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IT SEEMED LIKE A GOOD IDEA AT THE TIME—KYLIE SCOTT

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Returning home for her father's wedding was never going to be easy for Adele. Being sent away at 18 hadn't been bad enough, the mess she left behind when she made a pass at her dad's business partner sure was. Fifteen years older than her, Pete had been her crush. But she'd misread the situation. Add her father to the misunderstanding, and Pete had been left with a broken nose and a business on the edge of ruin. Seven years on, things are different. Adele is no longer a kid. But all it takes is seeing him again to bring back all those old feelings. Sometimes first loves are the truest.



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Upcoming New Releases

VAMPIRES LIKE IT HOT – LYN SAYS SANDS BK #28 DUE 18/9
 TIMES CONVERT – DEBORAH HARKNESS H/C & T/P DUE 25/9
 WUNDERSMITH—JESSICA TOWNSEND BK #2 T/P DUE 25/9
 ARCHANGELS PROPHECY – NALINI SINGH BK #11 DUE 30/10
 SHADES OF WICKED – JEANIENE FROST BK #1 DUE 30/10
 AN EASY DEATH – CHARLAINE HARRIS BK #1 H/C & T/P DUE 30/10
 FURY – RACHEL VINCENT BK #3 DUE 30/10
 LEOPARDS RUN – CHRISTINE FEEHAN BK #11 DUE 6/11
 THE VALLEY OF SHADOWS – JOHN RINGO BK #6 H/C DUE 6/11
 DIAMOND FIRE—ILONA ANDREWS BK #3.5 DUE 6/11
 OF BLOOD AND BONE – NORA ROBERTS BK #2 HC & T/P DUE 4/12
 SHADOWS KISS – KRESLEY COLE BK #18 H/C & T/P DUE 4/12
 NIGHTCHASER – AMANDA BOUCHET BK #1 DUE 1/1
 VENGEANCE ROAD – CHRISTINE FEEHAN BK #2 DUE 29/1
 CAST IN OBLIVION—MICHELLE SAGARA BK #14 T/P DUE 29/1
 WILD COUNTRTY – ANNE BISHOP BK #2 H/C DUE 5/3
 STORM CURSED – PATRICIA BRIGGS BK #11 H/C & T/P DUE 5/3

ONCE A SCOUNDREL – MARY JO PUTNEY BK #3 *REPACK* DUE 25/9
 LADY OSBALDESTONE AND THE MISSING CHRISTMAS CAROLS – STEPHANIE LAURENS BK #2 T/P DUE 18/10
 BARBAROUS—MINERVA SPENCER BK #2 DUE 30/10
 MY ONE AND ONLY DUKE – GRACE BURROWES BK #1 DUE 6/11
 THE OTHER MISS BRIDGERTON – JULIA QUINN DUE 20/11
 SOMEONE TO TRUST – MARY BALOGH BK #4 DUE 27/11
 THE WRONG HIGHLANDER – LYN SAYS SANDS BK #7 DUE 29/1

HIDDEN – REBECCA ZANETTI BK #1 DUE 25/9
 FATAL INVASION – MARIE FORCE BK #13 DUE 27/11
 HARD NIGHT – JACKIE ASHENDEN BK#3 DUE 27/11
 SHATTERED MIRROR – IRIS JOHANSEN BK #24 *REPACK* DUE 4/12
 OUT OF TIME – MONICA MCCARTY BK #3 DUE 31/12
 UNTOUCHABLE – JAYNE ANN KRENTZ BK #3 H/C & T/P DUE 8/1
 A MERCIFUL FATE – KENDRA ELLIOT BK #5 T/P DUE 15/1
 YOU WILL SUFFER – ALEXANDRA IVY BK #3 DUE 29/1
 CONNECTIONS IN DEATH – JD ROBB BK #48 H/C & T/P DUE 5/2

WHY NOT TONIGHT – SUSAN MALLERY BK #3 DUE 25/9
 THE FOREVER CHRISTMAS TREE – SANDRA HILL DUE 25/9
 WYOMING LEGEND – DIANA PALMER BK # 8 DUE 30/10
 WRANGLERS RESCUE – BJ DANIELS DUE 20/11
 STROKE OF LUCK – BJ DANIELS BK #1 DUE 26/2

CROSSBREED – LORA LEIGH *BREED* H/C DUE 25/9

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ABANDONED – ALLISON BRENNAN BOOK #5 \$45.95 H/COVER

Start with Notorious. Investigative reporter Max Revere has cracked many cases, but the one investigation she's never attempted is the mystery from her own past. Her mother abandoned her when she was nine, sending her periodic postcards, but never returning to reclaim her. Seven years

after the postcards stop coming, Martha Revere is declared legally dead, with no sign of what may have happened to her. Until now. With a single clue—that her mother's car disappeared sixteen years ago in a small town on the Chesapeake Bay—Max drops everything to finally seek the truth. As Max investigates, and her mother's story unfolds, she realizes that Martha teamed up with a con man. They traveled the world living off Martha's trust and money they conned from others. Though no one claims to know anything about Martha or her disappearance, Max suspects more than one person is lying.

MAN OVERBOARD – JA JANCE BOOK #12 \$22.95 *REPACK*

Start with Edge of Evil. Cybersecurity expert Roger McGearly finally has his life back on track after years of struggling with depression. But when he falls from the balcony of his suite on an all-expenses-paid cruise, the police quickly dismiss it as an accident. Unsatisfied, Roger's aunt, Julia Miller, is determined to find answers and closure. By contacting Roger's childhood friend Stuart Ramey to help her solve the mystery of his fate, Julia unwittingly sets up a collision course with a serial killer. Stuart, his sidekick Cami Lee, and journalist-turned-amateur-sleuth Ali Reynolds put the full resources of cutting edge online security firm High Noon Enterprises into learning the truth about Roger's death. When the killer sets sights on Stuart, High Noon must race against time to save him and countless others.



CATHERINE COULTER CONTINUES HER FBI SERIES ENIGMA

BOOK #21 \$22.95 *REPACK*

Start with The Cove. After Agent Dillon Savich stops a crazy man from harming a pregnant woman, the man unexpectedly falls into a coma. Doctors discover a drug in his blood they can't identify, and his only identification is a yellow wristband marked E 2. Did this John Doe escape from a mental hospital? And why was he at the pregnant woman's house? When her newborn baby is kidnapped from the hospital, Savich realizes there's a connection between the kidnapping and the unconscious John Doe. DNA tests uncover a startling fact: his cells are unlike any other—he's an Enigma. Savich, Sherlock, and an FBI team of experts must find the kidnapped baby, uncover the link, and determine what bizarre drug was used on John Doe and, most importantly, why.



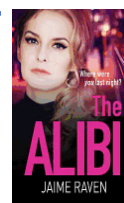
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PARADOX BOOK #22 \$45.95 H/COVER

Chief Ty Christie of Willcott, Maryland, witnesses a murder at dawn from the deck of her cottage on Lake Massey. When dragging the lake, not only do the divers find the murder victim, they also discover dozens of bones. Even more shocking is the identification of a belt buckle found among the bones. Working together with Chief Christie, Savich and Sherlock soon discover a frightening connection between the bones and the escaped

THE ALIBI – JAIME RAVEN \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Crime reporter Beth Chambers is committed to uncovering the truth - and she's not afraid of bending the rules to get there. When troubled soap star Megan Fuller is found stabbed to death in her South London home, all eyes are on her ex-husband - the notorious gangster, Danny Shapiro. Determined to expose Danny as a cold-blooded killer, Beth obsessively pursues him. But in her hunt for the truth, her family are set to pay the ultimate price.

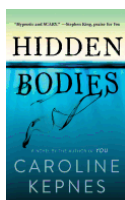
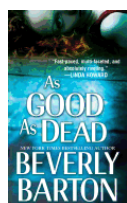


AS GOOD AS DEAD – BEVERLY BARTON BOOK #3 \$18.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 03/04)

Book #1 The Fifth Victim, Book #2 The Last To Die. The victims are all found face-down in the creek that runs through Cherokee Pointe. They are naked, except for the black satin ribbon tied around their necks. And each murdered woman shares one characteristic, they are all redheads. Reve Sorrell has come to

Cherokee Pointe seeking answers about her family history and her connection to Jazzy Talbot. The two are mirror images of each other—twins abandoned at birth and raised in very different worlds. And whoever left them for dead thirty years ago isn't about to let them uncover the truth now. Reve turns to Sheriff Jacob Butler to help her unravel the potentially deadly secrets of her past. But someone will do anything to stop her, someone who won't make the same mistake twice, someone closer than she could imagine.

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HIDDEN BODIES – CAROLINE KEPNES BOOK #2 \$29.95

Book #1 You. Joe Goldberg is no stranger to hiding bodies. In the past ten years, he has buried four of them. Now he's heading west to Los Angeles, the city of second chances, determined to put his past behind him. In Hollywood, Joe blends in effortlessly with the other young upstarts. But Joe can't stop looking over his shoulder. The problem with hidden bodies is that they don't always stay that way. They re-emerge, threatening to destroy what Joe wants most: true love. And when he finds it, he's more desperate than ever to keep his secrets buried. He doesn't want to hurt his new girlfriend—he wants to be with her forever. But if she ever finds out what he's done, he may not have a choice.

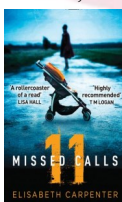
STILL MINE – AMY STUART \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Clare is on the run. From her past, from her husband, and from her own secrets. When she turns up alone in the remote mining town of Blackmore asking about Shayna Fowles, the local girl who disappeared, everyone wants to know who Clare really is and what she's hiding. As it turns out, she's hiding a lot, including what ties her to Shayna in the first place. But everyone in this place is hiding something—from Jared, Shayna's ex-husband, to Charlie, the charming small-town drug pusher, to Derek, Shayna's family doctor, to Louise and Wilfred, her distraught parents. Did Shayna flee? Was she killed? Is it possible she's still alive? As Clare uncovers the mysteries around Shayna's disappearance, she must confront her own demons.



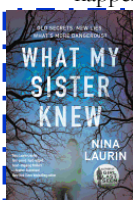
11 MISSED CALLS – ELISABETH CARPENTER \$19.99 TRADE P/BACK

Here are two things I know about my mother: 1. She had dark hair. 2. She wasn't very happy at the end. Anna always believed that her mother, Debbie, died 30 years ago on the night she disappeared. But when her father gets a strange note, she realizes that she's never been told the full story of what happened. Then a boy is found.



HERES TWO GREAT RELEASES FROM NINA LAURIN WHAT MY SISTER KNEW \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

I look up at the TV screen, and my twin brother's face is splashed across it. This is my brother as an adult, my brother who I last saw fifteen years ago after the fire that killed our parents, clutching a lighter in his hand, his knuckles stark white against the dirt and

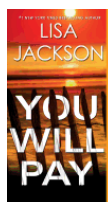


ash. Everyone always said he'd grow up to be a heartbreaker. But his face has gone gaunt instead. The stubble on his face is patchy, and his eyes look dull and dark. My first thought is that it's not him. Not my beautiful brother, the golden boy who everyone loved. Yet I've always known this would eventually happen.

GIRL LAST SEEN \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Two missing girls. Thirteen years apart. Olivia Shaw has been missing since last Tuesday. She was last seen outside her school in Hunts Point wearing a white jacket, blue jeans, and pink boots. I force myself to look at the face in the photo and I can't bring myself to move. Olivia Shaw could be my mirror image, rewound to thirteen years ago. If you have any knowledge of Olivia Shaw's whereabouts or any relevant information, please contact... I've spent a long time peering into the faces of girls on missing posters, wondering which one replaced me in that basement. But they were never quite right. Until Olivia Shaw, missing for one week tomorrow. Whoever stole me was never found. Since I was taken, there hasn't been another girl. And now there is.

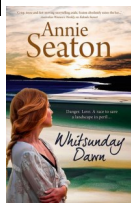
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YOU WILL PAY – LISA JACKSON \$22.95 *REPACK*

It starts as a prank after a long summer at Camp Horseshoe. Among the teen counselors, tensions and hormones are running high. No wonder the others agree when Jo-Beth Chancellor suggests they scare Monica O'Neal. No one will really get hurt. What could go wrong? Twenty years later, Lucas Dalton, a senior detective with the sheriff's department, is investigating the discovery of human remains in a cavern at what used to be Camp Horseshoe. Lucas's father ran the camp, and Lucas worked there the summer two girls went missing. One is believed to have been killed by a convict on the loose. Monica O'Neal is thought to have drowned. Lucas knows he should step down from the case. He's already jeopardized his career by removing evidence of his involvement. But maybe it's time to uncover the whole truth. That's why five former counselors are coming back to town. As they reunite a new horror unfolds. First come notes containing a personal memento and a terrifying message: You will pay. Then, the murders begin.

ROSEMARY READ THIS BOOK AND ABSOLUTELY LOVED IT!



WHITSUNDAY DAWN – ANNIE SEATON
\$29.99 TRADE P/BACK

When Olivia Sheridan arrives in the Whitsundays as spokesperson for big mining company Sheridan Corp, it should be a straightforward presentation to the town about their proposed project. But when a local fisherman shows her what ecological impact the proposal will have, Olivia is forced to question her father's motives for the project.

Struggling with newly divided loyalties, Olivia is thrown further into turmoil when she is mistaken for a woman who disappeared more than sixty years before. When it becomes clear that Captain Jay is also keeping secrets, Olivia realises that there is more to these islands than she ever expected. Seeking to uncover the truth, Olivia is drawn into a dangerous game where powerful businessmen will stop at nothing to ensure their plan goes ahead, even if that means eliminating her.

LIVE TO TELL – LISA GARDNER
BOOK #4 \$22.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 12/10)

Start with Alone. On a warm summer night in one of Boston's working-class neighborhoods, an unthinkable crime has been committed: Four members of a family have been brutally murdered. The father-and possible suspect-now lies clinging to life in the ICU. Murder-suicide? Or something worse? Veteran police detective D. D. Warren is certain of only one thing: There's more to this case than meets the eye. Danielle Burton is a survivor, a dedicated nurse whose passion is to help children at a locked-down pediatric psych ward. But she remains haunted by a family tragedy that shattered her life nearly twenty-five years ago. The dark anniversary is approaching, and when D. D. Warren and her partner show up at the facility, Danielle immediately realizes: It has started again. A devoted mother, Victoria Oliver has a hard time remembering what normalcy is like. But she will do anything to ensure that her troubled son has some semblance of a childhood. She will love him no matter what. Nurture him. Keep him safe. Protect him. Even when the threat comes from within her own house. The lives of these three women unfold and connect in unexpected ways, as sins from the past emerge-and stunning secrets reveal just how tightly blood ties can bind.



DOUBLE BLIND – JOHANSEN/JOHANSEN
BOOK #6 \$45.95 H/COVER

Start with Close Your Eyes. Kendra Michaels is reluctant to help the FBI with the most recent case they've brought to her until she hears the details: The body was found just blocks away from Kendra's condo. The man was carrying an envelope with her name on it, and inside was an SD card with what appears to be an innocuous video of a wedding reception. And just one week before the attempted delivery of this video, the groom in the video was murdered. As the body count rises, Kendra joins forces with PI Jessie Mercado and agent-for-hire Adam Lynch as they discover that each victim played a part in convicting a serial killer years before. Someone has clearly taken up his mantle to exact a sadistic form of vengeance. But who is it? Or is it possible that the wrong man was convicted and the serial killer himself has returned to continue his sick spree?



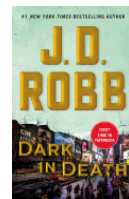
THIEFS MARK – CARLA NEGGERS
BOOK #7 \$18.95 *REPACK*

Start with Saints Gate. As a boy, Oliver York witnessed the murder of his parents. The killers kidnapped him and held him in a Scottish ruin, but he escaped, thwarting their plans for ransom. After thirty years, one of his kidnappers may have surfaced. Emma Sharpe and Colin Donovan are on their honeymoon when a break-in at the home of Emma's grandfather, points to Oliver. The Sharpes have a complicated relationship with the reclusive Englishman. Emma and Colin postpone meetings in London with their FBI team and head straight to Oliver. But when they arrive at York's country home, a man is dead and Oliver has vanished. Questions arise about Oliver's account of events. Do Emma and Colin dare trust him? With the trail leading beyond Oliver's village to Ireland, Scotland and the US, the stakes are high, and Emma and Colin must unravel the decades-old tangle of secrets and lies before a killer strikes again.



