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Melissa says

I really enjoyed A Wild Goose Chase Christmas. Even though it took me a while to finish, because of being busy, I found I kept thinking about it and wanting to find out what happened next.

I thought the characters were realistic and well-developed. I probably related most to Izzy and my favorite character was most likely Max.

One of the quotes I liked from the book is "So many people spend their lives chasing possessions and status; they forget what really matters: the love of our Lord and the love of family."

Overall, I think A Wild Goose Chase Christmas is a great read and would recommend it.

Dawn says

What a fun quick read! I found the characters delightful and the search for answers in the story of the quilt to be a fun ride.

Veronica says

A cute love story about the importance of family and legacy! This is part of a series called Quilts of Love, written by different authors and all featuring quilts.

Izzy Fontaine's grandmother has just died and she has inherited a Wild Goose Chase pattern quilt passed down through generations of her family, along with a cryptic message about a possible treasure. Her mother and brother normally drive her crazy and their interest in the treasure only makes her relationship with them more strained. But someone has a prior claim to it, Max Logan, a museum curator who was promised the quilt by her grandmother for an exhibit. He was told there were diaries from the women who worked on the quilt and as they try to figure out where her grandmother hid them, they start to fall for each other. But can she really trust his interest in her or is he just after the quilt too?

This was a light read about knowing what a real treasure is and loving your family no matter how they act. Izzy had to put up with quite a lot and... see the rest here: <http://shopgirl152ny.blogspot.com/201...>

Ausjenny says

I have to say I loved this book. I can relate to the death of a love one at present and at one stage I was reading this while attending the cricket (in the breaks) and said I have to stop reading books they make me cry. There was a section about Christmas that touched me as I could identify with the situation and it brought tears. This also is the mark of a good author who can create emotions in a reader. Izzy was a carer for her grandmother

and they had a close relationship, after she passes away Izzy receives a gift of a quilt that her grandmother hopes will bring the family together. Max thought the quilt was his and lets Izzy know he thinks its his. Learning the secrets of the quilt and what it means has much more value than some would think. Lovely book and a great book to read for Christmas.

Carol says

My Christmas in July reading continues with the story about how a quilt can bring a family together. The quilt is given to Izzy by Virgil after her grandmother's death, along with a letter that says if the family is to come together, it will be Izzy that can do it. Max Logan, curator of the California Pioneer Museum, says that the quilt was promised to him for a display. Izzy's brother, thinking that the quilt holds the key to a fortune, refuses to let it go. When Janice, Izzy's mother, always quarrelsome, breaks her leg and has to move in with Izzy the resulting fussing is enough to drive Izzy over the edge. And Max seems to be interested in more than the quilt. Through a series of letters and from-the-grave gifts, the family finds the greatest treasure in the world.

Leigh says

This book was ok & an easy read. I think I was just expecting more & it never really delivered. I was intrigued by the idea of a special heirloom quilt with some mystery to it. And i was even more interested when it was revealed the quilt had been made by many different women over time. But I didn't feel like the author selves into that story. I wanted to know about the women who'd made it & how it was passed from one to the next & who eventually put it all together. But she never really went there. I just felt like I was waiting for something bigger the whole time. The story was fine but she could have done so much more.

Andrea Cox says

by Andrea R. Cox

A Wild Goose Chase Christmas was a gift I received this past Christmas. The premise was intriguing, and I was excited to read it, but I had no idea it would contain such an entertaining and just-plain-fun adventure. Jennifer ALee is a new author for me, but I have a feeling this won't be the last of her books I'll read. Her writing style is spunky, creative, and provides hours of enjoyment. If you haven't yet tried her novels, I suggest you begin with A Wild Goose Chase Christmas.

Lorraine says

SUMMARY: Upon her grandmother's death, Izzy Fontaine finds herself in possession of a Wild Goose Chase pattern quilt that supposedly leads to a great treasureA quilt, a secret message, a dog, and a possible treasure make for an unforgettable Christmas!Of course, once the rest of the family finds out about the

"treasure map," they're determined to have a go at the treasure themselves. And, if that weren't enough, Max Logan, a local museum curator, contacts Izzy and says that Grandma Isabella promised him the quilt. A quilt, a secret message, a dog, and a possible treasure make for an unforgettable Christmas! What is it about this quilt that makes everyone want it? Is Izzy on a wild goose chase of her own, or a journey that will lead her to the treasure her grandmother intended?

REVIEW: This is my first Jennifer Ailee and first Quilts of Love book. Although this is part of the Quilts of Love series it is very readable as a stand alone. The story line was wonderful; and I love how Izzy's grandmother brought her and Max as well as her family together through the clues and different things she left them upon her death. The memories that the quilt pieces brought back to Izzy, her brother and her mom was also a nice note. Definitely a read for anyone who likes an inspirational Christmas romance with moments that will bring you to laughter and others than will leave you in tears. Look forward to reading more from the Quilts of Love series.

FAVORITE QUOTES: "We've never been a Norman Rockwell kind of family!"

Lindsey (Books for Christian Girls) says

About this book:

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Series: Part of the "Quilts of Love" line, but not connected to any other book.

