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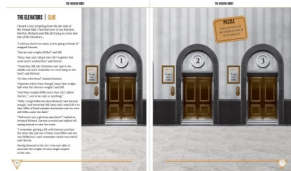
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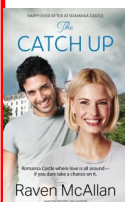
STARLIGHT ON WILLOW LAKE – SUSAN WIGGS
BOOK #11 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK *REISSUE* (ORIG 05/19)

Start with Summer at Willow Lake. Faith McCallum is determined to rebuild her shattered life and give her two daughters a chance at a better future. Caring for her sharp-tongued new client, Alice Bellamy, is definitely a challenge, but it's Alice's charismatic son, Mason, who truly leaves Faith at a loss for words. Mason Bellamy longs to escape the family mansion and return to his fast-paced, exciting life in Manhattan...and his beautiful jet-setting fiancée. But when Faith makes a chilling discovery about Alice's accident, Mason is forced to reconsider his desire to keep everyone, including his mother, at a distance. Now he finds himself wondering if the supercharged life he's created for himself is what he truly wants...and whether exploring his past might lead to a new life--and lasting love--on the tranquil shores of Willow Lake.



WISH LIST – FERN MICHAELS
\$40.00 TRADE P/BACK *REISSUE* (ORIG 02/96)

A brilliant movie career, two adoring husbands--none of it is enough to erase the memory of Ariel Hart's one true love. Back when she was plain, shy Aggie Bixby, a dark-eyed young man named Felix touched her heart . . . then vanished from her life. Now, she's about to do something shocking and outrageous--sell her house and leave Hollywood behind. Making her new home in the quiet town of Chula Vista, she meets Lex Sanders, a wealthy rancher and breeder of Arabian horses. Ariel sees something familiar in his smoldering eyes--something that triggers long-buried memories of a love so pure and so perfect, it couldn't possibly last. Or could it?



THE CATCH UP – RAVEN MCALLAN
BOOK #2 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 The Fix Up. Jan and Thomas. From Hong Kong to the highlands of Scotland. Will love follow them and give them a second chance? Several years ago Jan and Thom were a couple, deeply in love. Until they both got a chance of work, one at either end of the earth. Neither would give way, so that was the end of their love affair. Now they catch up with each other again in Hong Kong, where they discover their feelings could still be there. But with a meddling associate determined not to let them be together, and a trip for both of them to Scotland, where they might well be at odds, what chance have they at rekindling their love? Only time will tell if the magic of Scotland and Romansa Castle will work on them.

COMING NEXT MONTH THE MATCH UP BOOK #3



KILT TRIP – ALEXANDRA KILEY
\$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

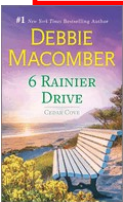
Globetrotter Addie Macrae always follows her wanderlust. As a travel consultant, she jet sets around the world--anywhere but Scotland. But when she's sent on assignment to help a struggling family-run tour company in the Highlands--and save her own job--Addie packs away her emotional baggage and turns on the professional charm. Rugged as the land he loves, Logan

Sutherland's greatest joy is sharing the beauty of Scotland's hidden gems...even if it means a wee bit of red ink on the company's bottom line. The last thing Logan wants is some American "expert" pushing tourist traps and perpetuating myths about the Loch Ness Monster--especially when Addie never leaves her desk to experience the country for herself. As they wage an office war, Logan discovers Addie's secret connection to Scotland: a handful of faded Polaroids of her late mother. Hoping for a truce, he creates a private tour to the places in the pictures to help Addie find closure and appreciate the enchantment in less-traveled destinations, never expecting the off-limits attraction sparking between them. But Addie's contract is almost up, and magic won't pay the bills. They can't afford distractions, but how can Addie do her job if she hasn't explored all Scotland--and Logan--have to offer?



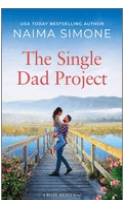
LOVE UNSCRIPTED – DENISE HUNTER
\$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Fresh off the heels of a bad breakup, Chloe Anderson poured her heart into penning the perfect boyfriend--and the result was an off-the-charts debut beach read that resonated with women worldwide. Now, Chloe's scripted hero is headed for Hollywood, with her book destined to become a major motion picture. When Chloe gets wind that silver screen bad boy Liam Hamilton has been cast as the ideal-in-every-way hero of her novel, she's horrified by the film director's choice. How could a player like Liam possibly do Chloe's perfect hero justice? Unafraid to speak her mind, Chloe lets her executive producer know she's one hundred percent opposed to the casting. And oops--the call is on speakerphone, where the annoyingly attractive Hollywood star hears Chloe's unbridled outrage firsthand. With Liam's reputation already on the rocks, his agent concocts a PR plan to upgrade Liam's image while putting the story--and the film--in the spotlight. The catch? During the movie's filming in Chloe's cute hometown of Stillwater, North Carolina, Chloe and Liam will fake a wholesome, committed relationship. Both stand to gain something from the arrangement. Liam's fans will see him in a new light, while Chloe can boost her struggling social media following and further her writing career. What could possibly go wrong? As author and actor navigate the waters of the PR relationship, they're unpre-pared when their professional agreement turns into an actual friendship. And when serious sparks start to fly well, that's an unread chapter for both of them.



6 RAINIER DRIVE - DEBBIE MACOMBER
BOOK #6 \$30.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 09/10)

Start with 16 Lighthouse Road. Justine and Seth Gunderson are trying to make plans and sort out their future after losing their business--the Lighthouse restaurant--to arson. The investigation is ongoing, but the prime suspect disappeared right after the fire. And this kind of crisis can be hard on a marriage. In the meantime, the drama of everyday life goes on for everyone in town: Maryellen's difficult pregnancy means she needs to ask for help from an unlikely source, Lynette might have to figure out how to handle a broken heart and someone gets involved with a celebrity!



THE SINGLE DAD PROJECT – NAIMA SIMONE
\$29.95

Back in Rose Bend after a work trip that went wrong, Florence "Flo" Dennison craves the kind of distraction only a searing fling with a gorgeous stranger can provide. And she gets it--an encounter hot enough to leave scars. But satisfaction turns to shock when Flo realizes her one-night stand is leading the restoration project she's been hired to photograph. And his sweet little girl has decided Flo's her new bestie. Single dad and architect Adam Reed wants stability for his daughter, and he's sure that Flo isn't looking for that. But when his nanny bails and Flo helps him out, it becomes impossible to keep their distance. Now, navigating tangled family ties and her own trust issues, Flo has to decide if one wild night can become so much more.

RECAPTURING HER HEART – JENNIFER SLATTERY

\$25.95

When she loses her job, professional dancer Harper Moore returns to her Texas hometown with one goal in mind--leaving again. But first she needs money for her big move, even if that means working for her ex-boyfriend. CJ Jenkins is certain he can help the single mom and keep his still-bruised heart intact. But as old feelings resurface, can they let go of the past for a new dream together?



SPRING TIME IN SUGAR LAKE – MARINA ADAIR
\$27.95 *RENAME* (ORIG SUGAR ON TOP 05/15)

The last thing Glory Mann wants is to become chairman of the Miss Peach Pageant in Sugar. But when Glory is forced to take the rap for a scandal she didn't commit, the judge sentences her to head the committee. Even worse, her co-chairman is rugged, ripped and barely knows she's alive. Single dad Cal McGraw can't take any more drama in his life. After a difficult divorce, his little girl became a boy-crazy teenager and his hands are full. The last thing he needs is to spend his down time with the town bad girl. Glory is pure trouble. But he can't deny the strong chemistry between them--or how her touch turns him inside out. Now as squabbles threaten to blow up the contest and the town of Sugar itself, Cal must risk everything on the sexy wild card to get a second chance at love.



THE PILOTS SECRET – ALLISON LEIGH
\$25.95

Everywhere she turns, nurse Sophie Lane seems to bump into pilot Meyer Cartell. And now he's moving in next door! Meyer is hard to resist. That's probably how her sister felt when he betrayed her years ago. Sophie's heart may have wings for Meyer, but her head refuses to clear it for takeoff. After his best friend's plane crashed, Meyer gave up his flying career to ensure the welfare of his widowed best friend and two children. Meyer struggles with his guilt over the crash--and with Sophie's grudge. It's time to get to know his new neighbor. Maybe with the right flight plan, he can clear the runway for happily-ever-after.



A MOMMY FOR EASTER – LINDA GOODNIGHT
\$25.95

Back in his hometown after a decade, Jake Colter and his toddler are a reminder of everything Rachel Hamby lost. And working on the same Easter committee with her ex-husband makes avoidance impossible. Throw in a small town's matchmaking scheme and Jake's sweet dog, and soon Rachel's falling for the little girl and her father. But will Rachel risk a second chance with the secret she's keeping?



YOU BELONG WITH ME – MELANIE SCOTT
BOOK #3 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

TOP PICK

Previously published as No Place Like You by Emma Douglas 12/17 Book #1 Need you Now, Book #2 A Season of You. She's never forgotten him but he's a for-one-night-only kind of guy Leah Santelli grew up knowing it was dumb to have a crush on her best friend's brother. Zach Harper inherited his rock-star dad's looks, his musical talent, and his habit of breaking hearts. He was always going to leave Cloud Bay far behind him. So she never let him know until she lost her mind on her eighteenth birthday and asked him for just one night. One of the best nights of her life. Except the part where he still left in the morning. But she picked up the pieces of her heart and did her best to forget it ever happened. Now Zach is back in Cloud Bay to record a solo album. Producing it is exactly what Leah needs to make her mark on the music world. If she can keep herself from falling for him all over again. Zach came home to Cloud Bay to mend fences with his sisters and make the album he needs to level up his career. He didn't expect to find Leah all grown up, more beautiful than ever, and determined to keep him at a distance. Until long hours in the studio rekindle their spark and suddenly they're making more than just great music. Zach starts to realise that Leah might be all he wants. But real life isn't as simple as a love song and it's going to take more than his rock'n'roll moves to convince Leah to trust him with her heart again.



THE DEVIL IN BLUE JEANS – STACEY KENNEDY
BOOK #1 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

TOP PICK

Moving to Montana to buy a dive bar with her two best friends sounds like a can't-miss idea to Charly Henwood. The scenery is breathtaking, and the cowboys aren't bad-looking either. Not that Charly's interested. Her heart is as unmovable as the surrounding mountains. After her cheating ex-boyfriend destroyed their relationship *and* their nightclub, she's determined to take care of herself, her friends and their bar. But it turns out the regulars resent newcomers swapping their craft beer for an extensive cocktail menu. One is particularly not happy--The Naked Moose's previous owner, Jaxon Reed. The last thing Charly needs is a cocky cowboy telling her how to run her bar, or her life. But maybe she can use Jaxon to her advantage. If he'll agree to be the prize in a charity auction, Charly will make the bar a little more cowboy-friendly. When that plan backfires, Charly finds herself doing battle with the biggest temptation in Timber Falls. A man who has made it his mission to win her over, using every infernal means at his disposal. And if her resolve goes up in flames, her heart is sure to follow.

THE MESSY LIFE OF JANE TURNER – BRENDA NOVAK
BOOK #3 \$29.95

TOP PICK

Book #1 Talulahs Back in Town, Book #2 Talk of Coyote Canyon. Jane Tanner's friends are settling down, while she's been settling for less. She longs for adventure and the big city but caring for her ailing grandfather means she's shackled to her small town. She's excited her vintage gift shop is *finally* up and running, but it's not enough. Longing to fulfill at least one dream--to become a mother before her biological clock ticks out--Jane drunkenly propositions the worst possible candidate for *Dad*. Kurt Elway is off-limits with a capital O. He's a good friend, but he's too young, too busy running his family's ranch. Plus, he and Jane's sister, Kate, used to date. *That* kind of off-limits. Unbeknownst to Jane, Kurt's pining for her. When he's fully on board to father her baby, she sees him in a new light. Then lingering baggage between Kate and Kurt suddenly surfaces and Jane is reminded of just how messy life is. But...so is parenting. Maybe it's time to embrace the mess?

