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The DNA evidence should have made the rape a slam dunk case...

But after the evidence disappeared from a police locker, the black man accused of brutally raping a popular actor's daughter walked free. Hired by the actor, private eye Dan Reno's job seemed simple enough: discover who took the DNA, and why. Problem is, from the beginning of the investigation, neither Reno, the South Lake Tahoe police, nor anyone else have any idea what the motivation could be to see ghetto thug Duante Tucker get away with the crime. Not even Reno's best friend, fellow investigator Cody Gibbons, has a clue.

When Reno and Gibbons tail Tucker, they learn the rapist is linked to various criminals and even a deserter from the U.S. Marine Corps. But they still can't tell who would want him set free, and for what reason?

Things get murkier when Tucker visits an Arabic restaurant whose owners are suspected terrorists. Then Cody's ex-boss, a San Jose police captain, is found to be dallying with Tucker's sister.

The clues continue to build until Reno and Cody find themselves targeted for death. That tells Reno he's getting close, so he and Gibbons put the pedal to the metal. The forces of evil are running out of time, and the action reaches a boiling point before an explosive conclusion that reveals a sinister plot and motivations that Reno never imagined.

Hard Prejudice Details

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Karen Bullock says

Impressive

Even though this book appears to be number 5 in a series, it is apparent that it can be read as a stand alone. I Enjoyed the decent clue building storyline, which just encourages the reader to keep going. I found it to be fast paced, with a multitude of characters parading through the pages, there was no confusion as to who was who & their pivotal role in the story. An excellent mystery!

Rachel says

Well what a series this has been so far and I can't believe we are now on book five. I have enjoyed each book featuring Dan Reno and it would be difficult to pick a favourite. Even though Hard Prejudice is part of a series I would still class it as a standalone as the characters history is weaved into this story easily which helps to avoid any confusion. However what I will say is that all of the books are worth reading and you will obviously get a deeper background on the characters if you do start at the beginning.

As ever Dan and Cody find themselves in trouble but they work so well as a team that it really makes this book all the more exciting. In this story both Dan and Cody are hired to find a rapist, as you would expect with this storyline there is going to be some darker content. It definitely provides an edge along with a tense and action packed plot that I have come to expect from this series.

The pacing was pretty good and at times very fast paced, there were parts where I was glued to my kindle as Dan and Cody found themselves right in the thick of it. In Hard Prejudice danger and trouble finds Dan Reno but what a story it makes!

Four stars from me!

With thanks to Sarah at Bloodhound Books for my copy. This is my honest and unbiased opinion.

Sarah says

Whilst Hard Prejudice may be the fifth book in the series, it reads easily as a stand alone.

Dan and Cody have really grown on me through this series. They are like family and I can see quite a difference, in Dan especially, since the first book. Whilst Cody is still very much enjoying the single life, Dan is settling down thanks to the lovely Candi.

I won't lie, some parts make for uncomfortable reading. A storyline to do with rape is never going to be an easy one. Whilst we get to see some of the devastation it leaves in its wake for the victim and her family, the story very much centres on Dan and Cody trying to find the culprit as well as the people behind fiddling with the evidence in the trial.

The case really takes some unexpected twists and turns that keeps the reader on their toes. I enjoyed how the author plays with us so things aren't quite as straight forward as they seem.

Hard Prejudice is a slightly more sombre addition to the series due to the nature of the story line. Packed to the brim with tension and action, Hard Prejudice makes for a thrilling and adrenaline fuelled read.

My thanks to Bloodhound Books and NetGalley for an advanced readers copy of this book. All opinions are my own and not biased in anyway.

Cathy Geha says

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Dan Reno #5

Dan Reno, Private Investigator, is a man who takes cases many would not. He always goes in with good intentions but often finds himself up against some tough customers. Cody Gibbons, a friend from high school and also a PI, often ends up working with Dan on the same case. Having only read this and the previous book in the series I have to say that I am hooked. Sure, there is violence and some might consider some actions questionable but when it comes down to it Dan does have a moral compass and does "feel" when he is required to do something that he wishes had not been necessary to sustain his own or a loved one's life.

This book hits close to home for me...in more ways than one. I know the places mentioned in the book and have driven through more than one of them. I remember the riots that in Los Angeles that were mentioned. I have lived in countries in the Middle East that have been impacted by war, bombs and strife and understand the fear of this reaching into and being experienced by those living in the West.

Dan and Cody are asked to find out who "lost" evidence in a trial. The trial was one in which a sadistic rapist got off due to the loss of the DNA that was necessary for conviction. While searching for the person responsible trips are taken to various cities in California and research is also carried out in Tahoe. There are car chases, shootouts, corrupt cops, prostitutes, gangsters, drug dealers, possible jihadists, explosions and other violence that occurs but throughout it all I was aware of the true friendship between Dan and Cody that is as close as if not closer than that of many brothers.

I think one of the main takeaways for me is that evil people are everywhere in the world and they no doubt always will be. There is no one cause for their being in the world or a solution for eradication of them. The fact that Dan and Cody and some of their friends, acquaintances and colleagues deal with such people and come out scathed but still positive makes for a solid story worth reading. I look forward to reading more by this author in the future.

