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SOMEONE LIKE ME BY MR CAREY DUE 13/11
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THE OTHER MISS BRIDGERTON – JULIA QUINN DUE 20/11
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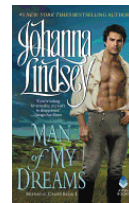
BOUND FOR SIN – TESS LESUE
BOOK #2 \$18.95

Book #1 Bound for Eden. Citified men with thoughts of love need not apply to Georgiana's ad for a husband. What she desperately needs is a rugged backwoodsman who can get her family safely to California, two thousand miles away. Someone who could wrestle a bear and not break a sweat. Someone just like Matt Slater. Travel worn and trail weary, Matt Slater wants a clean bed and some R & R-not a woman with fancy airs and a brood of high-spirited children. He can tell Georgiana is trouble, but doesn't realize how much until he's bamboozled into pretending to be her fiancé. And when Georgiana hitches her wagons to his train, Matt finds himself facing something much more daunting than the journey before them: a woman with the spirit to tame his wild ways.



MAN OF MY DREAMS – JOHANNA LINDSEY
BOOK #1 \$18.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 01/92)

Wildly unpredictable, the most desirable beauty in the land, Megan Penworthy has set her sights on Ambrose St. James, a man she has never met but has every intention of marrying. And no other suitor will satisfy her especially not the common, if uncommonly handsome, horse breeder, Devlin Jefferys. Posing as lowborn Jefferys to escape a potentially fatal confrontation, Sir Ambrose is enthralled by the brazen, duke-hunting redhead. Without revealing his true identity, he vows to seduce and tame her, thereby foiling Megan's plans to marry the man of her dreams. But the notorious rogue never imagined the enchanting schemer would turn out to be the only woman he would ever dream of marrying.



OLD WEST CHRISTMAS BRIDES – BROWNLEY/ DOW/ ETAL

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“A Pony Express Christmas” by Margaret Brownley. Stranded alone in Nebraska Territory in 1882 with a broken wagon and two stubborn mules, Ellie-Mae Myers has no way to continue searching for her twin brother along the deserted Pony Express route or of returning home to Kentucky. Could a man on the verge of being hanged be the answer to her prayers? “A Wife in Name Only” by Rosey Dow. Katherine Priestly seeks a job to help support her mother and brother. A local ranch seeks a cook, but the owner, Brett Masten, will only hire a married woman to work among his men. Desperate, Catherine claims she is a married woman at the tender age of eighteen. Will her charade become a barrier to true love and send her home without enough money to buy Christmas presents? Also includes “Lucy Ames, Sharpshooter” by Darlene Franklin. “A Badlands Christmas” by Marcia Gruver. “Unexpected Blessings” by Vickie McDonough. “A Grand County Christmas” by Debra Ullrick.



DARCY BURKE CONTINUES HER WONDERFUL SERIES.

THE DUKE OF DANGER
BOOK #6 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Start with The Forbidden Duke. After killing his opponent in a duel, Lionel Maitland, Marquess of Axbridge, is known as the Duke of Danger. Tortured by guilt, he shields himself with a devil-may-care attitude. However, when he kills another man in another duel, he's beyond redemption, even though it wasn't his fault. He refuses to smear a dead man's name, especially when he's left behind a widow who doesn't deserve an even bigger scandal. Widowed and destitute, Lady Emmaline Townsend must marry the man of her parents' choosing or beg unsympathetic relatives for support. The only way out is to ask for help from the one man she's sworn to hate, the man who owes her anything she asks, the man who killed her husband. They strike a devil's bargain in which passion simmers just beneath the surface. But her dead husband's transgressions come back to haunt them and threaten their chance at love.

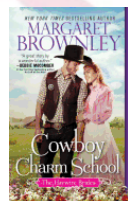
THE DUKE OF ICE
BOOK #7 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Everyone Nicholas Bateman ever loved has died. Except Violet Caulfield, which must mean he never loved her. Nine years after she threw him over to marry a viscount, Nick is a widowed duke who prefers isolation. When a friend convinces him to leave his self-imposed solitude, he considers taking another wife, provided she agrees to his terms: no emotional attachment of any kind. Now widowed, Lady Violet Pendleton hopes for a second chance with the man she's always loved. But she isn't prepared for the desolation in his soul or the animosity he still bears toward her. Despite those obstacles, it's clear their passion hasn't dimmed. However, the heat between them isn't enough to melt the Duke of Ice, and this time Violet may find herself the jilted party.