SUMMER AT LAKE HAVEN – RAEANNE THAYNE
BOOK #11 \$29.95 *REISSUE*

Start with Snow Angel Cove. Samantha Fremont has been struggling with the weight of her mother's expectations for years. But now that her mother has passed away, it's time for Sam to be bold and finally establish the fashion design business she's always dreamed of. And the perfect opportunity has fallen into her lap. Her friend's getting married and has asked Sam to create her wedding dress...if only she can avoid the bride's infuriating brother, who's temporarily the boy next door. Ian Summerhill knows a sabbatical in Haven Point is exactly what he and his children need to recover from their mother's death. His romantic relationship with his ex-wife may have ended years ago, but caring for her throughout her illness broke his heart. All he wants is to watch his little sister walk down the aisle and to see his kids smile again. And somehow his lovely new neighbor is instrumental in both. But as their uneasy truce blossoms into a genuine friendship and more, Ian has obligations in England he can't ignore--and a secret that threatens the fragile trust he and Sam have built.

CLAIM ME COWBOY – MAISEY YATES
\$29.95 *2 IN 1* *REISSUE* (ORIG 04/18)

When Joshua Grayson's father places an ad in the local paper searching for a wife for his son, Joshua formulates a plan of his own: put out an ad himself and find the most ill-fitting woman possible to teach his old man a lesson. And when Danielle Kelly--supposed single mother--answers the ad, she's happy to endure any kind of humiliation if it means the rich cowboy is offering her money she desperately needs. The match should be unsuitable and the engagement should be fake, but soon the charade begins to feel very real. Includes "A Very Intimate Takeover" by LaQuette. Trey Devereaux is out to prove her corporate mettle to her father. When she sees a chance to take control of Devereaux Inc. from her estranged grandfather, she pounces. But Jeremiah Benton, his second-in-command, is fiercely protective of the Devereaux patriarch and absolutely enticing. Can Trey maintain her resolve or is Jeremiah winning this high-stakes merger? The fate of a billion-dollar Brooklyn legacy lies in the balance.

TEXAS EVER AFTER – SHERRYL WOODS
\$29.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 2001)



Geologist Brianna O'Ryan was beautiful, intelligent and possibly a corporate spy! Yet the more Jeb Delacourt investigated what the single mom had tried to keep hidden, the more he felt her secret was not professional, but personal and the faster she made his pulse race. Soon, stolen kisses and midnight embraces had Brianna wondering if it was time to risk everything for love. Once upon a time, Michael Delacourt's tempting kisses had sent Grace Foster's heartbeat ricocheting. Now here she was on a Texas ranch with the only man she'd ever loved the man she could never marry. So when a tidal wave of longing overcame her, she shifted her focus to the two vulnerable runaways who'd landed in Michael's care. Clearly, the oil tycoon needed Grace's parenting skills, so why the fire in his touch? Did he harbor a fierce desire for one more chance at love-this time forever?

UNITED BY THE TWINS – JILL KEMERER
\$25.95



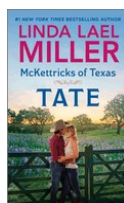
After inheriting a building from her great-aunt, Reagan Mayer moves to Wyoming to open the small-town shop she's always dreamed of. There's just one problem: rancher Marc Young wants the storefront for his mother. But when a family emergency puts a pause on their dispute, leaving them to care for his twin nieces, can Reagan and Marc find a way to communicate, to trust...and to love?

COUNTING ON A COWBOY – SARA RICHARDSON
BOOK #3 \$27.95



Book #1 Wishing on a Christmas Cowboy, Book #2 Betting on a Good Luck Cowboy. Retired SEAL Thatch Hearst never thought he'd put down roots, but four years in Star Valley as a bronc rider has him calling the town home. All he needs now is to earn some money by competing in the big leagues. He'll have his chance with the town's upcoming rodeo days, but first he needs to improve his scores. Running out of time and ideas Thatch enlists the help of a local yoga instructor, hoping to gain an extra edge. Lyric Valenza has worked with difficult clients, but this cowboy might just be her biggest challenge. Marrying a cowboy was the biggest mistake of her life, and after her divorce, she vowed she'd never again need a man. Only the more time she spends with Thatch, the more she realizes there's a difference between needing and wanting someone--and this cowboy may just be the one person she doesn't want to be without.

TATE – LINDA LAEL MILLER
\$29.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 01/10)



There aren't enough hours in the day for everything divorced dad Tate McKettrick has to do: run the Silver Spur Ranch, do the suit-and-tie thing for his business and ride herd on his adorable six-year-old twin girls. But then Libby Remington returns to Blue River and time seems to stand still. They were high school sweethearts, Tate and Libby, but he was *never* able to convince Libby that he loved her. That he *still* loves her and wants to try again. Nothing--not even cattle rustlers, a killer stallion and a vindictive ex-wife--can deter him. Libby has her hands full taking care of her mother and running the Perk Up Coffee Shop. Caffeine, she needs. Tate McKettrick, not so much. But even Libby is shocked when the spark between them begins to ignite again. Can they really hope for a second chance?



THE HERO – SUSAN STOKER
BOOK #3 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK
 Book #1 The Protector, Book #2 The Royal. Any soldier who gets out of the service with his life should be happy to leave danger behind. Though his army brothers are content running their new business in Maine, Kendric "Bob"

Evans isn't ready to give up the fight. He's been supplementing his hours with covert rescue missions organized by the FBI. But his latest charge may be more than he bargained for. Marlowe Kennedy is on a routine archaeology dig in Thailand when she's arrested for drug trafficking. She has suspicions about the true culprit, but even when she's rescued from prison, there's nothing she can do about it without proof. Her protective bodyguard's only objective is to keep her safe until they cross the border into friendly territory. The best way to do that? Travel as man and wife. After returning to Maine, as Bob and Marlowe navigate this treacherous terrain with the help of their friends, they face vengeful authorities, a vindictive frame job, and perhaps most important of all—turning their fake marriage into something real.



BEYOND WHAT IS GIVEN – REBECCA YARROS
BOOK #3 \$40.00
TRADE P/BACK
***REPUBLISH* (ORIG 09/15)**

Book #1 Full Measures, Book #2 Eyes Turned Skyward. Lt. Grayson Masters is focused on graduating the Apache helicopter course, and the last thing he needs is his gorgeous new roommate Samantha Fitzgerald distracting him. While her smart mouth and free spirit are irresistibly irritating, he can't deny their off-the-charts chemistry, no matter how hard he tries. Lt. Grayson Masters is focused on graduating the Apache helicopter course, and the last thing he needs is his gorgeous new roommate Samantha Fitzgerald distracting him. While her smart mouth and free spirit are irresistibly irritating, he can't deny their off-the-charts chemistry, no matter how hard he tries. Falling in love is something neither Grayson nor Sam can afford, and when that line is crossed and secrets are exposed, they'll learn that sometimes it's the answered prayers that will put you through hell.



THE HERO SHE WANTS – ANNA HACKETT
BOOK #2 \$35.00 TRADE P/B
 Book #1 The Hero She Needs. Shepherd "Shep" Barlow left the military behind. All he wants is to stay on his Colorado mountain. He especially likes to avoid people. Then his former commander arrives, asking him to risk his life on a mission to Central America. A mission to rescue the archeologist daughter of the President of the United States. Once a member of a covert Ghost Ops team, Shep has the skills to rescue Ms. Sinclair. And as much as he wishes otherwise, he can't leave an innocent woman in danger. Hayden Sinclair loves her work. It keeps her far away from the phonies in Washington D.C. But when she's abducted from her archeological dig in Nicaragua, she's plunged into a life-or-death situation. Her captors plan to use her as a bargaining chip, and Hayden knows she has to escape. What she never expected was to collide with the world's grumpiest rescuer. On the run in the jungle with six and a half feet of rugged, scowling man, she finds Shep rude and annoying. But as her captors ruthlessly hunt them, she also discovers a man who'll risk his own life to protect hers. Neither of them are looking for love, especially when they have to fight to survive besides, there could never be a happy ending for the daughter of the President and a grumpy soldier, could there?



THE COWBOYS SECRET PAST – TINA RADCLIFFE
\$25.95

Since leaving his wild rodeo days behind, rancher Trevor Morgan has sobered up and built a faith-filled life. So he's shocked when the woman caring for his grandfather intrudes on that solitude. Nurse Hope Burke has hidden motives for coming to the Lazy M Ranch—she believes Trevor is the father of her orphaned nephew. Can a loving aunt and a wary

cowboy change a little boy's life forever?



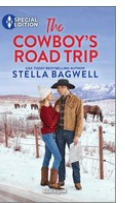
MAVERICKS SECRET DAUGHTER – CATHERINE MANN
\$25.95

When sales rep Gabrielle Hammond wound up pregnant after a very out-of-character fling at a convention, she was sure Ryan Taylor would want no part of fatherhood. Now, two years later, the wealthy rancher has discovered Bella is his, and he is proposing marriage to Gabby—right away! Wary of his offer, Gabby agrees only to spend some time on the Taylor ranch, to let the daddy get to know his daughter. But the closer Gabby gets to Ryan, the harder it is to fight the hunky cowboy's appeal.



FORTUNE IN NAME ONLY – TARA QUINN TALYOR
\$25.95

Asa Fortune's close to owning the ranch of his dreams. There's only one problem: the seller's demand that to buy her family homestead, Asa must have a wife! Enter Lily Perry, who will do anything for her best friend—even temporarily become his bride. An orphan who grew up in foster care, Lily's used to being on her own. But as the pair makes the ranch a true home, can they admit that they've found their oasis in one another?



THE COWBOYS ROAD TRIP – STELLA BAGWELL
\$25.95

Riding shotgun with a chatty blonde ten years his junior isn't Kipp Starr's first choice. Despite his attraction to pretty Beatrice Hollister, Kipp feels they have little in common. But to show his gratitude for the Hollister family's Christmas hospitality, he agrees to accompany Beatrice on the drive to his home state of

Idaho. Beatrice doesn't know if she's more excited about meeting her estranged grandmother—or driving Kipp home to his ranch. Secretly, she's attracted to him, but a long-distance relationship is hard to navigate. When they're stranded by the wintry weather, their attraction becomes hotter than July. And Kipp finds himself wondering whether to pump the brakes—or trust in love for the long haul.



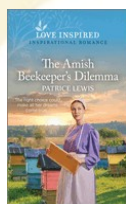
FLIRTING WITH DISASTER – ELIZABETH HRIB
\$25.95

ER nurse and single mom Sarah Schaffer is always helping others—even on vacation. When Hatchet Lake needs her help after a storm, Sarah jumps in, even while she's planning her next move with her son. What she's not prepared for is her connection with army medic turned contractor Desmond Torres. Sarah doesn't do commitment, and she's always on the move, so short-term is all she can offer him. But the more time they spend together, helping the town and at her friend's ranch, the more Desmond breaks down the wall around her heart.



MIRACLES AT PROMISE LODGE – CHARLOTTE HUBBARD
BOOK #8 \$29.95

Start with Promise Lodge. Long-time residents of Promise Lodge welcome a wave of newcomers that includes a potter who's come to help an expectant couple, and a dairy expert ready to manage the herds on the expanding Burkholder farm. Then there's Isaac Chupp, the son of an unyielding Bishop from nearby Coldstream. Isaac has recklessly rebelled against his dad, and his reputation precedes him. Now he seeks a fresh start, applying for work at Dale Kraybill's bulk store. Proving himself reliable while Dale takes off for his wedding trip is Isaac's bold first step. But more miraculous awakenings may come as he settles into the warm new light of the faithful community. And while Promise Lodge celebrates an abundance of newborns as summer turns to fall, Isaac discovers a kindred soul who has her own share of challenges. In helping her, he just may find his true purpose in loving selflessly, building up, and giving back.



THE AMISH BEE KEEPERS DILEMMA – PATRICE LEWIS
\$25.95

After her fiancé abandons her, Rebecca Hilty finds herself beekeeping in Montana and dreaming of inheriting Caleb Graber's farm. But Caleb's great-nephew and heir, Jacob, wants the land all to himself. Forced to work together, Rebecca and Jacob are determined to prove their worth, until Caleb declares an inheritance requirement that shocks them both! Now Rebecca is faced with an impossible choice—marry Jacob or lose the farm.

Coming next month...

- A COWBOY FOR THE TWINS – MELINDA CURTIS
- TOURIST SEASON – BRENDA NOVAK T/P
- SUMMER ON SUNSHINE BAY – DEBBIE MASON BK #1
- A FATHERS REDEMPTION – SABRINA YORK BK #3
- THE MATCH UP– RAVEN MCALLAN BK #3 T/P

Preorders...


