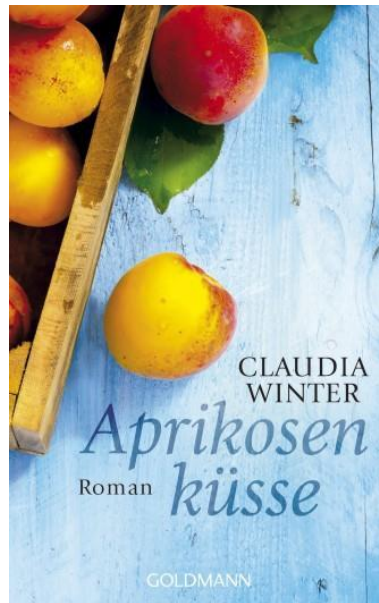


There are places in which we find what deep down in our hearts we have been longing for ...



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Claudia Winter, born in 1973, trained as a social education worker and has been writing poems and stories ever since she was a child. As the daughter of hearing-impaired parents, she was taught by her father to read and write when she was only four. In addition to *Apricot Kisses* and *Lucky Stars* she has also published other novels and various short stories in anthologies.

The life of young food journalist Hanna could be so wonderful. If only she hadn't written this restaurant review that gave a well-situated Italian lady a heart attack!

When the conscience-stricken Hanna accidentally comes into possession of the urn, she travels to Italy – and is the involuntary victim of a testament that contains more than meets the eye. For even after her death, Giuseppa Camini is pursuing only one goal: to at last get her impossible grandson Fabrizio married off. This is a task that makes an entire Tuscan village hold its breath, conjures up a family drama and completely turns Hanna's emotions topsy-turvy.

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