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Description:

From *Starred Review* The Congo, a place with a past as murky as the rivers trailing through its rain forest, is home to some of the world's best natural resources and worst treatment of its citizens. When former marine lieutenant Robin Duncan accepts a private contract to work as a translator in securing molybdenum mining rights for a large corporation, she presumes the mission to be straightforward. However, the warning of a local villager, "Woe to those who call evil good and good evil," begins to ring true as Robin discovers the miseries the Congolese are suffering as a result of international corporate interests; hunts down a killer; and confronts her past when she meets up again with Michael Stewart, a fellow marine who betrayed her trust and who harbors his own painful memories. Congo Dawn marks another brilliant foray by award-winning Windle (Freedom's Stand, 2011), a child of missionaries, into the ambiguous worlds of war-torn regions. She effortlessly blends journalistic objectivity, humanitarian interest, faith-based inspiration, and the struggle of individuals to determine what is right. Windle's writing is engrossing, and this tale of moral suspense is a must-

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Review "Windle comes off a highly acclaimed pair of books on Afghanistan (*Veiled Freedom*, *Freedom's Stand*) and moves into the jungles of the Congo. . . . The author doesn't limit character development to [protagonist] Robin Duncan, but also deeply develops accessible and multidimensional African characters. Inverting the *Heart of Darkness* trope of self-discovery in the jungle, this story sheds light through a great faith struggle . . . " *Publishers Weekly*, December, 2012

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