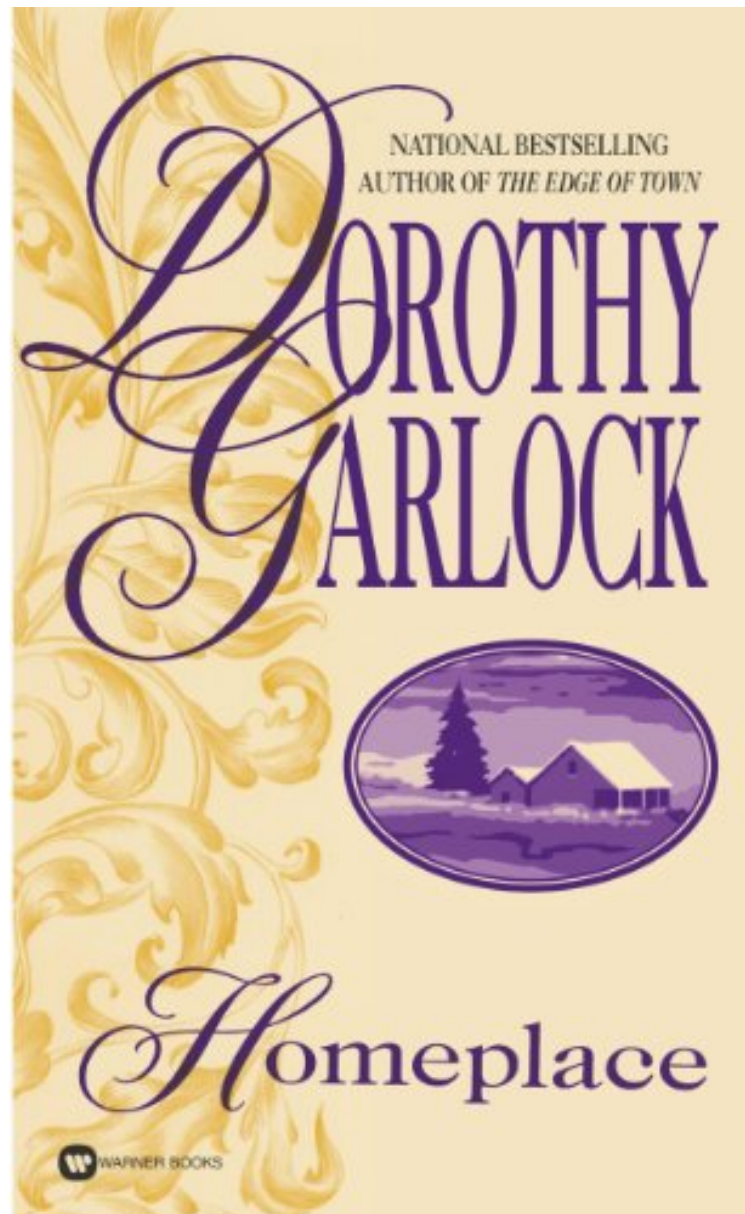


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and I very much enjoyed it. I had picked it not realising that it was set in Frontier America a time and place that don't hold any particular interest for me. However, from the first page I was hooked on the story. Ana, a widow, receives a letter from her stepdaughter (just 11 years younger than her, at 16) who ran away to marry the man who had got her pregnant. She summons Ana to attend the birth and thus Ana is thrust into a strange family with all their secrets and problems. Harriet dies in childbirth and Ana promises her at the end that she will bring up the baby, Harry. This binds her to Harriet's husband's family as the baby's father and Harriet's husband, Owen Jamison, won't allow her to leave. His sister, Esther, has treated Harriet abysmally and treats Ana similarly. The story unfolds as we learn about the history of Esther, Owen and their absent brother Paul and the way in which it has bound them together but also caused them huge pain. The writing is excellent, with great period detail about living and working in America of the nineteenth century. There is a gentle love story which is a joy to read, and as the events unfold and we learn that things aren't necessarily as they seem, the resolution is very satisfying. I enjoyed this book and would definitely recommend it to others. 0 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Well worth reading! Von Ein Kunde As usual I just couldn't put this book down until I finished reading the whole thing. It kept my attention from beginning until the end.

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