DARK IN DEATH – JD ROBB
BOOK #46 \$22.95 *REPACK*

Start with Naked in Death. On a chilly February night, during a screening of *Psycho* in midtown, someone sunk an ice pick into the back of Chanel Rylan's neck, then disappeared into the crowds in Times Square. Then, as Eve Dallas puzzles over a homicide that seems carefully planned and yet oddly personal, she receives a tip from an unexpected source: an author of police thrillers who recognizes the crime-from the pages of her own book. Dallas doesn't think it's coincidence, since a recent strangulation of a sex worker resembles a scene from her writing as well. Cops look for patterns of behavior: similar weapons, similar MOs. But this killer seems to find inspiration in someone else's imagination, and if the theory holds, this may be only the second of a long-running series.

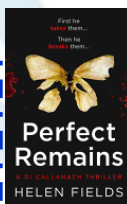


BAD SISTER – SAM CARRINGTON
\$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

When flames rip through their family home, only Stephanie and her younger brother escape unhurt. Brett always liked to play with fire, but now their dad is dead and someone has to pay the price. Psychologist Connie Summers wants to help Stephanie rebuild her life. She has a new name, a young son and everything to live for. But when Stephanie receives a letter from someone she'd hoped would never find her, Connie is forced to question what really happened that night. But some truths are better left alone.

WE HAVE 2 MORE REPEACKS FROM KARIN SLAUGHTER THIS MONTH
FALLEN
BOOK #5 \$22.95 (ORIG 06/11)

Start with Triptych. There's no police training stronger than a cop's instinct. Faith Mitchell's mother isn't answering her phone. Her front door is open. There's a bloodstain above the knob. Her infant daughter is hidden in a shed behind the house. All that the Georgia Bureau of Investigations taught Faith Mitchell goes out the window when she charges into her mother's house, gun drawn. She sees a man dead in the laundry room. She sees a hostage situation in the bedroom. What she doesn't see is her mother. When the hostage situation turns deadly, Faith is left with too many questions, not enough answers. To find her mother, she'll need the help of her partner, Will Trent, and they'll both need the help of trauma doctor Sara Linton. But Faith isn't just a cop anymore-she's a witness. She's also a suspect.

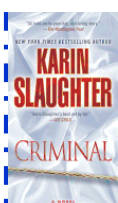
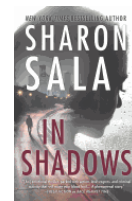


PERFECT REMAINS – HELEN FIELDS
BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

On a remote Highland mountain, the body of Elaine Buxton is burning. All that will be left to identify the respected lawyer are her teeth and a fragment of clothing. In the concealed back room of a house in Edinburgh, the real Elaine Buxton screams into the darkness. Detective Inspector Luc Callanach has barely set foot in his new office when Elaine's missing persons case is escalated to a murder investigation. Having left behind a promising career at Interpol, he's eager to prove himself to his new team. But Edinburgh, he discovers, is a long way from Lyon, and Elaine's killer has covered his tracks with meticulous care. It's not long before another successful woman is abducted from her doorstep, and Callanach finds himself in a race against the clock. Or so he believe. The real fate of the women will prove more twisted than he could have ever imagined.

IN SHADOWS – SHARON SALA
\$18.95

Jack McCann has been in love with Shelly since they were teens. They married just out of college and right before he went to work as an undercover agent for the FBI. When he can, he slips away from his assignments to see her. Jack has been undercover on his latest case for months, investigating a weapons-smuggling business. But just as the FBI is set to make the bust, Jack's cover is blown. The last thing he feels as he crashes through a warehouse window and into the open water is a bullet piercing his back. The last thing he hears is Adam Wu promising to destroy everyone Jack loves. Shelley's worst nightmares come true when the FBI arrive at her doorstep to bring her the news. But she doesn't know the truth: Jack survived the shooting and will do anything to keep his beloved wife safe -even if it means hiding in shadows.



CRIMINAL
BOOK #6 \$22.95 (ORIG 07/12)

Will Trent is a brilliant agent with the Georgia Bureau of Investigation. Newly in love, he is beginning to put a difficult past behind him. Then a local college student goes missing, and Will is inexplicably kept off the case by his supervisor and mentor, deputy director Amanda Wagner. Will cannot fathom Amanda's motivation until the two of them literally collide in an abandoned orphanage they have both been drawn to for different reasons. Decades before, when his father was imprisoned for murder, this was Will's home. It appears that the case that launched Amanda's career forty years ago has suddenly come back to life-and it involves the long-held mystery of Will's birth and parentage. Now these two investigators will each need to face down demons from the past if they are to prevent an even greater terror from being unleashed.



GOOD LITTLE GIRLS – RITA HERRON

BOOK #2 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Pretty Little Killers. Tinsley Jensen survived the torturous clutches of an elusive masked killer dubbed the Skull, only to be held hostage by her nightmares. She's terrified of leaving her cottage on Seahawk Island, knowing that the madman is still out there. FBI special agent Wyatt

Camden knows it too. He may have rescued Tinsley, but her captor got away. Now he's driven by guilt, the need for vengeance, and the desire to protect—at any cost—the woman he's come to love. Too paranoid to deal with the police, the media, and her sister, Tinsley finds solace in an online support group. She's too broken to let even Wyatt into her life. But when the threats against Tinsley escalate and her friend disappears, Tinsley is forced out of her self-imposed seclusion to finally face her fears. Wyatt is the only man she can trust to help her, and to save a killer's latest catch. Now, Wyatt just wants to finish the job he started. But that's all the Skull wants too.

DEEP COVER – SCARLETT COLE

BOOK #3 \$18.95

Book #1 Under Fire, Book #2 Final Siege. Ex-Navy SEAL. Cabe Moss always comes when called to duty—at all costs. Even though the death of his fiancée nearly destroyed him, Cabe won't let his past interfere with any work that has to get done. When his latest task pushes him to team up with FBI Agent Amy Murray, a fierce beauty with the undercover skills to match, Cabe must admit that, for the first time in years, he wants to do more than just complete their mission together. Amy was born ready for this assignment, but working side-by-side with the frustratingly professional Cabe seems to be the biggest challenge of all. But when the sparks begin to fly—and the stakes rise to dangerous heights—the only thing Amy is left worrying about is how she can resist him. Their lives may be in danger, but their hearts hold the biggest risk of all.



CALLED TO PROTECT – LYNETTE EASON

BOOK #2 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Oath of Honor. After being dumped by her fiancé, Chloe St. John has decided that the only male she likes is her K-9 German shepherd partner, Hank. But being over the whole romance thing has perks—like giving full attention to her job. Attention she's definitely going to need because a

case of human trafficking with connections to her missing cousin just landed in her lap. Deputy US Marshall Blake MacCallum is in a race against the clock to rescue his kidnapped daughter when Chloe and Hank are asked to be a part of the task force assembled to bring down the traffickers. Chloe finds herself attracted to the silent, suffering man. But can she trust him? And can Blake trust himself around this firecracker of a woman?

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HERE IS TWO EXCITING RELEASES FROM SUSAN STOKER

RESCUING HARLEY

BOOK #3 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Rescuing Rayne, Book #2 Rescuing Emily. Video game coder, Harley Kelso, thought a tandem skydive would help her make her latest game more realistic. Instead, it literally put her in the arms of the sexiest man she's ever seen. Geeky to the core, Harley is the polar opposite of big and burly Beckett, but that doesn't stop her from wanting to play more carnal games with the soldier. When Beckett "Coach" Ralston offers to fill-in at a friend's skydiving club, he doesn't suspect he'll meet a woman who will change his life—and he definitely doesn't expect her to save it. But that's exactly what happens when an accident mid-air forces Harley to land them both safely. She's earned Coach's complete gratitude, and even more, sexual interest. Until she disappears without a trace.



DEFENDING ALLYE

BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Ever since his rescue op off the Pacific Coast, Mountain Mercenary Gray Rogers hasn't been able to forget his latest "job"—Allye Martin. Any other woman would have panicked during a rescue, but the wily dancer kept her cool—even after being kidnapped by an elusive human trafficker. And Gray couldn't be happier when a grateful Allye follows him home to Colorado Springs. For Allye, finding sanctuary in the arms-and-bed-of the former Navy SEAL is only temporary. People are disappearing off the streets of San Francisco, victims of the same underground trade that targeted her, and Allye could be the key to dismantling the entire operation. She's willing to do anything to bring them down. Gray isn't-for good reason. But you don't say no to a tough girl like Allye who refuses to play it safe. Now Gray is risking more than ever before. The Mountain Mercenaries have his back. But is it enough to keep the woman he loves out of harm's way?

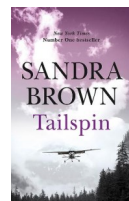


TAIL SPIN – SANDRA BROWN

\$29.99 TRADE P/BACK

Rye Mallett, a fearless "freight dog" pilot charged with flying cargo to far-flung locations, is often rough-spoken and all business, but soft on regulations. So when Rye is asked to fly into a fogbound northern Georgia town and deliver a black box to a Dr. Lambert, he doesn't ask questions. As Rye's plane nears the landing strip, more trouble than inclement weather awaits him. He is greeted first by a sabotage attempt on his plane that causes him to crash land, and then by Dr. Brynn O'Neal, who claims she was sent for the box in Dr. Lambert's stead. Despite Rye's "no-involvement" policy when it comes to other people's problems, he finds himself drawn to the intrigue surrounding his cargo and to the mysterious Brynn. Soon Rye and Brynn are in a treacherous forty-eight-hour race to deliver the box before time runs out. With everyone from law enforcement officials to hired thugs hot on their heels, they must learn to trust each other so they can protect their valuable cargo from those who would kill for it.

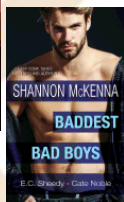
TOP PICK



BADDEST BAD BOYS—MCKENNA/SHEEDY/NOBLE

\$18.95 *REPACK*

"Anytime, Anywhere" by Shannon McKenna For years, Robin MacNamara has been in love with her big brother's friend Jon Amendola, but the sexy cop has never seen her as anything but a kid. Until Robin follows him to an isolated cabin to prove she's all grown up. Unfortunately, Jon's last case isn't quite closed—and someone wants payback. "After The Lovin" by E.C. Sheedy In need of a place to hide,

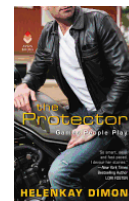


Tommi Smith finds herself on the doorstep of a high school classmate's fishing lodge. Though Mac Fleming never trusted this knockout's reputation for breaking hearts, nothing's going to stop him from seducing her into his bed now. "Deal With the Devil" by Cate Noble All Ellie McMann DeLuca wants is one night with the only man she's ever truly loved—Max DeLuca, dubbed the Devil by the Italian paparazzi. Max agrees on one condition: they extend it to seven nights of pleasure on a private island. But after a whole week of fulfilling each other's deepest desires, how will they go back to the way things were?

THE PROTECTOR – HELENKAY DIMON

BOOK #4 \$18.95

Start with The Fixer. Salvation, Pennsylvania. The commune located in the small town was advertised as a modern Utopia. Cate Pendleton's sister was one of them. Now she's dead—and Cate won't rest until she finds out who killed her. Stonewalled at every turn, she approaches a DC Fixer for help and ends up with Damon Knox. But Cate soon discovers that she not only needs Damon, she *wants* him, which isn't good—for the attraction brewing between them will only lead to complications that can turn into danger. Damon has tried to erase the hellish memories and the evil that happened in Salvation ever since he left a long time ago. Still, he can't turn his back on Cate. As Damon works with Cate to uncover her sister's killer, he finds himself drawn to her. But how will she feel about him when she learns about his connection to the place? Joining forces to uncover the truth, they must stay one step ahead of a cunning killer who's bent on not being exposed.



DARKEST NIGHT – MEGAN ERICKSON

BOOK #2 \$18.95

Book #1 Zero Hour. Bodyguard Jock Bosh has one job: keep Fiona Madden safe. Safe from the men who've been hunting her. Safe from the bastard responsible for ruining her life. And with the attraction sizzling between them, that means keeping Fiona safe from *him* too. Fiona has spent the past decade on the run. Her survival is the single greatest weapon she's had against the men out to destroy her. Until Jock. Now, with him by her side, she finally has a chance to bring them down. But when her enemies make their next move and Jock puts himself in the line of fire, Fiona realizes that there's more at stake than just her life.

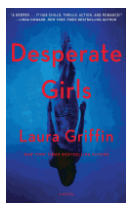


FAST FALLS THE NIGHT – JULIA KELLER

BOOK #6 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK *REPACK*

Start with A Killing in the Hills. The first drug overdose comes just after midnight, when a young woman dies on the floor of a gas station bathroom. To the people of the small town of Acker's Gap, West Virginia, it is just another tragedy. It is sad—but these days, familiar. But then there is another overdose. And another. And another. Prosecutor Bell Elkins soon realizes that her Appalachian hometown is facing its starkest challenge yet: a day of constant heroin overdoses from a tainted batch. While the clock ticks and the bodies fall, Bell and her colleagues desperately track the source of the deadly drug.





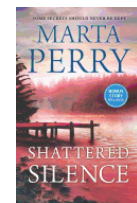
DESPERATE GIRLS – LAURA GRIFFIN
BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Defense attorney Brynn Holloran is right at home among cops, criminals, and tough-as-nails prosecutors. With her sharp wit and pointed words, she has a tendency to intimidate, and she likes it that way. She's a force to be reckoned with in the courtroom, but in her personal life, she's a mess. When a vicious murderer she once helped prosecute resurfaces and starts a killing spree to wipeout those who put him behind bars, one thing becomes clear: Brynn needs to run for her life. When the police come up empty-handed, Brynn turns to a private security firm for protection. But when she defies advice and gets involved in the investigation, even the former Secret Service agent assigned to protect her may not be able to keep her safe. With every new clue she discovers, Brynn is pulled back into the vortex of a disturbing case from her past. As the clock ticks down on a manhunt, Brynn's desperate search for the truth unearths long-buried secrets and reignites a killer's fury.



SHATTERED SILENCE – MARTA PERRY
BOOK #3 \$18.95

Book #1 Echo of Danger, Book #2 Sound of Fear. One moment Rachel Hartline is secure in her career and community. The next, she's in the wrong place at the wrong time--watching her ex-husband commit a crime that puts her in unfathomable danger. Fear and hurt send her home to an Amish farm and the family she's always trusted. But a private investigator is close behind--and he may be a threat to her in more ways than one. Cold, calculating Clint Mordan isn't convinced Rachel is as innocent in her ex-husband's schemes as she claims, but when her ex's enemies target Rachel, Clint is driven to keep her safe. Maybe the terror in her beautiful eyes and the target on her back *aren't* an act. But as his feelings toward her deepen, Clint realizes he's the only one who can keep Rachel alive in a game where only the killer knows the stakes.



MIDNIGHT SNACKS ARE MURDER – LIBBY KLEIN
BOOK #2 \$18.95

Book #1 Class Reunions are Murder. Between trying to get her gluten-free baking business off the ground and helping her aunt remodel her old Victorian into the Butterfly House Bed and Breakfast in Cape May, New Jersey, Poppy is ready to call, "Mayday!" And now Aunt Ginny--who's a handful wide-awake--is sleepwalking on her new sleeping pill prescription and helping herself to neighbors' snacks and knickknacks. Even more alarming, a local humanitarian who worked with troubled teens is found murdered, and the police suspect the "Snack Bandit." Other than a bad case of midnight munchies and some mild knickknack kleptomania, Aunt Ginny is harmless. Someone's trying to frame her. Poppy will need to work tirelessly to uncover the killer and put the case to rest--before Aunt Ginny has to trade in her B & B for a bunk bed behind bars. Includes Seven Recipes from Poppy's Kitchen!

