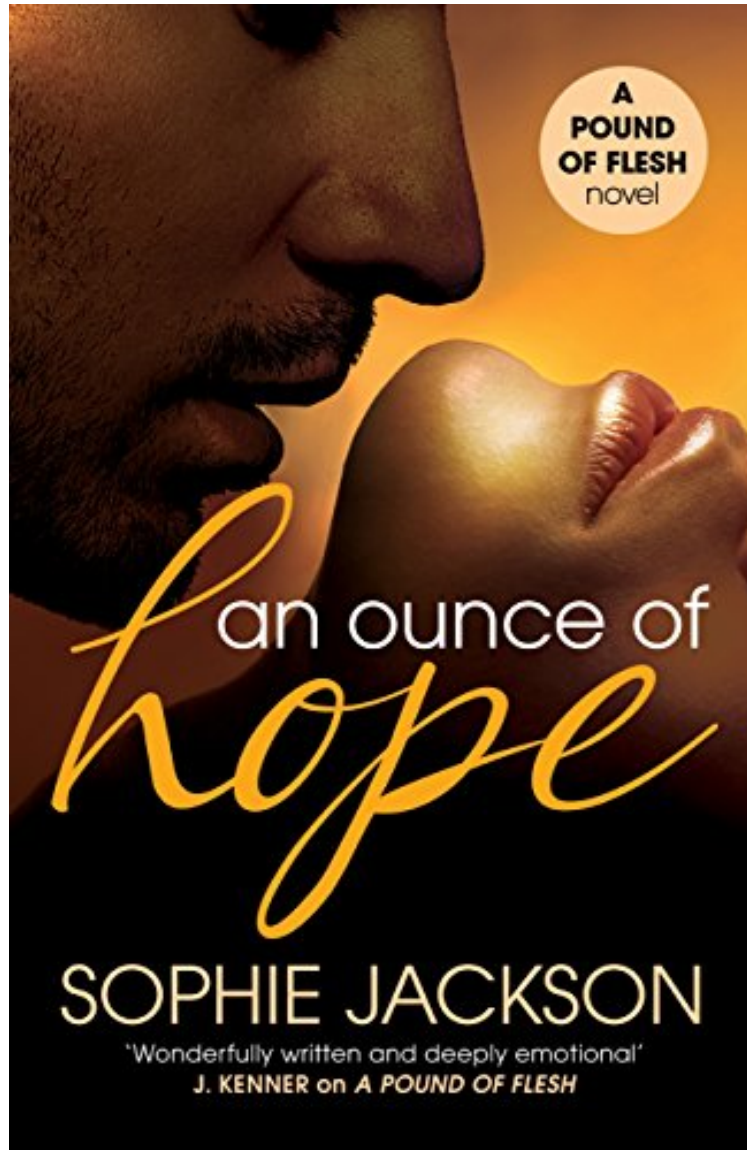


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Von Sophie Jackson : An Ounce of Hope: A Pound of Flesh Book 2 (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised An Ounce of Hope: A Pound of Flesh Book 2 (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. An amazing sequel to "A pound of flesh"Von Carolin Jache*** This review contains spoilers for book one, A pound of flesh ***An ounce of hope is the story of Max and Grace. Both have been through very unhealthy and unhappy

