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I liked this one a little less but I think that's because I have always known fairly decent men in my life I've been fairly sheltered I guess in that respect but I see no need to take revenge on men in general simply because they are men. 9 in the Elizabeth MacPherson series. Elizabeth MacPherson series When we join MacPherson, she has just checked into the Cherry Hill Psychiatric Hospital to deal with depression brought on by the death of her husband Meanwhile, struggling Virginia lawyer Bill MacPherson, Elizabeth's brother, has purchased an old mansion for his law firm's upscale office The mansion comes with a catch the elderly man who originally built the house with apparently dubious funds is still living on the sun porch As Bill works out the real estate deal, his law partner, A.P Powell, disappears to chase clues about the newly infamous PMS Outlaws, who have been stealing money from men and leaving them handcuffed in compromising positions While the novel's many eccentric characters never fail to entertain, the mystery of the old man is little more than a distraction, both for the reader and for Elizabeth As for the PMS Outlaws, they are completely transparent in their motivations they want to get money and cut men down to size. Light, entertaining, silly I much prefer McCrumb's Songcatcher series. A lawyer and her client are blazing a trail of misplaced revenge from state to state and attorney A.P Hill is hot on their tails Meanwhile, her partner Bill MacPherson has just purchased an old mansion for them to use as an office home The grand house comes complete with a shed, a chandelier, and the last owner And then there's Bill's sister, Elizabeth Suffering from

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depression after her husband goes missing at sea, Elizabeth checks herself into a mental hospital. So there you have it, three plotlines Do they tie together Barely To me, it seemed as though they were three weak short stories that the author couldn't make work so she threw them together for a book The revenge plotline could have been amusing wannabe Romeos left to be found the next day minus their wallets and clothes if only time had been taken to develop it Elizabeth's stay at the mental hospital falls flat as most of this line is given to her and the other patients meandering drone mostly about the role of beauty in society The most entertaining of the three lines surrounds the purchase of the mansion To redecorate or not redecorate, that is the question But that is really just a ploy to gather information The most pressing question for me was What is that old man doing with all that sugar I've read some of Sharyn McCrumb's work before I love her Ballad series set in the North Carolina Appalachian Mountains This is the first of the Elizabeth MacPherson series for me Sad thing is I started with 9 of the series I hate doing that I want to start with 1 But I didn't realize it until after I was done Did that have something to do with why I felt this was so lackluster Perhaps If I had started at the beginning of the series I may have felt vested Or maybe I wouldn't have made it this far Who knows One thing that really irked me was the way A.P Hill was addressed throughout the book A.P Hill did this A.P Hill did that Who refers to their friends by their full name Maybe it didn't happen all the time but it was way too much and enough that I can't remember four times when she wasn't referred to as A.P Hill. With three lackluster plotlines that don't really mesh I'm going to give this one a 2.5 on my bookometer I think I'll go back to her Ballad series. This is my first Elizabeth McPherson mystery and I found that Sharyn McCrumb's characters were real They had depth Although it might be a little unrealistic to think that Elizabeth was trying to solve a mystery from a mental institution It was interesting to see her work through her problems after the death of her husband and granted a month was fast but all in all the issues being faced were pretty real Also the story of the PMS Outlaws an attorney and an escaped con kept moving toward A.P Hill, Bill McPherson's Elizabeth's brother law partner. I stumbled across this book at BAM on clearance and I won't lie I bought it because of the title And the

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fact that it was marked way down I didn't pay enough attention to the fact that it was part of a series. I think I read this book in about a night and I really liked it but I was young and didn't really pay attention to the author's name so it wasn't till 8-10 years later that I ever read any of the earlier MacPherson novels and they just didn't stand up to the remembrance I had of this one. I was actually going to re-read this novel before I finally donated it after years of having it, but sadly, the other books by McCrumb left me bored and to keep the favorable impressions that I had of *The PMS Outlaws* so I gave it away without re-reading it. *Depressed Over Her Missing Husband*, *Elizabeth MacPherson Is Hospitalized Her Brother, Bill, Buys A Mansion To Use As His Law Office, And Finds A Codger In Residence Who May Be An Outlaw* Meanwhile, *Bill S Law Partner Is Trying To Track Down The PMS Outlaws, An Escaped Convict And Her Fugitive Attorney, Who Cruise Pickup Joints And Wreak Vengeance On Lust Crazy Men* I really enjoy Sharyn McCrumb's work. This book was a definite change from what I had been reading of her books. It seems to go into a modern, faster flowing reading that made a humorous journey through insanity, obsessiveness, lawyers, convicts and mystery, a journey worth taking. Sharyn McCrumb has a facility for coming up with wonderful, zany titles, and *The PMS Outlaws* is right up there with *Bimbos of the Death Sun* and *If I'd Killed Him When I Met Him Unfortunately*, the stories that unroll under these titles often resemble what comes up on the screen after you click on what they found in this trash bin will astound you, and *The PMS Outlaws*, unfortunately, pretty much falls into that category. Elizabeth MacPherson, McCrumb's amateur sleuth forensic anthropologist heroine is among the main characters in fact the book is billed as an Elizabeth MacPherson novel, but for most of it, she's a medicated zombie, locked into denial about the disappearance of her husband. No, the book doesn't deal with his disappearance, or end with him being discovered amnesiac but healthy in the Orkney Isles. MacPherson's brother's law partner carries most of the story, as she gets involved with the titular bandits a couple of young women who lure horny but unsuspecting men into embarrassing situations before taking off with their possessions. Things don't begin to come together until the halfway point of the book, and then they depend on

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ever unlikely coincidences to draw things to their less resolution. The best thing about this book is that it doesn't require much of your time. It would be an okay companion on a cross country flight or in the waiting room at the maternity ward. But don't expect much beyond that. The book was a fun read, several stories intertwined to make a novel. If you don't like a book that jumps from one story to another without warning, then this is not the book for you. There was an interesting definition of friendship, Try asking someone to do something extremely inconvenient for an insane reason, and they do it, they're your friend. I have enjoyed previous books by her set in the hills of NC and TN.

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