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# JANE AND THE WATERLOO MAP

A BEING A JANE AUSTEN MYSTERY

BY STEPHANIE BARRON

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Amateur sleuth Jane Austen returns in *Jane and the Waterloo Map*, the thirteenth in Stephanie Barron's delightful Regency-era mystery series

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"A well-crafted narrative with multiple subplots drives Barron's splendid 13th Jane Austen mystery. Series fans will be happy to see more of Jane's extended family and friends, and Austenites will enjoy the imaginative power with which Barron spins **another riveting mystery** around a writer generally assumed to have led a quiet and uneventful life."  
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**Stephanie Barron** was born in Binghamton, New York, the last of six girls. She attended Princeton and Stanford Universities, where she studied history, before going on to work as an intelligence analyst at the CIA. She wrote her first book in 1992 and left the Agency a year later. Since then, she has written fifteen books. She lives and works in Denver, Colorado.

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