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Description:

From *Starred Review* This tour de force features two of the most interesting characters we've seen in years. Skinner, a savant-like killer who struggles to interpret emotions and to speak with normal affect, spent his formative years as part of a bizarre experiment—an origin story that unfolds piece by broken piece, each one with fascinating complications. His job is to protect Jae, a damaged, emotionally fragile robotics expert and data analyst with an amazing capacity to sift meaning from massive streams of information. She's supposed to find the source of an attack on the U.S. power grid. But the motives of the people who've hired them are maddeningly elusive, and, as the job leads them through Europe toward an unlikely plot in a Mumbai slum, they have to wonder whether they're pawns in one of the most circuitous bait-and-switches of all time. Huston's world, where powerful private security firms battle each other for access to the "new markets" created by global chaos, is cynical, chilling, and eminently believable. The plot itself may be a bit of a stretch, but this is mind-bendingly original, from the characters, to the dialogue, to the sensory-overloaded world that feels eerily like the one we're about to live in. Add Huston (*Sleepless*, 2010) to the A-list. --Keir

Graff --This text refers to the edition.

Review PRAISE FOR SKINNER AND CHARLIE HUSTON:

"A thriller for the Edward Snowden Summer . . . Mr. Huston is renowned for making the fantastic believable." (**Wall Street Journal**)

"Skinner is of the moment. . . . While Skinner has its share of bone-crunching fight scenes, Huston channeled [his] anger into a book with a highly complex picture of how people live at opposite ends of the economic spectrum." (**Los Angeles Times**)

"Its fluency with both the world of spies and of high technology, like Olen Steinhauer by way of William Gibson, makes it a gripping read, [and] the humanity Skinner finds in himself is genuinely touching." (**USA TODAY**)

"Mind-bendingly original, from the characters, to the dialogue, to the sensory-overloaded world. A tour-de-force. Add Huston to the A-list." (**Booklist (starred review)**)

"Skinner is an up-to-the-second thriller, combining big ideas, gouts of blood and a fascinating mix of damaged characters." (**Cleveland Plain-Dealer**)

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