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Minchen F. says

SERIES: Merpeople #01

COVER:

The cover is quite nice, though it could have been made a bit more professional. But still, you get a sexy merman with bulging muscles, blue hair and a blue tail on the cover.

WRITING:

I can't really remember, since it's been a while. But, this isn't my first book from Hazel Gower and I never had any problems with her writing. Well after getting used to the aussie accent ^.~

STORY:

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CONCLUSION:

I really liked the idea of the story, since I have a thing for sexy mermen, but there are a few things that bothered me.

1. First of all, it's way too short. The story had so much potential. Don't know if it was meant to be just a short story, but since it's so short, for me – personally – the whole plot feels rushed. Ok, ok...they met three weeks ago and instantly felt that spark...but come on...

They met, had some hot sex and mated...oh I love you...good, cause I love you too...how wonderful...HEA :(

2. The age difference. Clay is 49 and Alwen is 20...so eh yeah. I know they say “age is just a number”, but he could be her father for god's sake. This kind of irked me. The only thing that saved it for me, was that he's a merman and doesn't look his age. With him appearing to be rather 30 than 50, it worked out in my head/ imagination.

3. TOO MUCH “I LOVE YOU”. Definitely.

For me, those words are important and should be used wisely and at the perfect moment (at least in the beginning.) and definitely not too often! (long time couples are an exception. They know they love each other and a short kiss on the lips and an “I love you” if one of them leaves the other's side as a goodbye is perfectly fine and kinda cute ^_^)

If the characters have nothing left to say, than to constantly repeat how much they love each other – the story is definitely OVER!

But I'm a huge fan of Hazel Gower and her stories. I love them. Some more- some less.

But I also can proudly admit I got used to the aussie English and the constant “arse” by now. (still sounds funny to me, since I'm no native speaker and grew up with American English).

Finally, it was just too short and quick for me to follow along and I had no time to get a real feeling for the characters. I personally prefer it, when the story develops slowly and the persons start to grow on you like some real friends. But for everyone who's a fan of Hazel Gower and looks for a quick steamy read with a HEA and no cliffhanger...go for it!

Nenya says

Short and sweet. Very cut and dried though. And rather annoying (beginning part, with the conversation between H and his bff about all the other women H has been with; his "type" and how the h isn't it, but hey, she just might be his mate). And after that, it was cookie cutter. Not bad though. Lots of ways to mess that up as well. 3.5 stars

Jessica Gomez says

It was alright. The writing was good. But it lacked life. The sex was fine.

Puna says

It was okay. But one thing I really dislike in some shifter books is that the shifters have any & every possible plus. They don't age, they can't catch any diseases, they have powers, they have magic that hides them from mere humans, they can bind their mate to them, magic that keeps them from leaving or talking the shifter world & etc. This book had it all. Makes the story a bit boring.

Amber says

I so wish that mermen were a real that would be so cool ... this was a cute fast read and hey hot mermen who could ask for more .. I loved both books in this series .. :)

Natalie Kirkland says

Loved this book

Amy Miller says

This was a great start to a new series! I have never had the experience of reading about Merman's/Mermaid's and at first I was hesitant but reading Clay and Alwen's story has changed that for me! Although Clay is older than Alwen I think that they both balance each other out and with his experience and her lack of experience it made for a hotter story!

Jessica Parsons says

I don't think i've ever read a merman story before while the story was short it was a very interesting start for the series, i would of like the story to be longer but i enjoyed it still

Talltree says

Couldn't get past sample..in H's POV talking about all the slim gorgeous blondes he's dated and how he can't get past the h being chubby and thick.. oh and the most recent girl he dated being only 25(H's 50 yrs old), yuck.

Romancing the Book says

Reviewed by Victoria

Book provided by the publisher for review

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Alwen is a young woman at the age of twenty just about to turn twenty one. Alwen meets Clay when her father is in the hospital and survives despite the odds against it. Alwen has dreams of opening her own dance studio helping people of all ages. Alwen comes across as a sweet and caring woman who seems older than her years.

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I found this book is very well written with a very unique plot. The main and secondary characters were fascinating and enthralling. At thirty four pages long, this story had a well-defined beginning, middle and end. The ending of the story was a bit predictable but it was more the ride to the end that was more important. Overall, this was a great book.

Nancy says

Fast paced quick read.

To be honest, I was somewhat disappointed with this read. It's still a sweet read though and certainly doesn't take long to finish.

Rochelle says

This was a fast paced read which was really enjoyable but would have better longer and more detailed. I loved the storyline and the characters but I did find in places it was lacking abit otherwise I really enjoyed it.

Christine Waters says

This is a nice short read. It was well written and was able to captivate my attention from start to finish. I enjoy Hazel Gower's writing style and find it easy to follow where the plot is going. Hopefully there will be more to this series with other books, as I enjoy reading about mythical creatures.

Victoria Rainey says

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Rhonda says

I Loved this book. The only thing I disliked about it was the length. Everyone knows I love a longer book. Well written with a really good flow. The love scenes were wicked hot. I loved the epilogue it is really nice to have a peek at the happily ever after.
