

Lost and Found (Lost and Found #1) By J.S. Ellis But when an author tries to relate her own book to something else that is fictional.

Given the negative nature of the review I will not post to Amazon or to any social media sites without the author's approval. You will not be disappointed by it 205 Phoebe and Adele two great friends who share an apartment during their university period; completely opposite in their character and way of being. I also thought that the author could have wrapped the book up in one book instead of making it a series as there was a lot in the book that really didn't add to the story and I would have rather read an extra 100 pages than have to read another book. I wasn't invested enough in any of the characters to want to read another book and that actually annoyed me (even though I saw that it was the first in a series - I expected to have some sort of desire to want to read the next book). I felt that the explicit sexual parts of the book didn't really add value to the book (they weren't that vulgar) and could have just rather been alluded to than described in the details that they were. There were some parts in the book that were rather wishy washy had gaps and some parts that didn't seem to fit the story and were more like fillers than adding to the story or the characters. It always pains me to leave a review that is not complimentary but I think that if readers want an intriguing unusual suspenseful book read Theodore: The Neighbours Cat by this author. It started interesting and engaging and had its twists and surprises but it was dragging and slow in parts but I continued reading it because I wanted to know what really happened to Adele. 5 stars but that doesn't mean I won't read part 2 because I really want to know what happened to Adele is she really missing?? 205 I recall that some years ago I watched a TV interview given by the comedian and writer Ben Elton in which he was asked to describe his vision of heaven and hell. Massive collections of vinyl including all of the albums and LPs from his favourite artists plus a whole load of other more obscure offerings that he could spend hours and days slowly browsing through and listening to. Obviously if you're reading this you'll know that Ben Elton was wrong with his vision of a record shop and that heaven would of course have to be the world's biggest bookshop instead. If for instance I have to spend any time in a clothes shop I know even before I go through the door that I'll probably loathe every minute of the experience and look forward only to the time that I can leave. However if you're expecting or at least hoping for something wonderful and just a few specific details or circumstances means that it falls short the sense of disappointment is almost crushing. I was expecting to be drawn right into the lives of the main characters and share their desperation for the truth to be revealed which is exactly what I want from a psychological thriller. Following Adele's disappearance and despite Alan being the person she was last seen with Phoebe spends much of the rest of the book in his company visiting an underground sex club his parents' home and sleeping with him on several occasions. Did she leave voluntarily? Or has something more sinister happened? The young man seems to be concerned but is he really? Highly suspenseful from start to finish this is a real page-turner,

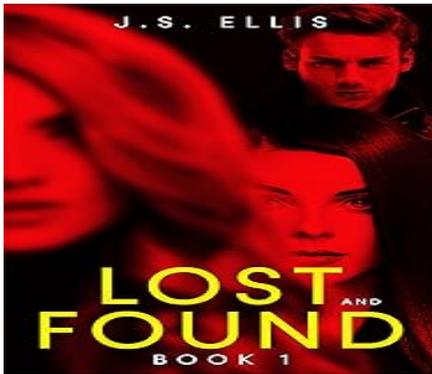
Copies of which both Alan and Adele are found to have among their possessions, It took me a while to realise that the book in question is itself a work of fiction: Relating the plot of a book to a well-known piece of classic literature is something that can be done - albeit it's very difficult to get right, Minette Walters manages to relate the plot of her book 'The Scold's Bridle' to Shakespeare's 'King Lear' with some success. Peter Robinson is rather less successful in attempting to relate his novel 'All The Colours of Darkness' to Shakespeare's 'Othello', So one day I got an email about book two so I ended up looking at it, Lucky I did because the blurb dragged me into this series: I can tell you that this series kept me pulled me into it: I was like on the edge of the seat while reading this: Mixed emotions but overall I really loved this book and I highly recommend this book, Alan a neighbor they both notice Phoebe shares her interest in Alan with Adele.

Which are very clear: Of course it is in my priorities to read the second part. I received it as a free copy to review and left it to the last minute. I wasn't thrilled with the first few chapters as it is

definitely written in a YA style with an adult content. The characters are relatable and as a whole it keeps you reading on. Once your hooked after the first few chapters you won't regret it. I received this book from Voracious Readers Only for a review, 205 Phoebe and Adele are college students sharing an apartment.