- SANDCASTLE INN – IRENE HANNON T/P
- FINALLY FOUND MY COWBOY – AJ PINE BK #2
- THE BACKUP BRIDE PROPOSAL – JACI BURTON BK #4
- THE LITTLE FLOWER SHOP – LORI FOSTER *REPACK*
- THE WILD LAVENDER BOOKSHOP – JODI THOMAS T/P
- THE REALITY OF EVERYTHING – REBECCA YARROS BK #5 T/P *RP*

Maryland. And for a long while he thought that future would include Cassie Connor--the woman he's known, and loved, forever. But when Cassie married the wrong man, Devin did the honorable thing and kept his feelings to himself. Now that Cassie's divorced, Devin can finally follow his heart. The question is, can Cassie? **"The Fall of Shane MacKade"** Shane MacKade is used to getting what he wants, especially when it comes to women. So it's a shock when he is rebuffed by the brilliant Dr. Rebecca Knight. Shane falls for the PhD-toting academic, with her intelligence and wit, while she conducts a research experiment at his family's ancestral farm. Rebecca is too busy to make any time for romance, but she can't help but succumb to the MacKade charm. Shane's days as a bachelor might just be coming to an end.

America. Erin jumps at the chance to leave her small town and get to know her handsome employer. Their initial attraction grows stronger, but Burke is keeping Erin at arm's length--to protect her from a secret that could destroy their love. **"Skin Deep"** Chantel O'Hurley makes box office gold with every role. But fame and fortune come with a price: a stalker. As his behavior becomes threatening, Chantel hires P.I. Quinn Doran as a bodyguard. Initially unable to see past his client's Hollywood glitz, Quinn realizes Chantel's appearance is deceiving--and there's a tale of romantic suspense building between them.

Kelsey Byden always believed that her mother was dead. But now, after all this time, she has discovered the truth: Naomi Chadwick is still alive--after spending years in prison for the murder of her lover. Now, at Naomi's Virginia State Penitentiary, Kelsey is trying to sort out a lifetime of secrets and her feelings about her mother. The past can be fragile...as Kelsey learned when her recently ended marriage. But as the two women rebuild their relationship--and Kelsey finds herself drawn into an unsettling new romance--she must decide once and for all who she can trust, and how far she is willing to go to betray her.


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DEA agent Rodrigo Ramirez is sent undercover to the farm of Gloryanne Barnes's stepbrother in Jacobsville, where he's looking to bust a vicious new drug cartel. Gloryanne is smart, savvy and fiercely independent, but her job has put her in danger from the same criminal Rodrigo is investigating. She's drawn to the enigmatic new farmhand, Rodrigo, a man who is much more than he seems. Bitter about love and driven by his dangerous job, Rodrigo's not sure if his reckless offer of marriage to the oh-so-tempting Gloryanne is just a means to completing his mission—or something more. But as Gloryanne's miracle and Rodrigo's double life collide, they must face the truth about each other and decide if there's a chance for the future they both secretly desire.

Book #1 Unsolved Bayou Murder, Book #2 Monster in the Marsh. Investigator Nick Cain doesn't plan to stay in Black Bayou long. Just long enough to catch a serial killer. But his partner, Officer Sarah Beauregard, sees the case as an opportunity to prove herself. Uncovering town secrets as they investigate the murders of four women, they find their feelings for each other are an unwanted byproduct. One they can't afford when the killer targets Sarah.

Book #1 Special Agent Witness, Book #2 Christmas Lights Killer. The discovery of a body becomes personal when special agent Garrett Sneed is forced to work the case with ranger Madison Lynley, his ex-girlfriend. But when another homicide reveals a possible link to his mother's unsolved murder, Garrett is out for a cold case escalates into a murder spree, he must stop a serial killer.



Book #1 Colton Threat Unleashed by Tara Taylor Quinn. Someone is preying on club goers. That's why Fletcher Colton has gone undercover as DJ Kiki Shelton's assistant. Facing danger is just part of the job for a detective, but sneaking around in dark clubs and alleyways with Kiki poses another kind of risk. Neither of them wants a relationship-especially one that might become a deadly distraction. Can they resist the desire and catch the Slasher?

Book #1 Helicopter Rescue. The last thing Detective Leo West needs is a tourist telling him how to do his job, even a tourist who claims to be a search-and-rescue pro. Once he sees Aspen Stevens in action, he discovers that she's as capable as she is gorgeous. As lies and raging water swirl around them, they have no choice but to trust each other—while resisting an off-limits attraction.

Book #1 K9 Security. After her bomb-detecting K-9 helps Jocelyn Carville save Captain Baker Halsey's life, she doesn't expect them to be working together on the investigation. The policeman clearly doesn't trust Jocelyn's "mercenary" background but he does need her 's expertise. Infiltrating a cartel to discover who wants him dead is us. Perhaps just as risky as getting close to a woman like Jocelyn.

Start with Don't Look. An online crime-solving group is just the kind of adventure Bailey Evans needs. She loves her nursing career and small-town life, but her days are predictable. Her confidence bolstered by having her sheriff cousin Zac nearby, Bailey's up for some innocent fun and intrigue... Until she starts receiving unnerving warnings: Once the game begins, there's no backing out of *The Murder Club*. Then the game gets real. First, Bailey is shut out at work after an elderly patient dies and leaves her a shocking inheritance. Then a priceless necklace from an anonymous source arrives in her mail—along with a bone-chilling threat. Determined not to involve expectant father Zac, Bailey contacts an expert appraiser: the charming Las Vegas businessman who's never left her mind. Dom Lucier knows real gems—and Bailey is the most precious thing he's seen since they met at her best friend's wedding. Returning to Pike to trace the jewelry's bloody history, Dom helps Bailey kick open a murderous cold case. But as death and disaster escalate, they'll need a new strategy to escape a killer who won't be satisfied until the streets of Pike are soaked in blood.

Years ago, Foxworth Foundation operatives walked into a trap that almost annihilated them all. So when Charlie Foxworth--the firm's cool financial mastermind--finds the man responsible, she'll stop at nothing to take him down. But to do it, she needs unflappable former sniper Rafe Crawford--the man who shattered her heart--plus K-9 little does she know, they also might be key to keeping her alive!

Book #1 Disappearance in Dread Hollow, Book #2 Murder at Sunset Roc. With new identities in rural Tennessee, innkeeper Grace Myers and her son, Liam, are running from the killer they once escaped. As his terrifying threats intensify, she'll do anything -- *risk* everything--to protect the little boy. Close to an emotional breakdown, Grace would like to trust handsome Deputy Rob Vaughn, but can't. Because the frightened mom has secrets she can't share...secrets that could prove fatal.

Book #1 *Going Rogue* in Red Rye County. Protecting the key witness in a high-profile trial is Cal Newfellow's top priority. But keeping Marlise alive becomes a test of courage and will when they're forced into hiding. Battered but not broken, Marlise also has a mission: to put a dangerous criminal behind bars forever. That means trusting a man fighting his own demons. The man sworn to help her heal and survive.



ERIKS REFUGE – NYSSA KATHRYN
BOOK #3 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Eriks Salvation, Book #2 Eriks Redemption. In the blink of an eye, he became her everything. Her hero. Her savior. Her whole world. Hannah and Erik are finally building the future she's longed for...but it doesn't include a family. Erik's already felt the pain of losing a child before he even experienced the joy of holding them in his arms. It's not something he'll risk again. So when Hannah begins to notice symptoms, and a test confirms her suspicions, her happy reality comes to a screeching halt. Forced to pivot, she can only pray Erik is willing to do the same. Found at his most broken, put back together piece by piece by the strongest, most incredible woman he's ever met, Erik considers himself as whole as he's going to get. He's found the light at the end of the long, dark, desolate tunnel that had been his life for so long, and emerged on the other side a new man, capable of giving Hannah the future she deserves. Until she tells him her secret. For the woman he loves, Erik will struggle to heal his one remaining wound. A feat made more difficult when an old enemy resurfaces...determined to tear Erik's whole world asunder once again.



THE BOY WHO CRIED BEAR – KELLEY ARMSTRONG
BOOK #2 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Murder at Havens Rock. Haven's Rock is a well-hidden town surrounded by forest. And it's supposed to be, being that it's a refuge for those who need to disappear. Detective Casey Duncan and her husband, Sheriff Eric Dalton already feel at home in this new town, which reminds them of Rockton, where they first met.

And while they know how to navigate the woods and its various dangers, other residents don't. Which is why people aren't allowed to wander off alone. When Max, the town's youngest resident-taught to track animals by Eric-fears a bear is stalking a hiking party, alarms are raised. Even stranger, the ten-year-old swears the bear had human eyes. Casey and Eric know the dangers a bear can present, so they're taking it seriously. But odd occurrences are happening all around them, and when a dead body turns up, they're not sure what they're up against.



THE UNQUIET BONES – LORETH ANN WHITE
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When human bones are found beneath an old chapel in the woods, evidence suggests the remains could be linked to the decades-old case of missing teen Annalise Jansen. Homicide detective Jane Munro--pregnant and acutely attuned to the preciousness of life--hopes the grim discovery will finally bring closure to the girl's family. But for a group of Annalise's old friends, once dubbed the Shoreview Six by the media, it threatens to expose a terrible pledge made on an autumn night forty-seven years ago. The friends are now highly respected, affluent members of their communities, and none of them ever expected the dark chapter in their past to resurface. But as Jane and forensic anthropologist Dr. Ella Quinn peel back the layers of secrets, the group begins to fracture. Will one cave? Will they turn on each other? The investigation takes a sharp turn when Jane discovers a second body--that of the boy long blamed for Annalise's disappearance. As the bones tell their story, the group learns just how far each will go to guard their own truth.



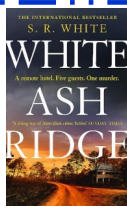
DEATH ON THE GREEN – CATIE MURPHY AKA CE MURPHY
BOOK #2 \$27.95

Book #1 Dead in Dublin. Life has been non-stop excitement for American Army veteran Megan Malone ever since she moved to Ireland and became a driver for Dublin's Leprechaun Limousine Service. She's solved a murder and adopted two lovable Jack Russell puppies. Currently, she's driving world-class champion golfer Martin Walsh, and he's invited her to join him while he plays in a tournament at a prestigious Irish locale. Unfortunately, there's a surprise waiting for her on the course--a body floating in a water hazard. Everyone loved golfer Lou MacDonald, yet he clearly teed off someone enough to be murdered. Martin seems to be the only one with a motive. However, he also has an alibi: Megan and hundreds of his fans were watching him play. Now, with a clubhouse at a historical lodge full of secrets and a dashing Irish detective by her side, Megan must hurry to uncover the links to the truth before the real killer takes a swing at someone else.



PERIL IN THE SHALLOWS – ADDISON FOX
BOOK #2 \$25.95

Book #1 Danger in the Depths. Police diver Kerrigan Doyle has the opportunity to prove herself as a cop by partnering with celebrated detective Arlo Prescott. A grisly discovery on a shipwreck in the middle of a storm points to a new crime syndicate in the city. Kerrigan's plan to pose as Arlo's girlfriend gets the two of them closer to solving the mystery, but their unexpected chemistry starts to bring them together in a more physical way. Can Kerrigan navigate the investigation while keeping her feelings for Arlo at bay? Or will their attraction prove to be too perilous?



WHITE ASH RIDGE – S R WHITE
BOOK #4 \$32.99 TRADE P/BACK

Start with Hermit. During a broiling heatwave, the inner circle of a high-profile charity attend a critical meeting at White Ash Ridge, a small hotel nestled in the Australian wilderness. As the temperature rises, a body is found lying in the thick bush, bludgeoned to death. One of the four remaining guests is a murderer - but who, and why, is a mystery. Detective Dana Russo knows the national spotlight will be sharply focused on the case. The charity was formed when the founders' teenage son was killed after intervening in a vicious assault - sparking public outrage and a damning verdict on the police investigation. But under huge pressure and with few clues - plus suspects who instinctively distrust the police - how can Dana unravel the truth?



THE MERMAID MURDER – MAGGIE SHAYNE
BOOK #4 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Start with Cry Wolf. Hey, I'm Rachel de Luca, a self-help guru with a potty mouth and a penchant for crime-solving. My partner, soon to be husband, is Mason Brown, a detective with the Binghamton PD. Ten years ago, professional mermaid Eva Quaid disappeared without a trace from The Sapphire Club. Now, my niece Misty is working at the same club, doing the same job. Coincidentally, Misty's college roommate is in the thick of her self-produced true crime podcast about the same cold case. Misty has kept every bit of this from our way-too-close-for-privacy family. None of this would be a big deal, except that I've been having nightmares. It's my wedding day, and I look from my adoring groom to my twin nieces, face down in the shallows of the reservoir behind the altar. I dreamt, too, of a dying mermaid who's been trying to get my attention ever since. When my sister Sandra says she's worried about twin daughters, Mason and I agree to do a little snooping-only to find Misty has been keeping some big secrets, and is not where she's supposed to be. Nobody knows where she is. I'm pretty sure that Misty's gone off the grid with her podcasting partner Zig to surveil their favorite suspects in the case of the missing mermaid. I'm even more sure the mermaid is dead, and that her killer is determined to keep their secret, even if it means taking another young woman's life. I have to find my beloved niece before my visions come true-the way they always do.



