



SIENA SUMMER

By ANN CHANDLER

“This is an exciting, action-filled story of fast horses, handsome jockeys, skullduggery, and suspense in captivating Siena, Italy. Angela and Catarina are compelling characters, battling the odds of winning a centuries-old horse racing competition.

SIENA SUMMER is a wonderfully entertaining story filled with characters you will long remember.”

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“The characters are true to life although not overly described. The dialogue is realistic, and the plot is developed in an interesting and sequential way... The great variety in sentence type and length makes the novel an interesting read... It would be a good addition to school, public and personal libraries...The pageantry and description of the Palio makes for interesting reading and adds a unique look at a custom that affects a community...”

Recommended.

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“Chandler’s writing is beautifully crafted, eliciting a wonderful sense of exhilaration and excitement from beginning to end. The plot is somewhat predictable, but for the average “animal story” reader, of which there are many, this novel will certainly satisfy.”

Resource Links

“Ann Chandler paints a vibrant and colorful picture of Italy’s lively people. I liked this book’s main character’s persistence and enjoyed following her story. I think that the image her story gives is positive and that if you believe in something, you can do it.”

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