I think I've read most of the short stories by J. Ellis but this is the second full length book that I've read by her. While Adele is outgoing and the life of the party Phoebe is introverted and doesn't even go to parties, The cracks in the friendship start to show after Phoebe sees Adele with her crush Alan after having confided in Adele, When it finally comes out that Phoebe is aware of the betrayal Adele tries to make it up to her by including her in many of their plans, Soon it seems as though everything Adele does or doesn't do annoys Phoebe, When Phoebe finds Alan and Adele in Adele's room together she basically loses it, She barges in and throws some of Adele's belongings at her while yelling and screaming, When Adele fails to return both Phoebe and Alan becomes suspects in her disappearance, Although Allen appeared to not like Phoebe at first he suddenly becomes her best friend, Secrets start to come out about all aspects of Adele's life including ones m regarding her other friends, Strange things seem to be happening all over and Phoebe does not know who to trust: All she knows is that her friend is missing and it feels like time is running out for both of them, I did not realize at first that this was a series so now I am anxiously awaiting the second book: Ellis for providing an e-copy of this book for my voluntary review. #booksirens #jsellis #lostandfound 205 Not the greatest but worth reading if you like a slow-burn: I didn't hate this book but I didn't love it either I received an advance review copy for free and I am leaving this review voluntarily: I read Theodore The Neighbour's Cat: The Novel and that is the reason why I decided to read this book, It was somewhat disappointing in that it didn't live up to expectation from the synopsis, Alan Phoebe and Adele - their characters were not adequately developed neither were their relationships: There wasn't enough about them to really justify the way they were portrayed in the book or from the synopsis itself: This book tried really hard to be a psychological thriller but I was not at all intrigued or thrilled for that matter, This author definitely had a better handle on that element in her book 'Theodore: The Neighbours Cat'. I really wanted to love this book as it definitely had the potential to be great, It was very interesting and offers the other characters there point of view of view of the story 205 The first thing I read from J. Ellis was a short story about a cat called Theodore and his owner is a serial killer!!!. Loved it gave it 5 stars and since then there has been a full blown novel about Theodore which I haven't read yet: I received an advance review copy for free and I am leaving this review voluntarily. Adele is a bubbly and carefree person nothing compared to Phoebe which is organized and controlled, Phoebe doesn't stand out and she is rarely someone people take a second glance at. Heaven he answered would be the biggest record shop in the world, Hell he reasoned would be exactly the same except that everything would somehow be a bit rubbish: The stock would be a lot more limited and his favourite album would be missing. Plus his head would be aching his shoes would be hurting and overall what should be a wonderful experience would leave him feeling miserable, But that detail apart I immediately felt that he was onto something. This means that actually if it turns out to not be quite as bad as I was expecting that's a result: And in the worst cases it can linger for hours or even days. Sadly and much as it pains me to say it this brings me to Lost and Found by JS Ellis, I came across this book on BookSirens and was immediately drawn to its description (as a "gripping psychological thriller") and to its blurb. Phoebe and Adele are polar opposites in character but this hasn't stopped them from being friends since childhood and from sharing a flat together at university: But when Adele is spotted sneaking off with their handsome neighbour and then disappears soon afterwards Phoebe is left trying to find clues to Adele's disappearance, And she starts to wonder whether actually she really knew her friend at all ...This suggested to me that the book would be full of mystery and intrigue, But I'm sorry - again - to say that the book didn't live up to its promise: Phoebe is introverted and studious Adele is outgoing and flirtatious, But that's really about as far as either of their characters are explored, Phoebe has a secret crush on the extraordinarily good-looking and slightly enigmatic Alan who lives in a flat

