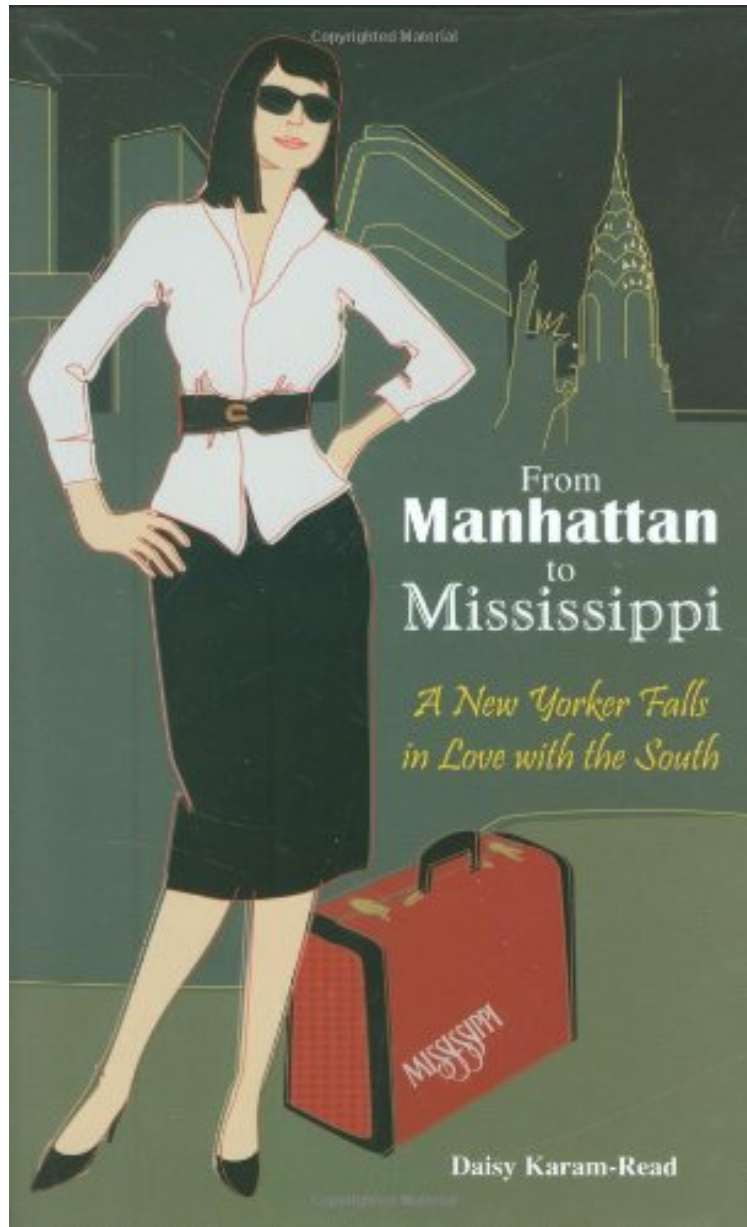


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0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. A great weeken read.By CoreyI think this book did meet my expectations. It is a short yet very charming read. It showcases a "New Yorker's" life experiences after meeting and marrying her southern gentleman husband and her introduction into the world of the Mississippian South. She describes the general area, the food, plantation homes, and the heat while adjusting. This a great read if you want to just relax and get lost in an interesting narration of the Deep South and one person's assimilation into it.1 of 1 people found the following review helpful. DisappointingBy SilverStepAliceI finished it since it is short, though I still found myself struggling to get through each page. While I cannot say what I expected, I know it was not what I found in the pages. To me, it was simply not entertaining, not interesting. I am glad to have read it because I wanted to, though if you are looking for a captivating story of transition, I encourage you to look elsewhere.3 of 4 people found the following review helpful. One side of MississippiBy LivewithPassionI should have written a review a while ago, admittedly it's been over a year since I read the book. What I do remember though is it's well written, somewhat amusing, and an overall good read. But, if you live in Mississippi as I do, you there are two points of view - The wealthy and the others. I'm one of the others. While she is dead on about the hospitality for the most part and the friendly nature of Southerners, she married a Lawyer and moved to Mississippi so don't expect to read about the down side and the poor because from what I could tell she just hasn't had the experience of it. Nothing wrong with that, I'm just saying you won't finish the book with a feeling of knowing what Mississippi is all about. I've only visited Manhattan for a short time so I can't really comment on that other than I enjoyed my stay, so much to do and see minus some of the rude people in some of the shops. So there's my 2 cents.

When Daisy left the razzle-dazzle of New York City to move to Mississippi, she took a huge leap of faith. Daisy Karam-Read, an urbanite to the core, thrived on Manhattan's fast tempo and glamour, and never anticipated living in a sleepy southern town. Marriage to the southern gentleman of her dreams brought her abruptly to Mississippi, casting this international travel-loving Yankee into a complex culture unlike anything she had ever known. Could all the negative remarks, bad jokes, and insensitive comments Karem-Read had heard about the South -and Mississippi in particular- be true? Daisy takes the reader on an emotional and intellectual journey while uncovering many truths about an often misunderstood region. Her entertaining essays are a must-read for southerners and Yankees alike, perhaps an eye-opener for all Americans.