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With her hand in marriage and the security of her beloved Haverleigh at stake, Lady Gwyneth is desperate. So when she comes upon a young man who might be the solution to her predicament, she does not hesitate to act, though it means entering into a dangerous deceit and inviting a thief into her castle.

All Gavin has known is a life of lawless poverty. Left for dead and taken in by a very young, very determined lady, he has little choice but to entertain her request. Posing as a squire, he begins to train the farmers and craftsmen of Haverleigh in the art of combat. In doing so, Gavin begins to know a far different life—and to crave *all* it has to offer.

As Haverleigh is secured through their labor and collusion, sparks fly between Gwyneth and her thief. In a moment of rash indiscretion, a kiss nearly undoes them both. Love between a lady and a thief is unthinkable...unless the truth can remain hidden.

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Yanmei says

A thief comes into gwtneht's room and she hire him to help her keep people from stealing her family's things as a favor for her saving him. In the process they both fall in love for each other but will it be enough in order for them to be together?

Courtney says

I actually liked this one quite a bit, but I wish things were easier for the two of them. There are so many things they need to overcome to be together.

Verena says

Very cheesy and cute, a middle ages romance you can swoon for!

Kelli says

Typical so so writing. You don't really care much about the characters because the historical value isn't evoked very well. Gavin is incredibly annoying too, so for a romance, you don't really want them to fall in love.

These avon books are addicting, and not really written well..but strangely I read almost all of them in high school

Janis says

I liked all the main characters in this book--their actions and feelings were believable, although the ending was a little too tidy. I'm not complaining, though, because it was the ending I hoped for so the characters could have their hearts desire. After all, what kind of romance would it be if the characters didn't have a happy ending?

Rebecca says

Gwyneth is just fifteen years old, but with her mother and brother dead, and her father ill, the responsibility of running her family's estate, Haverleigh, has fallen to her. Baron DeVilliers, who owns the neighboring estate, has made no secret of his wish to marry Gwyneth so that Haverleigh can be his. Gwyneth would do almost anything to avoid marrying such a despicable man. When she finds an unconscious thief in the woods, she decides that he is the answer to her problems. Gavin is not much older than her, but has lived his

whole life in poverty. Gwyneth blackmails him into posing as a squire and training the men of Haverleigh to fight. Gavin reluctantly gives in to her plan. But neither Gwyneth nor Gavin expects the feelings of love that begin to grow between them. I highly recommend this Medieval romance to teenagers who enjoy historical romance, as well as older readers who enjoy sweet romances.

Lucinda says

Read this way back, got it at Wal-Mart on a lark. I loved it, it was an easy read, as well as having a good storyline and a really likeable heroine. ^_^

I'm actually on my second copy of it, since I loaned my first copy to my sister and her puppy ate it. Oh well, at least she got me a new one.

Lierin Patterson says

This book is about a young girl, named Gwyneth, who must take control of her father's household while he is taken ill. She is faced with choosing the man who would take over her father's estate either by marriage or force or trust in a thief to help her protect her land.

I like this book because it is clean romance. The story is well developed in its characters and is fast paced. I enjoyed the fast pace and the style of the writing. For me, this was a good fantasy/medieval romance.

Laura says

Your typical teen historical romance novel. It has your fearless heroine, somewhat elusive hottie, and villain.

Carol Storm says

Best YA Medieval I have ever read -- a really brave heroine and the cutest thief ever!

Margaret Moore has written dozens of Harlequin Historicals, but it's amazing how much sexual tension she put into this YA Medieval. There's an intriguing reversal in that Gavin the tough young thief is actually "imprisoned" under lock and key in the pretty young damsel's castle! It's a subtle, but almost dream-like tension between them, like when he rattles the locked door trying to get out, and Gwyneth can hear his hoarse and heavy breathing, and after a while he gives up and falls back into bed. And he's dreaming about her before he knows it!

Amanda [Novel Addiction] says

Amusing enough. Read as a medieval romance for my 2017 romance reading challenge.

Margaret says

My friend recommended I read this for fun and it was a fun light read. Mostly cheesy, but kind of cute. It was very predictable, I had guessed the whole story after reading the title. I'd say it was an okay book that's definitely fit for it's advertised age group.

Nicole Serrano says

Gwyneth is now in the forest and has encounter the thieves. The other thieves have deserted Gavin and Gwyneth said that since she is christian she is entitled to help him even if he is a thief. She then decides that to protect her kingdom from the devilliers who want to take over land by marriage she has made a deal with the thief that if he teaches her common men how to fight and until then he has to stay in the castle and act as if he is a squire from sir Henry and he was robbed at the forest. Gavin from Inverlea is his new identity. Slowly Gwentyth falls for Gavin. The king advisor doesn't like taking orders from Gwyneth who is only 17 so he often goes to the DeVilliers and informs them of whatever Gwyneth is doing so basically he is a traitor. Gavin later has his thief friends spying on him and they go to the DeVilliers to inform that Gavin is not a squire for money in return. The Gavin sacrifices his freedom for Gwyneth's need when her kingdom run dangerously low on food they both completely head over heels in love and finally her kingdom is challenged by the men of the DeVillers and Gwyneth doesn't want to except but all the men with great love for Gwyneth and don't want her to marry the DeVillier's son so they with honor accept the challenge they end up winning and in the end Gavin earns his honor back and goes to become a knight or a squire to be worthy enough of Gwyneths hand in marriage.

Shantelle says

I don't know. Just not exactly the book I enjoy so much. *Gwyneth and the Thief* had an interesting enough story, and I wasn't bored through it; but there were just some things in it that didn't settle so well with me. I guess when I'm seeing more and more what truly makes a beautiful love story and marriage, these cheap romances don't appeal so much to me. Like, he was so physically attractive, especially with his shirt off! And, we can go as far as we want physically, because we're in love(!), that justifies everything! Then there's, your parents did it, so whatever, go ahead. I don't know. There wasn't really any inappropriate scenes as much as inappropriate implications. But it just falls empty for me, makes me a little sick inside. A love story written by God is EVER SO MUCH more beautiful!! ?

Christina says

I have no idea why I held onto *Gwyneth and the Thief* for so long, especially since I can clearly remember reading it. It's awful, completely bad. Gavin and Gwyneth are so bad together it's painful. The story is disjointed and out of character for the time period, and the ending it too tidily wrapped up to be believable.

Let me put it this way, I'm so glad my mom accidentally "returned" Gwyneth and the Thief to the library.