TRAPPED IN YOSEMITE – DANA MENTINK
\$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

The ground in still-icy Yosemite National Park isn't stable, and K-9 handler Von Sharpe fears the worst. But his worries are pushed aside when he sees an SUV viciously forced off the road...with his ex-fiancée at the wheel. It's only when Stella Rivers steps out of the vehicle that the very ground under their feet cracks and breaks with the onslaught of a terrifying earthquake. When her meeting with a mysterious client is ambushed, Stella witnesses the man being gunned down by a sniper and becomes a target herself. With the threat of aftershocks triggering landslides and floods, the new mom has no choice but to run to save her baby girl--even if it means teaming up with the man who has no idea he fathered her child. Trapped in a dangerously unstable wilderness with a killer closing in, Von and Stella are running out of time to get to safety. And every fissure reveals a new secret that will shake them to their foundation.



MURDER UNDER HER SKIN – STEPHEN SPOTSWOOD
BOOK #2 \$22.99 *REPACK*

Book #1 Fortune Favours the Dead. New York, 1946: The last time Will Parker let a case get personal, she walked away with a broken face, a bruised ego, and the solemn promise never again to let her heart get in the way of her job. But she called Hart and Halloway's Travelling Circus and Sideshow home for five years, and Ruby Donner, the circus's tattooed ingenue, was her friend. To make matters worse the prime suspect is Valentin Kalishenko, the man who taught Will everything she knows about putting a knife where it needs to go. To uncover the real killer and keep Kalishenko from a date with the electric chair, Will and Ms. Pentecost join the circus in sleepy Stoppard, Virginia, where the locals like their cocktails mild, the past buried, and big-city detectives not at all. The two swiftly find themselves lost in a funhouse of lies as Will begins to realize that her former circus compatriots aren't playing it straight, and that her murdered friend might have been hiding a lot of secrets beneath all that ink. Dodging fistfights, firebombs, and flying lead, Will puts a lot more than her heart on the line in the search of the truth. Can she find it before someone stops her ticker for good?



THE SUSPECT NEXT DOOR – RACHEL ASTOR
\$25.95

My bestselling-mystery-author career had come to a standstill, and I was plagued with writer's block. So I asked myself: What would my favorite fictional girl detective do? She would find a suspect to inspire her to finish the case, of course! Luckily, I have a new, mysterious and very dreamy private investigator next door to follow. I'm going to help him solve the case and finally finish this book of mine. Then maybe the two of us can pursue The Case of the Perfect Couple.

TWO RELEASES FROM LISA JACKSON



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Tears of Pride. A devastating fire claimed the life of Sheila Lindstrom's father and all but destroyed their family winery. Its future depends on Wilder Investments. But Sheila can't be sure whether Noah Wilder is the key to keeping her beloved business afloat, or the last mistake she'll ever make. *Devil's Gambit.* Just when Tiffany Rhodes has made her horse breeding farm profitable again, tragedy hits. Foals are dying. Rumors swirl about the prize horse she lost years ago. And the stranger who shows up offering to buy her out holds devastating secrets about the past.



WICKED DREAMS – LISA JACKSON/NANCY BUSH BOOK #5 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK *REPACK*

Start with *Wicked Game*. The note pinned to the dead body found on the remote beach has no name, just Ravinia Rutledge's phone number and the words "Next of Kin." Ravinia insists she doesn't recognize the man on the mortuary slab, but she suspects Detective Nev Rhodes doesn't believe her. He can tell that she's one of them--the Siren Song women. Five years after moving away from The Colony, Ravinia has carved out a life as a private investigator whose specialty is helping others locate their missing loved ones. Yet sometimes, it's better if the missing are never found. "Good Time Charlie" is the name given to a monster from her past, a man she and her sisters hoped was gone forever. But the dead man on the beach is a sign that Charlie has merely been waiting, preparing to fulfill his mission to rid the world of the Siren Song women--and anyone who gets in his way. Now, despite Ravinia's reluctance to team up with Rhodes, it's the only way to stop an adversary determined to see that each and every member of The Colony will die at his hands.



CJ BOX'S FANTASTIC SERIES CONTINUES SAVAGE RUN BOOK #2 \$30.95

Start with *Open Season*. When a massive blast rocks the forests of Twelve Sleep County, Wyoming game warden Joe Pickett is called to the scene to help investigate the death of a colorful environmental activist. The case is wrapped up quickly, explained as an environmental publicity stunt gone wrong, but Joe isn't convinced. He soon discovers clues that suggest a deadly conspiracy--one that will test his courage, his survival skills, and his determination to "do the right thing" despite all costs.

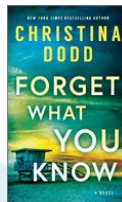


WINTERKILL BOOK #3 \$30.95

It's an hour away from darkness, a bitter winter storm is raging, and Joe Pickett is deep in the forest edging Battle mountain, shotgun in his left hand, his truck's detached steering wheel handcuffed to his right and Lamar Garniner's arrow-riddled corpse splayed against the tree in front of him. Lamar's murder and the sudden

onslaught of the snowstorm warn: Get off the mountain. But Joe knows this episode is far from over. Somewhere in the dense timber, a killer draws his bowstring - with Joe as his prey.

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HERES TWO RELEASES FROM CHRISTINA DODD FORGET WHAT YOU KNOW

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A submerged car is pulled from the bottom of the lake. The driver has been shot in the back of the head and no other bodies are found. Only the legendary Dragon's Heart remains inside. When it rises to the surface, greedy collectors from around the world gather. They'll stop at nothing to gain possession of the priceless artifact.

Only one person stands in their way. Zoey Phoenix remembers nothing about her early childhood; her mother's desire to leave those years behind never worried her...until she's almost killed in a hit and run and, days later, her mother disappears. Now Zoey fears her family secrets won't stay buried long. She has no idea who tried to murder her or why, but she's determined to unravel the dangerous truths of her past--before they claim her future.



EVERY SINGLE SECRET \$54.95 H/COVER

In an isolated lighthouse on the California coast, Rowan Winterbourne lives a solitary life with only her secrets for company. For she has a mission that drives her to avenge herself against Gregory Torval, the powerful drug and arms dealer who murdered her mother and vowed to eliminate everyone in her family. Then Joe Grantham arrives at her door and, for the first time, Rowan lets her guard down, a dangerous mistake when he blackmails her to go with him to Torval's private island. There Torval's birthday celebration rages, and while Joe pursues his own agenda, she'll provide the perfect distraction. On Raptor Island, Torval's will is law and Joe, the closest she has to an ally, is an enigma she can't trust. One false move, one careless word, and Rowan will die. As dark truths are uncovered, one by one, Rowan recognizes her last chance for the revenge has come. But is it worth everything she must sacrifice to get out alive?



ONE LAST SHOT – SUSAN MAY WARREN BOOK #1 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

When country music star Oaken Fox joins survivalist Mike Grizz's new adventure show in the Alaskan wilderness, he just wants to boost his fan base. But when tragedy strikes and Air One Rescue must save them, Oaken wants to quit. Too bad his producer has other plans--signing him on with Air One Rescue as a recruit and making a reality show. EMT

Boo Kingston did not join Air One Rescue to train a celebrity. But she's a rookie to the team, so yes, she'll train Oaken and keep him alive and not for a minute pay attention to his charm. And then five women go missing from a resort during a bachelorette weekend gone wrong. Now, Air One and the rescue team will have to use all their skills and manpower--including Oaken--to find them before a blizzard settles in.



HABEAS CORPUS – REBECCA ZANETTI BOOK #6 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Start with *Disorderly Conduct*. While Valentine's Day is supposed to be full of romance, this year, Anna finds herself defending a misplaced Cupid, dodging a gang of thieving arrow shooters, and assisting Nick Bassaneli, her potential brother-in-law, with a bogus murder charge. Meanwhile, she's trying to find her boyfriend the perfect gift, when all he wants is for her to show up to Valentine's dinner without danger on her heels. Speaking of danger, Aiden Devlin is a little too secretive about his newest investigation, and something is hanging heavy over his head, but the stubborn Irishman refuses to share. Anna begins to fear that the 'bogus' murder charge might not be so bogus, and Nick truly could be in trouble. Unfortunately for Aiden, the Albertini family is full of self-proclaimed sleuths, and they're more than eager to crack the case before he can reach his own conclusions.

TALK TO THE PAW – MELINDA METZ

\$27.95 *REPACK*

Jamie Snyder is thirty-four and single but NOT ready to mingle. After suffering through *The Year of the Non-Committal Man*, *The Year of the Self-Absorbed Man*, and *The Year of the Forgot-to-Mention-I'm-Married Man*, Jamie's ready to celebrate *The Year of Me--and MacGyver*, of course. MacGyver is an adorable tabby with a not-so-adorable habit of sneaking out at night and stealing things from the neighbors. That's right, MacGyver

is a cat burglar. He's still the only male Jamie trusts--and the only companion she needs. MacGyver knows his human is lonely. He can smell it. It's the same smell he's noticed on their neighbor David, a handsome young baker who's tired of his friends trying to fix him up. But now MacGyver's on the case. First, he steals something from David and stashes it at Jamie's. Then, he steals something from Jamie and leaves it with David. Before long, the two are swapping stolen goods, trading dating horror stories, and trying not to fall in love. But they're not fooling MacGyver. When humans generate this much heat, the cat is out of the bag.



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- HOW TO SOLVE YOUR OWN MURDER – KRISTEN PERRIN

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SPECULATION IN SIN – JENNIFER ASHLEY
BOOK #7 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Start with *Death Below Stairs*. To save an innocent man's life, amateur sleuth and cook Kat Holloway must expose a financial scam that could ruin the most powerful aristocrats in Victorian-era London, from the New York Times bestselling author of *The Secret of Bow Lane*. Kat Holloway is distressed to learn that Samuel Millburn, husband of the woman who looks after her daughter, has been accused of embezzling funds from the bank where he works as a clerk. The accusation is absurd, and Samuel's wife fears that her husband will not only lose his post but be imprisoned. Kat vows to uncover the truth. When she discovers the bank is involved in shockingly murky business dealings, Kat realizes she's treading in dangerous waters. She turns to her confidante and handsome suitor, Daniel McAdam, for help. To exonerate Samuel, Kat and Daniel may have to expose the unseemly financial dealings of prominent aristocrats and government officials, and even those working to bring down the royal family. Kat will risk everything to protect the man who has sacrificed so much for her daughter, even if it means endangering herself and the friends she has come to love



THE DUKES DEFENDER– CH ADMIRAND
BOOK #6 \$29.95
TRADE P/BACK

Start with *The Dukes Sword*. Aiden Garahan is tasked with protecting the duke's new ward. He promises to protect her with his life. The lovely young woman, with auburn hair and quiet gray eyes is no child, but a petite, curvaceous beauty. His reaction to her is unexpected and unwanted. Miss Emily Montrose may be small in stature, but she is no shrinking violet! When a runaway carriage tragically cuts her father's life short, she is thrust into chaos as the duke's ward. Her life is turned upside down when rumors and a wager challenges all comers to win her hand. Emily's life is threatened as the wager increases and unscrupulous men see her as a prize. Aiden must cut through the lies to the truth. He guards her valiantly and vows to protect her to the last beat of his heart, while she steals it away, one glance at a time...one caress at a time. Aiden faces a battle he never imagined...one that pits his heart against his honor!



A FAMILY OF HIS OWN – STEPHANIE LAURENS
BOOK #15 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

TOP PICK

Start with *By Winters Light*. Toby Cynster is not amused when informed that his new mission is to be his last in the service of Drake, Marquess of Winchelsea. Courtesy of Toby being the last unmarried Cynster of his generation and the consequent martial obsession of his female relatives, he will be given no more excuses to avoid society and, instead, expected to devote himself to finding a suitable bride. But Toby sees no point in marrying—thanks to his siblings, he has plenty of nephews and nieces with whom to play favorite uncle, and he has no thoughts of establishing a family of his own. But then the mission takes an unexpected turn, leaving Toby to escort the fascinating Diana Locke plus the three young children of a dying Englishman from Vienna to England. Diana is no more enthused about their journey than Toby, but needs must, and makes the best of things for her godchildren's sakes. She's determined to see them to safety in England and does her best to ignore her annoying awareness of Toby. But then their journey becomes a flight from deadly pursuit, and their most effective disguise is to pass themselves off as a family—the sort of family Toby had been certain he would never want. Through a succession of fraught adventures, Toby, Diana, and the children lean on each other and grow and mature while furthering their ultimate aim of reaching England safely, and along the way, Toby and Diana both learn what having a family actually means to them.



