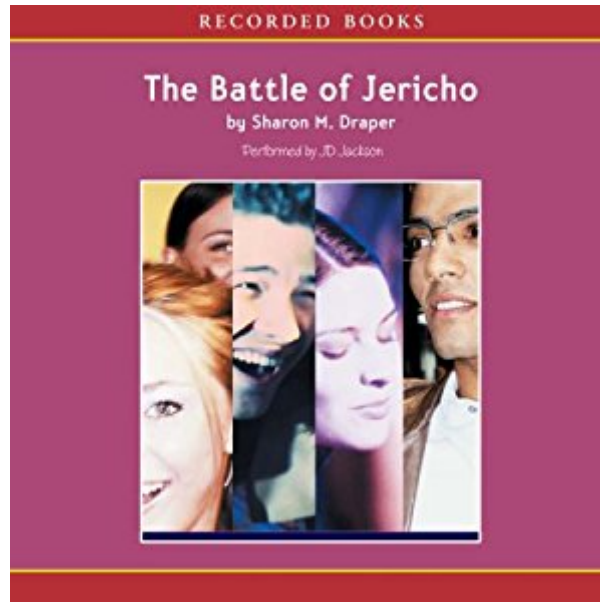




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The Battle Of Jericho



Synopsis

WARRIORS ROCK! Sixteen-year-old Jericho is psyched when he and his cousin and best friend, Josh, are invited to pledge for the Warriors of Distinction, the oldest and most exclusive club in school. Just being a pledge wins him the attention of Arielle, one of the hottest girls in his class, whom he's been too shy even to "talk" to before now. But as the secret initiation rites grow increasingly humiliating and force Jericho to make painful choices, he starts to question whether membership in the Warriors of Distinction is worth it. How far will he have to go to wear the cool black silk Warriors jacket? How high a price will he have to pay to belong? The answers are devastating beyond Jericho's imagination. --This text refers to the Library Binding edition.

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Customer Reviews

This was required summer reading for the 12 yo I care for. He made a plan to read 30 pages per day to be finished in time for the start of school. The day after the first night of reading, he said he enjoyed it so much he read extra. He loves reading to begin with, but the fact that he volunteered the info is high praise!

Jericho Prescott thinks to be a part of the Warriors of Distinction, a high school club, will somehow improve his life. The thought of wearing the black silk jacket he'll receive once he undergoes the "Bonding of the Brotherhood", being noticed by his peers, and getting the attention of a particular girl seem to be more important to him than anything. Against his better judgment, he endures humiliation, mind games & numerous indignities to become a Warrior of Distinction. He wants to

belong to the best group in the school so badly, in fact, that he gives up a chance to live his dream of studying the trumpet at Julliard, one of the world's premier performing arts schools. Sadly, it takes a tragic accident to open his eyes to the fact that everything that glitters isn't gold. As I read what went on during the so-called Bonding of the Brotherhood (hazing, in actuality), it really bothered me. But what bothered me most was how these alarming events were taking place, and the parents of these young people had no idea what their teens were going through. This story drives home the importance of parents keeping track of their children's lives.

omg. I walked in Jericho's sluts through out this whole book. I mean I never cry or get teary eyed when I read books but it brought me to tears. Jericho is a brave and strong young man. This is a heartfelt book for teenagers and young adult. I recommend this book to be read. thanks! (:

This is the story of a group of friends who try to pledge for an esteemed high school club. It explores how the teens enact what is demanded even as they question the reasoning underlying the acts. The characters are well delineated. The book is insightful. I highly recommend this well written novel.

Excellent book.

The book is good as a whole for the teenage audience. Josh's death was sudden and very sad. I dislike the club they were pledging for and I'm mad Jericho did not go to the competition in chance of getting a scholarship to a wonderful college that forces on an individual talent.

Sharon Draper is an awesome writer. It never turns out to be what you think it will be. My students love her too

I love this book. It is sad but it really makes you think. This is one of the best books I have read. I am definitely going to keep reading the series. I wonder what is going to happen in the next two. What is going to happen to November and Jericho? What will Dana and Kofi do? I don't know but I am going to find out

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