AGAINST THE CLAW – SHARI RANDALL
BOOK #2 \$18.95

Book #1 Curses Boiled Again. Welcome back to the seaside village of Mystic Bay, where someone's been found sleeping with the fishes. Ballerina Allie Larkin is still back home, healing up from a broken ankle and lending a hand at her aunt's Lazy Mermaid Lobster Shack. But now that the famed restaurant is branching out into the world of catering, Allie's help is needed more than ever--even on the lobster boat. The last thing she expects to find once she's out on the bay, however, is the dead body of a beautiful young woman. When days pass and not even the police can ID the corpse, Allie takes it upon herself to learn the truth about what happened. Her investigation leads her all the way from the local piers to the secluded estates of Mystic Bay's posh elite. But how can she crack this case when everyone seems dead-set on keeping their secrets beneath the surface?

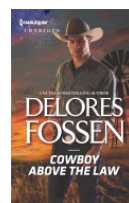


RANCHERS DREAM – BJ DANIELS
BOOK #6 \$18.95

Start with Renegades Pride. Tragedy sent Deidre "Drey" Hunter running from rancher Hawk Cahill and into the arms of a sleek businessman who promised her a new life. But dreams of Manhattan days and cosmopolitan nights shatter when he brings her back to an ultramodern paradise in her hometown of Gilt Edge--and vanishes on their wedding night. Taunted by seclusion and silence, Drey starts to doubt everything including her sanity. Only Hawk, the stubborn cowboy from her school days, believes the threats are real and that someone is ready to kill. But is he willing to forgive the past if it means ending her nightmare?

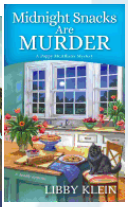
COWBOY ABOVE THE LAW – DELORES FOSSEN
BOOK #1 \$18.95

When his father is shot, Deputy Court McCall initially suspects Rayna Travers. Her past raises questions, even if his attraction to her is impossible to contain. Before long, he discovers Rayna is an innocent pawn in a very dangerous game. Now, to catch a killer, this cowboy will go wherever the case takes him. Even if that includes ignoring the truth in his hardened Texas heart.



HER FEAR – SHELLEY SHEPARD GRAY
BOOK #5 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Start with Her Secret. Sadie Detweiler never imagined she'd move to Kentucky, yet here she is: a pregnant, unmarried Amish girl banished by unforgiving parents to live with kin she barely knows. The men are gruff and her cousins are secretive. Worst of all, elderly matriarch Verba becomes mysteriously ill shortly after Sadie moves in. When EMT Noah Freeman arrives, Sadie immediately notices he's unlike any other Amish man she's met. Noah is warm, confident, and has an easy way with practically everyone in the community, both Amish and English. Though Sadie is drawn to him, she has little hope he will reciprocate her feelings once he learns she's with child. Noah can't understand how a girl as sweet and lovely as Sadie ended up sleeping on a cot in Verba Stauffer's kitchen. He also senses Sadie is terrified of something. Concerned, he checks up on her. Eventually they strike up a friendship and soon their attraction is undeniable. When Verba later dies at the hospital and her death is followed by two others, Noah's boss wants him to dig around the Amish community for clues. He agrees--for Sadie's sake--because only the truth will keep her safe and by his side.



WE HAVE JUST DISCOVERED THIS FANTASTIC SERIES FROM
MARISSA GARNER

HUNTED
BOOK \$1 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Catching bad guys in San Diego's underworld isn't just FBI Special Agent Ben Alfren's job, it's his life. He doesn't have time for a serious relationship, doesn't want one either. So when he meets his sexy new neighbor, Amber Jollett, he has nothing more in mind than unwinding with a glass of wine, a romantic walk on the beach and maybe a hot fling. But Amber is more than he bargained for. Her job as a nurse has brought her face-to-face with women caught in a human trafficking ring, women she's determined to help. As Ben and Amber plot to rescue the women, the attraction between them flares into passion. But they'll learn that in this dangerous game of cat and mouse, real love can save - or doom - them

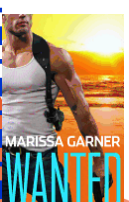
TARGETED
BOOK #2 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

FBI Special Agent Marissa Panuska faces the most explosive case of her career when she impersonates a female terrorist to infiltrate an al-Qaeda cell. Her dark hair, olive complexion, and Arabic fluency make her the perfect imposter, but each passing hour raises the risk of discovery. Can she stop the dirty-bomb plot--alone--when the Feds don't even know the target? And should she trust the mysterious man who bursts into her life when her cover is blown? Former Navy SEAL Ameen Ali has a very personal reason for hating the terrorists and vowing to stop them. But when a beautiful woman joins the sleeper cell spreading death-to-America propaganda at his mosque, he doesn't want to believe she shares their evil goals. Can he convince her to join forces before it's too late?



WANTED
BOOK #3 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Kat MacKenzie knows something is terribly wrong at the Diablo Beach Nuclear Power Plant, but she can't figure out if it's computer error, equipment malfunction, or human sabotage. Unfortunately, the only person she can trust with the problem is the man she left at the altar two years ago. If Dillon doesn't already hate her, he surely will once he discovers why she abandoned him. The last person he expects to call him is the woman who broke his heart. But FBI Special Agent Dillon O'Malley can't ignore Kat's plea for help--not when national security may be at stake. As enemies become clear and catastrophe threatens, can Kat and Dillon put the past behind them to save the day and secure their future?



Coming next month...

LEVERAGE IN DEATH – JD ROBB BK #47 H/C & T/P
IMPOSTERS LURE – CARLA NEGGERS BK #9 H/C
PIECES OF HER – KAREN SLAUGHTER T/P
FIELD OF BONES – JA JANCE BK #18 T/P
THROUGH THE FIRE – KATIE RUGGLE BK #4
A FACE TO DIE FOR – ANDREA KANE BK #6 T/P
DAGGERS EDGE – LORA LEIGH BK #2



TO HAVE AND TO HARLEY – REGINA COLE BOOK #1 \$18.95

Motorcycle Club member Trey Harding never had a family outside the Iron Horsemen. So when he meets his gentle, long-lost mother and she asks what he does, he blurts out a lie: wedding planning. Now hired to plan his sister's wedding, there's only one crew he trusts pull off this charade. When maid of honor Bethany Jernigan steps in to help the wedding planner, she doesn't expect to find a gruff, tattooed man in charge-or to find herself so drawn to him. When attraction turns to passion, Trey will have to figure out how to tell everyone the truth without losing his new family, his crew, or the woman of his dreams.

SET THE NIGHT ON FIRE – LAURA TRENTHAM BOOK #6 \$18.95

Start with Kiss Me That Way. Ella Boudreaux has a lot to prove to her family, friends, and foes-and to herself. So when her marriage ends she decides to invest her energy and money into a place that brings back some of Ella's happiest memories: the Abbott brothers' garage. Maybe, if she puts her mind to it, she can teach stubborn Mack Abbott how to make the business a true success. Which would be a lot easier if the hunky mechanic didn't make her motor run quite so fast and hot. Mack was furious when his brother, Ford, sold his share of the business. He's in no rush to team up with a wealthy divorcee who shows up to the garage in stilettos-and the longest, sexiest legs he's seen in forever. But Ella's determination won't quit and soon Mack can see that she's been down a few rough roads herself. Neither Mack nor Ella can deny the fierce attraction that's revving up between them.



TOP PICK

HERE IS A GREAT SERIES FROM NEWLY DISCOVERED NANCY HERKNESS



THE CEO BUYS IN BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Self-made billionaire Nathan Trainor feels restless and disillusioned. His company may be thriving, but he can't find a woman who sees him for more than his wealth. With his love life in the red, he meets two other billionaire bachelors at the ultra-exclusive Bellwether Club. The three of them make a wager of the heart: they must find women who love them for who they are, not their money. Office temp Chloe Russell is trying to scrape together the money she needs to support her grandmother. So when a flu epidemic strikes Trainor Electronics and she's promoted to Nathan Trainor's assistant, she jumps at the opportunity. But then Nathan himself falls ill, and he and Chloe must work from his penthouse while he recuperates. Before long, it's clear there's genuine heat between them, and it's more than just a fever spike. Will Nathan win Chloe's heart-and the bet? Or will their differences destroy any chance for love?

THE ALL STAR ANT UP BOOK #2 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

As the champion quarterback for the New York Empire and a self-made billionaire, Luke Archer has given up on serious relationships. When his best friend announces he's retiring from football to spend time with his wife and kids, Luke feels like he's missing out on something much bigger than his career. Miranda Tate fled her family's dairy farm to come to the bright lights of New York City. She works hard to move up in her job as assistant concierge in a luxury high-rise. When she and Luke meet, there's instant sexual attraction, but they're in completely different leagues. Will they risk it all for love?



THE IRISHMANS CHRISTMAS GAMBLE BOOK #2.5 \$22.95 TRADE P/BACK

Having risen out of the slums of Dublin to build a multinational chocolate business, Frances "Frankie" Hogan has settled for being respected, and rich but never happy. She has built a home within the walls of the Bellwether Club, a place she established for self-made billionaires like herself. European soccer sensation Liam Keller has carried a torch for Frankie since their years together in Ireland. Their ambitions launched them in different directions, but now Liam finds himself in New York. Liam's feelings for Frankie have never faded, but their years apart have brought complications, including a secret that could drive Frankie away. Only a Christmas miracle can help Liam convince the woman he adores to finally gamble on love.

THE VIP DOUBLES DOWN BOOK #3 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Gavin Miller, the billionaire author of a bestselling thriller series, struggles with a grim secret: he hasn't written a word in more than a year. Writer's block is killing his spirit and jeopardizing his contracts with his publisher and his Hollywood producers. Prodded by his agent, Gavin reluctantly agrees to see Allie Nichols, a physical therapist tasked with treating the novelist's neck and shoulder pain-and maybe his writer's block, too. The tempestuous Gavin and no-nonsense Allie soon find themselves entangled in a steamy affair that sparks Gavin's creativity again.



TARA LEIGH WRITES A GREAT ROCK BAND STORY ROCK KING

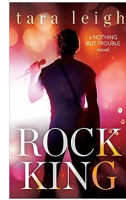
BOOK #1 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

"Shane Hawthorne has it all." At least, that's what the headlines say about me. I have millions of fans, awards, more money and women than I know what to do with. But what you don't see is the wreckage I've caused. The memories and pain I can't escape. I tried to forget. To lose myself in booze and groupies. It didn't work. It hurt me and it hurt my band. That's the last thing I want to do, so I'm cleaning up my act. Starting with Delaney Fraser. When I'm with her I don't have to pretend, it's like she sees the real me. But the truth is, Shane Hawthorne doesn't actually exist. He's a shield to hide who I really am. Fraud. Runaway. Addict. Murderer. And it's impossible to love a lie, right?



ROCK LEGEND BOOK #2 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Most people know me as the drummer for Nothing but Trouble. Depending who you ask, I'm also a playboy, a loner, the life of the party, a screw-up, or according to my fans, "The Sexiest Rock Star on the Planet." Apparently, I'm a legend. Am I surprised? Hell, no. It's a reputation I've earned behind my drum kit and behind closed doors. No one thought foster kid Landon Cox would become famous. Infamous, maybe. Notorious, probably. But successful? Never. No one except Piper Hastings. But I had to make a choice: my woman or my career. I picked fame and fortune and spent every damn day since pretending I don't regret it. Now fate's dropped Piper back into my life.



BELLS WILL BE RINGING – BIANCA D'ARC \$27.95 TRADE P/BACK

Navy SEAL, Alan Fraser, is home on leave for Christmas, with a big decision to make. Does he stay in the service or does he finally retire? He's lost so many friends. Can he put it behind him? And does he have something, or someone, to come home to? Songstress Eileen Murphy is in a dark place. She's just lost her best friend, who was the lead singer in their band. When Alan requests a song that changes the band's whole direction and gives Eileen an idea of how they can reinvent their sound, she finds herself attracted to the tall, handsome stranger. Just as Alan is mesmerized by her voice and the shadows of sorrow he sees in her eyes. With a little help from above, perhaps Alan has finally found a reason to come home.



TOP PICK



BAD REPUTATION – STEFANIE LONDON BOOK #2 \$18.95

Book #1 Bad Bachelor. Wes Evans, son of Broadway royalty, just wants to achieve something on his own. Too bad everyone is talking about his sex life after the Bad Bachelors app dubs him "The Anaconda." But when he sees a talented ballet dancer, he knows she is exactly what he needs to make his show a success. Remi Drysdale only had one thought when she fled Australia for New York-never mix business with pleasure again. Working with Wes is the perfect chance to reclaim her career. Remi promises herself not to tangle with the guy who holds her career in his hands no matter how enticing his reviews are on the Bad Bachelors app.

LOOK AT WHAT WE FOUND FROM ALYSSA COLE A PRINCESS IN THEORY

BOOK #1 \$18.95

Between grad school and multiple jobs, Naledi Smith doesn't have time for fairy tales-or patience for the constant e-mails claiming she's betrothed to an African prince. Prince Thabiso is the sole heir to the throne of Thesolo, shouldering the hopes of his parents and his people. At the top of their list? His marriage. Ever dutiful, he tracks down his missing betrothed. When Naledi mistakes the prince for a pauper, Thabiso can't resist the chance to experience life-and love-without the burden of his crown.

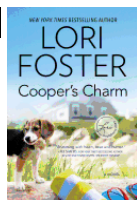


A DUKE BY DEFAULT BOOK #2 \$18.95

New York City socialite Portia Hobbs is tired of disappointing everyone. An apprenticeship with a struggling sword maker in Scotland is a chance to use her expertise and discover what she's capable of. Turns out she excels at aggravating her gruff silver fox boss, when she's not having inappropriate fantasies about his sexy Scottish burr. Tavish McKenzie doesn't need a rich, spoiled American telling him how to run his armory, even if she is infuriatingly good at it. Tav tries to rebuff his apprentice and his attraction to her-but when Portia accidentally discovers that he's the secret son of a duke, rough-around-the-edges Tav becomes her newest makeover project. Forging metal into weapons and armor is one thing, but when desire burns out of control and the media spotlight gets too hot to bear, can a commoner turned duke and his posh apprentice find lasting love?



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COOPERS CHARM – LORI FOSTER

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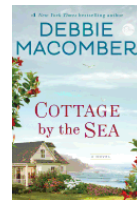
Before the burglary that shattered her confidence, Phoenix Rose had a fiancé, a successful store and a happy existence. After months spent adrift, she takes a job at the lakeside resort of Cooper's Charm. Surrounded by beautiful scenery, friendly colleagues and a charismatic, widowed boss, Phoenix is slowly inching her way back into the world. Visiting Cooper's Charm to check up on her little sister, Ridley Rose impulsively agrees to fill in as housekeeper. Still reeling from an ego-bruising divorce, she finds satisfaction in a job well done and in the attention of the resort's handsome scuba instructor. For Phoenix and Ridley, Cooper's Charm is supposed to be merely temporary. But this detour may lead to the place they most need to be, where the future is as satisfying as it is surprising.

TOP PICK

COTTAGE BY THE SEA – DEBBIE MACOMBER

\$45.95 H/COVER

Rocked by tragedy, Annie Marlow returns to the one place she knows she can heal: the cottage by the sea where she spent many happy childhood holidays with her family. There, Annie meets Keaton, a local painter with a big heart; Mellie, the reclusive landlord Annie is determined to befriend; and Britt, a teenager with a terrible secret. With them her broken spirit starts to heal. Then events threaten Annie's new idyll. And when the opportunity of a lifetime lands in her lap, she is torn between the excitement of a new journey and the pull of the haven - and the man - she has come to call home. Will she be able to make her new-found happiness last?



JILL SHALVIS HAS TWO GREAT RELEASES THIS MONTH.

