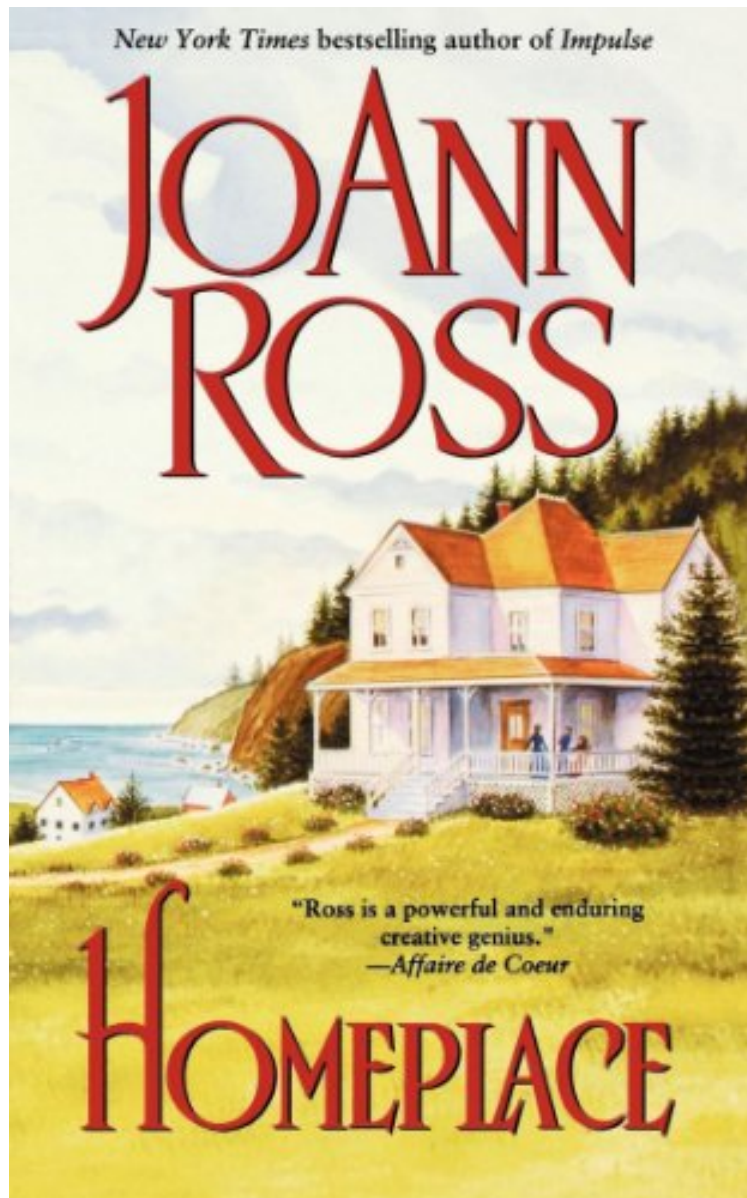


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Von JoAnn Ross : Homeplace (Coldwater Cove) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Homeplace (Coldwater Cove):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Love, Pacific Northwest StyleVon Bonnie GilbertWhen New York attorney Raine Cantrell receives the urgent phone call to

go home to take care of her grandmother and three foster children, she leaves immediately. Fully expecting to be gone from her high powered job only a short time, Raine never expected to run into Jack O'Halloran in her home town of Coldwater Cove, Washington. Jack and Raine immediately butt heads, but are attracted to each other from the start. Jack is the town's sheriff and taking care of his 6 year old daughter, Raine has no time for men in her life. Her career has always been number one. Realizing that she is needed more in her hometown on Washington State's beautiful Olympic Peninsula, Raine takes a short leave of absence. Of course, she never expected to fall in love. Jack and Raine make a wonderful couple in this charming story, but this is not all what this book is about. JoAnn Ross has written an incredible family trying to come to terms with past mistakes and problems. I highly recommend this book and am looking forward to the second in the series, Far Harbor. If I have only one complaint about this book, this is it. Where was all the rain? Okay, it rained the first day when Jack and Raine met, but not much after. I'm from the Pacific Northwest and I KNOW that springtime in the Olympic Peninsula is rain, rain go away come again another day. Except it never goes away. That's it. Only one complaint.

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there's no place like home after this warm novel

Von Ein Kunde

High priced New York attorney Raine Cantrell desires full partnership in her law firm. However, a family emergency forces the reluctant Raine to return to her hometown of Coldwater Cove, Washington. Even then, if it did not involve her beloved grandmother she would not go. When she arrives home, she finds her grandmother has been hospitalized. The woman's three foster children are barricaded in the family home so that family services cannot remove them. Finally, her mother is in jail for arson while practicing some pagan rituals in the nude. By the time Raine straightens out everything, Raine remains in town waiting for the judge to evaluate the foster care situation. The senior partners at her law firm inform her she is losing her competitive edge over other associates for the next seat on the board. She also finds herself attracted to Sheriff Jack O'Halloran, a widower with a precocious little daughter. Raine must decide between her love for her family and the law enforcement official and her desire to be big city law partner.

HOMEPLACE is a wonderful love story and family drama that warms the heart and soul while inspiring the readers. JoAnn Ross surpasses even her high level of quality with a complex and believable tale of choices. The subplots and the supporting characters add a rich texture to a novel that is sure to be dubbed one of the special books of the year.

Harriet Klausner

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This is a great book

Von Ein Kunde

With real life problems and real life feelings, JoAnn Ross makes you want to read this book all in one day. You find yourself wanting to be in Raine's place, having someone like Jack to love you. This is a great book! If you like real love stories, this book is your golden ticket.

Kurzbeschreibung

Contemporary and compelling, the novels of JoAnn Ross draw their power from the laughter and tears that fill women's lives. Now, after her triumphant bestseller *A Woman's Heart*, she makes a dazzling Pocket Books debut with a richly emotional tale of a woman struggling with her unconventional family...and a deep longing for a love of her own. Fighting legal battles eighty hours a week has left Raine Cantrell burned out and empty. Although she once dreamed that success might make the father who walked away without a backward glance take notice, the high-powered big-city lawyer now finds herself feeling very alone. Then she gets an urgent call from three kids in trouble in her Washington state hometown, and suddenly Raine is returning to face unresolved feelings, unhealed wounds -- and an unexpected desire. Sheriff Jack O'Halloran, a man with a tragedy in his past and a six-year-old daughter to raise alone, has three teens barricaded inside a house and the media clamoring for a story. He isn't ready for Raine to invade his territory -- or his thoughts. And Raine isn't ready for anyone to touch her heart. Unable to deny their attraction to each other, their solution is adult, reasonable -- and totally foolish. They decide to have a simple affair. But they are about to discover that love is rarely simple -- and that lives can change forever in a single heartbeat. A tender and deeply affecting tale, *Homeplace* will linger in your heart long after the last page is turned.

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