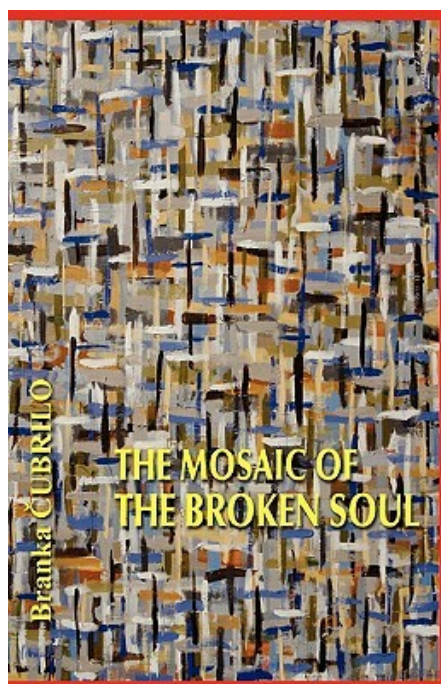




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She called the lump in Her breast 'a black pearl', She called her Mother to nurse Her in the darkest hours, She called memories of the three men She loved at different times of Her life to draw the parallels between seemingly similar situations of betrayal. Who is going to betray Her, who is going to stay...? She struggles with the meaning of life trying to find it through themes of motherhood, friendship, betrayal, displacement, illness, pain, grief and loss. She travelled to Andalucia, London, The Isle of Man, where she met colourful characters believing that the unknown can reverse the fragmentation and change reality, believing that all the little broken selves can once again bring the broken pieces into a cohesive mosaic.

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Paquita Maria Sanchez says

Two pages of the Amazon preview of this book should be enough to convince you that you unquestionably must read this book, Mein Führer. I mean, who doesn't love wasting precious hours reading tired, pretentious descriptions of existential pain, all disingenuously composed within this forced framework of real, wordly, 'important' and 'meaningful' angst, except written by a person who is (allegedly) totally full of shit and needs a better editor because, lady, them typos be all abundant-like? No one does! We all want, no, NEED to read total crap ASAP. The world is a ghetto, and anyway, this book is soooooo great. I can pretty much only tell you how great it is by telling you how NOT great it is, meaning it's specifically great-not-great? Ya dig, my sonic pussycat? Binaca is my new favorite author. I thank a shitty, sightless publishing world for her. Heck, I thank GOD for her. All hail.

Alan S. Kleiman says

The Mosaic of the Broken Soul is an exceptional book. From the first words you are stood up straight realizing you are reading a very different book, hearing the voice of a very different writer. It is poetry from a writer who professes at times to not be a poet -yet the music is there in every page and every line of this novel. The insight and surprise, the breath of feeling that Branka Cubrilo brings to the work will stay with you always. The Mosaic of the Broken Soul will have its unique place in the bookshelf of your mind. You will be happy you discovered it. I found it a treat.

Jim Wilson says

A simply beautiful use of language. Soulful and intelligent. A wonderful story.

Lyn says

Beautifully written book.

Sheila says

I could not bring myself to finish this. In my opinion, it was just metaphorical mumbo jumbo.

The author seemed to be trying way too hard with the impressionistic language, and having Her and She be names (and always capitalized) just didn't cut it for my tastes. *"I read a book of kindness and rewrote it then. A long time ago I wanted to suggest kindness to serve as glue for broken fragments, but She would refuse it as nonsense, for She did not trust it was strong enough to hold."*

I have no desire to finish this, or to try and make sense of what any of it is actually talking about, or what is really happening. The book did not grab me at all, so I am leaving it behind for other reads.

And for those who might be considering this book, I would recommend you check out the free sample you can get on kindle, just to see if the writing is to your taste, or not. For me, it was definitely a not.

Jasenska says

Really great novel!

Greg says

I read the excerpt of this book on the author's website (yup I did!) and found it to be trite and not something I would like to read. Instead of reading this book I would recommend *Tamponia* a short story about Queefers and available on smashwords (<https://www.smashwords.com/books/view...>). I'm not saying in this review that Branka Cubrilo is a queefer. But I would rather read the warning messages about Toxic Shock Syndrome on a box of tampons than read anymore of this book.

It's funny but when you write a bad review of this book you are liable to be attacked by faceless goodreads members who all sound alike. That is a fact and not slanderous.
