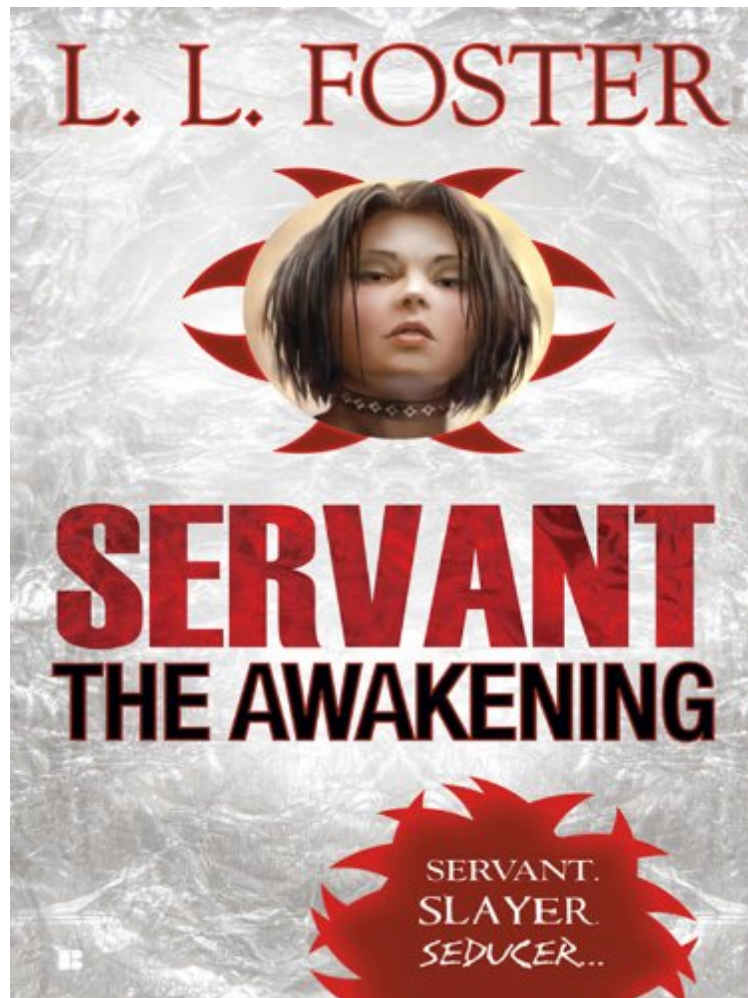


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KundenrezensionenHilfreichste Kundenrezensionen1 von 1 Kunden fanden die folgende Rezension hilfreich. Book 1 of a great new urban fantasy seriesVon S. FischerGaby has grown up a complete outsider since she not only is an orphan, but she also has paranormal abilities that make people fear and dislike her. For as long as she can remember, she could sense evil from afar and see the bad in people. She has unusual strength, speed and fighting skills, but when her ability kicks in, it comes with severe pain and makes her mostly blind to whatever else is going on around her. When she was 17, she met a priest who finally helped her understand that she wasn't mad or evil and from then on she saw her paranormal powers as a gift and duty from god, meant to help her fight evil. But after the priest's death she has been alone, always on the outside and at risk from the law that would see her as a mad killer.At the beginning of 'The

awakening', Gaby has been living in a flat rented from a comicbooks-store owner, Mort. He likes her, but she finds it difficult to let him come close. When a ruthless doctor starts experimenting on cancer patients and uses the victims to commit crimes, Gaby tries to stop this. Mort wants to help her at great risk to himself and in the process they become friends. And another man develops an interest in Gaby: Detective Luther Cross notices her when she teaches a drunk who attacks her in the street a painful lesson, and he soon suspects that she might be involved in a murder - to her the just execution of a child abuser and murderer. But the more he gets to know her, the more attracted he is to her. Trying to keep Mort safe and attracted to Luther but afraid that he might find out about her abilities and illegal activities, Gaby tries to stop the mad doctor - and struggles with her need to let others close while she fears being hurt again - or arrested...This is a great new dark urban fantasy series with an interesting plot and strong characters - from the leads to minor characters. Gaby has been compared to the early Eve Dallas (from J. D. Robb's Death-series), which is quite a compliment. I would agree that she, too, is a strong character with a painful past and a lot of potential for development. Another parallel are the great male lead and the crime plot. But the book is quite original, not a copy of anything else, especially with the paranormal elements and the sense of humour. I enjoyed 'Servant' a lot and would definitely recommend it.

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