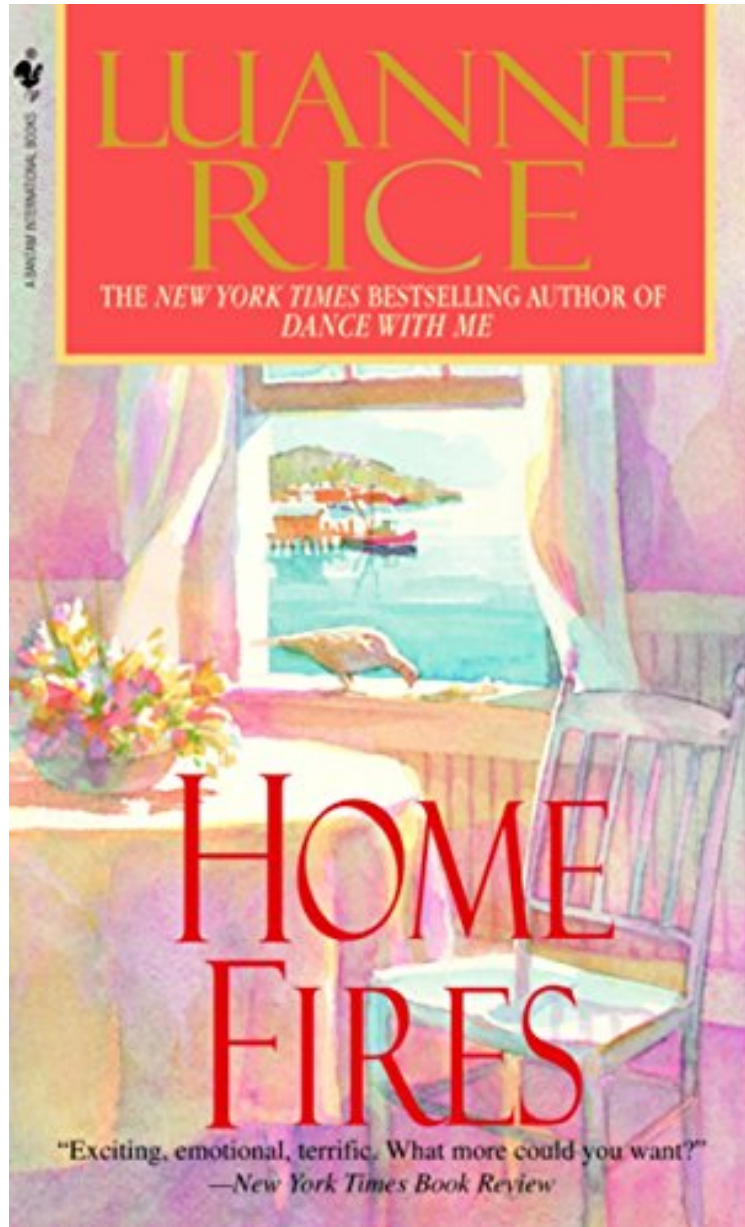


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interesting. I loved following the relationship between Tom and Anne. I love how Luanne Rice writes about romance but also about family. Her books are interesting and hard to put down. I am currently reading "Cloud Nine" and look forward to finding some of her out-of-print titles. If you are looking for a good read on a cool night, on the beach or a rainy day I suggest "Home Fires" or any other Luanne Rice book. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. LuAnne Rice Delivers in this story about family and loss. Von Ein Kunde Homefires is probably the best book I have read about the dynamics of family and death. The reader is able to feel the devastation of Anne Davis and examine the life of lonely Thomas Devlin. Rice draws these two, very complicated characters together in a rather unique relationship. It is at this point that Homefires delivers certain reality... Devlin's son, Ned, must deal with his feelings about Anne. Anne's sister must work through the issues of her own family... and the envy of her sister. Added to this mix of mourning, jealousy, pride, and anger is Anne's troubled niece Maggie. Only in reality would one see a story of this magnitude played out. LuAnne Rice does a lovely job showing how each character takes on his or her own personal demons. I recommend Homefires to any reader. 0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. I loved this book! Von Dianne W. Crawford This book had me zapped into it from the first page. I loved that two fragile, wounded people can find each other and fall in love. I liked the conflict between the sisters and I felt Maggie was really a 16 year old. I couldn't put this book down.

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