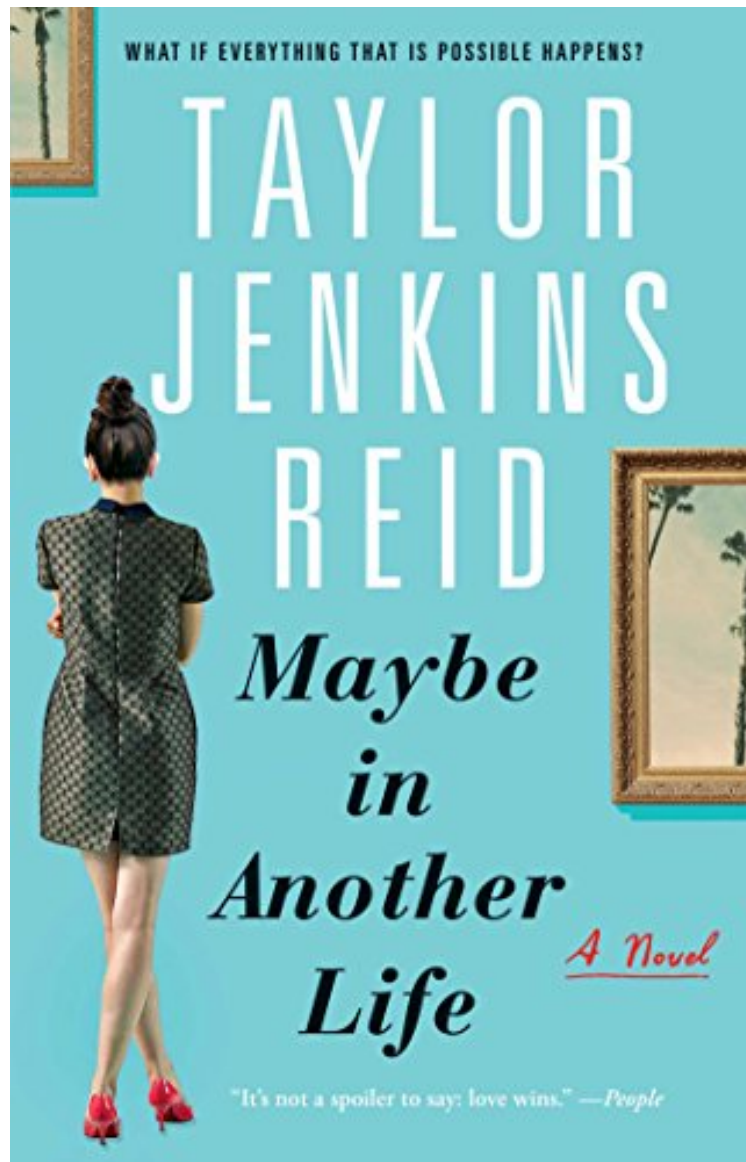


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Von Taylor Jenkins Reid : Maybe in Another Life: A Novel (English Edition) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Maybe in Another Life: A Novel (English Edition):

KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. A fun readVon Jen RMaybe In Another Life was not quite what I expected. It started off not so good for me, but by the end I was loving it (and I loved where the story ended up). At first I was curious to read it as it reminded me of that movie where the girl gets on the train or she doesn't...sliding doors maybe it was called? I only vaguely remember it and I