THE DIAMOND AND THE DUKE – CHRISTI CALDWELL
BOOK #1 \$29.95

Despite a hero's return to England from the Napoleonic Wars, Wesley Audley isolates from the ton. Deep wounds from the horrors of combat—and the despair of a broken heart—left him scarred. As he struggles to cope and resume his place in Polite Society, Wesley is quick to cut himself off from everyone ...

except for Ellie Balfour. Independent and strong-willed, Ellie has dreams of captaining her own husband-free life and a penchant for meddling in other's business. She knows befriending Wesley is a risk but Ellie can't bear to see his heartache. Nor can she seem to silence all the temptingly intimate thoughts his nearness provokes. But Ellie is yet to face a battle she can't win—and Wesley's heart is worth the fight. If only her campaigns ever went to plan.



THE COUNTESS'S FORGOTTEN MARRIAGE – ANNIE BURROWS
\$25.95

Mary has arrived home, after months away, following a traumatic encounter with a highwayman that wiped her memory. Back in her grand house, her aloof—but distractingly handsome—husband, Anthony, is wary, suspecting her of the worst! But how can she explain that she'd become brave and wily to survive? She'll need those skills if she's to win back her earl's trust, and if they're to resume as man and wife once more.

A PROPOSAL TO PROTECT HIS LADY – ELIZABETH BEACON
\$25.95



Max has done everything he can to forget about his first, unrequited love: Georgia. Now, five years after she wed another man, Georgia is standing outside Max's home, Holdfast Castle. He's horrified to learn of the abuse that her late husband subjected her to. And that, if Georgia is to see her young daughters again, she must remarry. To protect her, Max offers Georgia a convenient marriage. But he's also determined to protect his now ironclad heart from their newfound mutual attraction!



A HOUSEMAID TO REDEEM HIM – LAURA MARTIN
\$25.95

After receiving news of his father's ailing health, Richard Digby must leave his self-imposed exile and return to the town that holds haunting memories. He forms an unlikely connection with his father's intriguing and defiant housemaid, Rose, who also finds herself on the fringes of society after her troubled past. Richard is intent on leaving again, but keeping his distance from Rose while they're in such close quarters is proving harder than he ever imagined!



MAYFAIR MISFIT – JENNIFER SEASONS
BOOK #1 \$29.95

Stifled by the rigid confines of Mayfair society, Lady Carenza Castlebury lives a secret life. One full of passion and color in the heart of London's rookery, where she sings in a tavern as the infamous Masked Meadowlark. Coveted by many, claimed by none, Carenza refuses to conform to a life dictated to her by her controlling father, the powerful Earl of Castlebury. She will run

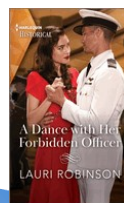
away from his every attempt to quell her freedom, regardless of what her father believes—and regardless of any man he sends to bring her home. Or so she thinks, until she encounters the one man who stops her—and her heart—dead in her tracks. Commoner Damon Crowe has made a lucrative living digging through the secrets of the rich and titled. In the recovery business, Damon thinks nothing of assisting the Earl of Castlebury in retrieving his spoiled daughter from her covert nighttime escapades before her ruse is discovered. Damon sees only a hefty payout on an easy assignment. Truly, how big a problem can one nobleman's bored and pampered daughter be? Turns out, she's a rather large one. But when Carenza's brazen nature puts her directly into the path of the Revivalists—a group of murdering noblemen rampaging London—Damon can no longer deny his feelings for the passionate hellion.



THE SECRET SHE KEPT FROM THE EARL - SOPHIA WILLIAMS
\$25.95

Nine years ago, Eloise shared a passionate tryst with a stranger at a masquerade ball. Seeing Marcus, Earl of Malbrook, again now sends her into a dead faint...because she must reveal that their night together left her with child! No longer the naive young woman Marcus knew, Eloise is a jaded widow reluctant to give up

her independence. So, what will she do when Marcus stuns her with a proposal?



A DANCE WITH HER FORBIDDEN OFFICER – LAURI ROBINSON
\$25.95

Nurse Wendy Smith promised her mother she'd see the world, starting with beautiful Hawaii. Her promise to herself—to never depend on a man—is harder to keep when navy officer K.T. McAllister jitters into her life. Then Pearl Harbor is attacked and, as Wendy nurses an injured K.T., she learns he too has promises to people back home. Yet as K.T. grows stronger, so do her feelings, and her longing for the forbidden.

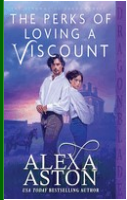


**THE WORST LORD IN LONDON – ANNA CAMPBELL
BOOK #1 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK**



Independent, willful Kate Starr has cherished a penchant for handsome Lord Shelburn since she was sixteen years old, but as a mill-owning industrialist, she moves in a different world from the libertine earl. Then one fateful day, Shelburn invites her to accompany him in a scandalous race, and immediate physical attraction swiftly turns into blazing passion. Leighton Anstey, Earl of Shelburn, glories in his reputation as the worst lord in London. His fame as an irresistible seducer is unrivaled, although his amours are notable for their explosive heat, not their longevity. The dashing lord has never met a woman who can hold his wandering attention, until he tumbles into a liaison with a mysterious woman who enthralls him, body and soul. Neither Kate nor Shelburn views their torrid affair as more than a shooting star, flaring red-hot for a brilliant instant, then destined to fade to nothing. But does the fiery desire raging between them blind them to the chance of finding lifelong happiness together?

**THE PERKS OF LOVING A VISCOUNT – ALEXA ASTON
BOOK #2 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK**



Book #1 The Dukes Unexpected Love. As a boy, Seth Atwell falls in love with the sea. His uncle, Lord Hopewell, arranges for Seth to become a cabin boy, and over the years, Seth works his way up to the position of captain of a trading vessel. On a return trip home to England, he is shocked to learn that he is the new Viscount Hopewell-and must give up his seafaring ways. Lady Philippa Strong has a zest for life and is always in motion.

Curious about everything, with a love of languages and geography, Pippa doesn't want to make her come-out with her twin. Though she adores Georgina, Pippa knows when the ton compares the two Strong twins, she will come up lacking. Seth retreats to Hopewood, his country estate, where he encounters his dual neighbor's sister. Seth is drawn to Pippa's free spirit and inquisitive nature, and she agrees to give him riding lessons since he has never been atop a horse. The pair grow close, but friendship is not enough for this viscount. He wants to claim Pippa as his viscountess.



**THE SLAYERS REDEMPTION – MARLISS MELTON
BOOK #1 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK**

When his saintly wife dies in childbirth, Sir Christian rescues his infant son with a violent act that seals his ruthless reputation. Now, the warrior known as the Slayer of Helmsley must find a wet nurse, or his babe, too, will perish. Yet how will he attain help when the populace fears him? Clarisse du Boise is desperate.

The lives of her sisters and mother depend on her committing a terrible act--murdering the Slayer, if only she can get close enough to do so. Weaving an ever-growing web of lies, Clarisse gains access to Christian's castle where she sparks his immediate interest. While caring for his son, she discovers redeeming traits in the warrior and an unexpected desire to know him better. With her resolution to commit the heinous act wavering, a shocking solution comes to mind. But is the price more than she is willing to pay?



**LION OF TWILIGHT – KATHRYN LE VEQUE
BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK**



Richard "Roi" de Lohr is the second son of Richard the Lionheart's champion, Christopher de Lohr. Roi was raised in the finest homes and with the finest training. Emerging as a powerful and intelligent knight, he married the woman he wanted and enjoyed the life of prestige he had earned. When his wife gave

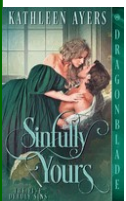
birth to a son, Roi's life was complete. When Roi's wife dies in childbirth with their second child, he is devastated. But he's a de Lohr and de Lohrs don't crumble. He raises his son alone, proud that the lad promises to take his place among the great de Lohrs. He even arranges a marriage for his son with the daughter of a prestigious lord, an heiress of great wealth. Everything is going as planned. But tragedy strikes again. Roi's son is killed in a freak accident, leaving Roi shattered beyond repair. The prestigious lord, however, has no sympathy and demands that Roi fulfill the marriage contract or risk losing a strong alliance. With Roi's son gone, that means Roi, a widower, must marry the young heiress he's never even met. From one of the finest families in England, that prestige masked a problem - naturally vivacious and charming, Diara has earned herself a scandalous reputation that Roi wasn't told about. He's rather reserved by nature, serious and deliberate, and when he finds himself married to a woman who can light up an entire room with simply her smile, he's taken aback. There are whispers of Diara's flirtations and the men she has conquered. Roi suspects he has gotten himself into a miserable marriage. But that soon changes as he comes to know the lightning bolt known as Diara. Deedee. And so begins a love story for the ages. Treachery and deceit, it seems, aim directly for Roi and Diara as their relationship deepens.



**IN WANT OF A VISCOUNT – LORRAINE HEATH
BOOK #3 \$29.95**



Book #1 The Counterfeit Scoundrel, Book #2 The Notorious Lord Knightly. American Leonora Garrison has come to England in desperate search of investors to keep her family business afloat but instead finds surprising pleasure when she visits an exclusive ladies' club and dares to kiss a stranger, who leaves her yearning for more. With a libertine for a father, Viscount Wyeth, more commonly known as Rook, vowed to live his life above reproach, with nary a hint of disgrace. Until one night, he takes a mysterious beauty into his arms, a lady who tempts him to cast his sterling reputation aside in favor of more wicked pursuits. When fate reunites the couple, they are torn between desire and duty. Leonora may want the viscount, but she needs a stakeholder not a lover. When caught in a compromising situation that places everything they hold dear at risk, they must determine how best to win. However, in this scandalous game, nothing except love takes all.



**SINFULLY YOURS – KATHLEEN AYERS
BOOK #4 \$29.95**

Start with Sinfully Wed. Malcolm Sinclair, former soldier, and mercenary has once more run afoul of the authorities. He needs a quick escape back to London which Lord Buckmore is only too happy to provide, if only Malcolm will perform a small task. Kidnap the young lady Buckmore wishes to wed from her overzealous, overprotective cousin. Seems simple enough. Miss Alyss Brooks is known for her scathing tongue, her ability to wield a parasol most proficiently, and her absolute dislike of her cousin's suitor, Lord Buckmore. When Alyss is mistaken for her cousin, she sees an opportunity to confront the vile young lord once and for all. Instead of vengeance, Alyss finds herself stranded far from London with no way home. A thunderstorm makes matters worse. She's robbed. Worst of all, the only man willing to offer any assistance is her kidnapper, Sinclair.



**HIGHLAND PROMISE – HANNAH HOWELL
\$27.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 1999)**

Eric Murray was the youngest of his brothers, determined to gain his rightful inheritance after thirteen years of bitter dispute with his father's family. Starting out alone to confront his tight-fisted kinsmen, he encountered a beauty set upon by thieves. When she begged for Eric's protection for herself and her infant nephew, Eric promised to deliver them to safety. Bethia Drummond's only hope for escaping the ruthless kin who planned to kill her and her orphaned nephew, and claim their inheritance, was Eric Murray. Then Bethia learned that Eric, too, was seeking land and coin from his own people--her family's closest allies. How could she love a man she might one day be forced to stand against? And yet she could not ignore what her troubled heart knew--that this proud knight had more than inspired her deepest passions he had become her very destiny.



**HIGHLAND SCANDAL – JULIA LONDON
\$29.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 2009)**

On the run from the wrathful Prince of Wales, Jack Haines, Earl of Lambourne, is taken prisoner by a Highland laird who makes him an unusual offer: if Jack handfasts his niece, then his life will be spared. The old Highland custom--a marriage lasting only a year and a day, unless both partners agree to make it a lifelong vow--sounds preferable to being dragged back to London in chains, and when Jack meets lovely Lizzie Beal, his dilemma starts to seem positively enjoyable. Until the hellion unleashes her fury. Detesting the scandalous match that will end all her chances of making a respectable marriage, Lizzie can't abide living intimately with a fugitive nobleman bent on seducing her and then running off. But in teaching her the pleasures of married life, Jack sparks within them both a passion that will make him wish he could stay with Lizzie for much longer than a year and a day.



