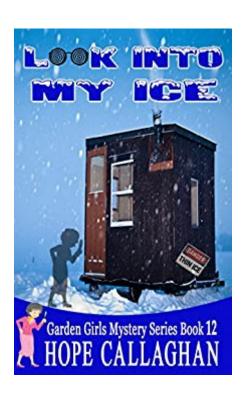


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# Look Into My Ice: A Garden Girls Cozy Mysteries Book (Garden Girls Christian Cozy Mystery Series 12)





# **Synopsis**

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### Customer Reviews

Why do Christian writers so often talk down to their readers? So much of this book is simple and unreal. Christians do not live lives like this. We have large problems, like everyone else, but we depend on God much more than these characters do. It takes more to be a Christians than throwing up a prayer once in a while and attending church. We have a relationship with Jesus and depend on Him and God's Word to get us through this life, always looking for our home going.

Look Into My Ice (Garden Girls Christian Cozy...is book 12 in the series and finds Gloria Rutherford just returning from her honeymoon. Her newly wedded husband is Paul Kennedy, who is a retired police officer, who does security part time, which gives Gloria and the Garden Girls time to solve murder/mysteries in their town. One of Gloria's friend's gives her a call, that something is going on at the lake. Even though she has a cast on her leg from her honeymoon "adventure" of chasing a peeping tom, that doesn't stop her from driving over to see what's going on there. She finds out, that Ed Mueller, is frozen in his fishing shanty, submerged, so that you can see his head, but the rest of him is covered in a blanket. People said, it was too gruesome to see, so they covered him. This puts Gloria and the Garden Girls into action to determine if it was an accident, suicide, or a murder. It turns out that it's a murder and while the police are trying to find out who the killer is, so is Gloria and her friends. In between finding clues, and interviewing people, Gloria still has time for her grandsons and daughter. Her grandsons are as active as ever, so Jill (their mother) is glad that Gloria has taken them for the day. But Gloria has everything under control with them, watching them during the one day, and going out afterwards to see if anyone has heard anything new about the murder. In the meantime, the weather isn't cooperating, there's a bad snow storm, but that doesn't stop Gloria either from snooping around. At the end of the book is a recipe that sounds good for the colder weather and sites to go to for downloads or to buy other books by Hope Callaghan. If you like the antics of Gloria and the other Garden Girls, you will enjoy this book.

I think this is the third book in this series that I have read (though it is book 12 in the series

chronology). Since Garden Girls is in the title of the series, I keep expecting to find gardening to be a part of the series--and so far in the books I have read, it has not played a big part. I found a lot had changed since I last visited this fictional group--Gloria is now married (and she also has a broken leg which she complains about continuously throughout the book. I sure hope the cast is gone by the next book!) For some reason Officer Joe Nelson is always referred to by his full name and title. It's never shortened (even though other people's names are). I could find no reason for this within this book. There does not seem to be another Officer Nelson with whom he might get confused. After a while I wanted to groan every time I saw Officer Joe Nelson typed out in the text. There were also a few pesky apostrophes that snuck into the text in places where they shouldn't have been. If the police in Belhaven are really as bad as Gloria seems to think they are (since she seems to think that if she doesn't find the clues, no one will) then they need to hire better police officers, or send Gloria to the academy so they can hire her. It's a bit implausible that she never gets into trouble for her snooping--even when her friend shoves something under police tape to get at something else. I enjoy the story and the Christian touches within, but as this series goes on, I find it more and more improbable that this group would be able to do what it does and not run afoul of the law.

Another great read!! I was guessing up to the end. I love the characters. It is so nice to find good Christian mysteries.

Enjoyable read with interesting Michigan trivia about ice fishing, watching for blizzards and sledding. Great recipe for "stick to your ribs" goulash - favorite Michigan original potluck dish. Nothing keeps senior sleuth Gloria down - not even crutches. Great support from her newly wed husband Paul and all her friends. Unexpected twist and teaser for book 13.

Another Garden Girls Mystery. As Gloria and Paul have returned from their honeymoon, Gloria with a broken leg, the girls notice a commotion going on the ice at one of the shanties. They find out that someone has been killed and stuck in the ice. Gloria decides, broken leg and all that she needs to find out who killed Ed Mueller and why. With the crazy cast of characters, they go about trying to solve the murder. Do they find out who did this dastardly deed? Read the book to find out.

The was a very enjoyable book. Easy to read and enjoy since it is a Christian cozy mystery book. Hope Callaghan is one of my favorite cozy mystery writers.

I enjoy visiting with Gloria and her group of friends. It is interesting to see how they always manage to work together and solve thecurrent mystery.

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