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# **Shadows Of Yesterday**





### Synopsis

Leigh...She was terrifyingly alone on a Texas highway about to deliver her first child when a rugged stranger in a pickup truck stopped to help her. Leigh Bransom had lost her husband eight months before when he was tragically killed on the job. Now a fateful meeting on a lonesome highway brought a new man into her lifeâ "one with secrets and the power to make her lonely once again.Chad...A man who pursued a dangerous business, Chad Dillon kept his past a mystery. He was determined to make Leigh care for him, but there were no guarantees that his love could protect her from the very thing she feared most.

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#### **Customer Reviews**

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LEIGH...She was terrifyingly alone on a Texas highway about to deliver her first child when a rugged stranger in a pickup truck stopped to help her. Leigh Bransom had lost her husband eight months before when he was tragically killed on the job. This fateful meeting on a lonesome highway brought a handsome, new man into her life...yet he was a man with secrets and the power to break her heart again. CHAD...He pursued a dangerous business, and his past was a mystery he kept hidden. He was determined to make Leigh care for him, but there were no guarantees that his love could protect her from her worst fears. --This text refers to the Preloaded Digital Audio Player edition.

\*Bestselling author Sandra Brown outdoes herself once again with this heartwarming romance. Excellent read!.....As she sat on the side of a very lonely but dusty road, widow Leigh Bransom thought she was about to die. That is, until she looked into the face of a "good samaritan" by the name of Chad Dillon who needed no explanation to see the peril she was in. With her permission, he carried her to the back of his pick up truck where he set up to deliver the baby. Leigh knew she should have been embarassed but one look into those gorgeous blue eyes of the stranger, and she wasn't at all. After she delivered the baby, he brought her back to her car, placed her and the baby in securely, and drove with the utmost care to the hospital. When she woke up the next morning, she was staring into one of the most handsomest faces she has even seen. Chad not only stayed with her all night, especially after he discovered that she was a widow but even decided to kiss her goodbye when he left. Losing a husband from a high risk job, she never thought she would ever be happy again but when a handsome guy with gorgeous blue eyes appeared on her front doorstep after four long months, her entire being slowed to a halt. Leigh always knew she was attracted to the handsome Mr. Dillon but why was he gone for four months? For Chad, the moment he laid eyes on Leigh it was love at first sight but could she ever love him if she found out about his secrets and hidden demons? Leigh has fallen hard for Chad but when she learns the truth about him, she will have to do one of two things. Either cope and put all her fears aside only to risk everything she holds dear to her heart or be strong enough with all the courage she can muster for herself and for the man, she truly loves.... Miss Brown never disappoints.....thank youâ™Â¡Ã¢Â™Â¡.

SHADOWS OF YESTERDAY by Sandra Brown. This is the 24th Sandra Brown book I have read. Sorry to say it has no depth, no mystery, no thrilling moments and requires little thought to read. It is a flat love story that takes place in the oil-rich area of West Texas. Leigh Bransom is a pregnant widow traveling home on a deserted road from a friend $\tilde{A}$ ¢ $\hat{A}$   $\tilde{A}^{TM}$ s wedding in Abilene when she goes into labor. As she is parked along the side of the road counting her painful contractions a large disheveled and grungy-looking man with dark sun glasses and several days growth of beard, taps on her window. She is shocked and scared out of her wits but she knows she has no choice but to let this stranger help deliver her baby. There are few surprises in the storyline following the scene along the highway. If you are really into plain romance novels, Shadows $\tilde{A}$ ¢ $\hat{A}$  | may be for you. I struggle to give the novel 3 stars.

I love every Sandra Brown novel I've read. That being said, I am used to her books having a villain

or a twist. This one had neither. Although this book did not live up to every other book I've read by her, I still found myself engrossed in the love story between Leigh and Chad. Chad's a cowboy type that has many characteristics that most women would love to have, but yet Leigh just isn't sure at first... As always, Sandra tells a well written story with hot steamy love scenes. This story may be a tad unbelievable, but it's fiction, so who cares? I was disappointed with the length of the book. The price is the same, but, with only 11 chapters, this one was half as short as her other books. Sandra Brown is my favorite author, so even though this wasn't her best, I was still satisfied.

I've always loved this story and so glad now that it's out on Kindle. Will be glad when the other books are out as well.I can understand Leah's fear of Chad's job. But she has to have a little faith in the man. Not all men are going to get killed on the job, some injured yes, but not killed. When Greg her first husband strapped that gun on his hip and went to do the job every day, he knew that it could be his last and it was. When you love someone you have to take the good with the bad at times.But the opening of the book always gets to me. A total stranger having to deliver your baby on the side of the road. Scary and talk about trusting someone. It's a simple basic love story, but I do enjoy the escapism quality to it. Chad's job is real in today's world so it can honestly happen to someone out there.

The love and desire between the two characters is strong and unmistakable. Chad is definitely a breast man. Not a criticism.

I'm just a sucker for a good love story. Brings both tears of joy and jealousy during the challenges and the overcoming love that makes it a happy ending.

Bought the CD version. I felt the book was poorly written and poorly performed (Joyce Bean is really bad performing this story)! I usually love Sandra Brown's work, so I'm shocked at this far fetched story. The entire story is unrealistic and cheesy. It starts with a woman in the throws of labor having the hots for a stranger delivering her baby. Most women I know in labor want to kill someone! The story is basically a sex tape (and not a good one). Too much of them being unable to keep their hands off each other and every other line they are having "long and deep kisses" (literally every other line). This was a real bummer to listen too. Don't waste your money on this crappy piece of work. Shame on Sandra Brown!

I first read this book as a high school senior a few decades ago and the story always stuck with me. I was so excited when I discovered it was going to be released as an ebook. and after what felt like an extended wait, it finally arrived and I gobbled it up in a few days. It was refreshing to know that after a few decades had passed I still remembered the book in detail. Albeit I have grown and changed since I first read it, it was still a wonderful, if not predictable love story.

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