COWBOY CHARM SCHOOL – MARGARET BROWNLEY
BOOK #1 \$18.95

Texas Ranger Brett Tucker hates to break up a wedding, but the groom--notorious criminal Frank Foster--is a danger to any woman. So he busts into the church, guns blazing...only to find he has the wrong man. Bride-to-be Kate Denver is appalled by her fiancé's over-the-top reaction to the innocent mistake and calls off the wedding--for good. Guilt-ridden, Brett's desperate to get them back on track. But the more time he spends with Kate, the harder he falls...and the more he yearns to prove that he's her true match in every way.



A LADY IN NEED OF AN HEIR/THE MYSTERIOUS LORD MILLCROFT – ALLEN/HEATH
\$18.95

“A Lady In Need Of An Heir” by Louise Allen Gabrielle Frost knows that marrying any man would mean handing over control of her beloved family vineyard in Portugal to her new husband. She won't take that risk. But she needs an heir! So when Nathaniel Graystone, Earl of Leybourne, arrives to escort her to London, Gabrielle wonders what if this former soldier, with his courage, strength, and dangerous air, could be the one to father her child? “The Mysterious Lord Millcroft” by Virginia Heath Constantly told her beauty and charm is all she has to offer, Lady Clarissa is intent on marrying a duke. And intriguing spy Sebastian Leatham will help her! Only first she'll assist him with his new assignment playing the part of confident aristocrat Lord Millcroft. Sebastian awakens a burning desire within Clarissa which leaves her questioning whether becoming a duchess is what she truly longs for.

WHEN A DUKE LOVES A WOMAN – LORRAINE HEATH
BOOK #2 \$18.95

Book #1 Beyond Scandal and Desire. Gillie Trewlove knows what a stranger's kindness can mean, having been abandoned on a doorstep as a baby and raised by the woman who found her there. So, when suddenly faced with a soul in need at her door-or the alleyway by her tavern-Gillie doesn't hesitate. But he's no infant. He's a grievously injured, distractingly handsome gentleman who doesn't belong in Whitechapel, much less recuperating in Gillie's bed. Being left at the altar is humiliating; being rescued from thugs by a woman-albeit a brave and beautiful one-is the *pièce de résistance* to the Duke of Thornley's extraordinarily bad day. After nursing him back from the brink, Gillie agrees to help him comb London's darker corners for his wayward bride. But every moment together is edged with desire and has Thorne rethinking his choice of wife. Yet Gillie knows the aristocracy would never accept a duchess born in sin. Thorne, however, is determined to prove to her that no obstacle is insurmountable when a duke loves a woman.



THE HEIRESS HES BEEN WAITING FOR – KAITLIN O'RILEY
\$18.95

Raised in New York, shipping heiress Sara Fleming was ready to elope-until her disapproving parents tricked her onto a boat heading to England. Her only consolation is getting to see her beloved aunts and cousins. Even the start of London's Season-and a strikingly handsome earl-can't make her forget the man she left behind. Considered one of London's most eligible bachelors, Christopher Townsend, the Earl of Bridgeton, is not what he seems. Having inherited his father's crushing debt, he must choose a wealthy bride to save his family's estate. Though rumored to be penniless and committed to another, Sara takes his breath away--and makes him question what he truly needs to be free of the past. But he'll have to win the headstrong beauty's heart one kiss at a time.



TO DECEIVE A DUKE – AMANDA MCCABE
\$18.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 02/09)

Clio Chase is hoping for a quiet season in Sicily with her family. There, she can forget all about the enigmatic Duke of Averton and the strange effect he has on her. That is until he unexpectedly arrives, shattering her peace and warning her of trouble. As the unknown threat grows, they are thrown together in the most intimate of ways. Clio knows there is only so long she can resist her mysterious duke!





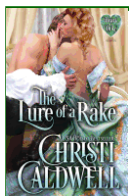
THE ILLEGITIMATE DUKE – SOPHIE BARNES BOOK #3 \$18.95

Book #1 A Most Unlikely Duke, Book #2 The Duke of Her Desire. Lady Juliette Matthews longs to be much more than just another pretty ornament in society. But using her recently acquired fortune to do some good is more complicated than she anticipated. Young ladies are not

expected to risk their safety in helping the less fortunate. And the one gentleman who could help in her mission is stubborn, infernally handsome-and far too honorable to act on their mutual attraction. Florian Lowell has suddenly been made heir to the Duke of Redding-a far cry from his status as a dedicated physician. Yet even with his new role as the country's most eligible bachelor, the beautiful, fearless Juliette is utterly beyond his reach. The scandalous circumstances of his birth would destroy both their reputations if they became known. But when a more urgent danger threatens Juliette's life, Florian must gamble everything...including the heart only one woman can tame.

