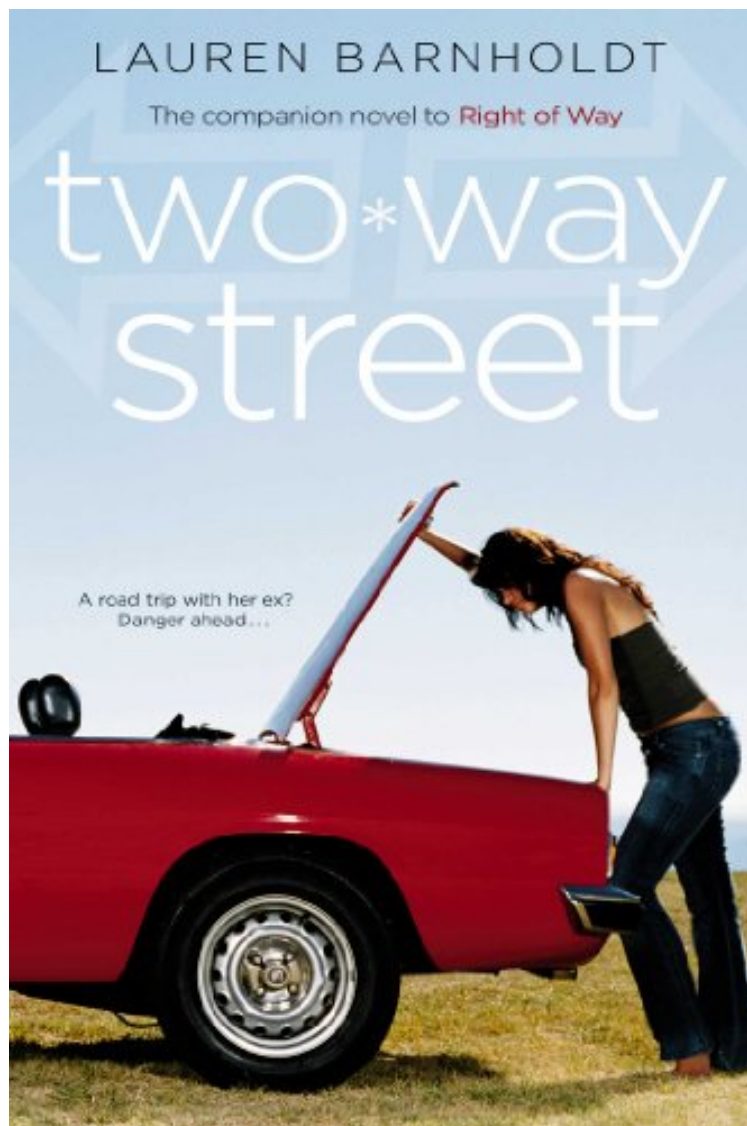


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Von Lauren Barnholdt : Two-way Street (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Two-way Street (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Contemporary fr zwischendurch :)Von Tanjas RezensionenIch liebe Roadtrips einfach. Damit kann man mich immer kdern...ich finde das diese Art von Geschichte immer voller Abenteuer und Pannen und Spa ist und genau das wollte ich hier auch bekommen. Irgendwie kam mir das Buch beim Lesen aber echt mega kurz vor und der Roadtrip kam

durch die Rückblicke echt zu kurz. Die Geschichte handelt von Courtney und Jordan, die sich getrennt haben, diese Reise aber zusammen antreten, weil sie eben so geplant war und beide auf dem Weg zum College sind. Das Buch ist immer im "Before" und "After" beschrieben, sprich "Vergangenheit" und "Gegenwart". Diese Art von Erzählung hat meiner Meinung nach sehr gut gepasst, weil man so erfährt wie die beiden zusammen gekommen sind und was zu ihrer Trennung geführt hat. Ich fand das richtig so und mochte auch beide Figuren sehr gerne. Womit ich allerdings ein Problem hatte war das ganze unnötige Drama. Beide haben noch Gefühle füreinander, tun aber so, als wären sie schon in neuen Beziehungen...da wir hier beide Perspektiven lesen hat das Rumgejammer der inneren Dialoge echt richtig genervt. Teilweise wollte ich da lieber in der Vergangenheit bleiben, als wieder zurück auf die Straße zu müssen. Was ich allgemein an dem Buch nicht mochte waren die hochdramatischen Verstrickungen. Jordan hat aufgrund eines Geheimnisses mit Courtney Schluss gemacht und das war ab der Mitte doch extrem leicht zu erraten. Dann gab es noch dieses ganze Hin- und Her zwischen den besten Freunden der beiden, welches über Telefonate lief und das fand ich ziemlich unnötig. Leider kamen auch die romantischen oder witzigen Momente viel zu kurz. Ich hätte mir echt gewünscht, dass auf der Fahrt mehr passiert wäre. Es gab einen Zwischenstopp und mehr auch nicht. Die Autorin hat den Figuren kaum Raum gelassen, um die Konflikte wirklich behandeln zu können. Als am Ende dann alles eskaliert ist, gefiel mir das schon wieder etwas besser. Courtney und Jordan sind tolle Charaktere. Sympathisch, stur und liebenswert, sie hätten nur einfach eine aufregendere Geschichte verdient gehabt ;) 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Courtesy of TeensReadToo Von TeensReadToo Well-known for her first novel, REALITY CHICK, Lauren Barnholdt has a new offering worth checking out. TWO-WAY STREET is the perfect book if you are interested in learning about both sides in a couple's breakup. Courtney and Jordan are about to begin a three-day trip from their homes in Florida to their college orientation in Boston. Usually this would be cause for excitement, but this trip is bound to be uncomfortable. The reason is because, two weeks ago, Jordan broke up with Courtney, supposedly because he met a girl on MySpace. Since the plans for the trip have already been made, Courtney's parents are insisting that she stick with those plans and travel with her ex all the way to Boston. The characters and details of this novel are well-developed. Courtney is ultra-organized, schedule-oriented, and germaphobic. Jordan is a relaxed, take-things-as-they-come, rap lover. The story reveals their quirky best friends who are always just a cell phone call away waiting to offer whatever support their own busy lives allow. The private lives of Jordan and Courtney's parents offer their own unique brand of suspense to the plot. In addition, an underlying thread of the plot involves continued references to the use of MySpace, which is sure to be an attention-grabber for teen readers. Barnholdt created the book with alternating chapters. In Jordan's chapters he tells his version of the story before, during, and after the trip, and Courtney does the same in her chapters. This unique style allows readers to sort of "read between the lines" of the breakup. The characters are dealing with secrets they feel must not be revealed. The resulting tension and hard feelings created by the secrets will have readers rooting first for Jordan and then for Courtney. Reviewed by: Sally Kruger, aka "Readingjunky"

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