

# Payment in Blood, | 9780340831311 | Elizabeth George | 2003 | Hodder & Stoughton, 2003

Payment in Blood. Elizabeth George. 1989. This is the second book in the DI Thomas Lynley series and I am hooked and absolutely delighted to have over ten more to read! Iâ€™ll space them out like I am with the Camilla Lackbergâ€™s Swedish mysteries. Lynley and his prickly partner, Barbara Havers are sent to Scotland to investigate the murder of a playwright. â€œPayment in Bloodâ€ qualifies as a violent, above-average Spaghetti western shootâ€™em up with a high body count. Like director Sergio Leoneâ€™s bigger budgeted â€œThe Good, the Bad, and the Ugly,â€ the lower budgeted â€œPayment in Bloodâ€ concerns the quest for buried treasure. The outlaw villains embark on a search for a fabled fortune, approximately \$200-thousand, stashed at an undisclosed location by Confederate General Beauregard.â€ "For the purpose of this book, the modern Euro-western era begins with Joaquin Romero Marchent's first entries in 1955, afterâ€™; 60's Westerns. Filipe Furtado 86 films 73 Edit. Payment in Blood. Elizabeth George. 4.3 â€¢ 134 Ratings. \$13.99. \$13.99. Publisher Description. The career of playwright Joy Sinclair comes to an abrupt end on an isolated estate in the Scottish Highlands when someone drives and eighteen-inch dirk through her neck. Called upon to investigate the case in a country where they have virtually no authority, aristocratic Detective Inspector Thomas Lynley and his partner, Detective Sergeant Barbara Havers, grapple for both a motive and a murderer.â€ I enjoyed reading this book. The story-line was cohesive and added depth to the characters. Although it was hard to keep track of the characters using first names then last or titles, I soon got use to it. The story was believable. More Books by Elizabeth George. See All. Believing the Lie.