THE GOVERNESS GAME – TESSA DARE BOOK #2 \$18.95

Book #1 The Duchess Deal. After her livelihood slips through her fingers, Alexandra Mountbatten takes on an impossible post: transforming a pair of orphans into proper young ladies. However, the girls don't need discipline. They need a loving home. Try telling that to their guardian, Chase Reynaud: duke's heir in the streets and devil in the sheets. The ladies of London have tried-and failed-to make him settle down. Somehow, Alexandra must reach his heart without risking her own. Like any self-respecting libertine, Chase lives by one rule: no attachments. When a stubborn little governess tries to reform him, he decides to give her an education-in pleasure. That should prove he can't be tamed. But Alexandra is more than he bargained for: clever, perceptive, passionate. She refuses to see him as a lost cause. Soon the walls around Chase's heart are crumbling and he's in danger of falling, hard.



CHRISTI CALDWELL HAS 3 GREAT RELEASES THIS MONTH THE LURE OF A RAKE BOOK #9 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Start with For the Love of The Duke. Lady Genevieve Farendale has a scandalous past. Jilted at the altar years earlier and exiled by her family, she's now returned to London to prove she can be a proper lady. Even though she's not given up on the hope of marrying for love, she's wary of trusting again. Then she meets Cedric Falcot, the Marquess of St. Albans whose seductive ways set her heart aflutter. But with her history, Genevieve knows a rake can also easily destroy her. What begins as a chance encounter between Cedric and Genevieve, becomes something more. As they continue to meet, passions stir. But with Genevieve's hope for true love, she fears Cedric will be unable to give up his wayward lifestyle. After all, Cedric has spent years protecting his heart, and keeping everyone out. Slowly, she chips away at all the walls he's built, but when he falters, Genevieve can't offer him redemption. Now, it's up to Cedric to prove to Genevieve that the love of a man is far more powerful than the lure of a rake.

TO WOO A WIDOW

BOOK #10 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Lady Philippa Winston is never marrying again. After her late husband's cruelty that she kept so well hidden, she has no desire to search for love. Years ago, Miles Brookfield, the Marquess of Guilford, made a frivolous vow he never thought would come to fruition-he promised to marry his mother's goddaughter if he was unwed by the age of thirty. Now, to his dismay, he's faced with honoring that pledge. But when he encounters the beautiful and intriguing Lady Philippa, Miles knows his true path in life. It's up to him to break down every belief Philippa carries about gentlemen, proving that not only is love real, but that he is the man deserving of her sheltered heart. Will Philippa let down her guard and allow Miles to woo a widow in desperate need of his love?



SCHOOLING THE DUKE BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Finishing school instructor, Mrs. Rowena Bryant is hated by her students, revered by the headmistress, and absolutely determined to maintain her financial security. Deceived years ago by the only man she'd ever given her heart to, Rowena relies on no one but herself-that is the best way to keep her most scandalous secret. When Graham Linford returned from war on the cusp of death, he discovered he'd been betrayed by the woman he loved. From that moment, Graham shaped himself into an unfeeling nobleman. Now a duke, Graham is determined no one will ever discover the touch of madness that has haunted him since battle. When Graham finds himself named guardian to a young lady, the woman sent as a companion to his ward is none other than Rowena Bryant. With every moment spent together, their passion reignites, and the walls they've built begin to crumble.

HERE ARE TWO DELIGHTFUL RELEASES FROM JANE GOODGER THE BAD LUCK BRIDE

BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

As if being left at the alter for the third time isn't bad enough, Lady Alice Hubbard has now been dubbed "The Bad Luck Bride" by the London newspapers. Defeated, she returns to her family's estate, resolved to a future as a spinster. After all, a lady with her record of marital mishaps knows better than to dream of happily-ever-after. But then Alice never expects to see Henderson Southwell again. Her brother's best friend disappeared from her life soon after her brother's death. Alice is just as beautiful as Henderson remembers. And just as forbidden. For the notorious ladies' man made one last promise to Alice's brother before he died-and that was never to pursue her. But one glimpse of Alice's sorrow and Henderson feels a powerful urge to put the light back in her lovely eyes, one kiss at a time. Even if it means falling in love with the one woman he can never call his bride.



DIAMOND IN THE ROUGH BOOK #2 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Clara Andersons mother has one mission: to marry off her daughter to a titled gentleman. Unfortunately, though the Andersons have come up in the world, Clara is still the granddaughter of a pig farmer, which means no self-respecting aristocrat will marry her. That's just fine with Clara, whose grown to disdain the upper classes. So when she meets a man even more common than she is, she decides its time to forge her own path. Except that Nathaniel Emory, Baron Alford, is no more a commoner than Clara is a blue-blood. Hes appeared on the scene for one reason only: to save his familys estate by finding the blue diamond his grandfather buried in the Andersons garden fifty years ago. To do that, he must pretend to be a gardener. He didnt count on the most beautiful girl hes ever seen getting in his way. But Clara has made no secret of her dislike for aristocrats. Which means that once she uncovers his ruse, he's certain she'll never see him again.