INSTANT GRATIFICATION

BOOK #2 \$22.95

Book #1 Instant Attraction. There was a time when Dr. Emma Sinclair wanted to challenge herself, sharpen her medical skills by plunging into the relentless pace of a New York City ER. But she was younger then. Now she's not that much older, but at least she's wise enough to jump at the chance to run her father's clinic for a summer in the Sierra Nevadas. Here she treats bee stings, stomach flu, and the occasional pet cat. She also contends with patients like Stone Wilder, laid-back and well-aware of his good looks-and irritating beyond belief. The man laughs at her. And Emma loathes him. Partly because she can't resist his smile and the gleam in his eyes. As co-owner of Wilder Adventures and Expeditions, Stone knows when he sees a fish out of water. He also knows how to put it back in the water. When he tries to help Emma loosen up a bit, he pictures white-water rafting or scenic mountain hikes. He never bargained for a much more intimate encounter. Still, Emma's sure she has no place in a town like Wishful, but Stone knows different. Emma belongs here-in this town, in his life. Convincing her is a challenge he was born to take.

HEAD OVER HEELS

BOOK #3 \$18.95 *REPUBLISH*

Book #1 Simply Irresistible, Book #2 The Sweetest Thing. Free-spirited Chloe lives life on the edge. Unlike her soon-to-be married sisters, she isn't ready to settle into a quiet life running their family's newly renovated inn. But soon her love of trouble-and trouble with love-draws the attention of the very stern, very sexy sheriff who'd like nothing better than to tame her wild ways. Suddenly Chloe can't take a misstep without the sheriff hot on her heels. His swagger and his enigmatic smile are enough to make a girl beg to be handcuffed. For the first time, instead of avoiding the law, Chloe dreams of surrender. Can this rebel find a way to keep the peace with the straitlaced sheriff? Or will Chloe's colorful past keep her from a love that lasts and the safe haven she truly wants?



THREE GREAT REISSUES FROM JANET DAILEY

DANCE WITH ME

\$12.95 (ORIG 07/04)

"The Matchmakers" Kathleen Darrow loves a challenge and Jordan Long's two daughters certainly qualifies! The girls think she's wonderful, but will their dad ever get to meet her if he keeps taking business trips? The girls secret plan to play Cupid is genius, and once Jordan meets their temporary nanny, he's sure to fall in love.

"Fire And Ice" Alisa Franklin is devoted to her younger sister-and she'll do anything to keep her. But according to the terms of their mother's will, Alisa must marry to retain custody. Only Zachary Stuart, will accept her terms: a marriage in name only, for exactly one year. And Alisa is in for the surprise of her life. Zach's patience and his passion-are about to capture her heart forever.

THAT LOVING FEELING

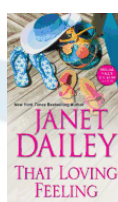
\$12.95 (ORIG 07/10)

"That Carolina Summer" Annette Long is on vacation and there is no better time to break a few rules. Especially the one about hotel employees not fraternizing with guests. Besides, handsome Josh Lord owns the place. The summer breeze must be making her giddy-or is it the way Josh looks at her? Whatever. Annette is ready to fall in love. "A Lyons Share" Contracts. Filing. Dealing with construction clients who need everything done yesterday. Capable as she is, Joan Somers is totally fed up. But Brandt Lyon, her high-powered boss, doesn't want her to quit. And Joan has a feeling that he'd do anything to persuade her to stay.

CLOSE TO YOU

\$12.95 (ORIG 07/10)

"Tidewater Lover" Lacey Andrews is looking forward to getting away from it all at a friend's supposedly empty beach house. But there's one truly annoying hitch: Cole Whitfield got there first. And her unexpected roommate is much too sexy to ignore. "The Widow And The Wastrel" Elizabeth Carrel came to terms with tragedy years ago. Her life is quiet and orderly. But Jed, her late husband's brother, is back in town. Once a rebel, Jed Carrel set out on his own to make his mark on the world, though he's still anything but tame.



COMING HOME TO OTTERCOMBE BAY – BELLA OSBOURNE

\$29.95 TRADE P/BACK *REPACK*

Ottercombe Bay was originally published as a four-part serial. Daisy Wickens has returned to Ottercombe Bay, the picturesque town where her mother died when she was a girl. She plans to leave as soon as her great uncle's funeral is over, but Great Uncle Reg had other ideas. He's left Daisy a significant inheritance: an old building in disrepair, which could offer exciting possibilities, but to get it she must stay in Ottercombe Bay for twelve months. With the help of a cast of quirky locals, a few gin cocktails and a black pug with plenty of attitude, Daisy might just turn this into something special. But can she ever hope to be happy among the ghosts of her past?

DUNE DRIVE – MARIAH STEWART

BOOK #12 \$18.95

Start with Coming Home. Always believing she was an ugly duckling, Chrissy Jenkins thought she had finally turned into a swan when her real-life Prince Charming swept her off her feet. But as his true character began to crack his perfect facade, Chrissy realized that she was better off without him, and that she was the only one who had the power to transform her life. Returning to her home on Cannonball Island for a family wedding, Chrissy decides to reboot her life, reinventing herself as a chef at Blossoms. But despite her newfound self-confidence, she still doesn't trust her taste in men. So when she meets Jared Chandler, a ship salvager staying at the inn while he conducts a nearby recovery operation, Chrissy's certain she can keep him as a friend-even though he's everything any woman would want in a man. As fellow newcomers, together they discover the charm of the historic bayside town and explore the idyllic island. But when Chrissy agrees to be Jared's date for his father's wedding, they embark on a weekend that will find them each seeing the other in a completely different light, one that will change their lives forever.

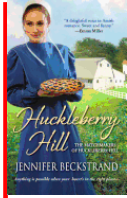


FAMILY TIES – BENSON/MORGAN

\$18.95 *2 IN 1*

"Cowboy in the Making" by Julie Benson. Jamie Westland's never felt at home, but now, on his grandfather's Colorado ranch, the pieces of his life are coming together. And Emma Donovan has so much to do with it. But when an opportunity comes along, he has to decide between his old life and the promise of a new one with Emma. "The Renegade Rancher" by Angi Morgan. For twenty years someone has been killing off Lindsey Cook's family. Brian Sloane is willing to protect her. Before long, the search for her stalker leads the cowboy into more trouble and into Lindsey's arms. Now he's ready to risk his life for her-and the secret her family has been dying for.





WE REALLY ENJOY JENNIFER BECKSTRAND HUCKLEBERRY HILL

BOOK #1 \$18.95

With their thirteen children grown, Anna and Felty Helmuth are ready for their next adventure. That means trying their hands at matchmaking. Lia Shetler is resigned to being a spinster. She's too tall and sturdy to ever be marriageable-so says her

overbearing dat. Instead, she's helping her spoiled sister Rachel secure the perfect husband-the Helmuths' grandson, Moses Zimmerman. But the more Lia sees of Moses' gently teasing ways and quiet understanding, the more she wishes he could be hers alone. Moses knew his grandparents couldn't resist trying to find him a wife. But he never expected it would be the graceful, sensible Lia-a woman who is tall enough to look him in the eye, and honest enough to make him question a promise holding him to his past.

HUCKLEBERRY SUMMER

BOOK #2 \$18.95

With one of their grandchildren happily married, Anna and Felty Helmuth are ready for their next matchmaking success. Cautious to a fault, Lily Eicher strives to live up to her dat's high standards. She's certainly not the kind of proper Amish girl who would make time for someone as impetuous as the Helmuths' grandson, Aden-even if his lively spirit and caring ways are showing her just how wonderful following her heart can be. Recklessly doing the right thing got Aden into big trouble. A fresh start at his grandparents' is just what he needs. And shy, pretty Lily is turning his world upside down and making him want to prove he can do good within the rules.



THE BILLIONAIRE BULL RIDER – KATE PEARCE BOOK #5 \$18.95

Start with The Reluctant Cowboy. Turning his back on his father's business empire was the smartest decision Rio Martinez ever made. Now, after a successful career the world champion bull rider is ready for a change of pace. While working the Morgan brothers' ranch Rio meets a French baker who makes him realise what's missing from his life. After her husband abandoned her, Yvonne Payet threw herself into running her dream café. In Morgantown, she found a place to call home. She cherishes her independence, and doesn't need another heartbreaker calling the shots. But Rio isn't just the sexiest cowboy she ever met-he's got great ideas for expanding her business. With a reality TV show on the horizon and her ex demanding a second chance, Yvonne has to decide which sunset she wants to ride off into.



TRUE BLUE COWBOY – SARA RICHARDSON BOOK #4 \$18.95

Start with Hometown Cowboy. Everly Brooks is finally living her dream. Renting a farm is the perfect antidote to her life back in San Francisco. It's the ideal place to run her farm-to-table restaurant. There's just one problem: her new landlord. Mateo Torres is a handsome bronc rider who oozes charm, melts hearts-and plans to kick Everly off the farm. Mateo bought that land as an investment, so he could take care of his mom and sisters, which means Everly has to go. Unfortunately for him, this former big-city girl is just as stubborn as the broncs he rides. When his trailer floods and forces him to move into Everly's farmhouse, things between them really start to heat up. Includes "Saved By The Cowboy" by A J Pine.



A LOVE FOR LEAH – AMY LILLARD BOOK #2 \$18.95

Book #1 A Home for Hannah. Independent-minded Leah Gingerich has always been outspoken. And even though she is now a Mennonite, she's rediscovering the joys of family traditions back in her Amish hometown. Yet she can't help but clash with her new Amish neighbor, Jamie Stoltzfus. He's too hard-headed

and old-line to see that his traumatized young nephew, Peter, needs help-or that a woman who stands up to him may be what *he* needs to heal. After a devastating tragedy, Jamie moved to Pontotoc with his nephew. Holding fast to his beliefs is the only way he feels he can aid Peter-and himself. But somehow, Leah's freethinking ways are sparking a happiness he's never felt before. Soon, Jamie can't imagine his life without her. But are their differences ultimately too great to overcome?

RANCHER BACHELOR – ALWARD/MCEWEN \$18.95 *2 IN 1*

"The Texan's Baby" by Donna Alward Aspiring bronc rider Chris Miller always hoped he'd see Lizzie Baron again, though not quite like this! The pregnancy is a surprise-and so is finding out she's a Dallas oil executive. But the more Chris gets to know Lizzie, the more he realizes he wants to be with her. "A Ranch to Keep" by Claire McEwen Samantha Rylant's life is coming together-promising career, awesome friends, perfect boyfriend. Then she inherits her grandmother's ranch and starts wondering where she truly belongs. And Jack Baron, the handsome, aggravating cowboy down the lane, is only complicating matters!



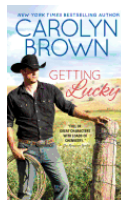
TRUSTING A HERO – SMITS/EAGLE \$18.95 *2 IN 1*

"A Family for Tyler" by Angel Smits. When Wyatt Hawkins discovers he has a nephew, he vows to be there for Tyler until his father returns. Too bad the judge in their custody case is interfering with Wyatt's plan. She has strong feelings about a single rancher raising a child and Wyatt can't help wondering

why. "The Prodigal Cowboy" by Kathleen Eagle. A political scandal in her South Dakota hometown could make reporter Bella Primeaux's career. Then she uncovers a possible connection between her story and her high school crush, Ethan Wolf Track. Ethan's reformed his wild ways, but he's as irresistible as ever! Still, he's hiding something. Will digging up the past cost Bella a future with the man she's falling for?

GETTING LUCKY – CAROLYN BROWN BOOK #3 \$18.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 01/10)

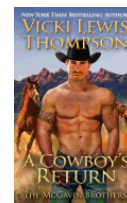
Book #1 Lucky in Love, Book #2 One Lucky Cowboy. A new start is exactly what Julie Donovan needs. So imagine her dismay when her new next-door neighbor is the twin brother of Graham Luckadeau, the soldier who fathered her child after a one night stand. Ever since Graham passed, Griffin has stayed focused on running the ranch. The last thing he needs is a distraction from the woman who moved into the ranch next door. But when his daughter insists she wants to be friends-or better yet, sisters -with the girl who looks like her twin, the sparks begin to fly.



VICKI LEWIS THOMPSON CONTINUES HER GREAT COWBOY SERIES A COWBOYS RETURN

BOOK #3 \$25.95 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 A Cowboys Strength, Book #2 A Cowboys Honor. Former Air Force pilot Ryker McGavin would rather face enemy fire than fly April Harris to Kalispell. Eleven years ago she broke his heart, and the wound still aches. But when her sister goes into labor two weeks early, he's the only one who can get her there in time. And he will, even if it kills him. Then the starboard engine conks out. Ryker has returned to Eagles Nest looking hotter than ever and rocking a tribal armband. April's far from immune, especially after he saves her life, proving he's every inch the hero she claimed she didn't want.



A COWBOYS HEART BOOK #4 \$25.95 TRADE P/BACK

When Bryce McGavin was left at the altar, he hung up his guitar for good. Music can't live in a broken heart. But now his brother Zane is getting married and wants Bryce to play for the ceremony. Bryce is in no condition to perform, let alone at a wedding. Nicole Williams just inherited a renovated Victorian and a cranky cat. Her new life in Eagles Nest fits her to a tee, especially after she sends her cat-hating, overbearing fiancé packing, and starts singing at the Guzzling Grizzly. She's on the rebound, so she has no business falling for a cowboy, especially one with emotional scars who turned his back on his music. But when he pulls her into his arms, rational thought goes out the window. He's even winning over her cat. They say that music soothes the savage beast, but can it mend a cowboy's broken heart?

A COWBOYS COURAGE BOOK #5 \$25.95 TRADE P/BACK

Firefighting cowboy Trevor McGavin is blindsided by his unexpected attraction to Olivia Shaw. But when her house is threatened by a wildfire in the middle of the night, he comes face to face with the sexy woman behind the strait-laced accountant's exterior. Young widow Olivia hasn't looked at another man since her husband died three years ago. She'd accepted her libido had died with him. Then Trevor strikes a match with his late-night heroics. No one replace her late husband, but is it wrong to crave the cowboy who brought passion back into her life?



Coming next month...

GOOD TIME COWBOY – MAISEY YATES BK #3
COWBOY CROSS MY HEART – DONNA GRANT BK #2
ESCAPADE – DIANA PALMER

COME BACK TO ME - SHARON SALA BK #6
A NICE DAY FOR A COWBOY WEDDING – NICOLE HELM BK #4
WIND RIVER LAWMAN – LINDSAY MCKENNA BK #6
A COWBOYS CHRISTMAS – VICKI LEWIS THOMPSON BK #6 T/P
ONE PERFECT KISS—JACI BURTON BK #8



Here is a new series we just discovered by Beth D Carter

ALONG CAME MERRIE

BOOK #1 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Merrie stumbles into a bad situation, forcing an outlaw motorcycle gang to 'deal' with her, but her escape leads her into the arms of two incredible men who change her life forever. Merrie Walden is in the wrong place at the wrong time. When she sees something she shouldn't, she's attacked by a vicious outlaw biker bent on shutting her up-permanently. She escapes him by jumping out of a moving car. Luckily, horse rancher Braden McClintock finds her and takes her for medical attention to his adopted brother, Leo Cloud Dancer. As she heals in the men's home, Merrie realizes that she's falling for both men. Braden is taciturn, while Leo is outgoing-both reaching a deep-seated need in Merrie that she never knew she had. However, the outlaw biker has discovered her hideout and even if she doesn't know what she witnessed, he sure as hell does-and he wants her silenced. Will Merrie have a chance to have a happily ever after with Braden and Leo?

TRUE NORTH

BOOK #2 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Allison is running from her past when she's kidnapped and left for dead. North and Givon are friends on opposite sides of the law but can they work together to save her-or will she save them instead? North Tabion and Givon Halloran have been friends their entire lives. Each has survived an abusive father only to end up on opposite sides of the law as adults. Givon is the town sheriff while North is the leader of the Red Wolves, an outlaw motorcycle club. However, they've managed to maintain a friendship that means everything to them. Allison Evening is on the run. Hiding out from an ex bent on vengeance, she's tending bar when she's kidnapped into a human trafficking ring. In a desperate attempt to free herself, she runs, only to be shot down and left for dead. North and Givon are in the right place at the right time. They save Allison and, as they nurse her back to health, the three find a bright, burning love. But when her past catches up with her, the only way to save herself and her newfound love is if she, North and Givon can follow love's true path.



