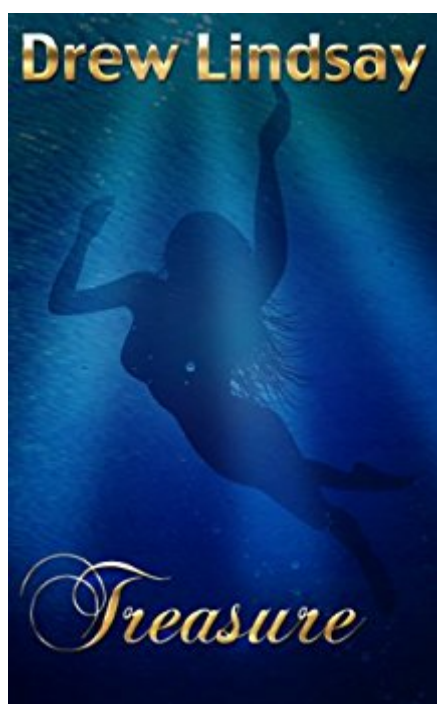


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Synopsis

Put this mix togetherâ |.. An ancient schooner laden with stolen gold and opium, wrecked against a treacherous part of the Australian coast. A wreck diver vanishes while searching for the undersea treasure. Corrupt government officials and police crawling over each other to get their hands on the treasure. Hired killers prepared to murder anyone who gets in the way of them finding the treasure. Ex detective Ben Hood is sent to protect the stunning daughter of the missing diver and the diverâ™s wife. The lure of treasure often brings out the worst in normally good people. It unleashes suffering and death by the hands of normally evil people. Ben is once again pushed to the limits of his fighting skills together with personal and emotional endurance.

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Customer Reviews

Another great Ben Hood thriller. This one starts with a woman named Karen Robinson. Robinson works at a dive shop and she thinks she's being followed. Robinson is also a SCUBA diver and she's looking for a wreck. The Ocean Rose. The Ocean Rose sank off the Australian coast in 1898. There are rumors of gold being on the vessel. Unfounded rumors. The strict Australian laws involving anything found on wrecks are in full force. Robinson had requested info on the Ocean Rose months ago and so far has heard nothing. Robinson has found that someone has been in her

house. She wants protection. She calls VIP and Rod Reid. She's requesting Ben Hood because she's seen him on TV. Ben Hood isn't available so Rod sends Susan Burk a more than capable VIP agent. Clare Morrison has also called Rod at VIP for Hood as a bodyguard. A Govt Official disappeared in front of her home. His body was later found in the river. Clare wants Ben Hood but Annemei could care less about having a bodyguard. Clare and her daughter Annemei are persons of interest because Clare's husband was diving looking for the Ocean Rose. He and his boat just disappeared and Morrison was presumed dead. Clare collected one million dollars in insurance. Attacks are made on Karen and Susan is knifed. Ben Hood heads their way. So begins another damned fine read. This one has Ben, Susan, Karen, Annemei, a hunt for gold, a couple of wrecks, and old woman named Melinda, death, an assassin, murder, corruption, old friends, new enemies, a missing man, and Ben Hood in a race to solve it all. Five Stars and then some.

With each book written by Drew Lindsay, I am reminded as to why I am such a fan of his work. "Treasure" keeps up the high standard of this author's well-written, and totally absorbing books. One of those novels you just can't put down, this latest book has many twists and turns, an absolutely riveting plot, and a great insight into the application of laws regarding old shipwrecks in Australia. I find in particular, that the character of Ben Hood is totally enigmatic, a complex man, and the contradictions in his character I find very interesting. I particularly enjoy, as a keen armchair traveller, the consistently well researched locations in each of Mr Lindsay's books. It is obvious in "Treasure" that the author has a well rounded and knowledgeable view of Port Macquarie and Vanuatu, the two major locations in which Ben Hood finds himself in this book. I thoroughly enjoyed the read from beginning to end, this book being in my opinion a five star effort on the part of the author, and highly recommend to all.

All Ben Hood Thrillers are explosive stories. I thoroughly enjoyed this story particularly because he has studied the area he writes about and I couldn't fault his descriptions of all places mentioned. We live in the area he describes and I believe he has put his research into his story. He really lives each and every problem he faces and fronts danger full on and never gives in. Wonderful books.

If you like to read thrillers and would like to see books set in Australia there is nothing better than the Ben Hood series by Drew Lindsay. Relatively inexpensive too: a bargain! I've read them all and devoured the latest one on a flight from the US to Europe. Perfect air plane reading; couldn't put it down.

We know Ben Hood is a diver from previous accounts. The plot to this one is visible and easy to follow from the start. Having said that, it no way diminishes that this book is just as good as any other in the series. Mr Lindsay makes not of the fact that Treasure, real or not, causes immorality in otherwise moral people. If they are less than moral, then things escalate.

This was my second Drew Lindsay thriller and it certainly lived up to my expectations. He knows how to keep one riveted to the pages...Bravo! I do intend to continue down the Ben Hood path and highly recommend these books.

Taut story, great characters and I literally can not wait for his next effort. If you like Lee Child, you will like Drew Lindsay. Ben Hood is an Australian, very similar to Jack Reacher, who is a man of action. He does what he needs to to help and protect. I hate it when the book is done, I want more!

I'm glad he got back to a lengthy story because some of the previous have been too short for me. This story had some twists and turns and kept my interest.

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