THE DUKE WITH THE DRAGON TATTOO – KERRIGAN BYRNE BOOK #6 \$18.95

Start with The Highwayman. He is known only as The Rook. A man with no name, no past, no memories. He awakens in a mass grave, a magnificent dragon tattoo on his muscled forearm the sole clue to his mysterious origins. His only hope for survival--and salvation--lies in the deep, fiery eyes of the beautiful stranger who finds him. Who nurses him back to health. And who calms the restless demons in his soul. Lorelai will never forget the night she rescued the broken dark angel in the woods, a devilishly handsome man who haunts her dreams to this day. Crippled as a child, she devoted herself to healing the poor tortured man. And when he left, he took a piece of her heart with him. Now, after all these years, The Rook has returned. Like a phantom, he sweeps back into her life and avenges those who wronged her. But can she trust a man who's been branded a rebel, a thief, and a killer? And can she trust herself to resist him when he takes her in his arms?



SEDUCED BY THE PRINCES KISS/ LADY OLIVIA AND THE INFAMOUS RAKE – SCOTT/PRESTON

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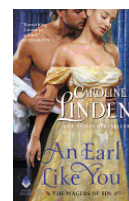
“Seduced By The Prince’s Kiss” by Bronwyn Scott Princess Anna-Maria Petrova has known Prince Stepan Shevchenko all her life. Or at least she thought she knew him, because he’s never before looked at her the way he does now. As if one kiss will unleash all the adventure, passion and pleasure she craves. “Lady Olivia And The Infamous Rake” by Janice Preston After being plucked

from peril by bachelor Lord Hugo Alastair, Lady Olivia Beauchamp is secretly outraged that he doesn’t even try to steal a kiss! He’s a notorious rake amongst the ton and as a result, utterly forbidden to an innocent debutante like her. But their attraction is magnetic. Will she risk her reputation for a passionate encounter?



AN EARL LIKE YOU – CAROLINE LINDEN BOOK #2 \$18.95

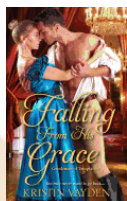
Book #1 My Once and Future Duke. When Hugh Deveraux discovers his newly inherited earldom is bankrupt, he sets about rebuilding the family fortune-in the gaming hells of London. But the most daring wager he takes isn't at cards. A wealthy tradesman makes an offer: marry the man's spinster daughter and Hugh's debts will be paid and his fortune made. The only catch is that she must never know about their agreement. Heiress Eliza Cross has given up hope of marriage until she meets the Earl of Hastings, her father's new business partner. The earl is everything a gentleman should be and is boldly attentive to her. It doesn't take long for Eliza to lose her heart and marry him. But when Eliza discovers that there is more to the man she loves-and to her marriage-her trust is shattered. And it will take all of Hugh's power to prove that now his words of love are real.





**MORE OR LESS A COUNTESS – ANNA BRADLEY
BOOK #2 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK**

Book #1 More or Less a Marchioness. Violet Somerset has always preferred a library to a ballroom, but to please her grandmother she agreed to one London season. With nothing to show for it but heartbreak, she's reconciled to spinsterhood. Until a rogue known as the Devil of Dare requests an introduction to her timid, gentle youngest sister, Hyacinth. Violet will do anything to stop the match even if it means posing as Hyacinth herself. Nicholas Balfour, the Earl of Dare, is enjoying the life of a rake far too much to take a wife. But he must keep his promise to his grandmother. He'll simply choose the meekest bride he can find, install her at his estate, then carry on as before. Hyacinth sounds perfect until he discovers that her sweet demeanor hides the tongue of a viper and the mind of a bluestocking. As Violet's ruse threatens to unravel, however, she may find the tables turned. Soon she may have no choice but to tolerate her handsome fiancé or fall in love with him.



