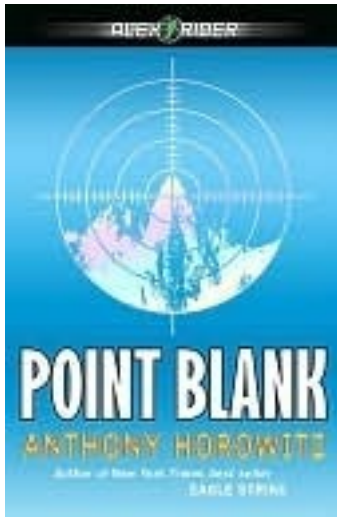

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Description

When an investigation into a series of mysterious deaths leads agents to an elite prep school for rebellious kids, MI6 assigns Alex Rider to the case. Before he knows it, Alex is hanging out with the sons of the rich and powerful, and something feels wrong. These former juvenile delinquents have turned well-behaved, studious—and identical—overnight. It's up to Alex to find out who is masterminding this nefarious plot, before they find him.

Insightful reviews

Trisha: This is the second Alex Rider book that I've read and been completely surprised by how much I like it.

Alex's initial stunt to get him back in everyone's radar shocked me! What was he thinking.

But from there, although I had reservations about how his assignment was possible to pull off, I think the story did a great job of pulling us through.

The end wasn't a huge surprise but it was action packed and full of adventure. I look forward to reading more of the series.

Angie: I loved this one even more than the first. Alex once again is thrown into a dangerous situation by the increasingly nasty and hateful Alan Blunt. This time he is sent undercover to a school in the French mountains.

The story is exciting and I think that both adults as well as kids will love it. I like the character of Alex, so resourceful and thinking fast on his feet. I've already got book 3 on its way.

Sarah: This is the book that got me hooked on the Alex Rider series. Anthony Horowitz was so clever in making up this story. How he made it sound realistic but I also think it was a bit science fiction-ish but I liked that about it. When a crazy scientist makes clones of himself and replaces sons of multimillionaires with them it sounds impossible right? But not for Anthony Horowitz.

Hunter M: within the moment e-book of the series, Alex Rider, 14, will get known as by means of MI6 once more and is going on one other undercover agent mission. He is going to an academy for the great wealthy teenagers which are rebels and get into trouble. The oldsters of the wealthy young children are large wealthy and strong leaders round the world. He basically suits in with James Sprintz, yet ultimately James additionally will get became Dr. Grief's clone. Alex attempts to get the entire info he can prior to he will get his existence installed jeopardy. He is going in this loopy event that places his lifestyles at risk time and again and but makes it out alive! This ebook really exhibits Alex's braveness and should to stay in events most folks would not stay through. I'd certainly suggest this publication to a teenage boy since it has all of the motion they

prefer and the entire cool devices and such. i would not suggest this to teenage girls, they would not be as because the teenage boys could be. This used to be a very strong book.

Mckell: I seriously enjoyed this book! totally thrilling, this publication was once the proper sequel to the 1st book, hurricane Breaker. The plot during this booklet used to be ridiculously good done. before everything the plot turns out effortless to predict, simply because Anthony Horowitz supplies tricks of information. After studying into this ebook a bit, i assumed needless to say I had the plot figured out. The plot had such a lot of tricky twists and turns in it. throughout the authors distinct writing style, he was once capable of pull off outrageous plot twists with no confusion. This used to be comprehensive time and again in the course of the booklet via cleverly weaving in information, and the characters' motives. Even in spite of everything if you imagine the journey is over, you're stuck off safeguard with extra excitement. the single factor i did not quite deal with used to be the large references to drugs, alcohol, and unlawful conduct. there have been a few occasions I felt that those references extra to the realism of the book, in the end Alex does move less than conceal as a rebellious teen. even though I felt it was once somewhat extensive. total notwithstanding this used to be an excellent book. i might certainly suggest it to motion and event lovers.

An Odd1: element Blanc is the snowy mountain top university for bothered boys the place MI6 sends Alex Rider 14. Deduct 1 big name for now not punishing Fiona's homicide makes an attempt and cohorts. three times. (view spoiler)[Boyfriends shoot at him. In educate tunnel he saves her. She starts off to show him to enemy, so he has to discharge his merely adult-size weapon p 113. may he now not have tackled her with a nerve pinch? Why could Potter publication be in his hand? (hide spoiler)] while she deals her lips, "frankly, i would wish to kiss the horse" p 103 is kinder than she deserves. whilst crane is particularly "Liebherr 154 EC-H" p 32 (German for "dear sir"), we all know researchers are at the ball, controls particularly are body-temperature activated. bringing up types will get tiring, particularly uninteresting begin to chapters "Rolls Royce Corniche 6.75 litre V8" p sixty four plush wood-leather luxury. High-tech device from Smithers, explosive gold ear stud p 110, doesn't have to be real. no matter if "machine gun .. Belgian FN MAG" or not, nonetheless "would lower him in half" p230. Villains, flat boring, glance undesirable consequently are bad. (Mrs - no husband) Eva Stellenbosch is over-muscled country's weight-lifting champion, smokes cigars, pilots helicopters, is downright ugly, so evil. after they in a single day in Paris p 127, Alex is susceptible, might have been operated on, makes me dislike MI6 for loss of safeguards. Alan Blunt is as undesirable as a villain whilst he delays 24 hours, opposed to Mrs Jones' advice. Dr Grief is skinny, ugly, purple spectacles, additionally from South Africa. "Particularly nasty lime eco-friendly dress" p 172 attributes negative gown flavor to criminals. Baxter has "round flabby face with yellow hair and skinny mustache .. bow tie and a checked suit" p 182. wager whose side. "Well-built with black hair, sq. shoulders, and a dark, watchful face .. in his overdue twenties" is -- guess? SAS Wolf, who calls Alex "Cub" p 241. "He needed to circulation - now" p165. "Not too fast" p 175. DNA could foil the plot too easily, by no means mentioned. through pushing pace, we by no means cease to question. (view spoiler)[I disagree that unique scholars more secure imprisoned, chance of hostages or deaths is obvious later. (hide spoiler)] Alex may choose up a gun from disabled guards p 252, yet waits too long, until jammed p 256. Even on the end, we are given clues to a final last danger. whilst i do not see a body, i am suspicious. (view spoiler)[Of "sixteen copies" p 208, they trap "all fifteen" p 262, so the single of Alex himself is free. (hide

spoiler)]I like snappy retorts, in personality for Alex as juvenile delinquent. Breaks up the lengthy grasp plan speech. "You've already acknowledged you are going to kill me .. i did not imagine that intended you have been going to bore me to death" p 204. "If you will have a around of applause, you will have to take off the handcuffs" p 208. Takes brawn and brains to win. (view spoiler)[Snowmobile zooms off ramp to crash Dr Grief's helicopter "Point-blank" p 257. (hide spoiler)]Preview incorporated for sequel "Skeleton Key".

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