WE HAVE JUST DISCOVERED THIS NEW SERIES FROM CELIA KYLE WRITING AS LAUREN CREED

HELLS CHAPEL

BOOK #1 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

I'm Caith Morningstar: bar owner, leather wearer, shoe worshipper, werewolf, Orlando's resident ass kicker and... Satan's niece. In the between-between On High and Hell-I've got three rules: order, secrecy, and if you can't manage that at least have some discretion. Wait, make that four: no one screws with me or my stuff. Orlando-land of that famous mouse-is my home and people are either gonna get in line or get out. Except someone didn't get that memo. Now, I'm gonna bust out my bat and smash some heads. I've got zombies demolishing my home, vampires chasing me, and on top of the normal violence in my life, I'm quickly falling for an angel. I can handle the blood, gore, and frustration, but can I deal with the pain of loving-possibly losing-the angel Samkiel? Probably not, but I'm gonna try anyway.



HELLS GATES

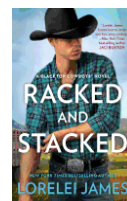
BOOK #2 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Orlando-land of that famous mouse-is on day three hundred sixty-two of my demon ban and life is... boring. Until a demon finds a way around my magical blockade with a new demonic drug. Now humans are getting high and disappearing while tweeners-magical beings that live in the land between On High and Hell-are grinding on my last, violent nerve. When my son is infected with the evil taint, I realize this demon has forgotten my rules: order, secrecy, discretion, and don't screw with me or my stuff. Bryony is mine. Orlando is mine. This dem's head? It's gonna be mine, too. But, as much as I want to deal with this alone, I can't. I have to face Samkiel-my fallen angel mate I lost to evil. On High has given him back some of his angelic mojo and I need his purifying hand to cleanse human souls, his help tracking down the local dealer, and him at my side when we locate the dem determined to get his claws into the mouse's house. I lost Sam once and survived. The question now is whether I can survive losing both of the men I love most? Or rather, will the world survive?

RACKED AND STACKED – LORELEI JAMES

BOOK #9 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Start with Corralled. Larissa "Riss" Thorpe defines the term tomboy-a moniker that never mattered to her until she crossed paths with Ike Palmer. Seeing him in action on the road, Riss can tell that Ike prefers his women soft-spoken and feminine. And since Riss is obviously not his type, it's unlikely that they'll mix business and pleasure. Former cattle broker Ike Palmer was ready for a new chapter in his life as a stock contractor when he started working with Riss, a sassy truck driver who gets under his skin at every turn. But Riss is unlike any woman he's ever met. After circumstances force a truce between them, Riss and Ike will have to choose to maintain the stubbornness that keeps them apart or take a chance on the fiery attraction that could lead to something more.



ROMES CHANCE – JOANNA WYLDE

BOOK #6.5 (2) \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Start with Reapers Property. Rome McGuire knew he was in trouble the first time he saw her. She was sweet and pretty and just about perfect in every way. She was also too young and innocent for the Reapers Motorcycle Club. He did the right thing, and walked away. The second time, he couldn't resist

tasting her. Gorgeous and smart, fun and full of wonder, she jumped on his bike and would've followed him anywhere. Still, she deserved a shot at happiness somewhere bigger and better than a town like Hallies Falls. Walking away wasn't so easy that time, but her family needed her and he had a job to do. When she came around a third time, he'd had enough. Randi Whittaker had been given two chances to escape, and now it was time for Rome to take his. This time, the only way Randi would be leaving Hallies Falls was on the back of Rome's bike.

KHLOE WREN CONTINUES HER CHARON MC SERIES

CLAIMING TINY

BOOK #4 \$12.95 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Inking Eagle, Book #2 Fighting Mac, Book #3 Chasing Taz. After being raised in foster care, Ryan "Tiny" Nelson has no plans to settle down. But that idea goes right out the window when Missy shows up at the clubhouse. One taste of the Charon MC's newest club whore and he's hooked. Love is the last thing on Mercedes 'Missy' Soto's mind when she runs to the Charon MC for protection. But the first time Tiny wraps his arms around her, he captures her heart. When things start unravelling, Missy panics and runs. Will Tiny find her in time or will he lose her forever once her past catches up with her?



TOP PICK

SAVING SCOUT

BOOK #5 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Twenty five years after first meeting the Charon MC's president, Scout, Marie is still waiting for him to realize they're meant to be together. But instead, he comes to her asking she hire his ex. Frustrated with his continued rejection, she leaves town for the weekend to clear her head and maybe find a man who'll help her forget her infatuation. When Scout first met Marie, she was way too young, and he hadn't been looking to settle down. Over the years, he'd never bothered to rethink his stance. When he learns Marie has fled town, he panics and realizes he needs to step up and claim what's his. Tracking her down, he approaches her at her hotel and he lets the sparks fly. But before they can ride off into the sunset, trouble brews and Scout is taken by an enemy that neither of them knew had been waiting for them. Can they overcome this latest hurdle to finally find their happily ever after? Or are they doomed to always be apart?



WHO DOESN'T LOVE MANDY M ROTH

KING OF PREY

BOOK #1 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

In a place where realms combine and portals open passages to the unknown, a prophecy speaks of fertility being restored to King Kabril's people through the taking of his mate. The prophecy neglects to mention she lacks something vital to his kind--wings. Kabril, king of the

Buteos Regalis, has no interest in taking a human mate. His kind believe humans are dirty, vile creatures who rely on machines to lift them into the air. The last place he wants to go in search of his mate is the realm of Earth, but he's left no choice. Never did he expect to find love on a planet with one moon, people who lack wings and a stubborn vixen who makes his heart soar. When he does, he fears the truth about who and what he truly is will steal it away. Little does he know his enemies fully intend on doing the taking.

A VIEW TO KILL

BOOK #2 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Sachin, head advisor to the king of the Accipitridae realm, has been forced to put his trips to Earth on hold. He's not been honest with himself or King Kabril about his need to visit the primitive planet. The king thinks him to be a womanizer, out to bed as many human females as possible. In truth, a woman he should have been able to woo with little to no effort-his mate-has found someone else to fill that void in her life. She wasn't supposed to be on Earth. She wasn't supposed to be human. And she sure the hell wasn't supposed to agree to marry another man while Sachin was away. Sachin must make a choice, give up the one woman he knows to be his true mate and let her live in ignorant bliss of what walks among her people, or fight for what's his, taking it at all costs. A trained assassin...a man even the deadliest of warriors fear. To cross him is foolish. To steal his heart is pure madness.



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HERES MORE FROM THE WONDERFUL BIANCA D'ARC

THE JAGUAR TYCOON BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Mark is the larger-than-life billionaire Alpha of the secretive Jaguar Clan. Business tycoon and man about town, he's the guest of honor at a society dinner in lower Manhattan. Shelly is at the dinner to network and possibly find some clients for her architectural design business. She comes from old money, but her family has fallen on hard times and she likes to work for her living. When a man she'd been chatting with starts shooting at Mark, Shelly is taken to a back room for questioning. When Shelly and Mark meet something changes forever. Her fate tangles with his as he introduces her to a world she never knew existed. A world where men turn into huge predatory cats and magic is real. Can the Alpha's dream come true? Commissioning Shelly to design a community on the private island Mark just purchased is a way to keep her close. It'll be up to the Alpha jaguar to convince her that they are meant to be, and to keep her safe from his enemies.

THE JAGUAR BODYGUARD BOOK #2 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Sworn to protect his Clan, Nick Balam heads to Hollywood to keep an eye on a rising star who has seen too much for her own good. She saw a young jaguar shifter transforming and may have damning evidence that could expose them all to the world. It's up to Nick, as head of security for the Jaguar Clan to assess the situation and take care of the problem. Unexpected fame has made a circus of Sullivan Lane's life, but when decapitated squirrels show up on her doorstep, she knows she needs professional help. Nick is able to insinuate himself into her security team. The only problem is once he gets close to her, he realizes she might very well be his mate. And she's in danger. His mission expands to keeping her safe, catching her stalker and then figuring out what she intends to do about her newfound knowledge of shifters. And if she has proof - he's going to have to destroy it, which could destroy any trust between them. Sparks fly and passions rise. Can he keep her safe and prevent her from revealing what she knows?

THE WOLFS SECRET VEGAS BRIDE – EVE LANGLAIS \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

After a soap opera of a week where Rory meets his real father, attempts a hostile business takeover, torches the family business, and almost gets arrested for attempted murder, he decides a relaxing weekend is just what he needs. Vegas has a way of making a man-even one who's part wolf-forget his troubles. Rory does such a good job of wiping his mind he doesn't even remember the wedding he receives an invoice for. Did he do the unthinkable? Rory sets out to find his blushing bride, only to discover the one thing he never expected. Love. But can a wolf have a happily ever after with a mate who is on the run from danger?

Coming next month...

IN MY SKIN – SHANNON MCKENNA T/P

DEMON FAMILIAR—QUINN/BERMINGHAM BOOK #1 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

When Neil Markovic witnesses the murder of his mother by Bone Men, his world is thrown into turmoil. On the run from the assassins that killed her, his sorcerer father and the police, Neil finds help in the form of a tall half-fae alchemist named Malachai. Mal seems more accepting than most of Neil's demon bloodline but curiously immune to his charms. Malachai Valentine, disgraced scion of a noble leprechaun clan, is happy living as an anonymous scrap dealer. Using his talent for alchemy to make fuel and potions, most days he doesn't even think of his ruinous past. When a scared young man with a fancy car crashes into his life, at first, Mal thinks he can do without the hassle. But as Neil begins to get under his skin, Mal reassesses. Harassed by megalomaniac fae and stalked by sorcerous killers, Malachai and Neil must fight to be free, and to find what they both always wanted.

TESTING LYSANDER – LM SOMERTON \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Extreme photographer Lysander Brock is accustomed to challenging places and situations but nothing can prepare him for the journey that his dominant lover, Kyle Dawson, takes him on. A commission to photograph the cloud forests of the Colombian Andes becomes the cover for a dangerous mission to expose a terrorist group. Brock and Lysander must negotiate treacherous terrain to achieve their goal. When Lysander is captured and tortured, he has no expectations of rescue. He understands that his life comes second to the mission but Kyle has no intention of leaving his beautiful, submissive lover in the hands of a madman.

JAKE – KATHI S BARTON BOOK #1 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Jake Winslow's marriage to the money grubbing shrew is over. Cutting off her funds, and the simple use of the word "no" sends her packing. When he comes home from work and finds his house empty of everything, including food, he feels-liberated. Jake's grandmother, Jenna, calls her friend and attorney, Forrest Stout, to handle Jake's divorce. She can't stand Jake's soon-to-be ex-wife and is leaving nothing to chance. Only the best for her grandson, and the best is Forrest. Forrest is a Were Tiger, and he knows "who" he is. He is an oddity in his paranormal world because he is gay. His kind mate for life, and after a recent disastrous attempt to find companionship, he has given up hope of finding his mate. From the moment Forrest meets Jake for the first time, he knows that Jake is his life mate, and he wants to run in the opposite direction because Jake isn't gay. How can he ask a straight man-that he wants with every fiber of his being-to conform to his way of life?

Coming next month...

DIGGING DEEPER – QUINN/BERMINGHAM BK #4 T/P

SERPENTINE – LAURELL K HAMILTON BOOK #26 \$45.95 H/COVER \$29.99 TRADE P/BACK

Start with Guilty Pleasures. A remote Florida island is the perfect wedding destination for the upcoming nuptials of Anita's fellow U.S. Marshal and best friend Edward. For Anita, the vacation is a welcome break, as it's the first trip she gets to take with just wereleopards Micah and Nathaniel. But it's not all fun and games and bachelor parties. In this tropical paradise Micah discovers a horrific new form of lycanthropy, one that has afflicted a single

family for generations. Believed to be the result of an ancient Greek curse, it turns human bodies into a mass of snakes. When long-simmering resentment leads to a big blowout within the wedding party, the last thing Anita needs is more drama. But it finds her anyway when women start disappearing from the hotel, and worse—her own friends and lovers are considered the prime suspects. There's a strange power afoot that Anita has never confronted before, a force that's rendering those around her helpless in its thrall. Unable to face it on her own, Anita is willing to accept help from even the deadliest places. Help that she will most certainly regret—if she survives at all.

WILD HUNGER—CHLOE NEILL BOOK #1 \$19.99 TRADE P/BACK

The first book of the Chicagoland Vampires spinoff series, a new vampire will find out just how deep blood ties run. As the only vampire child ever born, some believed Elisa Sullivan had all the luck. But the magic that helped bring her into the world left her with a dark secret. Shifter Connor Keene, the only son of North American Central Pack Apex Gabriel Keene, is the only one she trusts with it. But she's a vampire and the daughter of a Master and a Sentinel, and he's prince of the Pack and its future king. When the assassination of a diplomat brings old feuds to the fore again, Elisa and Connor must choose between love and family, between honor and obligation, before Chicago disappears forever.

HERE ARE THE FINAL BOOKS IN LINDA MOONEY'S SERIES ROSEMARY REALLY LOVES EVERY BATTLE LORDS NIGHTMARE BOOK #6 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Start with The Battle Lords Lady. Determined in his quest to bring peace between Normal and Muta compounds, Yulen D'Jacques accepts an invitation for him and Atty to attend a summit conference in the province of Corado. If the long trip isn't dangerous enough, they face an onslaught of illness and disease, as well as creatures they've never before encountered. Worse, once they arrive at Rocky Gorge compound, they discover a plot that will shatter their lives and their love. What follows is a harrowing experience of deceit and revenge served cold. And it soon becomes clear to Yulen and Atty that they will not survive this treachery.

THEIR BATTLE LORDS SACRIFICE BOOK #7 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Even though the truce between Mutahs and Normals is growing stronger there are still divisions. After surviving the trap set for them at Rocky Gorge, Yulen and Atty must return to Alta Novis to see how their people have fared. But after a brief stop in Wallis, they discover that Bloods have infiltrated both Mutah and Normal fortresses, blending in and biding their time until they receive the signal to attack. Someone is taking control of the surrounding fortresses and using trained Bloods to get what they want, but Yulen will protect his people at all costs. Aware of the Bloods' deception, the Battle Lord is left with no other choice but to continue on alone. With their daughter still nursing, Atty must stay behind, but when she senses Yulen is in danger, she will stop at nothing to save him.



SHADOWS BANE – KAREN CHANCE BOOK #4 \$18.95

Start with *Midnight's Daughter*. Dorina Basarab is a dhampir. As one of the Vampire Senate's newest members, Dory already has a lot on her plate. But then a relative of one of Dory's fey friends goes missing. They fear he's been sold to a slaver who arranges fights between different types of fey.

As Dory investigates, she and her friends learn the slavers are into something much bigger than a fight club. With the Vampire Senate gearing up for war with Faerie, it'll take everything she has to defeat the slavers-and deal with master vampire Louis-Cesare.

DREADFUL COMPANY – VIVIAN SHAW BOOK #2 \$19.99 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 *Strange Practice*. Dr. Greta Helsing's family has been keeping the supernatural community not-alive and well for generations. When she is unexpectedly called to Paris to present at a medical conference, she expects nothing more exciting than professional discourse on zombie reconstructive surgery and skin disease in bogeymen - and hopefully at least one night at the Opera. Unfortunately for Greta, Paris happens to be infested with a coven of vampires - and not the civilized kind. If she hopes to survive, Greta must navigate the darkest corners of the City of Lights where there is more to find than simply dead men's bones.



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DRAGONSWORN – SHERRILYN KENYON BOOK #27 \$22.95 *REPACK*

Start with *Night Pleasures*. There is nothing in the universe the cursed dragon, Falcyn, hates more than humanity except Greek humans. In a war he wanted no part of, they systematically destroyed everything he'd ever cared for. Now he waits for the day when evolution will finally rid him of the human vermin. Medea was born the granddaughter of the Greek god Apollo, and among the first of his people that he cursed to die. But she will not let anyone rule her life. Not even her grandfather. And when Apollo sends a new plague to destroy what remains of her people, she refuses to watch him take everything she loves from her again. This time, she knows of a secret weapon that can stop the ancient god and his army of demons. However, said device is in the hands of a dragon who wants nothing to do with politics, the gods, humanity, demons or Apollites. And especially not her.



