was surprised how it ended. I have to read the next book to find out what happens next. I love the character, Rachel and especially her dog/companion Dashiell! Once I got started it was difficult to put down. Very easy reading!

Helen says

Rachel & Dash, sad, sordid, tranny hookers, dope, bad cops

Karen-Leigh says

Sometimes a book is just so painful to read, the sadness of whatever slice of life the author is portraying is just so overwhelming that even if the mystery itself is riveting and the ending a surprise and well done you are left feeling somewhat depressed. There is a reason I read cosies rather than true crime or hardcore mysteries...I have seen too much of real life and I am no longer interested in taking in the pain of some realities. That being said, there are three more Rachel and Dash books and I plan to read them. The people in Rachel's life live gritty lives.

Kathleen O'Nan says

#6 of the Rachel/Dash series takes on the sad lives of transvestite prostitutes. This book had more weight than her previous books in this series because of the subject matter. At the same time, the titled dog, a long-haired dachshund, is as cute as the picture of him.

Sondra says

I just couldn't get into this book. I kept picking it back up to try again but it wasn't for me. I recognized the author's name from my years in dogs and her regular articles in AKC Gazette. She is so informative and I loved her articles but her fiction is just not my taste.

Donna says

2.5 stars. A bit conflicted on this one. The plot was interesting although gritty and rather depressing. I didn't like the long section where Rachel trained the dog to go into a building. It seemed completely far fetched that it could be done so quickly.

John Haake says

Okay, it wasn't the greatest PI story I've read -- but I read it with my wife and she is a dog lover and enjoyed this more than I did.

The protagonists actions in this book seem just a bit too unbelievable for me.

Anne says

okay to good but great surprise ending
