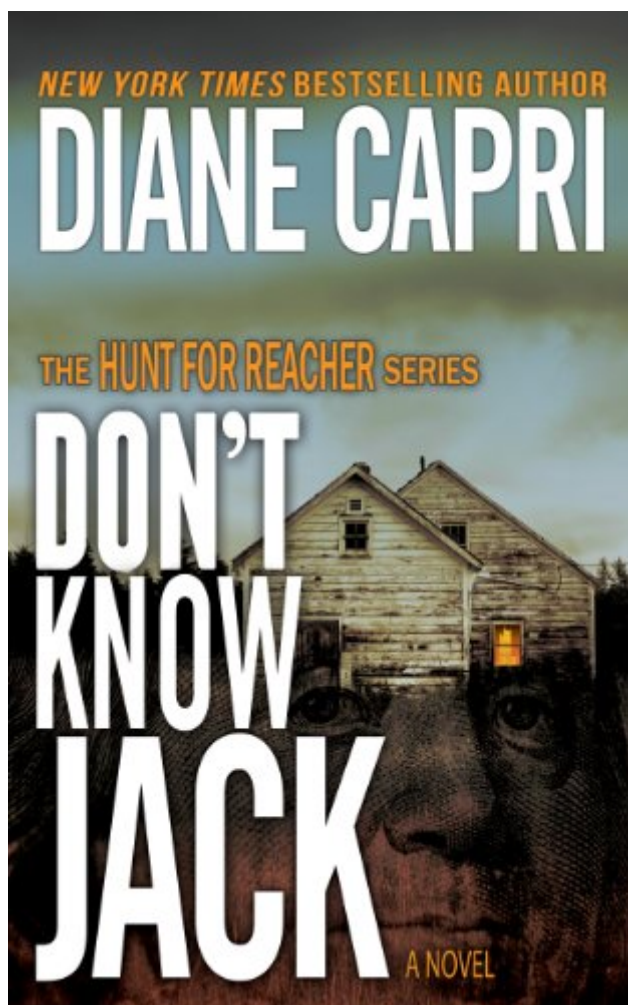


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Customer Reviews

I've been a big fan of the Jack Reacher books for some time but this has been my first time enjoying one of the off shoots from the Jack Reacher series. I'm about halfway through this book and I like the plot and am starting to understand the characters but I do wish the author had hired a better editor - there are some random grammatical errors here and there that are very annoying to word nerds, many of whom are avid readers. There aren't enough of them to prevent me from enjoying the book overall but they're like nails on a chalkboard when they pop up. Ms. Capri, if you're reading this, please hire a better editor for future books.

Redefines "fast paced"; and "you can't put it down". This is very well thought out not only because the characters are believable but also ruthless. Ruthless always inspires to root for the underdog and that is what pulls the reader thru at a lightening pace. Techno accuracy combines with modern limitations to give hope, then steal it away..just who is playing whom and after getting the good guys straight-who actually ARE The bad guys? Who will win by cunning is finally answered on a strip of Arizona desert...

Interesting story line. If you haven't read the Jack Reacher books (by Lee Childs) don't bother with this series; you will be missing a great deal of background. So far the main characters seem a bit inept and draw a lot of incorrect conclusions about Jack Reacher. The writing is ok but is far from the Jack Reacher writings of Lee Childs. I've got the second book of ni this series so I'll see if Capri's writing improves.

"Don't Know Jack" was my introduction to Diane Capri and her story-telling. She has done a fantastic job of taking the Reacher legend, weaving in things we know about Reacher, and drawing on the storylines of Lee Childs' subsidiary characters. As Reacher readers know, Reacher tends to leave a mess behind when he "fixes" his immediate and major problems. Capri thus has a rich vein of ore to mine as she digs into the lives, circumstances, and consequences of Reacher's actions. Readers will not be disappointed with her efforts; rather, they will be drawn in and introduced to a totally addictive tale!

Written in the style of Lee Child's Jack Reacher books, this book revisits the scene of an earlier Jack Reacher book, *The Killing Floor*, and provide a perspective from another angle and role. I liked that the lead's sidekick becomes her secret weapon, although she doesn't even seem to put it to good use... I'm going to enjoy watching this unfold.

This series popped up as I was searching for something to read after finishing all but the last Reacher book available. (I am saving that for a vacation read) I had to refresh my memory about *Killing Field* and this was a fun way to see the story from a different angle. I liked it and will read more.

Capri's story is a bit jumpy, and has a few narrative gaps, but is overall entertaining enough, with a few tantalizing suggestions mixed in (did Reacher's liaison all those years ago with Roscoe actually bear issue?)... in the end, the FBI looks fairly bumptious and inept, though they do manage to get their man in the end. die-hard Reacher fans will probably miss Child's perfect pacing, but may well enjoy momentarily revisiting where it all began...

This book is appalling! The author tries to rip-off the characters created by Lee Child in his book "*Killing Floor*". She makes a mess of it and the characters she created are superficial and poorly depicted. The plot is nonsensical and I abandoned this book early on. If you enjoyed the Jack Reacher series, don't read this book!

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