STRAY MAGIC – KELLY MEDING BOOK #1 \$18.95

Shiloh Harrison was hoping for a few days off to recover from a particularly nasty assignment, preferably with the help of the talented hands (and, well, the rest of his body too) of her sexy boyfriend, Vincent. But when a group of vampires takes an entire trailer park hostage, there's nothing

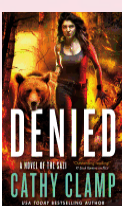


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to do but make her apologies and get to the scene. Such is the life of a Federal Marshal in the Paranormal Investigators Unit. Yet this isn't like her typical track-and-nab case: something is going on that has vampires scared, and it takes all her strength *not* to imagine what could frighten such powerful creatures. Unfortunately, she doesn't have that option. Her boss is MIA, someone is snatching vampires, and there's a ticking clock that can only end one way: a bloodbath. Unless she can stop it.

VAMPIRES FAITH – REBERCCA ZANETTI BOOK #8 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Start with *Fated*. Vampire King Ronan Kayrs wasn't supposed to survive the savage sacrifice he willingly endured to rid the world of the ultimate evil. He wasn't supposed to emerge in this time and place, and he sure as hell wasn't supposed to finally touch the woman who's haunted his dreams for centuries. Yet here he is, in an era where vampires are hidden, the enemy has grown stronger, and his mate has no idea of the power she holds. Dr. Faith Cooper is flummoxed by irrefutable proof that not only do vampires exist, they're hot blooded, able to walk in sunlight, and sexy. Faith has always depended on science, but the restlessness she feels around this predatory male defies reason. Especially when it grows into a hunger only he can satisfy-that is if they can survive the evil hunting them both.



DENIED – CATHY CLAMP BOOK #3 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 *Forbidden*, Book #2 *Illicit*. Anica Petrovic used to be human, until she was kidnapped and turned into a shapeshifter. Now she's a bear. Political strife in Serbia led Anica, her father, and her brother to settle in the Pacific Northwest, in a shifter community where all are welcome.

The town is rocked by a series of murders which appear to have been committed by a bear. Anica and her family are all bears, but she knows they are all innocent. Not so innocent is newcomer Tristan, also a bear-Anica's sensitive nose tells her he's hiding something, but she can't believe he's a killer. She's wrong. Tristan has killed-though he's innocent of the murders in Luna Lake. He's tracked an ancient evil to Anica's home town, and he'll do whatever is necessary to find and destroy it.

WARSONG – ELIZABETH VAUGHAN BOOK #6 \$27.95

Start with *Warprize*. The magic has come back to the Plains. The Warrior Priests are no more. The traditions are changing. Joden has only ever wanted to be a Singer, to know all of the songs. When the time comes for his Trials, he is challenged to take the old paths and it ends in disaster. But his broken heart and broken body are found by Amyu and she knows what it is to live with pain. Amyu should have gone to the snows long ago, but instead chose to live in shame. Cast out of her tribe, she now serves Queen Xylara and the Kingdom of Xy. Her new mission is to find the key to defeating the wyverns who attack from the sky but can a girl from the Plains control beasts who soar in the air? She knows that Joden has been brought to her by the winds, and they do what they will. Their love is forbidden by the Plains, and their dreams pull them in different directions but together they heal each other. If only they could heal their people, who are struggling with the ultimate goal: Who will be WarKing?



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THIS SERIES FROM PHILLIPA BORNKOVA SOUNDS REALLY INTERESTING

THIS CASE IS GONNA TO KILL ME BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

What happens when *The Firm* meets Anita Blake? You get the Halls of Power-our modern world, but twisted. Law, finance, the military, and politics are under the sway of long-lived vampires, werewolves, and the elven Alfai. Very loyal humans are rewarded with power over other women and men. Very lucky humans are selected to join the vampires, werewolves, and elves-or, on

occasion, to live at the Seelie Court. Linnet Ellery is the offspring of an affluent Connecticut family dating back to Colonial times. Fresh out of law school, she's beginning her career in a powerful New York "white fang" law firm. She has high hopes of eventually making partner. But strange things keep happening to her. In a workplace where some humans will eventually achieve immense power and centuries of extra lifespan, office politics can be vicious beyond belief. After some initial missteps, she finds herself sidelined and assigned to unpromising cases. Then, for no reason she can see, she becomes the target of repeated random violent attacks, escaping injury each time through increasingly improbable circumstances. However, there's apparently more to Linnet Ellery than a little old-money human privilege. More than even she knows.

BOX OFFICE POISON BOOK #2 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

What happens when exquisitely beautiful elves start getting all the roles in Hollywood? Human actors sue, that's what. In an attempt to keep the squabbling inside the Screen Actors Guild from going public, the president of SAG forces the two sides into arbitration. Enter Linnet Ellery to serve as arbitrator. Linnet discovers that there are sinister forces at work in Tinsel Town determined to shatter the fragile peace between the supernatural and humans. Someone has been coercing elven actors into committing terrible acts of violence against humans that could turn the tide of public opinion against all the supernatural Powers. During the course of her investigations Linnet realizes that a puzzling secret surrounds her, and that a strange power has been affecting her life.



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PUBLISH AND PERISH BOOK #3 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Linnet Ellery has proved she has extraordinary luck-and not just in the courtroom. She has walked unscathed through events that would kill a normal person. Linnet's elven ex-boyfriend is trapped in Fairyland, and Linnet will have to lead a raid into Fey to free him-alongside her boss, whom she is falling in love with. But a love affair between a vampire and a human is strictly forbidden, and any violation is punishable by death for both parties. As events unfold, Linnet determines the source of her mysterious power, and is dismayed to discover that she is the most dangerous person in the world to her vampire and werewolf friends. The more secrets and treachery she uncovers, the more Linnet realizes that a decision must be made: Can she be her true self, without sacrificing everyone she cares about?



SWORDS AGAINST DARKNESS – LACKEY/BEAR/ETAL \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Flashing swords and fearsome magicks, high adventure and wondrous wizardry, dread monsters and vast rewards. From its swashbuckling beginnings of good vs evil battles to havoc shaped by grittier perspectives, ambiguous morality, deep history and expansive worldbuilding-readers continue to be thrilled by the exploits of great warriors and mighty mages.





HERES A NEW SERIES FROM ELIZABETH HUNTER

SHADOWS AND GOLD

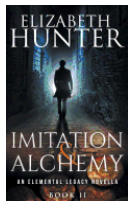
BOOK #0.5(1) \$23.95 TRADE P/BACK

Failing grades. Misleading wind vampires. And a fortune in forgotten gold. Traveling to the most remote region of China certainly wasn't what Ben Vecchio had in mind for his summer vacation, but when Tenzin suggested a quick trip, he could hardly turn down a chance to keep her out of trouble and practice the Mandarin he still struggled with in class. Of course, Tenzin might not have been clear about everything travel entailed. Driving a truck full of rotting vegetables and twenty million in gold from Kashgar to Shanghai was only the start. If Ben can keep the treasure away from grasping immortals, the reward will be more than worth the effort. But when his travel with a five-thousand-year-old wind vampire ever been simple?

IMITATION AND ALCHEMY

BOOK #0.5(2) \$23.95 TRADE P/BACK

All Ben Vecchio wanted was a quiet summer before his last semester of university. Was that too much to ask? All Tenzin wanted was a cache of priceless medieval coins that had been missing for several hundred years. And some company. Phrases like "never again" don't mean much when you've been a vampire for several thousand years. And promises made in the heat of anger don't always outweigh the lure of gold. Ben Vecchio thought he knew everything there was to know about the immortals of Italy. But when Tenzin tempts him into another adventure, finding a cache of rare gold coins missing since the nineteenth century, he'll discover that familiar places can hold the most delicious secrets. And possibly the key to his future.



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ALLIANCE – KS DUNSTALL

BOOK #2 \$18.95

Book #1 Linesman. The lines. The soul of every ship. It was once thought there were only ten, but that was before an alien vessel appeared at the edge of space-before Ean Lambert heard more lines singing. Ean's ways of communicating with lines is strange. But his abilities make him a valuable tool-or weapon-to command. Captain Selma Kari Wang has lost everything-her ship, her crew, her legs. But the New Alliance of Worlds is not done with her yet. After they rebuild her body, they send her to captain one of the new alien ships, teaming her up with Ean, the only one who can understand the alien lines. Kari Wang and Ean are poised on the threshold of discoveries that could change the world. But not everyone wants the New Alliance to control the secrets they uncover-and those who oppose won't hesitate to do whatever it takes to stop them.

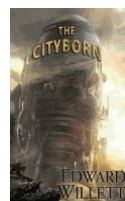
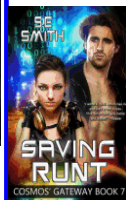


SAVING RUNT – SE SMITH

BOOK #6 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Start with Tinks Neverland. Amelia 'Runt' Thomas lives in the shadows playing a game of cat and mouse with the most ruthless criminals in the world. She lives her life by two codes-the code of the digital world and a personal code to bring down the baddies of the world. She is on target

until one fateful night when the touch of a strange man sends a shock wave through her. Now, the faint whispers in her head are growing louder and more annoying, distracting her from her mission. Derik 'Tag Krell Manok's search for the woman who changed his life nearly two years before is finally over. As a Prime warrior, he knew the moment he touched Amelia that she was his bond mate-but she disappeared before he could whisk her away to safety. He is determined not to let that happen again, but he also knows that he needs to proceed with caution because Amelia is unlike any woman he has ever known before.



THE CITYBORN – EDWARD WILLETT

\$18.95

The metal City towers at the center of the mountain-ringed Heartland, ruled with an iron fist by the First Officer and his Provosts in the name of the semi-mythical Captain. Within its walls lies a stratified society, where the Officers dwell in luxury on the 12th Tier while the poor struggle to survive on the 1st and 2nd, and outcasts scabble and fight for whatever they can find in the Middens, the City's rubbish heap. Alania, ward of an Officer, lives on 12th. Alania feels as though she is some sort of pampered prisoner, never permitted to explore the many levels of the City. Danyl, raised by a scavenger, knows no home but the Middens. His sole ambition is to escape from this subsistence existence and gain entrance to the City. Their two very different worlds collide when Alania, fleeing from an unexpected ambush, plunges from the heights of the City down to the Middens, and into Danyl's life. Almost immediately, both of them find themselves pursued by the First Officer's Provosts, for reasons they cannot fathom-but which they must uncover if they are to survive.

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A WOLF APART—MARIA VALE

BOOK #2 \$18.95

Book #1 The Last Wolf. Thea Villalobos has long since given up trying to be what others expect of her. So in Elijah Sorensson she can see through the man of the world to a man who is passionate to the point of heartbreak. But something inside him is dying. Elijah Sorensson has all kinds of outward success: bespoke suits, designer New York City apartment, women clamoring for his attention. Except Elijah despises the human life he's forced to endure. He's Alpha of his generation of the Great North Pack, and the wolf inside him will no longer be restrained.



DARK KINGS COMPILATION – DONNA GRANT

\$35.00 TRADE P/BACK *3 IN 1* *REPACK*

"Dragon King" #6.5 Grace Clark has never colored outside of the law, but she has a book due and has found the perfect spot to break through her writer's block. Right up until Arian appears and tries to force her away from the mountain. Arian is a Dragon King who has slept away centuries in his cave. Recently woken, he's about to leave his mountain to join his brethren in a war when he's alerted that someone has crossed onto Dreagan. He's ready to fight until he sees the woman. She's innocent and mortal - and she sets his blood aflame. "Dragon Fever" #9.5 Rachel Marek is a journalist with a plan. She intends to expose the truth about dragons to the world - and her target is within sight. Nothing matters but getting the truth, especially not the ruggedly handsome Highlander who oozes danger and charm. Suave, dashing Asher is more than just a man. He's a Dragon King. With everything on the line, Asher must choose to trust an enemy in the form of an all too alluring woman whose tenacity and passion captivate him. "Dragon Burn" # 11.5 A promise made eons ago sends Sebastian to Italy on the hunt to find an enemy. His quarry proves difficult to locate, but there is someone who can point him in the right direction - a woman as frigid as the north. Gianna Santini has one love in her life - work. A failed marriage was evidence enough to realize she was better off on her own. That is until a handsome Scot strolled into her life and literally swept her off her feet. She is unprepared for the blazing passion between them or the truth he exposes.



VANGUARD—ANN AGUIRRE

BOOK #4 \$16.99 TRADE P/BACK *REPACK*

Start with Enclave. Since the war ended, Tegan has dreamed of an epic journey, so when she has the opportunity to sign on as ship's doctor, she can't wait. It's past time to chart her course. Millie Faraday, the kindest girl in the free territories, also yearns to outrun her reputation, and warrior-poet James

Morrow would follow Tegan to the ends of the earth. Their company seems set, but fate brings one more to their number. Tegan will battle incredible odds while aiding Szarok, the Uroch vanguard, who has ventured forth to save his people. Szarok is strange and beautiful, like a flower that blooms only in the dark. She shouldn't allow him close, as such a relationship is both alien and forbidden. But through stormy seas and strange lands, she will become stronger than she ever knew.

MARINA J LOSTETTER HAS WRITTEN AN INTERESTING SERIES



NOUMENON

BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Astrophysicist Reggie Straifer has an idea. He's discovered an anomalous star that appears to defy the laws of physics, and proposes the creation of a deep-space mission to find out whether the star is a weird natural phenomenon, or something more alien. The journey will take eons. In order to maintain the genetic talent of the original crew, humankind's greatest ambition-to explore the

furthest reaches of the galaxy-is undertaken by clones. But a clone is not a perfect copy, and each new generation has its own quirks, desires, and neuroses. As the centuries fly by, the society living aboard the nine ships changes and evolves, but their mission remains the same: to reach Reggie's mysterious star and explore its origins and implications.

NOUMENON INFINITY

BOOK #2 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Generations ago, Convoy Seven and I.C.C. left Earth on a mission that would take them far beyond the solar system. Launched by the Planet United Consortium, a global group formed to pursue cooperative Earth-wide interests in deep space, nine ships headed into the unknown to explore a distant star called LQ Pyx. Eons later, the convoy has returned to LQ Pyx to begin work on the Web, the alien megastructure that covers the star. Is it a Dyson Sphere, designed to power a civilization as everyone believes-or something far more sinister? Meanwhile, Planet United's littlest convoy, long thought to be lost, reemerges in a different sector of deep space. What they discover holds the answers to unlocking the Web's greater purpose. Each convoy possesses a piece of the Web's puzzle but they may not be able to bring those pieces together and uncover the structure's true nature before it's too late.





DANGEROUSLY DRIVEN BOOK #4 \$25.95 TRADE P/BACK



Start with Dangerously Charming. Neither Mikhail, Alexei, nor Gregori are enthusiastic about the invitation to join the three Baba Yagas at Bella's home in the Wyoming woods. But Bella and her apprentice Jazz have just spent a year in the Otherworld after Jazz's disastrous attempt to cure the Riders' loss of their immortality, so it isn't really a summons

any of them can refuse. As much as they might wish they could. Each brother has his own reason to feel guilty, and they all mourn what they have lost despite having built themselves rewarding new lives. None of them is quite ready for a reunion. But they no longer have all the time in the world. So they get on their enchanted steeds (now a black Harley, a red Ducati, and a white Yamaha) and head out across the country, never expecting the adventures that lie ahead. The brothers travel different roads to get to Wyoming, but they all end up on the same path. A surprise visit from an old friend might just show them that the journey is more important than the destination...especially when you travel it with those you love.