**THE VIKING AND THE RUNAWAY EMPRESS--
SARAH RODI
\$25.95**

Guard to the Byzantine emperor, Viking warrior Destin is tasked with delivering his sovereign's runaway bride-to-be to Constantinople. Abandoned at birth, Destin has spent years making something of himself, and with this final task comes the promise of land and riches. Only, the fiercely beautiful Livia refuses to be wed! Destin must return her unharmed--and untouched--but the closer they grow on their journey, the harder it becomes for him to hand her over.

LOVE LETTERS FOR LADY LARK – ELIZABETH ROSE

TOP PICK



BOOK #3 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Picking up the Gauntlet, Book #2 A Rose Among Thorns. Lady Lark is the daughter of the well-known Scottish chieftain, Storm MacKeefe. Needing time away from her clan, she goes to Blake Castle in England to be with her cousins and to clear her head. Lark is unwed but has a four-year-old daughter, Florie. A foolish act has tarnished her reputation and she is hoping to start anew. Wanting the best for her daughter, Lark requests that a tutor be sent from the monastery to teach the girl. No monk will come, but a scribe named Dustin answers her call. Lark doesn't believe she'll ever fall in love again after the father of her child has deceived her, ruined her reputation, and deserted her. However, shortly after the arrival of the scribe, she starts to receive love letters and romantic poems from a secret admirer. It makes her feel alive again. Dustin Styles was left as a baby, abandoned on the stairs of the church. Raised by monks, he's lived his life inside the cloistered walls, but has never taken holy vows. Instead, he's focused on his studies, mastering the art of being a scribe and tutor to the nobles. A summons from the castle arrives, asking for a tutor to teach a young girl. Only boys are allowed to be learned so the monks turn down the request. Dustin is intrigued and volunteers to go. Once there, he meets the single mother, Lady Lark, and immediately loses his heart to her. They start to become close while he teaches her daughter. He can't express his feelings for her since she is from above the salt. So, instead he woos her as a secret admirer, sending her love letters, only able to watch her reaction from afar. However, sometimes even good intentions turn bad, and instead of spreading joy, those same intentions can bring trouble knocking at the door. Love has no bounds but marriage has rules. A noble must never wed anyone from below the salt.



THE COUNTESS – CLAIRE DELACROIX

BOOK #4 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Start with The Princess. Driven from her late husband's estate, Countess Eglantine de Crevy fled to wildest Scotland to claim a castle, only to find a ruin-and a clan chieftain standing guard. Kinbeath was hers, she declared, vowing to rebuild the manor and launch a bride quest so her daughters could marry for love. But Duncan MacLaren had devised a bride quest of his own, swearing to win the land-and the fiery countess-in a war of sweet seduction. Eglantine declared she would never be captured by this barbarian. Yet Duncan awakened passions she had never known before. She promised to fight him with every weapon at her command even as he vowed to woo her for a year and a day-and make her his pagan bride. Each thought Kinbeath the prize the most desired, a prize to be won at any price. Until passion turned to love, and the chieftain found himself fighting for the heart and hand of the woman he was born to possess.



ON BENDED KNEE – TANYA ANNE CROSBY
BOOK #3 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK *REISSUE* (ORIG 1999)

Start with The Mackinnon Bride. A daughter of the forest and loyal to no clan, Seana has been whispered to be a child of the faeries, but not even a little Gael magic can help her claim what she truly desires-home and hearth... before it's too late for her ailing da. Seana pins all her hopes on Broc Ceannfhionn, but Broc has eyes for another. To win Broc's heart, she strikes a bargain with Colin Mac Brodie-the biggest rogue in all of Scotia. Although Colin has already broken Seana's heart once... this time around, he's powerless to resist the girl he once shunned... and he finds himself where he never thought to be... on bended knee.



THE HAWK LAIRD – SUSAN KING
BOOK #1 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK *RENAME* (ORIG 98)

Previously published as "Laird of the Wind". From the moment Isobel of Aberlady sees the stranger emerge from the shadows to spirit her away from a besieged Scottish castle, she knows it is at the cost of her freedom-and his. Renowned for her visions, Isobel has been protected until the Scottish rebel takes her hostage for his own ends. Outlawed and unjustly accused of betraying his leader, falconer Sir James Lindsay needs his good name restored-and Lady Isobel, whose prophecy caused his undoing, is his only weapon. Intending to exchange the valuable lady for another hostage, James takes Isobel deep into his forest lair. He does not count on finding an abandoned goshawk who needs his help-nor does he expect to fall in love with the beautiful prophetess. Amid treachery and hope, passion and betrayal, their love becomes the one shining light, a source of retribution, renewal, and finally destiny foretold-and forever.



THE PROMISED HEART – PAULA QUINN
BOOK #3 \$35.00 *REISSUE/RENAME* (ORIG 2006)

Previously published as "Lord of Seduction". Book #1 The Passionate Heart, Book #2 The Unchained Heart. By the king's order, Lady Tanon Risande has been promised to wed a fierce Welsh prince as a gesture of Norman goodwill. But the Prince Gareth ap Owain seems more like a pulsing beast ready to devour, and Tanon doubts she can obey her king and wed the untamed dragon prince. When he claims her hand in a tournament, beating dozens of men to win her, she knows he won't leave without his promised prize, and she can't help but fear bedding a barbarian. But like the sun, Tanon's fire cannot be extinguished. In it, she possesses the power to subdue a king, tame a dragon, and bring peace to the wild lands of Cymru. Gareth may be a prince, but his primal sensuality proves he's no courtly gentleman. But he's determined to show the woman he's loved since he was a boy that he saves his savagery for the battlefield, not the bedchamber. He'll use far more persuasive methods to draw his lady into his arms. But though Gareth is a prince, he can't offer Tanon the finery she's used to, nor can he be sure she will be safe in his untamed land of Cymru, where princes plot against princes and Marcher lords take more of their land each day.



HIGHLAND LOVE COMES CALLING – CELESTE BARCLAY
BOOK #1 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Hamish Sutherland was never meant to be laird. Instead, he finds himself not only leading his clan as the Earl of Sutherland, but embroiled in a violent feud with his neighbor, the Earl of Ross. A Highlander, Hamish longs to return to his rugged home-until he finds himself craving the enigmatic young lady he danced with and whose intelligence charms him. Knowing only her first name, Hamish refuses to allow anyone to stand in the way of the woman he wants. There's one problem. Amelia Ross never imagined the commanding warrior with his imposing size could be so gentle as his touch brings her alive. Nor did she imagine that the one man she would wish to make her own would be her father's most reviled enemy. Sworn to serve the queen, tested by a rival, and torn between love and duty, Amelia is nobody's fool. A skilled diplomat and strategist, she's the only person who can create a truce between Hamish and her father as they prepare alongside Robert the Bruce and William Wallace for the Battle of Stirling Bridge. No matter the outcome, one thing is certain: Hamish will stop at nothing to be with the woman he loves.

TOP PICK



MARRYING OFF MORGAN MCBRIDE – AMY BARRY
BOOK #2 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Kit McBride gets a Wife. As the oldest of the McBride siblings, Morgan had to be protector and shepherd since Ma died and Pa ran off. It hasn't always been easy, especially when his heart longs to roam on the trail. But now that his brother Kit is married and settled, the time is right for Morgan to leave Buck's Creek. Little does he know that his hellcat of a little sister, Junebug, is dead set on keeping him at home and getting more help around the house -- all with one honest advertisement in the Matrimonial News. Epiphany Hopgood has always had a gift for doing the exact wrong thing. Pip's too tall, too loud, too opinionated, and too contrary for her family and community. Staring down the barrel of spinsterhood, she and her grandmother answer a seemingly straightforward ad for a bride. However, when Pip shows up to Buck's Creek, she finds that Morgan McBride is not the husband she expected.

Coming next month...

- ❑ THE TROUBLE WITH EARLS – ANNA CAMPBELL BK #2 TP
- ❑ LION OF WAR – KATHRYN LE VEQUE BK #2 TP
- ❑ THE BEAUTY – CLAIRE DELACROIX BK #5 T/P
- ❑ THE DUKES SABER – CH ADMIRAND BK #7 T/P
- ❑ CHARMED BY HIS WILY LASS – AMY JARECKI BK #6 TP
- ❑ DAMNED IF I DUKE – ANNA BRADLEY BK #2 T/P
- ❑ ALLIANCE WITH THE NOTORIOUS LORD – BRONWYN SCOTT
- ❑ DANCING ON AIR – ELIZABETH ROSE BK #4 *REISSUE*
- ❑ DUKE UNDONE – JENNIFER SEASONS BK #2
- ❑ LION HEART – TANYA ANN CROSBY BK #4 *REISSUE*
- ❑ THE FALCON LAIRD – SUSAN KING BK #2 T/P

Preorders...

- ❑ MY SEASON OF SCANDAL – JULIE ANN LONG BK #7 DUE 23/4
- ❑ THE LAST DUKE SHED MARRY – ANNA CAMPBELL BK #3 TP
- ❑ THE TEMPTRESS – CLAIRE DELACROIX BK #6 T/P

- ❑ WINTER SAGE – ELIZABETH ROSE BK #5 *REISSUE*
- ❑ THE LADY PLAYS WITH FIRE— SUSANNA CRAIG BK #2
- ❑ A DAUGHTER OF FAIR VERONA – CHRISTINA DODD H/C DUE 25/6

HERE ARE TWO MORE FROM THE PROLIFIC EVE LANGLAIS



EARTHS PALADIN

BOOK #4 \$25.95 TRADE P/BACK

Start with Earths Daughter. A curse left Daphne trapped inside a tree for centuries. When she's finally freed, she's eager to resume her duty as Earth's paladin, the Mother's champion, a stave against all who commit evil. There are those who have trespassed against nature, and it's up to Daphne to ensure their rot won't spread. Usually she fights alone, but in this new world she requires a guide. Even an unwilling werewolf with a god complex. Baptiste committed an inexcusable act and the werewolf is adamant he doesn't deserve kindness or forgiveness. Daphne doesn't grant him either. The abrasive dryad won't let him wallow and insists he accompany her as she goes on a quest. Maybe he'll get the punishment he so rightly deserves so he can resist the intriguing Daphne. He'd rather lick his own balls than admit he cares for her. When peril strikes, the wolfman will do anything to save her, even if it means his life.



REAPING DEMONS

BOOK #1 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Why couldn't my midlife crisis involve a new hairstyle? I went from ordinary working gal to demon killer. Sounds exciting? Not really, seeing as how I got fired from my job, my apartment was trashed, and the cops think I'm involved in something shady. Especially that cute detective who keeps questioning me. Pity there's no time to flirt, what with all the demons that keep emerging from sewer grates and subway tunnels. Something has to be done before they overrun the city. If only that something didn't involve me! I never asked to be a heroine, but apparently, I've been chosen and now I must reap what fate has bestowed before chaos is sown.

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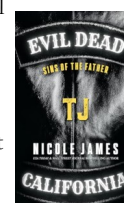
- **PROFESSOR AND THE SEER – EVE LANGLAIS BK #2 T/P**
- **HAVING THE DRAGONS BABY – MILLY TAIDEN BK #3**
- **PLAY DIRTY – LORA LEIGH BK #1 T/P**



HAVING THE BEARS BABY – MILLY TAIDEN

BOOK #2 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Having the Wolfs Baby. Emma Monroe's heart beats for a single purpose: motherhood. Her longing drives her to take sign up for the enigmatic Shifter Surrogacy Program. Destiny has plans for her. This decision will plunge her into a reality she never thought possible. Liam, the Alpha bear of the Boren Clan, carries an unspoken wish for a family to call his own. When his sister nudges him toward the very same agency, fate begins to weave intricate threads that will forever entwine his life with Emma's. When mysterious figures emerge demanding Emma's distance from Liam, an unsettling suspicion creeps into Liam's mind ... a traitor lurks within the very clan he calls family. As the threats to his mate escalate, their unborn child becomes a target. Will Emma decide to stay and accept Liam is her fated mate, or will she leave to protect her baby?



TJ – NICOLE JAMES

BOOK #3 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Marcus, Book #2 Billy. The beautiful tattoo artist told me to leave her alone after what I thought was an amazing night together. Maybe she was just trying to get her bad boy fill. Wouldn't be the first time a woman threw herself at me because I was a member of the Evil Dead MC, the baddest motorcycle club in California. Still, I can't get her out of mind. I need answers, but what I find has my blood running cold. Gigi—The gorgeous biker crushed my heart when he left without a word. So when he shows up as my knight in shining armor to rescue me from my abuser, I don't trust him. I don't want to owe him anything, but he's the only one who can protect me from the danger I've found myself in. When I find out I'm also carrying his baby, I have to decide if I can trust him with the truth and with my heart.