Thank you to NetGalley and Bloodhound Books for the ARC – This is my honest review.

5 Stars

Kathi Defranc says

A wonderful, timely story of private investigator Dan Reno and his pal Cody Gibbons, as they take a case

about a young woman who is viciously raped and brutalized by a man who then goes free at trial. The witnesses for the prosecution changed story or disappeared , and the DNA evidence, a point blank proof of the man's involvement, was somehow removed from the police lock-up. The father of the woman hires Dan and Cody to find out who assisted the perpetrator. As their investigation unfolds there is a second plot mixed into this in which heroin and C2 (explosion device) are involved. The characters are great, we follow awesome scenes in which conversation is real and sites well-described. This is a fast moving story that is easy to read and keeps your interest from start to finish. I love all the Dan Reno stories!

Alicia says

My first book by this author and I'll surely be back to catch up on more of Dan & Cody's previous encounters! Such awesome characters and the comfortable relationship they have is clearly one with a colorful past. This is an awesome book for any crime/action lovers out there that kept me sucked in from page one. Never a dull moment, great characters.. a tough one to put down!

Leigh says

Dan Reno is a tough-guy private eye, who teams up with side-kick Cody Gibbons to investigate a serious miscarriage of justice.

Sadly, and although I usually like this genre (and I *did* read to the end), I never really got into this book. It seemed to be full of race, breasts, and testosterone, which just got wearing for me. There were also two bizarre re-tellings of real-life events, (neither of which seemed to add anything to the story), and a weird political-philosophical brain-dump in the epilogue.

I wanted to like it more.

Heather Osborne says

Ah, Dan Reno, how I adore you stories (and not just because of the setting, being a California girl myself)! I've been keeping up with the Dan Reno novels since Stateline, but this is the first time I've been on the blog tour for one! Although it can be read as a standalone, it definitely helps to know the background of Private Investigator Dan Reno, so definitely start with the first book. As always, Stanton does not disappoint. From beginning to end, I was completely hooked. The characters may seem a bit over the top at times, but it works. Also, Stanton clearly knows his locations as everything is described accurately. I absolutely cannot wait for the next novel!

Donna Maguire says

<https://donnasbookblog.wordpress.com/...>

I really enjoyed this book, I have read all of the books in the series so far (it is a very good series by the way) and this is probably my favourite!

Whilst it is the fifth book in the series, you can easily read it as a stand alone, but if you do get the chance to read the other books I'd definitely recommend them!

The storyline in this one is tough and not everyone will enjoy it but I thought it was a well put together story, I really enjoyed the characters and I thought the whole book was excellent and I was gripped by the plot.

4.5 stars from me rounded up to 5 stars for Goodreads and Amazon!

Mary says

Dan's girlfriend had to go out of town a few weeks for her job. Cody was in town for the job he and Dan were both hired for and stayed at Dan's. A young White girl was brutally raped and beaten by a Black man. His trial should've been a slam dunk until both eye witnesses were no shows and the DNA evidence disappeared from the Police evidence room. They find not only police corruption, but drug gangs and their lives threatened. Keeps you intent to the last page.

Lisa Hobbs says

Super awesome book

Wonderful book by my new favorite author. This Dan Reno series is exceptional in that every book is outstanding and shows no sign of slowing.

Hazel says

I haven't read any of the other books in this series so started reading worrying whether coming in at book number 5 was a mistake I am happy to say ... it wasn't ... it can easily be read as a standalone.

Well written at great pace with action and intrigue aplenty, this book is great. It does deal with the uncomfortable subject of rape and, I have to warn you, there is a particularly grim and disturbing section but this can't be avoided and helps to put you in the mindset of the main characters of Dan and Cody who go to great lengths to get justice.

This is a gritty read that pulls no punches and I would most definitely recommend to anyone who enjoys a a book that has non-stop action.

Thank you to Bloodhound Books for my copy in return for an unbiased review.

Judy Churchill says

For the genre, this was a good book. There were just enough characters to make the story interesting without overwhelming the reader. Action? Yes! Dan Reno killed at least eight villains and was nearly killed several times himself. As a bonus, most of the story takes place in beautiful South Lake Tahoe where we have spent

lots of time. Thank you Dave Stanton for another action packed story!

Jacqueline Murphy says

Another adventure from PI Dan Reno and his side kick Cody, loving this series, this case had them stumped, between rape, drugs, shoot outs, bombs, Taliban, Al Qaeda, it had everything that a good mystery should, well done Dave Staunton, I'll look forward to #6 ?

Many thanks to Bloodhound Books & Netgalley for giving me the opportunity to review in exchange for my honest opinion.

Between The Pages Book Club (Gemma M) says

Happy Publication Day! Hard Prejudice is book five in the brilliant Dan Reno series. I have been enjoying this series from the start and would highly recommend this whole series to you all. This series is best read in order.

It was great to be back in Dan's world alongside Cody working with him aswell. Its been fun watching them both work and grow together throughout the series. Will they catch the rapist? Fast paced, thrilling story. Loved reading this one. It does contain long chapters though! It is a tough story to read in certain parts, with dark scenes as the story is dealing with a rape... Nevertheless, I still enjoyed reading this story and look forward to the final chapter of this series.