**FALLING FROM HIS GRACE – KRISTIN VAYDEN
BOOK #1 \$12.95**

Lucas Mayfield, the Eighth Earl of Heightford, couldn't be more pleased with the private club that is his brainchild. But when a young courtesan at the club's masquerade appears far too innocent, his suspicions are raised—along with his interest. Until her gleaming hair tumbles down and he recognizes her as the Duke of Chatterwood's daughter. How did the minx even know the place existed? And how has he allowed himself to give in to temptation and kiss her? More perplexing: she has vowed the kiss won't be the last. Lilliah Durary's father has cruelly demanded she marry her best friend, Meyer, though no romantic feeling exists between them. In fact, Meyer and Lilliah's other best friend, Rebecca, are truly in love. Lilliah sees only one option: She and Meyer will maintain a platonic marriage until some other arrangement can be made. Still, she intends to experience pleasure before she is wed. An intriguing new club seems the perfect place—and when Lucas Mayfield kisses her, he seems the perfect other arrangement she seeks. All Lilliah has to do is convince him.

**THE MURDER AT MANDEVILLE HALL –
STEPHANIE LAURENS**



BOOK #7 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Start with Where the Heart Leads. Well-born rakehell and head of an ancient family, Alaric, Lord Carradale, has finally acknowledged reality and is preparing to find a bride. But loyalty to his childhood friend, Percy Mandeville, necessitates attending Percy's annual house party, held at neighboring Mandeville Hall. Alaric decides that as soon as he's free, he'll hie to London and find the mild-mannered, biddable lady he believes will ensure a peaceful life. But the following morning, on walking through the Mandeville Hall shrubbery on his way to join the other guests, he comes upon the corpse of a young lady. Constance Whittaker accepts that no gentleman will ever offer for her. Now acting as her grandfather's agent, she arrives at Mandeville Hall to extricate her young cousin, Glynis, who unwisely accepted an invitation to the house party. But Glynis cannot be found. Venturing into the shrubbery, Constance discovers a handsome aristocrat crouched beside Glynis's lifeless form. Unsurprisingly, Constance leaps to the obvious conclusion. Luckily, once the gentleman explains that he'd only just arrived, commonsense reasserts itself. More, as matters unfold and she and Carradale have to battle to get Glynis's death properly investigated, Yet even after Inspector Stokes of Scotland Yard arrives and takes charge of the case, along with his consultants, Barnaby Adair and his wife, Penelope, the murderer's identity remains shrouded in mystery, and learning why Glynis was killed—all in the few days before the house party's guests will insist on leaving—tests the resolve of all concerned



RECLAIMED BY THE KNIGHT – NICOLE LOCKE



\$18.95

Nicholas of Mei Solis swore to do anything to protect his home, even going away to fight for it. This meant leaving beautiful Matilda, too. Now Nicholas has returned briefly to lay to rest the ghosts of his past. But one look at Matilda, now widowed and with child, changes everything. Suddenly Nicholas is compelled to stay and to take back the future they both thought they'd lost.

ANNE STUART HAS 2 RELEASES THIS MONTH

**THE SPINSTER AND THE RAKE
\$29.95 TRADE P/BACK *REISSUE* (ORIG 07/82)**

The Spinster: As a maiden aunt, Gillian Redfern lives as an unpaid servant to her demanding family. Little wonder she finds the attentions of a rake distracting, and even less wonder that her usual good sense begins to unravel when Lord Marlow takes her in his arms. The Rake: Ronan Patrick Blakely, Lord Marlow, is a man of great charm and little moral character, a gambler, a womanizer, and handsome as sin to boot. He has no qualms about placing a wager on the virtue of one small, shy spinster. But Lord Marlow is about to discover that Miss Redfern is more siren than spinster. She amuses him, arouses him, and, much to his dismay, makes him a better man. Gillian will discover, in turn, that Lord Marlow possesses the power to turn her into a very wicked woman. The rake and the spinster are poised to find a love that neither could have imagined. If only someone weren't out to destroy them both.

**HEARTLESS
BOOK #5 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK**

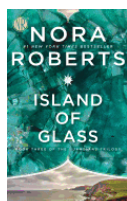
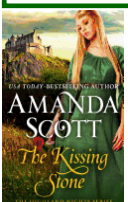


Start with Ruthless. Emma Cadbury had been an innocent, a whore, a charity worker and a surgeon. She chose a life without love until she saved a dying soldier in a charity ward. Brandon Rohan had lost himself to drugs and degradation, wanting to die, and only one person could save him. But she'd disappeared. Now they've come together again, but he doesn't remember, and she doesn't want to. But someone is trying to kill her, and Brandon is the one man who can save her.