Forthcoming...

- **HAVING THE TIGERS BABY – MILLY TAIDEN BK #4**
- **EARTHS SECRET – EVE LANGLAIS BK #5 T/P**



PHOENIX KING – TJ NICHOLS

BOOK #2 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Phoenix Spy. It should be an easy job for Malcolm Forrest. He's ex-army and he's a snow leopard shifter. He enters the country on four feet, his plan not formed beyond reaching the castle and getting eyes on the king. Seeing a phoenix flying through the trees is unexpected. He follows, but what he finds is a man standing by a fire. A man he believes to be a shifter living wild and in need of some company, which, after days as a snow leopard, is tempting. Escaping his security to shift and fly is one of the reasons Gerrit likes to visit his remote estate. The only shifters he ever finds are those in trouble, so when he sees the snow leopard, he's happy to share his fire. When the leopard shifts, Gerrit wants more than words. He's tired of being alone and unable to connect because of who he is and the secrets he keeps. He doesn't expect to see the snow leopard again. The next time they meet, Malcolm realizes who the phoenix is and how he missed his chance. With a magic-fueled blizzard closing in and no means of escape, he fails to act again. Instead, when Gerrit offers him shelter on his estate and in his bed, he accepts. Even though the lie eats him up. With lives on the line and too many secrets being kept, revealing the truth may be the only way out of the mess but it will cost him more than his heart.



BRIGHTER THAN FEAR – BECCA SEYMOUR

BOOK #3 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Start with Thicker Than Water. In the world of covert operations, trust is paramount, yet I've been straying, fostering secret ties with the elusive "unicorn hacker," challenging my loyalty to the ITU, my SICB family. No doubt about it, I'm going to be in deep shit when they find out. But when an investigation explodes, so does my world and for the first time, I hear the hacker's voice, pulling me in deeper. I also finally get his name. Rowan Hart, a former agent and a tiger shifter. He becomes an unexpected hero, thrusting us into an alliance against Hornell, SICB's prime target. Despite clashes with my team, we form an unstoppable duo, until a sudden attack fractures our team, leaving me changed beyond imagination. As I fight for survival, it takes both my unit and Rowan's unwavering resolve to keep me alive. Amidst chaos, Rowan's commitment becomes clear—he'll move heaven and earth to grant me a second chance at life.



THE BLOOD DEMONS COLLAR– KD ELLIS

BOOK #2 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 The Blood Demons Pet. Trapped in an inescapable prison he designed it himself, Leviathan only has one chance for freedom. And with his bonded taken by his ex-boyfriend Puck, there's no time to waste. But Puck's plan is bigger than just revenge, and there's more at stake than Leviathan realizes. Saving his boy might mean dooming the world. Eryn watched Leviathan get stabbed in the back by a stranger, and there was nothing he could do to help. Taken by the old wix and with his life on the line, he has no choice but to find a way to escape on his own. But what is he supposed to do when he escapes one danger by running right into the arms of another?



REMEDIAL MAGIC – MELISSA MARR

BOOK #1 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

The Magicians meets One Last Stop in this brand-new fantasy romance Remedial Magic, about an unassuming librarian who 1) has fallen in love with a powerful witch; 2) has discovered that she is a witch; and 3) must attend magical community college to learn how to save her new world from complete destruction by New York Times bestselling author Melissa Marr! Ellie loves working in her local library in the small town of Ligonier. She loves baking scones and investigating the mysterious and captivating in her spare time. And there is nothing more mysterious and captivating than the intriguingly beautiful, too properly dressed woman sipping tea in her library who has appeared as if out of nowhere. The pull between them is undeniable, and Ellie is not sure that she wants to resist. Prospero, a powerful witch from the magical land of Crenshaw, is often accused of being... ruthless in her goals and ambitions. But she is driven to save her dying homeland, and a prophecy tells her that Ellie is the key. Unbeknownst to Ellie, her powers have not yet awakened. But all of that is about to change.



THE DUKES COWBOY – ANDREW GREY

\$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

George Lester, the Duke of Northumberland, flees familial expectations in Britain for the promise of freedom of San Francisco, looking for the chance to be himself. But before he even gets close, a blizzard forces him off the road, and he finds himself freezing half to death in a small town with no motel... with a litter of puppies to look after. Luckily for George, he also finds Alan. As the heir to his family's ranch, Alan Justice knows the burden of being the oldest son. He doesn't have time to show George, the stranger his brother dragged home, what it takes to be a cowboy. But that very night, George surprises him by helping a mare in distress through a difficult birth. Maybe the duke is made of sterner stuff than Alan thought. George and Alan keep surprising each other, and every day they grow a little closer. But when George's responsibilities call him home, Alan finds he's the one who has something to prove—that he can handle what it means to be the duke's cowboy.

Coming next month...

- **A CHOREOGRAPHED COUP – JASON WRENCH BK #2 T/P**
- **GUARDED DESIRES – LEXXIE COUPER**
- **WAITING FOR THE FLOOD – ALEXIS HALL BK #2 T/P**
- **PORT IN A STORM – RHYS FORD T/P**

Preorders...

- **THE FACE MAN – AMY LANE BK #6 *REPACK* DUE 30/4**
- **BONFIRES – AMY LANE BK #1**
- **JAGGED ENDS – THOM COLLINS BK #5 DUE 30/4**



SHIELD OF FIRE – KERI ARTHUR
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Start with Crown Of Shadows. Resident Relic Hunter for Deva's Fae Council is a title Bethany Aodhán never wanted, but it isn't like she has a choice. And in truth, the appointment might just aid her quest to find her mother's murderers-because at least one of those responsible is a

member of the council, and getting access to their records could give her the connection and their identity. But before she can be given her first task or even start her behind-the-scenes hunt, a building belonging to Cynwrig Lùtair-the highborn dark elf who is not only her council liaison but lover-is set alight, and they barely escape with their lives. It quickly becomes clear that the cause of the fire was a relic belonging to the god of smiths and fire, capable of destroying anything made within a forge, old or new. And the man wielding it is an elf who stirs uneasy echoes of past darkness within Bethany. As the attacks intensify and draw ever closer to home, it's increasingly evident that not only do the keys to finding the culprits lie in the past Bethany can't remember, but he's someone who knew her very well indeed. Someone who has no qualms about doing whatever it takes to get what he wants from her. Even if that means killing Lugh.



THE LADY IN GLASS AND OTHER STORIES – ANNE BISHOP \$54.95 H/COVER



A magical collection of stories new and old spanning across all of Anne Bishop's most beloved fantasy worlds. Here, together for the first time, the shorter works of *New York Times* bestselling fantasy author Anne Bishop are included in one dazzling volume. A master of bringing fantasy worlds to life, this collection showcases Bishop's impressive range, from rarities of her earliest writing to the Realms of the Blood, from darker fairytale retellings to the Landscapes of Ephemera, and from standalone stories of space exploration and fantastical creatures to the contemporary fantasy terrain of the World of the Others. Includes previously published and unpublished tales, as well as two brand-new stories, written especially for this collection: "Friends and Corpses," a murder mystery in which the corpse has some decidedly unusual qualities, and "Home for the Howlidays," a heartwarming return to the Blood Prophet Meg Corbyn and the shapeshifting Simon Wolfgard from The Others.



THE SUNLIT MAN – BRANDON SANDERSON
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Years ago he had comrades in arms and a cause to believe in, but now the man who calls himself Nomad knows only a life on the run. Forced to hop from world to world in the Cosmere whenever the relentless Night Brigade gets too close, Nomad lands on a new planet and is instantly caught up in the struggle between a tyrant and the rebels who want only to escape being turned into

mindless slaves- all under the constant threat of a sunrise whose heat will melt the very stones. Unable to understand the language, can he navigate the conflict and gain enough power to leap offworld before his mind or body pay the ultimate price?



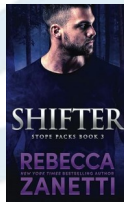
THREE KINDS OF LUCKY – KIM HARRISON
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Petra Grady has known since adolescence that she has no talent for magic-and that's never going to change. But as a sweeper first-class, she's parlayed her rare ability to handle dross-the magical waste generated by her more kin's spellwork-into a decent life working at the mages' university. Except Grady's predictable life is about to be upended. When Benedict Strom needs someone with her abilities for a research project studying dross and how to render it harmless, she's stuck working on his team-whether she wants to or not. Only Benedict doesn't understand the characteristics of dross like Grady does. After an accident, she and Benedict are forced to go on the run to seek out the one person who might be able to help: an outcast exiled ten years ago for the crime of using dross to cast spells. Now Grady must decide whether to stick with the magical status quo or embrace her own hidden talents and risk shattering their entire world.



WHEN HES TORN – SUZANNE WRIGHT
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Start with When Hes Dark. It has been said that Bailey Bryant lives with her middle finger up in the air. She can agree with that. But there's one thing she fails to be breezy about: her unrelenting attraction to fellow enforcer Deke Hammond. Broad, inked, and ruggedly masculine, the grumpy cat shifter could attract a stone. He's also currently riddled with touch-hunger and much crankier than usual. So she should probably stop poking at him for fun—he already despises her. Or so she thinks ... until one of their regular disputes leads to an explosive kiss and an exchange of truths. That lip-lock creates a major issue—she now wants more. And there seems only one thing for it: She'll have to kiss him again. Deke is a man of logic. He doesn't like what he doesn't understand. And he cannot explain why Bailey compels him like no one else. Constantly teasing and provoking him, the snake shifter drives him nuts. Daily. On purpose. She takes nothing seriously—him included. Yet, he's often come close to ravishing her mouth. When touch-hunger comes calling, he loses the strength and will to fight his attraction to her. The more time he spends with Bailey, the more he realizes he's made many incorrect assumptions about her. There's much he doesn't know. Much to admire and respect. Much he truly likes. Likes a whole lot, in fact. And there seems only one thing for it: He'll have to just keep her.



SHIFTER – REBECCA ZANETTI
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Book #1 Wolf, Book #2 Alpha. As the only living wolf pack member with the tiniest drop of alpha blood in her veins, Luna McElhanney is suddenly thrust into the spotlight. Normally content in her solitude, she's fixated on defeating a deadly enemy in her lab, and now she's the one being hunted. There's only one solution, according to the pack, and that's for her to mate Erik Volk and bring him into the fold. Erik Volk has been fascinated by the petite wolf shifter from the moment he'd kidnapped her so she could help his family, which she cheerfully did. He's dedicated to his job as the Enforcer for his brother's pack, but the Alpha in him keeps yanking against the chains. When Luna falls into danger, he has no choice but to let the Alpha loose and become the Shifter they all should fear.



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Book #1 Wolf on the Wild Side. Agent Dylan Powers is on a mission in Silver Town to catch four men hunting illegally and put them behind bars. With his heightened wolf senses, he's right on their trail, but the hunters know he's coming. Suddenly, Dylan finds himself in deep trouble, nearly drowned and left to die, until

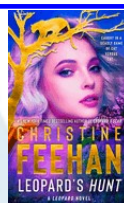
he's rescued by a beautiful she-wolf. When local ski lodge owner Roxie Wolff first found Dylan, her curiosity got the better of her. Who was this handsome wolf and how did he end up in such dire straits? Things start to heat up between Roxie and Dylan as she takes him into her home to help him recover. But with the hunters still on the run, all of Silver Town is at risk, and Roxie and Dylan must team up to take them down before they can go on to explore their explosive mutual attraction.



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Evander Cameron works for the MacNeill wolf pack, taking their Irish wolfhounds to dog show competitions and breeding them, when one of his charges takes off and meets up with his dream dog-a Scottish deerhound. Evander discovers her owner is the kind of wolf he could really fall for. Alyth MacBain is breeding her Scottish deerhound with a champion when her dog runs off.

Now what is she to do? Her puppies might be a mixed breed and the man who owns the stud dog wants one of the puppies for a stud fee! Who would have ever thought her dog and Evander's-causing all the trouble they have-could bring them together in such a crazy way? Their chemistry is off the charts when it comes to Evander and Alyth's interest in each other. But now it appears that someone is intent on stealing her dog to sell her and her puppies and Evander and Alyth have to keep that from happening at all costs.