ONE NIGHT WITH THE VALKYRIE/ ENCHANTER REDEEMED – GODMAN/ ASHWOOD

\$19.95 *2 in 1*

"One Night with the Valkyrie" by Jane Godman. While tracking down his brother, billionaire Adam Lyon is struck dumb by a vision of a beautiful woman in armor. When this vision comes to life, Adam discovers that valiant Valkyrie Maja may be a dream come true, but their passion violates the gods' laws. Soon the love between the CEO and the shield maiden hangs in the balance—as does the fate of the world. "Enchanter Redeemed" by Sharon Ashwood. In the last battle for Camelot, Merlin made a terrible choice. Now he must pay the price. When a demon from his past reappears, she vows to reap her vengeance as a lover scorned. She occupies the body of Clary—the apprentice who is capturing Merlin's heart—pushing the forbidden desire Clary and Merlin share into heated play.



HERES A GREAT DYSTOPIAN SERIES BY ALEX SCARROW PLAGUE LAND (ORIG REMADE)

BOOK #1 \$16.99 TRADE P/BACK *REPACK/RENAME*

Leon and his younger sister, Grace, have recently moved to London from New York and are struggling to settle into their new school when rumors of an unidentified plague in Africa begin to fill the news. Within a week, the virus hits London. The siblings witness people turning to liquid before their eyes, and they run for their lives. A month after touching Earth's atmosphere, the virus has wiped out most of the population. Desperate to stay alive, Leon and Grace are reluctantly taken in by a tight-knit group of survivors. But as they struggle to win their trust, the siblings realize that the virus isn't their only enemy, and survival is just the first step.



PLAGUE NATION (ORIG REBORN)

BOOK #2 \$16.99 TRADE P/BACK *REPACK/RENAME*

Eighteen months have passed since the events of Plague Land. Leon and Freya have seen no sign of the virus, clinging on to the hope that two hard winters just may have killed it off. When news of a rescue ship arriving off the coast comes in, the pair are on the move once again. But all is not as safe as it seems. The virus has been busy, it has learned and evolved. And now, it is reborn.

PLAGUE WORLD

BOOK #3 \$16.99 TRADE P/BACK *REPACK*

It happened within a week. Survival was just the start of it. It has a plan... Leon is stuck in England. Grace is on her way to New Zealand and Freya to the 'New United States' in Cuba. The virus has assimilated all of humanity except for these three communities and now it is prepared to talk with them. How they each choose to respond to the virus, will ultimately decide their fate.



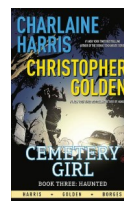
THE SERPENT – SARAH FINE BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Ernestine "Ernie" Terwilliger has put her dreams aside to look after her eccentric mother. Case in point: saving her from a mysterious stranger who's just stormed the terrified woman's antique store wearing a rattlesnake tattoo, leveling threats, and brandishing the weirdest deck of cards Ernie's

ever seen. When Ernie grabs some of the cards and runs, she's launched into a world she never knew existed—one her mother may know more about than she's revealing. With a handful of stolen cards, Ernie has just been made an unwilling player in a game of good versus evil. But she's not even playing with a full deck, and its original owner is more than happy to kill to get his cards back. Suddenly Ernie's matching wits and plays with the supernatural Immortal Dealers, who can raise empires, damn souls, and shape the world's destiny. It's up to Ernie to defeat the most brutal member of their order. And if her roguish new ally isn't bluffing, he can help. The mystery is all in the cards, and to save her life--and humanity--Ernie had better learn how to deal.

HAUNTED – CHARLAINE HARRIS BOOK #3 \$29.99 TRADE P/BACK *MANGA*

Book #1 The Pretenders, Book #2 Inheritance. They call her the Ghost of Dunhill Cemetery, but most people think 'the Cemetery Girl' is just a story. In some ways, that's true. Her chosen name is Calexa Rose Dunhill, but she doesn't know her real name. When she first arrived here, all she knew was that someone had tried to murder her: they'd dumped her body and left her for dead. Calexa has been hiding out here, afraid to seek out her true identity for fear that her would-be murderer would find her and finish the job. And someone is searching for her, a man named Salazar, who holds the key that will unlock the secrets of Calexa's past. Calexa has new secrets as well, including the fact that she was murdered: she did die, if only for a moment - but in that moment, something changed inside her. Now, if someone dies near her, their spirit is drawn to Calexa, drawn into her. It has happened twice before, but now, as her worst fears come true and the killers have found her trail, the third ghost to take up residence in Calexa's soul will change everything. The Cemetery Girl's story is about to reach a shocking conclusion!



THIS MONSTEROUS THING – MACKENZI LEE \$16.99 TRADE P/BACK *REPACK*

In an alternative fantasy world where some men are made from clockwork parts and carriages are steam powered, Alasdair Finch, a young mechanic, does the unthinkable after his brother dies: he uses clockwork pieces to bring Oliver back from the dead. But the resurrection does not go as planned, and Oliver returns more monster than man.

Even worse, the novel Frankenstein is published and the townsfolk are determined to find the real-life doctor and his monster. With few places to turn for help, the dangers may ultimately bring the brothers together--or ruin them forever.



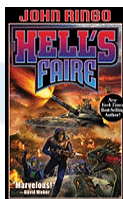
HERE ARE THREE GREAT RELEASES FROM JOHN RINGO



WHEN THE DEVIL DANCES

BOOK #3 \$18.95 *REPACK*

Book #1 A Hymn Before Battle, Book #2 Gust Front After five years of battling invaders, human civilization prepares a strike to drive the aliens from the Earth. But the Clan-Lord of the Sten has learned from the defeats humans have dealt him, and has his own plan. When he squares off against Major O'Neal, the only winner will be Satan himself.



HELLS FAIRE

BOOK #4 \$18.95 *REPACK*

With the defenses of the Southern Appalachians sundered, the only thing standing between the ravening Posleen hordes and the soft interior of the Cumberland Plateau are the veterans of 555th Mobile Infantry. Dropped into Rabun Pass, with a couple of million Posleen behind them and fourteen million to the front, the only question is which will run out first: power, bullets or bodies. But they have a hole card: far to the north the shattered SheVa Nine is undergoing a facelift. Rising from its smoking ashes is a new weapon of war, armed with the most advanced weaponry Terra has ever produced, capable of facing both the Posleen hordes and their redoubtable space-cruisers. Capable of dealing out hell as only SheVa Nine can. If Mike O'Neal and the other members of the 555th are going to survive, it will come down to how much Posleen butt Bun-bun can kick. *Prepare to eat antimatter*, Posleen-boy.



BLACK TIDE RISING

BOOK #5 \$18.95 *REPACK*

Start with Under a Graveyard Sky. **RESIST THE ZOMBIE PLAGUE!** Top authors bring new perspectives to John Ringo's Black Tide Rising universe, in which humanity fights back against the hordes of infected. The news that humanity had been dreading for ages had come true. Zombies are real. Worst of all, we created them. The apocalypse was upon us, and every man, woman and child had to answer a simple question of themselves: "What do we do now?" For a group of neighbors in the Chicago suburbs of Northern Indiana, it was "work together or die..." and figure out how to live on top of oil storage tanks to keep the zombies at bay. For the Biological Emergency Response Teams in New York City, it was "how long can we fight off the infected before it's too late" ... as well as having to fight other groups all out to claim a dwindling stock of supplies and safety. And for a group of cheerleaders, it was about the end of their world. And about what happens when you get a group of physically fit young women with guns really, *really* angry.

COMPETENCE – GAIL CARRIGER

BOOK #3 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK \$45.95 H/COVER



Book #1 Prudence, Book #2 Imprudence. Accidentally abandoned! All alone in Singapore, proper Miss Primrose Tunstell must steal helium to save her airship, the *Spotted Custard*, in a scheme involving a lovesick werecat and a fake fish tail. When she uncovers rumors of a new kind of vampire, Prim and the *Custard* crew embark on a mission to Peru. There, they encounter airship pirates and strange atmospheric phenomena, and are mistaken for

representatives of the Spanish Inquisition. Forced into extreme subterfuge (and some rather ridiculous outfits) Prim must also answer three of life's most challenging questions: Can the perfect book club give a man back his soul? Will her brother ever stop wearing his idiotic velvet fez? And can the amount of lard in Christmas pudding save an entire species?



A STUDY IN HONOR – CLAIRE O'DELL

\$29.95 TRADE P/BACK



Dr. Janet Watson knows firsthand the horrifying cost of a divided nation. While treating broken soldiers on the battlefields of the New Civil War, a sniper's bullet shattered her arm and ended her career. Honorably discharged and struggling with the semi-functional mechanical arm, she returns to the nation's capital, a bleak, edgy city in the throes of a fraught presidential election. Homeless and jobless, Watson is uncertain of the future when she meets Sara Holmes, a mysterious yet playfully challenging covert agent who offers the doctor a place to stay. Watson's readjustment to civilian life is complicated by the infuriating antics of her strange new roommate. But the tensions between them dissolve when Watson discovers that soldiers from the New Civil War have begun dying and that the deaths may be the tip of something far more dangerous. Joining forces, Watson and Holmes embark on a thrilling investigation to solve the mystery and secure justice for these fallen soldiers.



HERE ARE 3 FROM HEATHER GRAHAM

PALE AS DEATH

BOOK #25 \$22.95

Start with Phantom Evil. The crime scene is horrific: the corpse of a young actress, drained of blood and cut in two. LAPD Detective Sophie Manning's new case is high-profile and difficult-there's no evidence to work with. And it's a

disturbing echo of the infamous Black Dahlia killing. Sophie is burning the candle at both ends, desperate to catch the murderer before he strikes again, when she starts to experience inexplicable visits from ghosts. Bruce McFadden has a particular talent that can help Sophie-he can speak with the dead. As a consultant for the FBI's paranormal team, the Krewe of Hunters, he's been tasked with Sophie's case and they're forced to partner up. But Sophie doesn't want his help, and she doesn't want to share his peculiar skill. And she certainly isn't ready for love, despite Bruce's attentions. As the killer taunts the police, Sophie and Bruce will discover that the threat is closer to home than they'd ever realized. Working side by side is the only way they'll stop this deadly sequel.

HARDBOILED HORROR – GRAHAM/ MAYBERRY/ETAL

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There's something out there in the dark. There's always something watching. There's always something reaching for you. Always. And sometimes there's someone you can call. Someone you can hire. Good guys but not always nice guys. Hardboiled Horror collects fifteen original tales of noir mystery shot through with elements of horror and the supernatural. Occult detectives, paranormal investigators, seedy P.I.s, amateur sleuths and ghost hunters tackle the cases no one else can handle. The killer lineup includes Heather Graham, Kevin J. Anderson, Rachel Caine, Scott Sigler, Seanan McGuire, Alethea Kontis, Jonathan Maberry, Chris Ryall, Dana Fredsti, Jim Beard, Jacopo della Quercia, John Gilstrap, Jon McGoran, Josh Malerman, Max Allan Collins & Matthew V. Clemens, Lois H. Gresh and Nancy Holder.



SCREAM AND SCREAM AGAIN –GRAHAM/CORSI STAUB/ETAL

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A harrowing array of scary stories that all have one thing in common: each either begins or ends with a scream! With twenty never-before-published scary stories from some of the most popular authors today-including Chris Grabenstein, Wendy Corsi Staub, Heather Graham, Peter Lerangis, R.L. Stine, Bruce Hale, Emmy Laybourne, Steve Hockensmith, Lisa Morton, Ray Daniel, Beth Fantaskey, Phil Mathews, Carter Wilson, Doug Levin, Jeff Soloway, Joseph S. Walker, Alison McMahan, Daniel Palmer, Tonya Hurley, and Stephen Ross.



Here is an interesting series by Becky Chambers

THE LONG WAY TO A SMALL ANGRY PLANET

BOOK #1 \$19.99 TRADE P/BACK *REPACK*

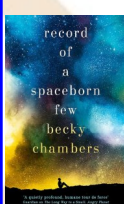


When Rosemary Harper joins the crew of the Wayfarer, she isn't expecting much. The patched-up ship has seen better days, but it offers her everything she could possibly want: a spot to call home, a chance to explore the far-off corners of the galaxy and some distance from her past. And nothing could be further from what she's known than the crew of the Wayfarer. From Sissix, the exotic reptilian pilot, to Kizzy and Jenks, the chatty engineers who keep the ship running, to the noble captain Ashby, life aboard is chaotic and crazy-exactly what Rosemary wants. That is, until the crew is offered the job of a lifetime: tunneling wormholes through space to a distant planet. Sure, they'll earn enough money to live comfortably for years, but risking her life wasn't part of the job description. But along the way, Rosemary comes to realize that a crew is a family, and that family isn't necessarily the worst thing in the universe as long as you actually like them.

A CLOSED AND COMMON ORBIT

BOOK #2 \$19.99 TRADE P/BACK *REPACK*

Lovelace was once merely a ship's artificial intelligence. When she wakes up in a new body, following a total system shut-down and reboot, she has no memory of what came before. As Lovelace learns to negotiate the universe and discover who she is, she makes friends with Pepper, an excitable engineer, who's determined to help her learn and grow. Together, Pepper and Lovelace will discover that no matter how vast space is, two people can fill it together.



RECORD OF A SPACEBORN FEW

BOOK #3 \$29.99 TRADE P/BACK

Hundreds of years ago, the last humans on Earth boarded the Exodus Fleet in search of a new home among the stars. After centuries spent in space, their descendants were eventually accepted by the well-established species that govern the Milky Way. Today, the Exodus Fleet is a living relic, the birthplace of many, yet a place few outsiders have ever visited. As many Exodans leave for alien cities or terrestrial colonies, those who remain are left to ponder their own lives and futures: What is the purpose of a ship that has reached its destination? Why remain in space when there are habitable worlds available to live? What is the price of sustaining their carefully balanced way of life-and is it worth saving at all? A young apprentice, a lifelong spacer with young children, a planet-raised traveler, an alien academic, a caretaker for the dead, and an Archivist whose mission is to ensure no one's story is forgotten, wrestle with these questions. The answers may seem small on the galactic scale, but to these individuals, it could mean everything.

Coming next month...

MAGIC TRIUMPHS – ILONA ANDREWS BK #10 H/C
MEMOIRS OF A DRAGON HUNTER – Katie MacAlister BK #6
DARK SENTINEL – CHRISTINE FEEHAN BK #32 H/C & T/P
THE WITCH WHO COURTED DEATH – Maria Lewis BK #1 T/P
MAVERICK – CHERYL BROOKS BK #1
STYGIAN – SHERRILYN KENYON BK #28 H/C & T/P
BOUND TO THE BEAR – KATHY LYONS BK #5 T/P

WEDDING AT ROCKING S RANCH – KATHRYN ALBRIGHT

\$18.95

When Cassandra Stewart fulfills her husband's dying wish by visiting the ranch he loved, she plans to sell it. But then she meets his best friend. As aloof, ruggedly handsome Wolf shows Cassandra the value of life in the prairies, tenderness begins to grow from their shared pain into something more... Maybe there's a future for her at the Rocking S Ranch after all.





BORN TO BE WILDE – ELOISA JAMES

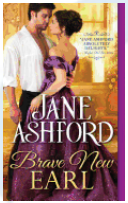
BOOK #3 \$18.95



Book #1 Wilde in Love, Book #2 Too Wilde to Wed. For beautiful, witty Lavinia Gray, there's only one thing worse than having to ask the appalling Parth Sterling to marry her: being turned down by him. Now the richest bachelor in England, Parth is not about to marry a woman as reckless and fashion-obsessed as Lavinia; he's chosen a far more suitable bride. But when he learns of Lavinia's desperate circumstances, he offers to find her a husband. Even better, he'll find her a prince. As usual, there's no problem Parth can't fix. But the more time he spends with the beguiling Lavinia, the more he finds himself wondering. Why does the woman who's completely wrong feel so right in his arms?

BRAVE NEW EARL – JANE ASHFORD

BOOK #1 \$18.95



Widower Benjamin Romilly, Earl of Furness, lives a melancholy life. The loss of his wife in childbirth four years before has robbed him of all happiness. He can barely look at his son, who resembles his mother so strongly and is a constant reminder of her loss. But Jean Saunders, a relative of Benjamin's late wife, erupts into the grief-stricken household to restore order and take Benjamin's son away. From all Jean has heard, she assumes he won't care--but she doesn't know how wrong she is. As they come together to raise Geoffrey right, their budding attraction is undeniable. And when a nosey neighbor gets in their way, Jean has to face her darkest fears before all is made right.