**THE KISSING STONE – AMANDA SCOTT
BOOK #2 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK**

Book #1 The Reluctant Highlander. For decades, a feud has divided the Mackintoshes of Clan Chattan and the Comyns of Raitt. Though Raitt Castle lies not far beyond the next ridge, headstrong Lady Catriona "Katy" MacFinlagh of Clan Mackintosh has never seen it. When her curiosity and rebellious spirit compel her to scale a nearby peak in hopes of catching a glimpse of Raitt, Katy loses her footing, and a broad-shouldered stranger, appearing seemingly out of nowhere, saves her from a fatal fall. Spellbound by the young tawny-haired beauty he has rescued, William Comyn neglects to reveal his full identity to her. As Will and Katy begin to meet in secret and their strong mutual attraction deepens toward love, the clan feud erupts again in violence, making it harder and harder for Will to reveal that he is a Comyn. Then when Will learns that Katy's clan is in imminent danger, he must decide between his newfound love and his sacred honor, and Katy must choose between her pride and her heart.



**ISLAND OF GLASS – NORA ROBERTS
BOOK #3 \$22.95 *REPACK***

Book #1 Stars Of Fortune, Book #2 Bay Of Sighs. As the hunt for the Star of Ice leads the six guardians to Ireland, Doyle, the immortal, must face his past. Three centuries ago, he closed off his heart, yet his warrior spirit is still drawn to the wild. And there's no one more familiar with the wild than Riley—and the wolf within her. An archaeologist, Riley is no stranger to the coast of Clare, but now she finds herself on unsure footing, targeted by the dark goddess who wants more than the stars, more than the blood of the guardians. While searching through Irish history for clues that will lead them to the final star and the Island of Glass, Riley must fight her practical nature and admit her sudden attraction to Doyle is more than just a fling. For it is his strength that will sustain her and give her the power to run towards love—and save them all.

**MAGIC TRIUMPHS – ILONA ANDREWS
BOOK #10 \$45.95 H/COVER *FINAL***



Start with Magic Bites. Mercenary Kate Daniels must risk all to protect everything she holds dear. Kate has come a long way from her origins as a loner taking care of paranormal problems in post-Shift Atlanta. She's made friends and enemies. She's found love and started a family with Curran Lennart, the former Beast Lord. But her magic is too strong for the power players of the world to let her be. Kate and her father, Roland, currently have an uneasy truce, but when he starts testing her defenses again, she knows that sooner or later a confrontation is inevitable. The Witch Oracle has begun seeing visions of blood, fire, and human bones. And when a mysterious box is delivered to Kate's doorstep, a threat of war from the ancient enemy who nearly destroyed her family, she knows her time is up. Kate Daniels sees no other choice but to combine forces with the unlikely allies. She knows betrayal is inevitable. She knows she may not survive the coming battle. But she has to try. For her child. For Atlanta. For the world.



Coming next month...
ONCE A SCOUNDREL – MARY JO PUTNEY BK #3 *REPACK*
FOR THE DUKES EYES ONLY—LENORA BELL
LAST NIGHT WITH THE EARL—KELLY BOWEN BK #2
A VERY SPECIAL CHRISTMAS—MARY BALOGH *REPACK*
THREE NIGHTS WITH THE PRINCESS—BETINA KRAHN
THE LADY IS DARING—MEGAN FRAMPTON BK #3
A NOTORIOUS VOW—JOANNA SHUPE BK #3



Here are 3 releases from the great Sherrilyn Kenyon



STYGIAN

BOOK #28 \$45.95 H/COVER \$29.99 TRADE P/BACK

Start with Fantasy Lover. Born before man recorded time, I lived for thousands of years believing myself to be something I'm not. Someone I'm not. Lied to and betrayed by gods, Daimons and Dark-Hunters, I've struggled to find my way in a world where I've been cursed since the moment I was ripped from my mother and planted into the womb of an innocent woman who thought me her son. Trained as a slayer and predator, I learned to fit in and stay low. To become a tool for evil. Until I was sent to kill the one woman I couldn't. My hesitation cost her her life. Or so I thought. In an act of betrayal that makes all the others pale in comparison, I've learned that this world is an illusion and that my Phoebe still lives. Now I will have to travel into the very pits of Hades to try and save her, even as everyone around me attempts to steal what little soul I have left. There's only one person at my back and I'm not sure I can trust her either, for she was born of an enemy race. And if I fail to find the answers I need to save Phoebe, more than just my wife will die. We will lose the world. Both human and Daimon.

INSURRECTION

BOOK #1 \$22.95

The virus ran swiftly on the hot summer breeze. Unseen. Unknown. It swept through the earth in a matter of months, having mercy on no one. Young, old, it didn't matter. Brought to us by the Drabs, it was the last thing we expected. But the Drabs knew. They even fought a war over whether or not they should save us. In the end, it was decided that we were diseased insects who were unfit to breathe their air. So they left the human race to die a miserable death of agonizing pain in a matter of months. Left us with no doctors or medicine. Their plan was to rid the earth of us and to take our home as their own. What they never expected was the change that would come after the plague. We didn't all die off as they'd planned. Those under the age of twenty somehow managed to survive the disease. We managed to hide ourselves while our bodies changed. Still human, but now something else. Something more powerful and more intuitive. Now possessed of magical powers and abilities beyond belief, we're still here on this earth, and we're not leaving. This is our home. Our planet. Drabs take note and learn to be afraid. You've had a hundred years here on earth, but now your time here is done. You called us rodents. Insects. Diseased animals. We won't allow you to take our planet from us. So count your days, Drabs. The war is on.



