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Guarding Her Heart: A Christian Romance (BlackThorpe Security Book 1)



Synopsis

GUARDING HER HEART is book one of the Christian romance series, BLACKTHORPE SECURITY by Kimberly Rae Jordan. Follow the lives of the men and women working for BlackThorpe Security as they face the challenges of life, faith and love. The BlackThorpe Security series is a spin-off from the Christian romance series, The McKinleys. If you haven't read those yet, check out book one - THIS TIME WITH LOVE: A Christian Romance - and meet some of the characters who will continue to appear in the BlackThorpe Security series. Lindsay Hamilton has watched as people around her have fallen in love and gotten married. She knows she needs a change in her life, but she also knows it doesn't involve romance or love, let alone marriage. When their church announces a two-week mission's trip to the Philippines, Lindsay feels that this may be the change she needs. Plus, it will give her the opportunity to see the world beyond the one she's lived in her whole life. The only problem is her mother. Having almost lost one child, Lindsay's mother is distraught at the thought of her only daughter trekking halfway around the world by herself. In order to give her mother peace of mind, Lindsay agrees to allow a bodyguard to accompany her. Than Miller is the consummate ladies' man. He loves to spend time with them and to make them feel good about themselves. Unfortunately, that very approach to life has made the one woman he's most interested in hold him at arm's length. When her older brother comes to BlackThorpe Security to hire a bodyguard for a trip she's taking, Than quickly agrees. Surely he'll have the opportunity to convince Lindsay to change her opinion of him during their trip together. Though Lindsay has accepted Than's role as her bodyguard, she's the one in charge of guarding her heart. And guard it she will. But when disaster strikes and she finds herself completely out of her element, Lindsay has to face her own vulnerabilities. As her faith in God deepens, will she be able to let down her guard enough to let Than in? Usually, Than has no trouble keeping his emotions detached from his job, but this time around he's finding it more and more difficult. And it's not just because he's responsible for Lindsay. In the midst of disaster, he comes face to face with a faith he's never experienced before. Will he give his heart to God even as he waits for Lindsay to give hers to him? Or will the experiences Than and Lindsay shared on the trip be just a memory when they get back home? Stayed tuned for the next Christian romance book in the BlackThorpe Security series due out July 2015. If you enjoy heartwarming Christian romance with a focus on love, faith and family, be sure to check out these other books and series by Kimberly Rae Jordan. Other Christian romance series by Kimberly Rae Jordan: The McKinleys Home to Collingsworth Those Karlsson Boys Other Christian romance books by Kimberly Rae Jordan: Faith, Hope & Love Marrying Kate

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Customer Reviews

I don't know where Kimberly Rae Jordan keeps getting these fantabulous stories, but she should be an emotional wreck... I know I am when I get through reading them. (only in a good way). Than and Lindsey's story was thought provoking and pulled you right in (especially if you're read any of the other books, but not a requirement to sense the undercurrents) to every nuance, emotion, and thought they had concerning each other. Watching their story unfold and seeing them gain a deeper understanding of each other and themselves at the same time was inspiring to say the least. I am a great fan of anything this author writes, but in all honesty, her work keeps getting better and better. I can hardly stand it!

The series continues and it does not disappoint! Great plot, adventure, and characters that you end up feeling like you personally know them. Having been to the Philippians on a missions trip this book

ended up being very special to me. I recognized some of the emotions and experiences Lindsay experienced. I only give 5 stars if I'm likely to read the story again. This one along with the rest of the series I'll be reading again. Additionally, I so appreciated Ms. Jordan's help in getting the updated version since she has not yet updated the pre-orders. Thank you!

I have read the three in this series and was pleasantly surprised that I enjoyed the latest of the series best! Exciting, but not over the top and quite interesting. I appreciated the take on a mission trip to the Philippines and the sparking love match between the handsome bodyguard and the intriguing heiress. Wonderful to have this balance of depth and light heartedness in a wholesome Christian romantic read. Ms. Jordan I am definitely a fan! I have read all your ebooks till date! You have been blessed as you grow better and better in churning out such lovely inspirational fiction!

While reading The McKinnley series, I'd fallen in love with the growing dynamic between these two! I so hoped Ms. Jordan would write their story...and she did! It was beautiful. It was another great balance of romance, faith, and real life. Great job again!

So happy to read this book. I was super excited when I found out about this new series with the Blackthorpe guys. Having met them in the McKinley series was hoping to see more of them. I love every book I've read by Kimberly Rae Jordan. (I've read all the ones on .) If you haven't read her books before you are in for a treat. If you have read her books you already now what an amazing author she is. Highly recommend any of her books.

Not what I expected. A sweet story, found myself skimming over large parts that didn't hold my interest. Would be good for young teens. Dialogue was simple, situations uneventful, nothing in-depth about story or characters.

This book about Linsey and Than was a very good Christian story. It had heart in it. Linsey had trouble with trust she had to work on. Than had other issues he had to work out. In the end it all came together. Read this book I think you will enjoy it

I think this is my favorite book so far by this author. It is descriptive without slowing down in endless detail. The characters are clearly defined, individual and lifelike. The Christian thread is unapologetically solid. Characters show change and growth through time and experience as does

their friendship and love. It is very well edited (thank you). It is logistically sound and we'll researched with accurate description of the Philippines and the culture of the people. I'll admit to some tears, several smiles and more than one '...sigh'. I liked it so much that I wanted to know when the next book is released so I clicked on the link at the end of the book and signed up for email notification. BIG MISTAKE. My email was instantly flooded with eighty, yeah I counted 80 confirmation emails. Different addresses. I'm hoping it's not a virus. My suggestion? Read the book, it's really good. Don't click on the link to be notified of the next book.

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