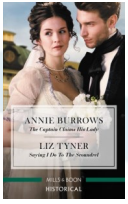
WEDDING THE WIDOW – JENNA JAXON

BOOK #2 \$12.95

Book #1 Too Woo a Wicked Widow. Of all the widows of Lyttlefield Park, Elizabeth Easton seems least likely to remarry. Though many gentlemen would love to get to know the charming Mrs. Easton better, she is devoted to the memory of her late husband. Which is why she's so shocked to be overtaken by passion during a harvest festival, succumbing to an unforgettable interlude with the handsome Lord Brack. After enduring years of war, Jemmy, Lord Brack, plans to defer matrimony in favor of carefree pleasure. But who could resist a lifetime with Elizabeth Easton, a woman as marvelously sensual as she is sweet? Yet despite their mutual desire, she refuses to consider his proposal. With scandal looming, and their families bitterly opposed to the match, Jemmy must find a way to convince Elizabeth to risk her wary heart on him--and turn one infamous night into forever.

THE CAPTAIN CLAIMS HIS LADY/SAYING I DO TO THE SCOUNDREL – BURROWS/TYNER

\$18.95 *2 IN 1*



“The Captain Claims His Lady” by Annie Burrows. Shy Lizzie Hutton knows her height and clumsiness alone make her a debutante to avoid. Until she meets tall, strong and striking Captain Harry Bretherton, who takes a surprising interest in her! Their intense chemistry makes him hard to resist if only it weren't for the secrecy around his past. “Saying I Do To The Scoundrel” by Liz Tyner. Katherine Wilder will do anything to escape her forced marriage, even ask Brandt Radcliffe to kidnap her! Only she doesn't expect a man so disreputable to say no! With her father now desperate to marry her off to line his own pockets, widower Brandt has become her reluctant protector and it seems the only way he can do that is to marry her himself!



THE DUKE BUYS A BRIDE – SOPHIE JORDAN

BOOK #3 \$18.95



Book #1 While The Duke Was Sleeping, Book #2 The Scandal Of It All. The last thing Marcus, the Duke of Autenberry, expects to see after sleeping off a night's drunken shenanigans is a woman being auctioned in the village square. Before he can think about the ramifications, he buys her, thinking he's winning the girl her freedom. Instead, he discovers he's bought a wife. Alyse Bell is almost rid of the shackles that bound her in a name-only marriage, but the day her friend promised to purchase her in a wife auction, he vanishes, leaving her to face a mob of unsavory bachelors intent on owning her body and soul. But the appearance of a wicked, wealthy stranger changes her path forever. Marcus doesn't know what to do with the impertinent chit who clearly isn't duchess material! Insisting their marriage isn't legitimate, they leave for his estate in Scotland, hoping to devise a plan to get rid of each other. However, on a journey fraught with misadventure, their attraction grows, and Marcus realizes he'll do anything to keep this fiery woman for his own.

CHRISTI CALDWELL HAS 3 GREAT RELEASES THIS MONTH

THE VIXEN

BOOK #2 \$29.95 TRADE P /BACK



Book #1 The Hellion. Set apart by her beauty and demeanor, Ophelia Killoran has always been a mystery to those around her. No one would guess that she spends her nights protecting the street urchins of St. Giles. Ophelia knows what horrors these children face. As a young girl, she faced those horrors herself, and she would have died if not for the orphan boy who saved her life. A notorious investigator, Connor Steele never expected to encounter Ophelia Killoran on his latest case. It has been years since he sacrificed himself for her. Now, she hires orphans from the street to work in her brother's gaming hall. But where does she find the children and what are her intentions? Ophelia and Connor are at odds. After all, Connor now serves the nobility, and that is a class of people Ophelia knows firsthand not to trust. But if they can set aside their misgivings and work together, they may discover that their purposes and hearts are perfectly aligned.



TO WED HIS CHRISTMAS LADY

BOOK #7 \$22.95 TRADE P/BACK

Start with For Love of the Duke. Lady Cara Falcot has only served one purpose to her loathsome father-to increase his power through a marriage to the future Duke of Billingsley. As such, she's built walls about her heart, and presents an icy facade to the world around her. Journeying home from her finishing school for the Christmas holidays, Cara's carriage is stranded during a storm. She's forced to tarry at an inn, where she antagonizes another patron-William. William Hargrove, the Marquess of Grafton has wanted only one thing in life-to avoid the future match his parents would have him make to a cold, duke's daughter. He's returning home from eight years of traveling the world to see to his responsibilities. But when a winter storm interrupts his trip and lands him at an inn, he's forced to share company with Lady Cara who initially reminds him exactly of the woman he so desperately wants to avoid.

TO TRUST A ROGUE

BOOK #8 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK



Marcus, the Viscount Wessex has carefully crafted the image of rogue and charmer for polite Society. Under that facade, however, dwells a man whose dreams were shattered almost eight years earlier by a young lady who captured his heart and then left him, with nothing more than a curt note. Eight years earlier, faced with no other choice, Mrs. Eleanor Collins, fled London and the only man she ever loved, Marcus, Viscount Wessex. She has now returned to serve as a companion for her elderly aunt with a daughter in tow. Even though they're next door neighbors, there is little reason for her to move in the same circles as Marcus. But as their paths continue to cross, Marcus finds his desire for Eleanor just as strong. Eleanor has no interest in this new, roguish man. The more time they spend together, the protective wall they've constructed to keep the other out, begin to break. With all the betrayals and secrets between them, Marcus has to open his heart again. And Eleanor must decide if it's ever safe to trust a rogue.



WHAT ALES THE EARL – SALLY MACKENZIE

BOOK #1 \$18.95



Scandal does not define the "fallen" ladies of Puddledon Manor's Benevolent Home. Instead, it's a recipe for an intoxicating new future as the women combine their talents-to operate their own brewery and alehouse. When Penelope Barnes arrived at the Home with her young daughter, she discovered a knack for horticulture-and for cultivating hops. She put her affair with Harry Graham firmly in the past. Now she has the memory of their passion, and she has little Harriet. Harry went off to fight for the Crown unaware that his interlude with his childhood friend had permanent consequences. Now he's back in England, catapulted into the title by his brother's death. He misses his former life of adventure, so when he has reason to explore Little Puddledon, he jumps at the chance. But what he finds there is something-and someone-he never knew he'd lost, and a once forbidden love whose time has come, if only he can persuade Penelope he's home to stay.

THE SINGULAR MR SINCLAIR – MIA MARLOWE

BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK



Lord and Lady Chatham were blessed with only one daughter. But when it comes to Caroline, one is more than enough. Caroline's parents fear she'll be permanently on the shelf if she fails to make a match during her third season. Unfortunately for them, that is precisely what Caroline wants! If only she can remain unmarried until she turns twenty-one, Caroline will inherit her grandmother's bequest and gain her freedom. She has her future all planned out-until Lawrence Sinclair appears on the scene. Intense, intriguing, and handsome, the man reminds Caroline of a caged lion. In fact, the more she knows of him, the more questions she has. And when she learns how dangerous he really is, he may just become her new fascination-the one she can't resist.



**TO LOVE A DUCHESS – KAREN RANNEY
BOOK #1 \$18.95**



Undercover as a majordomo, spy Adam Drummond has infiltrated Marsley House with one purpose, to gather proof that the late Duke of Marsley was a traitor. But Adam is drawn to a more beguiling puzzle: the young and still-grieving duchess—a beauty with secrets of her own. For Drummond, uncovering them without exposing his masquerade will require the most tender moves of his career. That a servant can arouse such passion in her is too shocking for Suzanne Whitcomb, Duchess of Marsley, to consider. Yet nothing quickens her pulse like Drummond's touch. It's been two years since the duke lost his life in a tragic accident—and even longer since she's been treated like a woman. But when Drummond's real mission is revealed, and the truth behind Suzanne's grief comes to light, every secret conspired to tear them apart is nothing compared to the love that can hold them together.

DARCY BURKE'S WONDERFUL SERIES CONTINUES

**THE DUKE OF DESIRE
BOOK #4 \$25.95 TRADE P/BACK**

Start with *The Forbidden Duke*. Ten years ago Ivy Breckenridge's life was ruined. She had to reinvent herself, and after making her own way in the world, she's nearly forgotten her dreams of home and family. Until one man awakens every one of her hidden desires. But no matter how good he makes her feel, she can't trust him. Sebastian Westgate, Duke of Clare, has a notorious reputation for training married women in the art of passion. He doesn't allow anyone close enough to see past his charming exterior. When Ivy uncovers the man beneath, the seducer is suddenly the seduced. Enraptured by her mind and spirit, he wants more but revealing his darkest secrets is a price he won't pay.



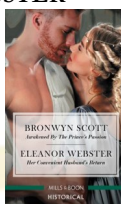
**THE DUKE OF DEFIANCE
BOOK #5 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK**

Bran Crowther, Earl of Knighton left England as a young man to pursue independence and adventure. He never expected to inherit the title and when duty calls him home, he still finds Society's codes constricting and oppressive. Nevertheless, he needs a wife to be a mother to his young daughter, preferably a woman of intelligence and warmth who is, above all, immune to his idiosyncrasies—and to falling in love. Widow Joanna Shaw isn't interested in a second marriage, not after the passionless union she endured. She'd much rather dote on her young niece and nephew since they will likely be the only children in her life until she meets a precocious girl, in desperate need of a mother. But her father is the so-called Duke of Defiance, and Jo won't take another risk with her heart. Their rules, however, are made to be broken, even when the consequences could destroy them both.



**AWAKENED BY THE PRINCES PASSION/HER
CONVENIENT HUSBANDS RETURN – SCOTT/WEBSTER
\$18.95 *2 IN 1***

“*Awakened By The Prince's Passion*” by Bronwyn Scott. Crown Princess Dasha is plucked from the flames of rebellion and sent to London with no memory of the past though everyone says she's the heiress to Kuban's throne. Yet she trusts Ruslan Pisarev on first sight and he becomes her protector, and lover. But can Ruslan claim her forever when she learns her true identity? “*Her Convenient Husband's Return*” by Eleanor Webster. After Beth married her childhood friend to escape debt, he returned to London. But now Ren's back as Lord of the Estate. She's wary of his expectations of her to produce an heir, for fear of passing on her blindness. But Ren's sensitivity is a surprise, could their arrangement become something more?

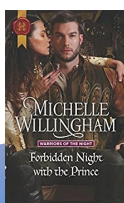


**HIGHLAND WRATH – MADELINE MARTIN
BOOK #3 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK**

Book #1 *Highland Spy*, Book #2 *Highland Ruse*. After years of training under “My Lady”, Sylvi is no closer to finding the man that brought about the murder of her family. Now a skilled assassin with her own network of spies, she has every resource she could want. She just hasn't found her mark. On a new assignment, Sylvi's blade misses its target, but she is grateful. Her subject, Ian, isn't just skilled and handsome—he may know where her family's murderers are. Now unlikely allies, Sylvi will have to keep Ian close enough to get the information she needs. So close, that she fails to protect her heart.

**FORBIDDEN NIGHT WITH THE PRINCE –
MICHELLE WILLINGHAM
\$18.95**

Joan de Laurent is fated never to marry. Three betrothals, each ending in the groom's death, have convinced her she's cursed! But only her hand in marriage can help Irish prince Ronan win back his fortress. To break the curse, Joan must risk all to spend one forbidden night with the royal warrior.



**ROSEMARY SAID SHE HAS BEEN WAITING 2 YEARS FOR
THIS BOOK AND IT DID NOT DISAPPOINT.**

**THE WARRIOR OF CLAN KINCAID – LILY BLACKWOOD
BOOK #3 \$18.95**

Book #1 *The Beast of Clan Kincaid*, Book #2 *The Rebel of Clan Kincaid*. Derryth MacClaren is on the run—having been sent from her castle home to avoid capture by the vicious nobleman known as the Wolf, who has vowed revenge against the Clan Kincaid. When a surprise attack leaves her vulnerable, Derryth ends up in the hands of an enemy warrior who claims her, with the Wolf's blessing, as his prize. But her captor's gentle words and touch seduce her heart—and body—completely. . . and when she discovers the tattoo on his arm that proves him to be the legendary, long-believed dead son of the murdered Laird of Kincaid, Derryth knows she must find a way to alter his fate—and her own. Cull has no memory of his family or past—all he knows is the life of a warrior, trained to fight on behalf of the Scottish king. But now that Derryth has informed him of who he really is—Cullen Braewick, the youngest son of the slain laird—he is torn. If Cull exacts revenge against the Wolf, who executed his father, he stands to lose the precious lass who he has come to love. What is he willing to sacrifice for Derryth to keep her safe. . . and in his arms?



**THE HIGHLAND CHIEFTAIN – AMY JARECKI
BOOK #4 \$18.95**

Start with *The Highland Duke*. After being unceremoniously jilted by her betrothed, Lady Mairi MacKenzie is humiliated and heartbroken - but she's not desperate. As the daughter of an earl, she won't give her hand to just anyone, and she definitely isn't swayed by a last-minute proposal from Laird Duncan MacRae. The powerful clan chieftain may be disarmingly handsome and charming, but he's not a nobleman. Mairi doesn't want his pity or his charity - even though his dark smoldering gaze makes her melt with desire. Dunn may be a battle-hardened clansman, but he's always had a soft spot for Mairi. For years, she tormented him with flirtation - only to reject him. But he's not giving up. When Mairi is attacked by redcoats, Dunn goes after the woman he loves. Through brute strength and fierce action, he will protect her life at any cost. But to win her heart, he will have to show her the tenderness in his own.



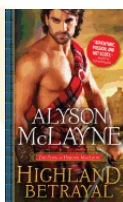
**HIGHLAND DEVIL – HANNAH HOWELL
BOOK #22 \$18.95**

Start with *Highland Destiny*. When a red-haired woman tries to steal Sir Gybbon Murray's horse on his journey back to the Murray stronghold, he thanks his lucky stars that his horse is a rude lout—and that the pretty thief is not so injured that she can't tell her tale. He's no nursemaid to delicate lasses, but Mora Ogilvy is fleeing her ruthless cousins, fearing for her life. And when she tells him of the home they've taken from her and the man they say she murdered, Gybbon cannot let such injustice stand. Mora's pride demands she take back her lands, but not by risking the lives of this handsome, wicked knight and his family. Still, she needs to recover from her wounds, and staying close to Gybbon in his brother's keep is a seductive solution. A few weeks at his side will be a sweet memory for her when she returns to fight her own battles. Except the depth of her cousins' treachery—and the fierceness of Gybbon's love—may turn her own heart against her plans.



**HIGHLAND BETRAYAL – ALYSON MCLAYNE
BOOK #3 \$18.95**

Book #1 *Highland Promise*, Book #2 *Highland Conquest*. Laird Callum MacLean vowed to marry Maggie MacDonnell. But when his father's supposed suicide makes him Laird of a clan, he's too busy unmasking his father's killer to bring her into his dangerous new home. Maggie's home isn't any safer, so she does what any resourceful Highland lass would do. She escapes—and finds herself toe-to-toe with Callum, who's determined to fulfill his promise. Maggie can't bring herself to trust him with her heart again. But with a traitor still at large, they must rely on each other in every way, or their clans—and their love—will be destroyed.



Coming next month...

THE MURDER AT MANDEVILLE HALL – Stephanie Laurens T/P BK #7
WHEN A DUKE LOVES A WOMAN – LORRAINE HEATH BK #2
THE DUKE WITH THE DRAGON TATTOO – Kerrigan Byrne BK #6
THE GOVERNESS GAME – TESSA DARE BK #2
THE ILLIGITIMATE DUKE – SOPHIE BARNES BK #3
AN EARL LIKE YOU – CAROLINE LINDEN BK #2
MORE OR LESS A COUNTESS – ANNA BRADLEY BK #2 T/P
The Gentlemen's Guide To Virtue And Vice – Mackenzie Lee Bk #1 T/P