THE WAGER

BOOK #0.5 \$19.95 *REISSUE/REPACK* (ORIG 08/92)

It also appeared in Elemental—An anthology of new work by 20 top science fiction and fantasy writers—including Sherrilyn Kenyon writing as Kinley MacGregor, **A spin on the King Arthur classic of old, Sherrilyn Kenyon returns with her Lords of Avalon:** While carousing late one night with his friends, the infamous writer, Sir Thomas Malory runs afoul of Merlin the Magician, and learns the value of keeping secrets when dealing with sorcerers, knights of Arthur, and the Lords of Avalon.

THE BLACK WITCH – LAURIE FOREST
BOOK #1 \$22.95 TRADE P/BACK

Evil looms on the horizon, and for Elloren Gardner, granddaughter of the last Black Witch, pressure to live up to her magical heritage is building. Elloren's people, the Gardnerians, believe she will follow in her grandmother's footsteps. But Elloren is utterly devoid of power—in a society that prizes magical ability above all else. Granted the opportunity to study at the prestigious Verpax University, Elloren sets out to embrace a destiny of her own, free from the shadow of her grandmother's legacy. But the university may be the most treacherous place of all for the granddaughter of the Black Witch, and Elloren soon realizes that the world she knows is not what it seems. If she is to survive the coming danger, she'll have to free her mind from the assumptions she was raised with, and learn to trust the very people she's been taught to hate and fear.



TINKER – WEN SPENCER

BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK *REPUBLISH*

Inventor, girl genius Tinker lives in a near-future Pittsburgh which now exists mostly in the land of the elves. She runs her salvage business, pays her taxes, and tries to keep the local ambient level of magic down with gadgets of her own design. When a pack of wargs chase an Elven noble into her scrap yard, life as she knows it takes a serious detour. Tinker finds

herself taking on the Elven court, the NSA, the Elven Interdimensional Agency, technology smugglers and a college-minded xenobiologist as she tries to stay focused on what's really important – her first date. Armed with an intelligence the size of a planet, steel-toed boots, and a junkyard dog attitude, Tinker is ready to kick butt to get her first kiss.

CHRISTINE FEEHAN HAS 2 RELEASES THIS MONTH.

DARK LEGACY

BOOK #27 \$18.95 *REPACK*

Start with Dark Prince. In a beautiful compound hidden away from the world, Emeline Sanchez tries to blunt the pain that has wracked her body ever since her terrifying ordeal in the labyrinth beneath the city—when she was forced to exchange blood with an evil master vampire. Now, it's his voice that haunts her...that calls to her in the dark...that never lets her rest. And while the children that she helped to free from his clutches struggle to heal, watched over by their Carpathian protectors, Emeline knows one thing: She must sacrifice herself to keep them all from harm. For her beauty is irresistible to the vampires, her psychic ability like a drug. Whipped into a frenzy, they'll never stop coming for her. And only the taste of one Carpathian warrior can save her.



DARK SENTINEL

BOOK #28 \$45.95 H/COVER \$29.99 TRADE P/BACK

After the devastating loss of her entire family, Lorraine Peters heads to the woods searching for peace of mind and anything to quell the anger in her soul. Instead, she stumbles upon a scene of horrific violence, as one man lies helpless in the face of three attackers. Andor Katona's existence has been a harsh one, living for centuries as a monk in the Carpathian Mountains. Unable to find his lifemate, he almost welcomes his release from a colorless and unfeeling world at the hands of the vampire hunters who have mistaken him for their prey. That is, until a whirling ball of fury bursts onto the scene, determined to save him. In one glimpse, in one breath, Andor recognizes Lorraine as his lifemate, but it will take more than their telepathic connection to convince her of their immortal bond. Lorraine is a lethal combination of cunning and courage. So much so that she captures the attention of a master vampire, one who has already lost what was once irreplaceable to him. One who will strike with deadly precision at Andor and his ancient Carpathian comrades in a war to end all wars.



