

***EXCERPTS OF
WHAT READERS ARE SAYING ABOUT
“EXPIRED”***

I just finished your book “EXPIRED” and I loved it. I have read many books, but I have never felt the desire to write the author and express how I felt about their book until now. I am forever a fan.

-Karen

I just recently finished reading your book "Expired." This is one of the best books I had ever read. When I started reading your book I just couldn't put it down. Through the whole book it had so much suspense that it seemed as if I was in Harlem watching everything go on with Tracie Burlingame. What I was wondering is if you were going to make "Expired" a movie for the world to see?

- Idris

I just purchased your book Expired two days ago and I could not put it down. It is a great book that I will tell all my friends about. Your book made me realize that I needed to get back in touch with my God. You know sometimes we get caught up in our own thing and forget God is there for us, with us, and loving us. Your book helped me to get back in touch with God. Thank you for my blessing. Please inform me, when your next book will be coming out. I know I will enjoy reading that one too.

-Tolita

I just finished reading your book and it was fascinating. It was a very good read. I loved reading Expired because it had a lot in it that people could relate to. People go through a spiritual battle w/ themselves and tend to lean on material things to make them feel better. Or when they are going through so much in their lives they lose hope. The best way is to have faith and it will make you stronger. I could not put the book down. It makes you think, and by reading the book you can feel a lot from it. I also feel as if you should inquire about making it into a movie. I think it would be good for young people to see and understand the concept behind it. I also think that a lot of people should read it and I will recommend it to people. I would really like to see a movie based on this book. I really enjoyed it.

-Shanna

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Well, Ms.Rhodes, I have not, I REPEAT, I HAVE NOT read a book for 8 straight hours without dinner for nearly TWENTY YEARS NOW!!! Those days were in my high school days when I would lay in my room with a good book and Mom would call me for meals. I have been here in New York for 12 years now and for some reason, I just can't find the time to read although I have books all over the place that now gathers dust. About the only time I can sit down and read a book for a very long time is when I travel, which I do 2-3 times a year because I have family in Europe. Your book EXPIRED is the first African-American novel I have read and girl, I'M HOOKED!!! Please tell me there are more to come?!

I was at Waldenbooks today to check out some Nursing review books for my brother who lives in Ireland. I don't know if you will remember me but I was the Filipino girl who kindly asked you to sign the book and address it to Regina. She's my African-American co-worker and I know she would love this book and I was planning to give it to her for Mother's Day (if it didn't say Regina on the second page, I would have kept it for MYSELF!!!) I will get a copy for myself now, but then it wouldn't have your signature in front as compared to the one I will give to Regina!

I have not read a book YET that has bounced me like a roller coaster from the spiritual realm of things to stark reality of the present. Ever since I started reading, I have developed a love for words and YOU, Ms. Rhodes, are a class ALL YOUR OWN which I deeply admire.

Your love of God shines through every page and touches the reader's heart and make her feel and realize God's love and presence.

Although my Mama is not with us anymore, reading your book has brought back so many MAMAMEMORIES that kept me feeling warm and loved all over again! Again, thank you for sharing your superb talent with us. God bless and more power.

Yours,
Elena (maria elena d. de asis)