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Book 1 of THE TRIALS OF KIT SHANNON by James Scott Bell, a Christy Award winner. Having proved she's a legal success, Kit Shannon again battles injustices found in Los Angeles, the city she has come to love. She now takes up the cause of a society woman who fears her dark past will be exposed. Ted Fox renews his dreams of flying when he is called to New York to pursue air travel's future. But when he is arrested for treason, not only are his plans for marriage thwarted, but his very life is at stake. Kit's pursuit of justice has never been so important--or so personal.

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Ginger says

Having read and thoroughly enjoyed the first three in this series some time ago, I was happy to learn there was a 4th, but I was somewhat concerned that it was written without the previous co-author, Tracie Peterson. And since I did not have an e-reader, I was begrudgingly waiting for it to come out in print. Alas, I broke down and got myself a Kindle...and this was my first download!

I enjoyed becoming reconnected with the characters that I had already grown to love. Some may find this type of book "preachy." Others will find it inspiring, comforting, encouraging, and highly entertaining! This is what I was hoping for and it is exactly what I got! I loved this episode (#4), and I can't wait to read the next two!

As a native Californian, immersing myself in early 20th century southern CA is fascinating. Kit Shannon continues to be an interesting and admirable heroine. Supporting characters are believable and entertaining. Houdini's presence, along with his many talents, including his ability to expose "spiritualists" for what they really are, was great fun. The little jiu jitsu diversion was interesting, and the espionage subplot was intriguing!

James Scott Bell... I am a new fan! After finishing this series, I will be interested in reading more of your prolific writing!

Julie Surface says

I enjoyed this piece of historical fiction, set in 1905 Los Angeles. Kit Shannon is a memorable heroine whose determination to find truth and demonstrate it in her world, is commendable. The book is a great reminder of how far women have come in their struggles for equality with men.

Cheryl-Lynn says

This book was good, a little preachy at times but I prefer that to vulgar stuff any day. It takes place in LA in the early 1900's. Kit is a defense lawyer (and until recently the only woman practicing law). I thought I was getting the first book in a series, which is how I prefer to read books by the same author but Bell wrote three previous books with Tracie Petersen that involved Kit Shannon. Had I known this, I would have read them first. I don't know how soon I'll read the other books. I really need a 6 star rating system. I give a lot of books 3's but for me there is a wide range of 3. This would be a solid 3 but not a 3 1/2.

Amy Simon says

Enjoyed it very much. Exciting and interesting without overdoing the drama and angst. She's sort of a female Sherlock Holmes.

Marcelle Scott says

Good storyline great writing.

I recommend this book to all who love truth. For truth is evident even though it is a work of fiction

Randy Tramp says

Kit Shannon, lawyer, fighter of the truth and justice, battles in the Los Angeles courthouse. From the first sentence to the last, this book drew me into a story of intrigue, suspense, and thrill. Kit Shannon ranks near the top of my favorite characters. She's witty, determined, and onry. Add Harry Houdini and the story takes on a magical sense. There were twists and turns I hadn't seen coming. I laughed, felt tension and held my breath at times during the read. If a greater rating than five were available, I'd give it. I can see why this book won the Christy Award, it's a masterpiece. I look forward to the next one in this series.

Jill Bratcher says

Apparently there was an earlier series (co-written by Bell), which I hadn't read, taking the character through Law School and getting into practice. This is book #1 of a new series when she is practicing law in Los Angeles in the early 1900s. (She has gained some notoriety with previous cases.)

It was a quick read. I read it last evening in around 3-4 hours. It kept my interest, and, as expected from a good writer like James Scott Bell, it was a well-written yarn that kept me turning the pages until well after I should have given up for the night and marked my place.

Sort of reminded me of female Perry Mason except she was even more principled about how she handled some things.

There's a very strong (almost a little heavy handed) Christian message in the dialogue and the way Kit handles people. She's almost a little too wise for her years.

Mary says

It was hard for me to get into this story. The first chapter did not have the usual draw. As I got farther into it, it began to be a deeper story. A woman attorney in the early 1900's engaged to disabled newspaper reporter both become involved with less than honest characters. Kit, a Christian, stays as close to her faith as possible in conducting an important murder case. Even though she is pushed to the wall by an aggressive attorney and a judge with favoritism, she follows what she know to be right. Ted, a reporter, gets involved with some Germans pretending to be Americans, but his cautiousness keeps him from allowing them to steal important info. By the end of the story, I decided I did like his writing and might try another in a series about Kit Shannon.

Paula says

Another good Kit Shannon story. She fights for the underdog against the "big" players in Los Angeles.

Karol says

This is the first book in "The Trials of Kit Shannon" series. I did enjoy it. Being a female attorney shortly after the turn of the 20th century was a rarity. I think the author did a fairly good job of describing what that would have been like.

Pam says

female lawyer turn-of-the-century CA (San Francisco?), nice stories #1

Jeni Enjaian says

My suspicions were confirmed. Tracie Peterson was dragging James Scott Bell down in the previous series, dragging the whole series down actually. The dialogue and plot was much more believable. Things seemed a bit more normal.

That being said, Bell was still hindered by things from the previous series, most notably Kit's own character and previous actions. I admire Bell for maintaining a consistent character but at the same time wish that he had been free to create this character in the first place.

Unfortunately, some of the same things that aggravated me about the previous series (the inclusion of sermons and etc) were also present in this book though in much more limited form.

If I had to make a judgment call on whether I was going to keep this book based on this book alone I would probably keep it. However, since it is the first book in a follow up series other things affect my judgment. The first series, thanks to Tracie Peterson, was pretty lousy. Also, I have only the first book of the follow up series. (The other two were misplaced when I loaned them to a friend.) I will not be keeping these books.

Berdine says

This was my first time reading one of James Scott Bell's books. I wasn't sure about a male author for a female protagonist, but all characters were believable humans and the Kit Shannon was presented in a more respectful way than some female writers use for their female leads in historical fiction. This was a great series for christmas break and reading by the fireplace.

Darren says

Excellent! This is the fourth book in the series. Each book gets better and better! The author does an excellent job of adding excitement, mystery, and a wonderful balance of Christianity. This entire series is a must read. Find out how a female lawyer, in the early 1900s, maintains her Christianity while fighting against the views of society. Just because she is a Christian, don't be fold, that doesn't mean boring. The author does an excellent job of maintaining Christian values, while picking your interest! You will not be disappointed! Multi-line text field article, Landmark Double tap to edit.

Zelma says

Good but not as good as his other books. Angels series is better :D