thought this would be a similar thing. It was surprising and I really liked a lot of the story and the thoughts behind it. At the beginning I really did not like Hannah. I also didn't like the style of writing and it was just something that I put aside to maybe pick up again and finish. The writing was too descriptive at times in a way that I don't like. For example: I don't need to know all of that. It just takes me out of the story as it is unnecessary and kind of bulky and just not for me. Pair that with not liking Hannah, not liking her 'well if I just pretend like I don't know that I am doing something I shouldn't then that is okay and I am a good person' thing. I really just did not like her attitude towards everything. I found her annoying. Then we have the time split. The decision to stay with Ethan her ex or to go home with Gabby her friend. After that I didn't put the book down until I got to the end. After that it was really interesting to read what happened in both timelines. You would get one chapter from one then one chapter from the other timeline. It was fun. I don't want to say too much as I don't want to ruin anything for those who have not read this yet, but if you find it just kind of blah at first keep going. It does get better. I loved all the talk of the one and soul mates and just knowing this person is right for you and so on. I truly believe there is more than one person for everyone. It doesn't make sense to me otherwise. To think in this entire world there is only one person for me and I was lucky enough to find them and live in the same area as them? To me that is crazy. If I hadn't met my husband, if I hadn't gone to college in Washington state, if I hadn't made the decisions I did I am sure I would have found someone else and be equally as happy as I am now. Or be happy by myself. Either way it would have worked out. Or maybe we would have found each other some other way. Who knows. So it was interesting reading a story where the characters talked about that and you see if there really is one person for them. I liked seeing what that one decision would and wouldn't change. If no matter the decisions you would end up in the same place or not. Where everything ends up I really enjoyed. Things happen, you make decision and then you deal with what happens afterwards. Really a great read once I got into the story. This review was originally posted to Jen in Bookland0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Super interesting premise but a slow paced story Von Sydrian When I first read the synopsis I thought that it had a huge potential for being loved by me, duh. Unfortunately and despite the great premise, the book felt somehow slow. I am pretty sure its due to the fact that you are actually reading 2 stories at the same time, and trust me, Taylor Jenkins Reid its a good story teller. However, I had the feeling that things moved at a very slow pace. At least, too slow for being really grabbed by whats happening. Thats my only complain. The message behind this story was not lost on me, complains about the pace aside. I absolutely loved the point that this book tries to make. It may seem cheesy for some, or even a little bit esoteric for some others, but I am someone who believes that some aspects of our life are meant to be. Our lives are somehow fated. I believe theres something bigger than us going on, I like to believe that at least. But not everything is set in stone and after all, we make our own destiny. This review was originally posted in The Bibliothque blog0 von 0 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Super! Von Mala Muska Fand das Buch super! Ich habe noch nie ein Buch in dem Stil geschrieben gelesen. Es sind eigentlich 2 Bcher in einem, weil 2 ganz unterschiedliche Geschichten erzht werden. Das Buch ist auch spannend und man lacht viel dabei - einfach super!

Produktbeschreibung A People Magazine Pick * US Weekly Must Pick Named Best Book of the Summer by Glamour * Good Housekeeping * USA TODAY * Cosmopolitan * PopSugar * Working Mother * Bustle * Goodreads From the acclaimed author of Forever, Interrupted and After I Do comes a breathtaking new novel about a young woman whose fate hinges on the choice she makes after bumping into an old flame; in alternating chapters, we see two possible scenarios unfold with stunningly different results. At the age of twenty-nine, Hannah Martin still has no idea what she wants to do with her life. She has lived in six different cities and held countless meaningless jobs since graduating college. On the heels of leaving yet another city, Hannah moves back to her hometown of Los Angeles and takes up residence in her best friend Gabby's guestroom. Shortly after getting back to town, Hannah goes out to a bar one night with Gabby and meets up with her high school boyfriend, Ethan. Just after midnight, Gabby asks Hannah if she's ready to go. A moment later, Ethan offers to give her a ride later if she wants to stay. Hannah hesitates. What happens if she leaves with Gabby? What happens if she leaves with Ethan? In concurrent storylines, Hannah lives out the effects of each decision. Quickly, these parallel universes develop into radically different stories with large-scale consequences for Hannah, as well as the people around her. As the two alternate realities run their course, *Maybe in Another Life* raises questions about fate and true love: Is anything meant to be? How much in our life is determined by chance? And perhaps, most compellingly: Is there such a thing as a soul mate? Hannah believes there is. And, in both worlds, she believes she's found him.