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The Measure Of A Heart (Women Of The West Book #6)





Synopsis

A new look for this Janette Oke novel. Everyone says Anna Trent is a woman of worth, but she struggles to see that in herself.

Book Information

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Customer Reviews

I haven't read the author Jannet Oke for many years. My mother introduced me to her books. Living with her parents Anna always went to church on Sundays. One Sunday the Pastor announced that he and his wife were to retire and they were looking for a new Pastor to replace them. At the time Austin was still going to school. As years did pass Austin did pass with high honors. He had invited Anna to come to his service. Anna didn't understand why he chose her to be there. After the ceremony Austin approached Anna and asked her out for dinner. Austin finally asked Anna to marry him. She quietly accepted and Austin had the approval of Anna's father. But what concerned Anna was she would fall short of what a Minister's wife should be.Austin was assigned to a little town not many people but they had their work cut out for them. I will stop here but so many objects get in there way. Mrs. Paxton for one, the building that was about to collapse, Anna's questioning her right

to be a Minister's wife and much more. Try it you will like it. Hopeà Â^‰

I did not think this book was interesting at all. I found that the lack of details and story telling made it boring. So many continuity details were missed. The characters were very flat. I find it hard to believe that anyone would spend 4 years just thinking almost exclusively about converting people and so little on everyday life. I could not identify with Anna at all and her husband was such a background character I felt like I never really got to know him. such a strange thing that so many people love this book.

I originally heard this story narrated on the radio many years ago as a young teenager. I fell in love with it then, but eventually forgot about it until I saw the book here in and the memories started flooding in. Ordered, read, and fell in love all over again. The characters are so real and genuine, their expressions and emotions so relatable, and the story so endearing. The Measure of a Heart is a wonderful story, and I highly recommend it!

Excellent writing both from a historical perspective and character. These are supposed to be fictional stories, but they surely must be based on actual experience either of the author or friends and family. Pleasureful reading for my wife especially and as she shares these stories, they have real depth, not just a shallow soap opera.

An amazing perspective of why we're here on earth and what we can give back to our Maker and fellow men. The main character finally figures out her worth and instead of feeling inadequate, she learns to accept what God has given her and use her talents for His good.

I so enjoyed this book! I found it most encouraging in my own spiritual walk with JESUS!!! This book would be so encouraging for any age of the female race.

My mother in law and I began reading Oke's books many years ago, and they are still being read by our generations! Positive values presented, wholesome characters and believable plots. May You Enjoy them as we have.

I am currently serving a mission. I share much of Anna's feelings and personality. It was revealing to see myself portrayed. It helped me realize that never recognizing or even denying your own self

worth is neither humility nor real life. We must find the path between pride and humility and become a force for good in all areas of our lives. "Cast out fear" and go forward. Anna did that and helps me to continue forward. I would recommend it to anyone who either shares that mind set or knows anyone who does.

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