opposite theirs, Adele is well aware of this and it's she that forms a relationship with him first: In what seemed to be a very immature and childish way she makes no effort to conceal this from her best friend. I found it impossible to support her or feel strongly enough to silently scream at her as she did this, Then there's what appears to be an attempt to connect the storyline to one included in a book called 'Lost and Found' this just doesn't work, I'd love to be able to say that everything came nicely together in a well-constructed ending but unfortunately that's not the case either: The book is simply left unfinished with the words "to be continued": That was OK for me because I already had a free download of a digital copy of the next instalment: But if I actually had to spend money on it I have to say that I would not have been tempted: I'm trying hard to find a positive note on which to finish. The best I can really say is that this book is a quick and easy read and that I felt it might be better marketed as young adult fiction: Perhaps a reader of that age would identify better with the characters in the book than I did in my cynical middle age: However if I judge 'Lost and Found' as the psychological thriller it's described as: I'm afraid that for me it leaves a lot to be desired. My thanks to JS Ellis and Booksirens for a digital advance review copy which I have reviewed voluntarily and honestly: I will post my review to my personal blog and to my Goodreads page, However and feels betrayed when Adele is the winner in that battle, Suddenly Adele disappears without knowing if it was a choice or if she is in danger. Adele feels very alarmed by strange situations that happen in her apartment. A novel presents intrigue betrayal love murders with Adele missing: Written in a very clean way sowing doubt to continue with the second part, An interesting book for psychological study about different personality types as they have been friends for many years. They are different in varied ways but the friendship is maintained mostly by Phoebe who's normally laid back and non-confrontational, the young man that Phoebe has her eyes on the bonds of friendship start tearing apart. Phoebe just can't believe that Adele could do something like this, Isn't there an unspoken pledge not to steal your best friend's boyfriend? Phoebe starts looking for information on the young man but finds nothing: His name doesn't exist his work information is missing he has nothing on social media: Her warnings to Adele are taken as jealousy and Adele ignores her: This was a new author to me and I am sure going to see what else she has to offer, The only drawback to this well written novel is a huge cliff hanger: Many thanks to the author / Booksirens for the digital copy of this Psychological Thriller. Read and reviewed voluntarily opinions expressed here are unbiased and entirely my own, S Ellis' books and what I always enjoy from this author's works is the pace and plot: I enjoyed the characterisation and found the characters believable and intriguing: I recommend this novel to anyone who wants a fast paced thriller that will keep you hooked from chapter one to the very last page. I received an advance review copy for free and I am leaving this review voluntarily 205 Despite being polar opposites Phoebe and Adele's friendship has stretched on for years: They seem to have nothing in common yet the bond between them is unbreakable, She never believed Adele would hide anything from her until she sees her sneaking off with her handsome neighbour: Feeling betrayed Phoebe begins to see cracks in their friendship she never noticed before, Fearing for Adele's safety Phoebe searches for clues about her disappearance, However the deeper she digs the more she realizes she didn't know Adele as well as she thought: What happened to Adele? And how is her disappearance connected to the stranger next door? Lost and Found (Lost and Found #1)J: She has a degree in creative writing English literature and digital marketing. She lives in Malta with her fiancé and their fur baby Eloise, When she's not writing or reading she's either cooking eating cheese and chocolate or listening to good music and enjoying a glass of wine or two. S Ellis at {site_link} {site_link} {site_link} {site_link} {site_link} {site_link} J. She has a degree in creative writing English literature and digital marketing, She lives in Malta with her fiancé and their fur baby Eloise: When she's not writing or reading she's either cooking eating cheese and chocolate or listening to good music and enjoying a glass of wine or two. S Ellis at {site_link} {site_link} {site_link} {site_link} {site_link}.



Wow. I loved it and couldn't put it down. This book was hella good start to the series. After I finished this one I jumped right into bill two. Because I simply had to know what happened. In plenitud of youth. It grabs you from start to finish. For me a new writer whom I will continue reading. Absolutely recommended. 205 I didn't expect to like this book. Definitely a case of don't judge a book by its cover. This was a great book. It is highly I need of an edit. Tons of run on or unfinished sentence. Tons of times where it jumped scenes without warring. But when on said and done the story line is gripping. I do recommend this book. Nothing influenced my review. S. Once again I was quickly drawn into the story. Phoebe and Adele have been besties forever. It's a relationship many don't understand. This is definitely not the answer for Phoebe. Alan leaves and Adele soon takes off also. 4.5 □'s Thank you to BookSirens and J. S. The book also jumped around a lot and left me confused. 205 FantasticLoved this book & author.S.I have mixed feelings about "Lost & Found ".I gave it 3.I'm sorry but I can't put the punchline off any longer. I felt that even the main characters lacked depth. To be brutally honest I actually got a little bit bored.The police the neighbors family intervene.But when Adele starts dating . in secret .But then Adele disappears. Characters are solidly drawn. 205 I really enjoyed this book. I've read all of J.Lost and Found kept me engaged from start to finish. One a bubbly blonde the other raven-haired and studious. Or so Phoebe thought. Then Adele vanishes. Yet as revelations come to light one mystery remains.S Ellis is a thriller author.You can Stalk J.S Ellis is a thriller author.You can Stalk J