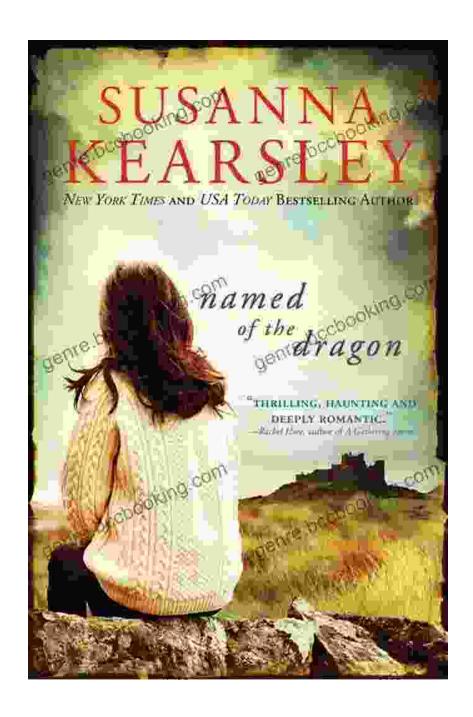
Named of the Dragon: A Journey into the Heart of the French Resistance



A Review of Susanna Kearsley's Named of the Dragon

In her latest novel, *Named of the Dragon*, Susanna Kearsley takes readers on an unforgettable journey through the heart of the French Resistance

during World War II. This sweeping historical epic follows the intertwined lives of two women—one from the present day, one from the past—as they uncover a dangerous secret that could change the course of history.



Named of the Dragon by Susanna Kearsley

★★★★★★ 4.3 out of 5
Language : English
File size : 1998 KB
Text-to-Speech : Enabled
Screen Reader : Supported
Enhanced typesetting : Enabled
X-Ray : Enabled
Word Wise : Enabled
Print length : 308 pages



A Tale of Two Women

The story begins in present-day Provence, where Isobel Stewart, a young American art historian, is drawn into a mysterious world of hidden treasures and ancient secrets. While researching a medieval tapestry, she stumbles upon a coded message that seems to hold the key to a long-lost treasure.

As Isobel delves deeper into her investigation, she becomes increasingly entangled with the past. She begins to have vivid dreams of a young French woman named Marianne Fournier, who lived in the same region during World War II. Marianne was a member of the French Resistance, and her story is one of courage, sacrifice, and betrayal.

As Isobel learns more about Marianne, she realizes that their lives are somehow connected. The coded message from the tapestry may hold the

key to unlocking a secret that could have far-reaching consequences for both the present and the past.

A Journey into the French Resistance

Named of the Dragon is a richly detailed and immersive novel that brings the world of the French Resistance to life. Kearsley draws upon extensive research to create a vivid and authentic portrayal of this shadowy world of spies, saboteurs, and traitors.

Through Marianne's eyes, readers witness the horrors of war firsthand.

They see the brutality of the Nazi occupation, the courage of the Resistance fighters, and the heartbreaking sacrifices that had to be made. Kearsley's prose is both lyrical and unflinching, capturing the beauty and the darkness of this extraordinary period in history.

A Quest for Truth and Identity

At its heart, *Named of the Dragon* is a story about two women searching for truth and identity. Isobel is drawn to the past, seeking to uncover the secrets of her own family history. Marianne is searching for her place in the world, fighting for her country and her beliefs.

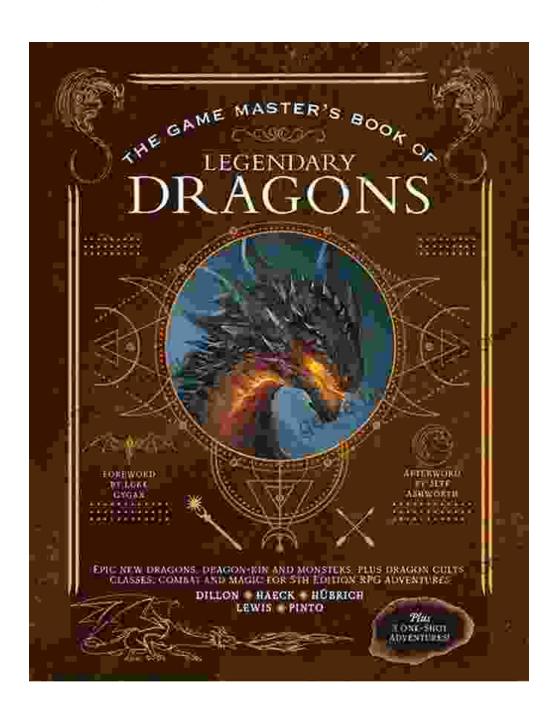
As the two women's lives intertwine, they discover that their destinies are not what they seem. They must confront their own fears and prejudices, and come to terms with the complexities of their own identities.

A Triumph of Historical Fiction

Named of the Dragon is a triumph of historical fiction. Kearsley's meticulous research, vivid storytelling, and unforgettable characters combine to create

a novel that is both thrilling and thought-provoking. It is a story that will stay with you long after you finish reading it.

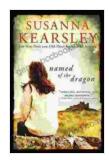
If you are looking for a historical novel that is both epic and intimate, suspenseful and moving, then I highly recommend *Named of the Dragon*. Susanna Kearsley has crafted a masterpiece that will transport you to another time and place, and leave you forever changed.



About the Author

Susanna Kearsley is the bestselling author of historical novels such as *The Winter Sea*, *The Shadowy Horses*, and *Mariana*. Her books have been translated into more than 20 languages and have sold more than 5 million copies worldwide. She lives in Canada with her husband and two children.

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