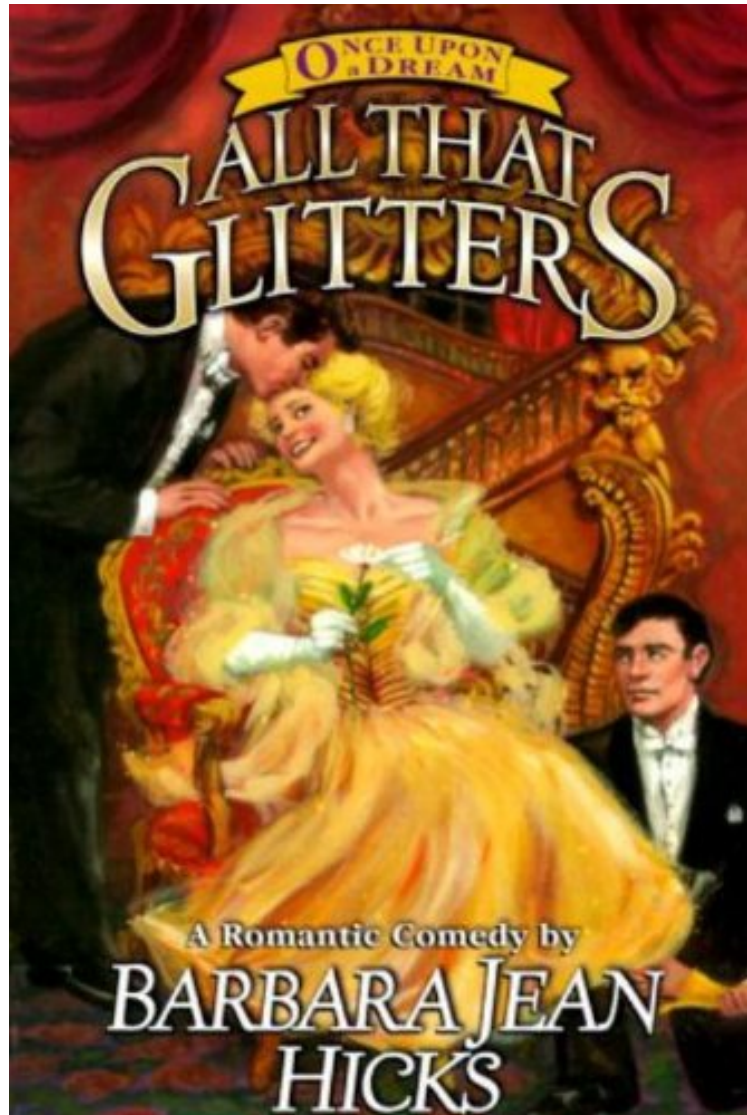


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Von Barbara Jean Hicks : All That Glitters before purchasing it in order to gauge whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised All That Glitters:

Kundenrezensionen Hilfreichste Kundenrezensionen 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Which prince is charming? Von L. S. Tucker Fledgling dress designer Cindy Reilly hoped to design dresses that would be in major stores someday. She hoped to have a happy ending like Cinderella. Cindy already had her prince, or so she thought. Heir to Strawbridge Fitz department stores, Franklin Cameron Fitz III, saw Cindy and knew she was the one he wanted. But what about the boyfriend? On the night of Cindy's greatest triumph to date, a sale to Fitz's store, she

catches her fiance with another woman, a sophisticated city woman. Cindy asks Franklin to help her make herself over, giving him time to be with Cindy. A gentle tale of learning to separate fact from fiction, seeing what's real and not what you want to be real. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Hooray for Barbara and Pilchuck! Von Ein Kunde I love the Jan Karon-esque qualities of Barbara's books. I had already visited Pilchuck and been introduced to Cindy in Barb's other hometown adventures and now we have become better acquainted. The love, caring, pettiness, quirks, foibles, heroes and crackpots of Smalltown, America are true to life and full of giggles. I plan to visit again and again. More, please! 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A light hearted, entertaining, and uplifting book! Von Ein Kunde This book is perfect for when you want to escape from the cares of the world. It makes you laugh and warms your heart. I also like how Ms. Hicks brings out important issues, like excepting yourself for who you are and how important it is to follow your dreams.