LEOPARDS HUNT – CHRISTINE FEEHAN
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Start with The Awakening. Gorya Amurov might be known as his family's peacekeeper, but the leopard inside him wants nothing more than to claw to the surface and unleash hell. A harsh life has shaped him into a vicious fighter with a calm exterior, but Gorya knows it's only a matter of time until he loses all control. Deep down, he truly believes he'd be better off dead, and that no woman will ever accept him as a mate. Maya Averina has spent years hunting the criminals who destroyed her life, and she always takes down her prey. She keeps to herself, stays under the radar, and never loses focus. But with her body burning up and her mind distracted by her first heat, an ambush takes her by surprise. Now she's trapped, an unmated female shifter about to be sold off to the highest bidder. Maya is ready to fight her way out--until the most dangerous, powerful man she's ever encountered arrives to set her free.



RIFT IN THE SOUL – FAITH HUNTER
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Start with Blood of the Earth. Nell Ingram draws her powers from deep in the earth, and uses them to help Psy-LED, the Psychometric Law Enforcement Division, which solves paranormal crimes. When a local vampire calls to report a dead body on her compound, Nell knows she and her team have to be ready for anything. But the dead body is just the beginning of a mystery that involves supernaturals of all kinds, including some of the most powerful vampires in the country. As Nell gets closer to the truth, she begins to understand that the perpetrator is tracking her too -- and that there is something personal about this crime. Something with roots that go almost as deep as those in Soulwood.

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Start with Discount Armageddon. Alice Price-Healy gave up her life for fifty years to focus completely on the search for her missing husband. The danger of focus like that is that it leaves little room for thinking about what happens *after*...and now that she's finally managed to find Thomas, she has no idea what she's supposed to do next. The fact

that he comes with a surrogate daughter who may or may not have some connection to Alice's recently adopted grandson is just icing on the complicated cake. So the three of them are heading for the most complicated place in the universe: they're going home. But things on Earth have changed while Alice, Thomas, and Sally have been away. The Covenant of St. George, antagonized by Verity's declaration of war and Sarah's temporary relocation of an entire college campus, is trying to retake North America from the cryptids and cryptozoologists who've been keeping the peace for the past hundred years. And they're starting in New York. Alice and company have barely been back for an hour before the Ocean Lady and the Queen of the Routewitches are sending them to New York to help, and they find themselves embroiled in the politics of dragons, kidnappings, and of course, the most dangerous people of all: family. Getting "back to normal" may be the hardest task Alice has undertaken yet.

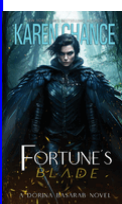


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Mary Dunlavy didn't intend to become a professional babysitter. Of course, she didn't intend to die, either, or to become a crossroads ghost. As a babysitting ghost, she's been caring for the Price family for four generations, and she's planning to keep doing the job for the better part of forever. With her first charge finally back from her decades

-long cross-dimensional field trip, with a long-lost husband and adopted daughter in tow, it's time for Mary to oversee the world's most chaotic family reunion. And that's before the Covenant of St. George launches a full scale strike against the cryptids of Manhattan, followed quickly by an attack on the Campbell Family Carnival. It's going to take every advantage and every ally they have for the Prices to survive what's coming--and for Mary, to avoid finding out the answer to a question she's never wanted to know: what happens to a babysitting ghost if she loses the people she's promised to protect?

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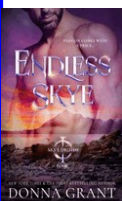


FORTUNES BLADE – KAREN CHANCE BOOK #7 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

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Start with *Midnight's Daughter*. Dory and Dorina Basarab were once one person, albeit an unusual one. They were a dhampir--the hated cross between a human and a vampire that is reviled and feared in both circles. But the human and vampire parts of their nature were recently torn apart by a fey weapon, and now, for the first time in five centuries,

they are two separate people. And one of them is being hunted. Dory and her husband, the vampire senator Louis-Cesare, brave the strange and often deadly world of Faerie looking for her other half. But even finding her proves difficult, and despite their skill and abilities, they struggle to stay alive. And then struggle again with the secrets about their family that their search uncovers--secrets that may give them a fighting chance in the war they are waging against ancient gods or may end up destroying two worlds.



ENDLESS SKYE – DONNA GRANT BOOK #4 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

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Start with *Iron Ember*. For Willa Ryan, family is everything. So, when her brother asks her to locate a book of unparalleled power, she doesn't hesitate. Except she does more than find it. She attempts to steal it, and in the process, ends up running for her life--straight into the arms of a man waiting to rescue her. Jasper is unlike anyone she's

ever met, and she's helpless to resist the undeniable passion between them. But desire always comes at a cost. Jasper McCabe is a master of disguise and deception, and he uses both ruthlessly. Yet nothing can prepare him when he comes face-to-face with the breathtaking woman he's supposed to use for his ruse. Every instinct screams for him to run as far from Willa as he can. But there's no escape from the captivating Druid and the feelings she awakens. With his darkest enemies closing in, Jasper is forced to choose with his heart, or lose the woman who is his one chance at salvation.



HEXES EXES AND CODEXES – COLLEEN GLEASON BOOK #4 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Start with *Tomes, Scones and Crones*. Jacqueline Finch's lovely little bookstore is a special one. Not only is it brimming with books and has a cozy tea shop, but it comes staffed with two very unique employees: Mrs. Hudson, Sherlock Holmes's landlady, and Mrs. Danvers, the creepy and disagreeable housekeeper from *Rebecca*. Despite the fact that other literary characters tend to pop out of books on a daily basis, Jacqueline loves her life, running the bookshop and hanging out with her two new friends. She even enjoys the three old ladies who live at the end of the street, and who are most definitely witches. But just when a holiday weekend and the beginning of tourist season commences, Jacqueline discovers that someone has been breaking into the shop at night. All evidence is that they're doing some sort of conjuring or witchcraft in her store, and that worries her. But things get a little more tense--and confusing--when Jacqueline's ex-fiance shows up in town, wanting to make amends. This could put a real damper on her budding romance with the town detective. Yet, Jacqueline has it all under control...until a woman comes into her store, wanting Jacqueline to put a hex on her ex-husband. The next thing Jacqueline knows, she's got a bunch of very angry women hellbent on getting revenge on their exes--and anyone else who gets in their way including Jacqueline.



THE FOXGLOVE KING – HANNAH WHITTEN BOOK #1 \$22.99 TRADE P/BACK

Lore has been living by her wits since she was a child, running poisons for the cartel that took her in, avoiding the attention of the law, and keeping her illicit affinity for death magic a secret. When a job goes wrong and Lore is captured by the Sainted King's warrior-monks, she expects death. But King August has a different plan. Entire villages on the outskirts of the country have been dying overnight, seemingly at random. Lore can either use her magic to find out what's happening - or face the pyre. Thrust into a lavish court where no one can be believed and even fewer can be trusted, Lore must navigate an intricate web of politics, religion, and forbidden romance and solve the King's mystery. A mystery more dangerous and twisted than Lore can even imagine.



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Misery Lark, the only daughter of the most powerful Vampyre councilman of the Southwest, is an outcast - again. Her days of living in anonymity among the Humans are over: she has been called upon to uphold an historic peacekeeping alliance between the Vampyres and their mortal enemies, the Weres, and sees little choice but to surrender herself in the exchange - again. Weres are ruthless and unpredictable, and their Alpha, Lowe Moreland, is no exception. He rules his pack with absolute authority, but not without justice. And, unlike the Vampyre Council, not without feeling. It's clear from the way he tracks Misery's every movement that he doesn't trust her. If only he knew how right he was. Because Misery has her own reasons to agree to this marriage of convenience, reasons that have nothing to do with politics or alliances, and everything to do with the only thing she's ever cared about. And she is willing to do whatever it takes to get back what's hers, even if it means a life alone in Were territory alone with the wolf.



FATE BREAKER – VICTORIA AVEYARD BOOK #3 \$24.99 TRADE P/BACK *SERIES FINAL*

Book #1 *Realm Breaker*, Book #2 *Blade Breaker*. A strange darkness is growing in the Ward. A man who would burn kingdoms to the ground is raising an army unlike any seen before, bent on uprooting the foundations of the world. And only *Corayne* - a pirate's daughter and the last of an ancient lineage - can stop him. Alongside an unlikely group of reluctant allies, Corayne finds herself on a desperate journey to complete an impossible task, with untold magic singing in her blood and the fate of the world on her shoulders.



SECOND RITE – GENEVA LEE BOOK #2 \$22.99 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 *Filthy Rich Vampire*. Thea Melbourne has a broken heart. A month after her world turned upside down, she's struggling to return to the life she left behind. Her mother is in a coma, she's selling off designer gowns to pay the bills, and her roommates seem to think she's made of glass. But when the vampire who broke her heart shows up at the hospital, she learns a devastating secret. To save the love of his life, Julian pushed her away. Now he has to live with the pain and regret or find someone to put him out of his misery. When it becomes clear that Thea is still in danger, he has a choice to make. He can stay away like the Council demands or risk everything, including their lives, to win her back. Convincing her means facing his own dark secrets and resisting the temptation to claim her as his mate once and for all. But Thea isn't going to make that easy for him.



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INTERFERENCE & INSURGENCY

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Book #1 Breakaway. "Interference" Interference can go either way. The tiny moon of Cepi is on a countdown to destruction, and while Nyha Bartali has been persuaded to take her four wards for a final look at the archaeological wonder, now she's eager to leave. The only problem is, someone has other plans--plans to exploit Nyha and her girls' status as the betrayed orphans of the Verdant String in order to give them time to steal Cepi's secrets. Nyha and her wards' value as survivors of the destruction of Halatia means it would be political suicide for any leader of the Verdant String to endanger them again--something the hostage-takers know very well. What the hostage-takers don't know is that Nyha and her girls have more help than they realize. Mak Carep knows his team's presence on Cepi is the last flex of Arkhor's muscle before the moon is blown to bits. Arkhor has interfered on Cepi since it discovered the ruins four hundred years ago, but sometimes, interference can have unexpected consequences. When Nyha and her girls are taken hostage, Mak and the rest of his special forces team are the only ones who have any hope of rescuing them, and they're ready and willing to do what Arkhor does best. Interfere. "Insurgency" The Parnian city of Var is under siege. Buildings are being targeted by insurgents whose only aim seems to be destruction. Nick Bartega is part of the Protection Unit team investigating the explosions, but with no discernible pattern, and no one taking responsibility, he and his colleagues have hit a blank wall. That is until his neighbor, Tila, is caught up in the first real mistake the insurgents have made. Cornered, forced to take Tila's whole office hostage, the insurgents are surrounded and out of options, until they use Tila as their shield. Tila sees herself as Parnian first, Halatian second, but her dark blue hair, and the strong emotions her very existence provokes in others means the insurgents see her as the perfect hostage. No one on Par wants to give the order that might catch her in the crossfire. They'd rather let the insurgents get away. But Nick, and his commander, Drake, see the first glimpse of a pattern in the insurgents behavior. Not that long ago, Halatians were used as hostages in another incident on the tiny moon of Cepi, and the parallels are hard to ignore. So is this attack on Var an isolated incident, or is there a bigger conspiracy at play? Whatever the truth, Nick isn't prepared to leave Tila in the insurgents hands. And he's prepared to break any rule and disregard any order to do it.



ENTHRALLER

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The planet Aponi sits at the outer edge of the Verdant String. For Wren Thorakis, working as an Aponian Special Forces artifacts consultant, it means interesting assignments and unusual discoveries. Being captured and held for ransom by a shadowy cult while working on the moon Ytla was not something she expected, though. However, while escaping her captors, she stumbles across what could be the discovery of her career-one that no artifact consultant could possibly ignore-a genuine ancestral mothership. The mothership isn't just amazing in itself, though. Wren finds herself the recipient of crazy-powerful nanotech. It helps keep her alive and one step ahead of those trying to hide the ship's existence. When Wren starts working out who's behind keeping her discovery secret, and why, she is plunged into a bigger plot than she ever imagined. A shadowy organization has its eye on Aponi, and isn't shy to use the Verdant String's fiercest enemies, the Caruso, to help them take it from the Coalition. When an Aponi Special Forces soldier, Ed Zeneri, who's existence is also inconvenient to Wren's enemies, is lured into a trap with Wren and they both come under fire, Wren's nanotech does whatever it has to keep her safe-including enthralling Ed to protect her at all costs. Ed knows his reaction to Wren isn't normal, or even sane, but as the compulsion to put himself in front of anything coming at her recedes, he finds he's more than inclined to do it of his own volition. He joins forces with Wren to try to stop the takeover of their home planet, and as they race the clock to find the answers they need, he also has to convince Wren that what he feels for her is real. As real as the enemy battleships hovering in Aponi's nearspace. As real as the deadline to bring them down. As real as it gets.

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