relationships and a lot of other hardships, life threw their way. A tentative friendship ensues and soon, they agree to give into their sizzling tension to each other. But have both been damaged too deeply to ever trust someone with their heart again? What a beautiful book! I loved *An ounce of hope* even more than *A pound of flesh*, book one in this series. We know Max as Carter's best friend from the first book and that he was involved in the s*** that went down, the night Carter got arrested and went to jail for. I was very curious for Max's story and it didn't disappoint. I loved the intensity of the writing, the pace was perfect and the angst was just right (for some, the level may be a tad too high, since I'm an angst-addict extraordinaire, so beware LOL). First, I thought that the pace was too slow. *An ounce of hope* is not a rush-in kind of love story, no. It develops from a tentative friendship between the two MCs, and even though they have had a sizzling tension swirling between them from the start, they haven't acted on it until late in the book. Normally, I like my books with more action, but this book was like a light drizzle in the summer heat, just right and very refreshing. The friendship between Max and Grace as well as between Max and his friends was so tender, that it could only warm my heart as a result. But ho boy, as soon as the deed happened between Max and Grace it was so hot! The writing was excellent, the pace perfect, the characters very adorable and the overall package of the book convinced me very much. If Sophie Jackson ups her ability to impress me more with every book, she'll soon have me drooling for her next work. All in all, I rate *An ounce of hope* with 5 stars and can recommend it to everyone. Definitely to fans of book one, *A pound of flesh*. For everyone new to this series, I'd recommend to read book 1 first, because although this book can be read as a standalone, it's better for the reading experience to know the characters from book 1. *** An ARC has been provided in exchange for an honest review for CollectorOfBookboyfriends.com *** 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A great read Von Jen R4.5 stars After finishing *A Pound of Flesh* I was excited to read more from this author. I looked into *An Ounce of Hope* and seeing that it was Max's story thought eh. I don't know why I wasn't more excited to read it, but I didn't really care about Max in that first story and wasn't really looking forward to him recovering from addiction and trying to move on from the girl who broke his heart. It just didn't seem like it would be my favorite, just like I was originally hesitant to read the first book. I kept putting it off and when I finally picked it up to read was kicking myself for waiting so long. I absolutely loved this story. Max and Gracie were just amazing to read. I love love loved them. I loved every minute of this book. From the first pages it drew me right in and I couldn't put it down until I finished. A really amazing read. The book opens with Max in rehab. He is struggling with it. He knows he needs to get better, to learn to deal with his pain in more manageable ways, but it is hard. He does not like opening up, he doesn't want to talk about his past and why he uses, he just doesn't want to deal with that pain. Luckily he has good people there to help and support him and he is able to find a way to let out his feelings without talking. Without spilling everything to someone at least until his feelings are a bit more manageable. Oh, while I didn't care for Max in book one right from the start I wanted good things for him in this story. You could really see his struggle and how hard everything is for him. My heart went out to him so many times. I wanted him to find his peace and be happy again. Eventually Max gets to the point where he is sober and can leave rehab. He was going to stay with Carter, but things don't feel quite right. Carter is always there for him in whatever way he can be, but it is a bit much for Max to deal with. He feels restrained and so he goes to stay with his uncle in West Virginia for a bit. Just until he figures things out and is in the right headspace to be in New York. Just until he gets things in order for himself. Grace is new in town as well. She bought a house and moved to town not too long ago. She has her own struggles and oh, my heart went out to her as well. She is so strong, but broken just like Max. She is trying to move on from something that happened to her, but it is a struggle. She is not good in crowds, is often afraid around men, she is just trying to work on her fears. Trying to make a new life for herself after everything. So she buys a house, a fixer upper that she hired people to work on, and got a job at the local bar. Something her brother is not too happy about, but she needs it. She needs to face her fears so she can hopefully be happy and confident again. When the two of them meet, Max and Grace, it was so sweet. They are both so fragile in the beginning, both so haunted by their past, and I loved them so much. Max really struggles because his ex Lizzie broke him when she left. He doesn't want to have feelings for someone again. He doesn't want to open his heart up to that pain again. He is not sure he can take it. But Grace...he sees her and it was amazing watching the two of them grow closer. They help each other so much even without realizing it. They start as just friends, but really they can't help but fall for each other. This story was simply wonderful to read. It was heartbreaking and sweet and everything I could want in a story. I loved the writing style as it really reinforced how fragile these two were and how strong they become. How everything was a struggle, but it gets better. How they both make each other better, stronger people. This is not really a sunshine and roses story, but it is so full of hope and I really loved it. These two were wonderful together and I am sorry I waited so long to read it. It was really a fantastic story and I loved every minute of it. I never wanted it to end. Simply a beautiful read. This review was originally posted to Jen in Bookland

Kurzbeschreibung *An Ounce of Hope* is the third title in the *A Pound of Flesh* series from fan-fiction superstar Sophie Jackson. From the fanfic phenomenon whose sensational debut, *A Pound of Flesh*, had over 4.5 million reads. You fell

for Wes Carter. Now there's a new bad boy in town. Just as sexy, just as edgy. Meet Carter's best friend, Max...Fans of Samantha Young, Jodi Ellen Malpas, Jamie McGuire, Katy Evans and Prison Break will find Sophie Jackson's powerful love stories utterly addictive and unforgettable. Can true love heal the deepest scars?Max O'Hare: Tortured by memories of the woman he loved, the child he lost and the drugs that numbed his pain, Max is haunted by his past.Grace Brooks: An eternal optimist, Grace appears to be the perfect girl, but she keeps the truth of her own difficult history closely guarded.Fresh out of rehab, the last thing on Max's mind is a relationship. Yet he's drawn to Grace, sensing that she too is looking for escape. Bound by their greatest fears and deepest secrets, Max and Grace must learn to trust again. And the key to opening their hearts lies in one another...Loyalty. Redemption. All-consuming love against the odds. Prepare to fall for the powerful storytelling of Sophie Jackson. Check out the whole A Pound of Flesh series: A Pound of Flesh, Love and Always, An Ounce of Hope, Fate and Forever and A Measure of Love.PressestimmenJackson's newest installment to her heart-stopping series, A Pound of Flesh, is capable of blowing your mind. This romance contains loads of passionate moments where we finally get to witness Max's story (Romantic Times)Max and Grace's story has truly left an imprint on my heart. They made the most adorable couple and I was invested in their relationship from start to finish. The pair had been through so much heartache and I just wanted to see them find their fairytale ending. An Ounce of Hope has captured my heart and although there were times where I felt as though my heart was being torn in two, I loved everything that I was reading (Hopeless Romantics)WerbetextThe second novel in the compelling, emotional and sexy A Pound of Flesh series from the fanfiction phenomenon, Sophie Jackson.