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With each new novel, Eric Jerome Dickey has established himself as one of the freshest and most exciting writers on America's contemporary fiction scene. His latest book is no exception. Set in the San Francisco Bay area, **Between Lovers** brings together three irresistible characters. The novel's narrator a Los Angeles-based writer is still reeling from being dumped by Nicole after seven good years followed by an aborted trip to the altar. Nicole grew up during their time together, and changed—she became a successful career woman, moved north to Oakland, and fell in love with another woman. But she's still not satisfied. She likes what she has, but misses what she had, and wants to find out if she can have it all. She's playing with fire, not to mention the feelings of the two people who love her most in the world, but Nicole lures her former fiancé back into her new life, opening the floodgates of anger, passion, pain...and refreshing honesty. How these three fascinating people handle this unusual and complex love triangle makes for one of Dickey's most provocative and unforgettable novels.

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Ashley McGuffries says

I did enjoy this book, but Nicole really started to irritate me!

Kittiya says

I wasn't sure I would like this book. I got so mad soo many times at the stupid sh*t the characters kept doing. But before I knew it, it was making me cry and I couldn't put it down. Over all it ended up being a good story.

Ka'leneReads says

In true fashion EJD always puts the plot on its head

Toni says

I got hooked the first few chapters, and I thoroughly enjoyed the shaping of each character, but I found that they got flat towards the middle of the book. Maybe, because we had to endure how selfish Nicole was for much of it. The ending could have been better, but overall, a decent escape.

Camille says

In true EJD fashion, the reader is like a fly on the wall watching this all unfold...

Beautifully written, this story encompasses the measure people can go for love.

Three stories because I felt the book was too long and repetitive.

Tamara Evans says

I'll start this review by saying this, I am a very big fan of Eric Jerome Dickey. There's just something about his work that makes you not want to put the book down until the end. This is also the case with his latest book, Friends and Lovers. Although at first I was somewhat drawn to the story line, it wasn't until I had gotten through the first chapter that I had found myself hooked.

The story line is this: The main character got dumped at the altar by Nicole. Nicole then moved away from

their hometown to be with her loved Ayanna. The author comes to visit with leads Nicole to feeling torn between her old love and her new love. Also, Nicole then tries to merge her old life with her new life which leads to hurt feelings as well as new experiences with intimacy. Throughout the course of the novel, the reader is put on a kind of emotional roller coaster. While at times you feel sorry for the narrator, at times, you feel angry with him because he is not seeing things as they truly are.

What I liked most about this novel was the way in which the characters interacted with each other. When I was reading this book, I felt as if these were people I actually knew and I was friends with them. In my opinion, it takes a special person to be able to communicate relationships like that to a reader.

Overall, I enjoyed this book very much and I have already recommended it to someone. I feel that anyone who reads it will like it as much as I did if not more.

Jasmine Turner says

I had to think on this a little more i couldnt make that decision i dont like to lose especially the love of my life. Nicole didnt deserve neither

Valerie says

His latest book is no exception. Set in the San Francisco Bay area, *Between Lovers* brings together three irresistible characters. The novel's narrator—a Los Angeles-based writer—is still reeling from being dumped by Nicole after seven good years followed by an aborted trip to the altar. Nicole grew up during their time together, and changed—she became a successful career woman, moved north to Oakland, and fell in love with another woman. But she's still not satisfied. She likes what she has, but misses what she had, and wants to find out if she can have it all. She's playing with fire, not to mention the feelings of the two people who love her most in the world, but Nicole lures her former fiancé back into her new life, opening the floodgates of anger, passion, pain...and refreshing honesty. How these three fascinating people handle this unusual and complex love triangle makes for one of Dickey's most provocative and unforgettable novels.

Rachion Scott says

I really enjoyed the imagery of this book. Beautiful and sexy. The twist in the the middle also had me tied emotionally to the constant struggle for love and acceptance.

Geralda8f says

This book is about a man named Darell who is a big time writer living in California and he is madly in love with a woman named Nicole and on their wedding day he thinks he is going to get married to the woman who he thinks is the love of his life well when it's time to say their I do's Nicole leaves him at the altar she then goes to Ohio to be with her lover on the side who turns out to be a woman who goes by the name of

Annya, well one day Darell is in Ohio for a book signing when he bumps into Nicole well they get into it den make up and now he knows of her lover and how Nicole was with her that whole and on there wedding day she was at the wedding well after all of this Darell meets Annya and the exchange a few works and now you'll just have to wait and see if Nicole is gonna choose Darell or Nicole read t to find out the shocking twist. will she be with Darell or Annya?

Kervin says

Dickey was extremely out of the box in this book and it was indeed a page turner for sure....the sex scenes were explosive!

Tracey Bates says

Tiring of reading Dickey's books. They're the same: erotica~a scorned woman, and a man too sensitive to her needs. Other than that, ok read.

Jim son of Jim (formerly PhotoJim) says

I really enjoyed this look at a world outside of my experience. This is a tale of three people working their way through a war of affection. The characters felt pretty real to me.

Angel Eyez says

This was the first book I read by this author and I mustsay it lead me to really start reading more book, This was a great and very interesting book! I loved it!

Terrence Baker says

This is the reason I wanted to write and he has been my idol since the beginning of my career. I read this book from cover to cover twice and would read it again. I was young at the time but the way the man was pulled in two, and the way his woman was confused about her sexuality had me sitting on the edge of my seat. And the main character was this smooth author who they both wanted. Its just amazing, erotic, and witty. I recommend this to all readers who like a lil fire in the pages.
