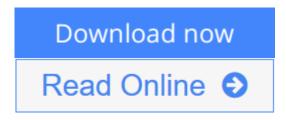


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#### Amazon.com Review

An Amazon Best Book of November 2015: If you've read *Gone Girl* (and odds are you have) you know Gillian Flynn's talent for playing cat and mouse with her readers. In *The Grownup* she does it again but in only 62 pages. The story opens with this: "I didn't stop giving hand jobs because I wasn't good at it. I stopped giving hand jobs because I was the best at it." It's a helluva way to start, and the curiosity it raises is just the beginning. The narrator is a born and raised scam artist who sees a chance to leave light sex work behind for a career in what she does best, reading people and telling them what they want to hear. Susan seems like the perfect mark--rich, desperate, and terrified of the evil she says lives in her house. But things are not what they seem, especially with Flynn at the helm. A short story written for George R.R. Martin's *Rogues* anthology, *The Grownup* is a tightly wrought psychological thrill ride that will leave readers replaying every well spent moment. – *Seira Wilson* 

#### About the Author

GILLIAN FLYNN is the author of the #1 New York Times bestseller Gone Girl and the New York Times bestsellers Dark Places and Sharp Objects. A former writer and critic for Entertainment Weekly, she lives in Chicago with her husband and children.

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