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Gabriella Preston is found in the boot of a car, lying curled on her side like a child asleep. She is dead. The car belongs to Gus Lynch. Gus Lynch is the director of Hallowgate's Youth Theatre, Gabriella his female lead.

Inspector Ramsay and Sergeant Hunter are called in to assist the local police who have their hands full with an outbreak of joy-riding. Another death and an escalation of violence among the joy-riders threaten mayhem. Against a background of spiralling disorder Ramsay realises what could have provoked someone to kill - and to kill again.

## **Killjoy Details**

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# **From Reader Review Killjoy for online ebook**

## **Doris Smith says**

Found some of the events predictable, but I enjoyed the setting of the book.

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## **Ann Tonks says**

Another one of the early Ann Cleeves books featuring Inspector Ramsay. I'm working my way through them and this one set in and around a housing estate and an arts centre was another enjoyable read.

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## **Newton Johnstone says**

Ramsay gets the girl! That was more unexpected than the murderer

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## **Donna says**

Great story , part of a series about English police superintendent, Stephen Ramsey

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## **Pauline Morgan says**

### **Wonderful**

I love these books, every bit as good as Shetland and Vera. Inspector Ramsay is growing on me. Can't wait to read the next in the series.

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## **Gladys Almond says**

### **Another good story.**

I really enjoyed this book, lots of twists, turns and suspense. I did wonder if a romance would happen for Steve Ramsey. I am working my way through this series, I am looking forward to the next book. Thank you Ann Cleeves.

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## **Lynne Tull says**

I am starting to like Inspector Ramsey. At least in this book he didn't dwell too much on his ex-wife and their

troubles. The story line was good along with the mystery to be solved. It was suspenseful and not too gruesome. You could concentrate on solving the mystery instead of a lot of blood and gore. I have read one of the George and Molly books that Ms. Cleeves also writes. Their books seem to lean toward educating me about birds and birding. I prefer just a good mystery to solve along with a cast of characters that I like. If I am educated subtlety, that okay...just don't blatantly give me a textbook paragraph every few pages.

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### **Susan Anderson says**

#### **Another great Inspector Ramsey Mystery**

Another great Inspector Ramsey Mystery with an unbeatable cast of characters and many disparate elements that come together in the end like the intricate parts of a watch but only after many twists and turns. I couldn't stop reading. I liked Prue and the Dickensian character, Alma.

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### **Andy Plonka says**

This is one of Cleeve's Atephen Ramsey books. Like her Palmer-Jones series the solution to the muder is a bit untraditional which makes them a bit more interesting. This one gives a glimpse at small town politics and amateur theater productions

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### **Jan Mage says**

excellent plot and well drawn characters!

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### **Kirsten says**

Such a classic series. I'm sad that the last story isn't available in a digital format.

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### **Vanessab says**

This is an enjoyable read. The mystery twists and turns and, as always, plenty of characters seem to have motives.

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