Kurzbeschreibung After seven years of waiting tables in little Pilchuck, Washington, aspiring apparel designer Cindy Reilly is beginning to despair of ever seeing her line of evening dresses on the racks of a major department store. And when her longtime boyfriend falls for a classy big-city society girl, her future looks even bleaker. Enter Franklin Cameron Fitz III of Seattle's Strawbridge Fitz department store fame who wants nothing more than to help Cindy sell her designs. Except to win Cindy's heart, that is. When Cindy embarks on an ambitious self-improvement campaign to win back her boyfriend, Franklin reluctantly agrees to help. The results are hilarious and surprisingly successful. But when both princes fall at Cindy's feet at a high society ball, no less will she choose the right one? Kurzbeschreibung After seven years of waiting tables in little Pilchuck, Washington, aspiring apparel designer Cindy Reilly is beginning to despair of ever seeing her line of evening dresses on the racks of a major department store. And when her longtime boyfriend falls for a classy big-city society girl, her future looks even bleaker. Enter Franklin Cameron Fitz III of Seattle's Strawbridge Fitz department store fame who wants nothing more than to help Cindy sell her designs. Except to win Cindy's heart, that is. When Cindy embarks on an ambitious self-improvement campaign to win back her boyfriend, Franklin reluctantly agrees to help. The results are hilarious and surprisingly successful. But when both princes fall at Cindy's feet at a high society ball, no less will she choose the right one? Autorenkommentar The Birth of Pilchuck, Washington Dear Reader: When I started the Once Upon a Dream series, the idea was to write three books based on classic fairy tales, updated and with some sort of comic twist. I had no idea that while three fairy tales would indeed provide a sort of jumping-off place for the stories, what would tie them together even more would be the little town of Pilchuck, Washington and the eccentric characters who inhabit it. There's sour old Olga Pfefferkuchen (a.k.a. Mrs. Peppercookie), who experiences such a dramatic and miraculous change of heart in my Snow White story, An Unlikely Prince, that rumor has it she was abducted by aliens and given a personality transplant. Bidy and Buster Barton, who run the funky Kitsch n Caboodle Cafe on Main Street, play a major role in my Cinderella story, All That Glitters. Pilchuck wouldn't be Pilchuck without True Marie Weatherby, who owns the Belle o the Ball Beauty Salon and knows everything that happens in town, plus who said what to whom about it, almost before it's said and done. Some people say she's psychic. Pastor Montgomery Bob, who shepherds the flock at the Pilchuck Church of Saints and Sinners, Ina Rafferty, head librarian at the Pilchuck Public library, and Simon Wyatt, principal of Pilchuck High School, continue to make appearances in each of the books. I love them all. To tell the truth, I've fallen head over heels in love with Pilchuck, Washington. All That Glitters--which features pretty Cindy Reilly embarking on a hilarious self-improvement campaign to win back her straying boyfriend's heart--started out in Seattle. But it just wouldn't stay there! And by the time I started my Beauty and the Beast story (Loves Me, Loves Me Not, February 2000), there was no question where it would take place. I'm pleased and flattered to have had readers compare Pilchuck to both Jan Karons Mitford and Garrison Keillors Lake Wobegon. Imagine a little town like theirs with a fairy tale romance thrown in, and you have Once Upon a Dream. If you like Karons and Keillors' gentle humor and eccentric characters, I guarantee you'll like Pilchuck. Enjoy! Warmly, Barbara Jean P.S. You might also want to check out my Pilchuck novella, Twice in a Blue Moon, in the 1999 anthology Porch Swings and Picket Fences. The Kitsch n Caboodle Cafe and the Pilchuck Church of Saints and Sinners are reprised, and this time Cindy Reilly's mother Cait has a romance of her very own! You'll also meet Bonny Fairley, who's the heroine in Loves Me, Loves Me Not. Then there's Cupid's Chase, which you'll find in the 1998 anthology Hearts Delight as well as in the 1999 anthology Unlikely Angels. I hadn't yet conceived of Pilchuck when I wrote Cupid's Chase, but while I was working on All That Glitters and needed a scene in a Seattle restaurant, I decided to reprise Fortunato's Ristorante and the eccentric Fortunato family matriarch, Nonna Pippa. And if you enjoy Nonna Pippa, you'll probably want to meet Gran-Gabby Weatherspoon, my all-time favorite character, in Tea for Two (in the 1996 anthology Mistletoe). It's a Christmas story, but I believe in celebrating the spirit of Christmas all year round!