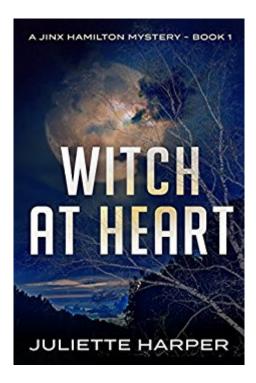
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Witch At Heart: A Jinx Hamilton Witch Mystery Book 1 (The Jinx Hamilton Mysteries)





Synopsis

Jinx Hamilton has been minding her own business working as a waitress at Tomâ [™]s Cafe and keeping up with her four cats. Then she inherits her Aunt Fionaâ [™]s store in neighboring Briar Hollow, North Carolina and learns that her aunt has willed her some special â œpowersâ • as well. They say admitting you have a problem is the first step and Jinx has a major problem. Sheâ [™]s a brand new witch with no earthly clue what that means. Throw in a few homeless ghosts, a potential serial killer, and a resident rat and Jinx is almost at her wit's end. Thankfully she has the unfailing support of her life-long BFF, Tori and it doesn't hurt that there's a hot guy living right next door.

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Customer Reviews

As a huge fan of the Lockwood Legacy series by Juliette Harper, I was a little skeptical of a completely different type of series by this author. Not to worry! Juliette Harper does not disappoint. I was immediately taken with this whole new entourage of characters and the fascinating new concept involving beleaguered ghosts, good witches and a most dapper, charming rat. The dialog is snappy and flows without a hitch. The friendship between the two main characters is to be envied.

Escapism reading at its best. So glad there is another already available and yet another to come!

"Witch at Heart: A Jinx Hamilton Witch Mystery Book 1" by Juliette Harper, is a fun read filled with southern charm. Jinx Hamilton just inherited her Crazy Aunt Fiona's building. It comes with a shop filled with everything under the sun, probably including a kitchen sink, and an apartment full of her stuff. Sad but excited to start this new chapter in her life, Jinx moves into her aunt's apartment, and as she falls asleep thanks her aunt, but also asks her for her "magic" too. Not realizing, the ghost of her aunt would take her seriously, Jinx awakens to find out that she's not just a new business owner, but a witch too. Now, with her best friend Tori in tow, Jinx learns the hard way how to be a witch while trying to solve a murder mystery too. Overall, I really enjoyed this story. Its a mix of coming of age, mystery, and a lot of magic too.

I would recommend this book to all ages from young adult up. The mystery plot is well constructed and believable, the writing style is relaxed and flows naturally. Main characters are relatable, quirky in a good way, and the kind of folks you would enjoy as friends. The witchy part is also not over the top and has enough information casually mentioned that anyone interested could immediately do some intelligent research. Well done, and looking forward to the rest of the series!

What a great writer and great storyteller! Grabs you right off. Jinx is left a store by her Aunt Fiona when she passes that has some magical properties. Add in a very smart rat, a absolutely best-est BFF in the whole wide world and new skills as a witch that her ghostly aunt passes on to her, and oh - that's right a serial killer, ghosts and an awesome cat loving hunky guy next store, and you have a smart, funny and creative story line! Add into the mix a few ghosts, her 4 prankster cats ... oh just read the books and find out for yourself!

No doubt this series will develop nicely. Set-up for future books is all there. But reading the sample for Bk 2 left me not wanting to give it the time to read it. Most interesting character in Bk 1 is the cousin. Maybe she will have more to do in future when she is a full-time resident.

I'm new I was going to enjoy this book after the first few pages; I wasn't sure just how much until the end. While reading I kept talking about it with friends and couldn't help describing it as a mix between paranormal fiction, murder mystery, and Disney (minus the singing). The whimsy and wit and humor make this such a fun read. The smoothness of the plot unfolding was handled really well; and even the transitional scenes added a wonderful little hint to smaller stories plots that will be worked through in later books. My only real gripe was the mystery part. There were really only two or three people that could have been the villain of the piece and it wasn't really that surprising when we found out. I hope that there might be a bit more subterfuge in the other books. I definitely recommend this for anyone who loves paranormal mysteries with wit and humor.

I loved this book about Jinx's inheritance of her Aunt Fiona's store and magic! Her best friend, Tori, is a great side-kick, and I am looking forward to her moving to the community permanently. The seriousness of the murder topic (a serial killer killing young girls) was fascinating because we got to know one of the ghosts victim quite well. And as her magic abilities increased, Jinx and Tori were amazingly accepting and went about researching her abilities. No doubt that it was real-a total acceptance of witchcraft and all the amazing things that went along with her inheritance. The story was captivating and well written. It is suitable for all ages, and it certainly makes me want to read the rest of the books in the series! I would have to say this is the most believable witchcraft book I have ever read. Now I wish I had an Aunt Fiona!

This is a well written book with likeable characters. It's about a single girl who inherits a shop from her "crazy" aunt who has some special powers, as does the shop...and as she soon finds out, so does she. The book revolves around solving some murders to help the victims' ghosts feel at peace and get on with their ghost lives. To help her is her best friend since birth. A romance is budding with her neighbor which I'm sure will continue to grow with future series, as will her magical abilities. This is a fun, light, enjoyable read...good for YA 's and beyond.

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