Spiritual Content- Set during Christmas time; A couple Scriptures are read & quoted; Prayers & Blessings over food; Talks about God; 'H's are not capital when referring to God; Mentions of God & Jesus; Mentions of prayers, praying, & a prayer chain; Mentions of Heaven & eternal life; Mentions of churches, church going, & a pastor; Mentions of Christmas songs & worship songs; A few mentions of faiths; A couple mentions of thanking God; A couple mentions of blessings & being blessed; A couple mentions of a Christmas school; A mention of a miracle;

*Note: A couple mentions of Santa Claus; A mention of the spiritual significance of arrowheads.

Negative Content- Minor cussing including: a 'confound it', a 'doggone', an 'idiot', a 'shoot', and three 'stupid's; A few mentions of curses (said, not written); Sarcasm & Eye rolling; Mentions of a car accident & death (it's unknown if the lady was trying to kill herself or if she just lost control, barely-above-not-detailed); Mentions of pain & injuries (barely-above-not-detailed); Mentions of gambling, a fraud, creditors, & being ripped off; Mentions of a father walking out on his family; A few mentions of a police officer killed in the line of duty; A few mentions of lies & lying; A few mentions of jealousy; A mention of blackmail; A mention of drinking too much; A mention of a groan that sounds like a dying animal (it's not);

*Note: Mentions of movies, actors, & actresses; Mentions of car brands; A few mentions of Disney, Nickelodeon, & YouTube; A couple mentions of designers; A mention of Starbucks; A mention of PBS.

great treasure. Will this lead them all on a wild goose chase, or will it lead to the treasure her grandmother intended?

A WILD GOOSE CHASE CHRISTMAS is a totally cute romance set during the Christmas season. Izzy and Max are at odds over the quilt, and at times they both got a little rude, but their overriding good natures usually won out. I thoroughly enjoyed this Christmassy read and recommend it to anyone who loves a good contemporary romance and a Christmas story.

I couldn't help but care for Izzy as her whole life is thrown into a tails spin with her grandmothers death and the following events. I loved the way her grandmother found ways to communicate with her after her death (and not in weird supernatural ways, but very real ways). Max too was real, with his own dreams and goals that life had a way of messing with. If you are looking for a good Christmas book, pick up A WILD GOOSE CHASE CHRISTMAS. \$12.99. 224 pages.

Connie N. says

#2 in the Quilts of Love series

This was a lovely holiday romance with an uplifting Christian theme. Izzy is worried about the holidays since her beloved grandmother recently died. However, she starts receiving notes and gifts from her grandmother, first a quilt and then a necklace and a series of diaries. With each gift, there's a note and a bit of a mystery for her to solve. It's cute that the quilt in question has the Wild Goose Chase design since Gran sends Izzy on a bit of a chase to understand her message. Although she is not close to her mother or brother, they become involved in the mystery and help her out a little. And she is forced to ask for help from Max Logan, the museum director who claims that Gran donated the quilt to him for his upcoming display. There are some sweet moments, a light and easy style that was easy and nice to read, and I found this the perfect hopeful opposite to a depressing book that I just finished yesterday. I will continue with this series, which I find interesting because each book has a different author working around the same theme, using the tagline "Every quilt has a story."

Jen. says

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So cute! Quick paced, easy to read, loveable characters! Definitely recommend!

Debbie says

"A Wild Goose Chase Christmas" By Jennifer ALee gets five stars from Me. This novel is Book 2 in the "Quilts of Love" series, but can be read as a stand alone. I was hooked from the front page.

This story is a story about the greatest treasure in life which is faith and love. This story centers around Thanksgiving and Christmas but it is a story that can be enjoyed year round!

Izzy's grandmother dies and then an elderly gentleman shows up at her house with a gift from her grandmother. It is a quilt. And then Max shows up looking for his grandfather. Then the mystery thickens for

Max claims that Isabella, the grandmother, promised him the quilt. Mysterious notes and clues keep showing up for them to find out what is so special about this Wild Goose Quilt.

Almost from the beginning, Max and Lizzy are attracted to each other but are afraid to let the other know. Max wants the quilt for an exhibit but Lizzy's mother and brother are against her letting him borrow it. They are sure it is very valuable and it is but is it monetary?

This novel is about a family that has relationships problems and misunderstanding, and Isabella wants the quilt to bring healing to the family and wants Izzy and Max to fall in love! Does her plan work?

I was given a free copy of this book by Abingdon Press Fiction for my honest review to be in the 2013 Christmas Blog Tour!

Lisa Carter says

I really love the characters in A Wild Goose Chase Christmas. Izzy is a delight. Virgil is the grandfather we all wish we had. Who wouldn't fall in love with a gentleman like Max? This is a fun, light romance set around the Christmas holiday.

It also contains two other things I adore—a treasure hunt and a quilt.

The second in the Quilts of Love series, Jennifer AILee has another home run with a delightful tale reminding us all of what we should hold most dear.

And Bogie, the Jack Russell terrier, will have you longing for a dog just like him.

Margaret Chind says

scheduled: <http://creativemadnessmama.com/blog/2...>