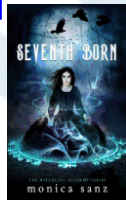
WEREWOLVES ONLY – CARRIE PULKINEN
BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Detective Macey Carpenter has been on the trail of a vicious attacker for weeks, with nothing more than a vague description of a red-eyed man to go on. She has no clue she's hunting demons, and if the evidence doesn't stop disappearing, she'll never solve the case. Before Luke Mason becomes alpha of the Crescent City Wolf Pack, he has to end the French Quarter's demon infestation and keep the police from discovering the truth. But when he falls head over tail for the feisty detective investigating the crimes, supernatural secrets aren't the only things at stake. Luke has to mate with another werewolf or he'll sacrifice his position as alpha. But as heat builds between the pair, he discovers Macey has a few secrets of her own. She may hold the key to ridding New Orleans of its demons, but his feelings for her could tear the pack apart.



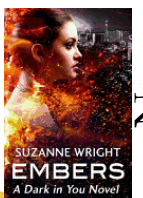
SEVENTH BORN – MONICA SANZ
BOOK #1 \$22.95

Abomination. Curse. Murderer. All names hurled at eighteen-year-old Seraphina Dovetail. As the seventh-born daughter to a witch, she's the cause of her mother losing her powers and, in turn, her life. Abandoned as a child, Sera dreams of becoming an inspector and finding her family. To do that, she must be referred into the Advanced Studies Program at the Aetherium's Witchling Academy. Her birth order, quick temper, and tendency to set things on fire, however, have left her an outcast with failing marks and just what Professor Nikolai Barrington is looking for. The tall, brooding, yet exceedingly handsome young professor makes her a proposition: become his assistant and he'll give her the referral she needs. Sera is quickly thrust into a world where witches are being kidnapped, bodies are raised from the dead, and someone is burning seventhborns alive. As Sera and Barrington grow ever closer, she'll discover that some secrets are best left buried and fire isn't the only thing that makes a witch burn.



EMBERS – SUZANNE WRIGHT
BOOK #4 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Start with Burn. With the birth of their son, Asher, Harper and Knox are both more powerful and more vulnerable than they've ever been before. Asher's charm has seduced even the devil himself, but Harper knows that the real villain is still out there, and as desperate as ever to see the Primes fall. They're laying low, and there's no way to tell which one of their circle is really a deadly foe. When the final horseman makes their move, Harper and Knox will have to use all the considerable power at their disposal – and that may even include Asher's mysterious abilities. One thing's for sure – this is a baby who's more than a match for any demon coming after him.





HUNTER HUNTED – KERI ARTHUR BOOK #3 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Blood Kissed, Book #2 Hells Bells. Christmas is fast approaching. Lizzie Grace, and her witch familiar, Belle Kent, are hoping it's going to be a quiet one. But those hopes are dashed when, on a quest to find a customer's errant husband, Lizzie comes across the body of a witch and a dark circle of power neither she nor Ashworth can break. Then werewolves begin to turn up dead-skinned. As the body count rises and the hunters become the hunted, it's evident there's a new evil in town. One that's determined to claim the reservation-and the wild magic-as his own.

MARIA LEWIS HAS 2 NEW BOOKS FOR US THIS MONTH. THE WITCH WHO COURTED DEATH \$29.99 TRADE P/BACK

Considering her status as the world's most powerful medium, Corvossier 'Casper' von Klitzing and her twin brother Barastin had a pretty normal life. Her unrivalled ability to speak with and control the dead had made her a living, made her notorious and made her a target. After a horrific incident in Berlin, Casper's life is forever changed. The sole survivor, she is consumed with vengeance towards an enemy she doesn't understand. The only other person ever to escape the legendary Oct was a witch - so Casper is soon on her trail. But this witch does not want to be found. Diving headfirst into the world of spells, charms and covens, it's not long before Casper is crossing much more than just the line between the living and the dead.

IT CAME FROM THE DEEP \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

An elderly professor is murdered, leaving a puzzling crime scene for police to unravel and a laboratory housing all kinds of marine life. But something is missing, something huge. Recent highschool graduate Kaia Craig has problems of her own, with her career as an ironwoman on the Gold Coast in jeopardy after a horrific accident. Yet someone wants to hold her accountable. After nearly drowning in Lake Pelutz and her attackers on the run, Kaia is left with more than just physical injuries. She's convinced she saw something in the depths of the lake: something that chose to spare her. Uncertain whether she's running towards the discovery of a friend or foe, Kaia begins digging into a mystery that may have bigger ramifications than she or any of her friends can fathom.

RESTORATION – ANGELA SLATTER BOOK #3 \$29.99 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Vigil, Book #2 Corpselight. Walking between the worlds has always been dangerous but this time V's facing the loss of all she holds dear. Verity Fassbinder thought no boss could be worse than her ex-boyfriend until she grudgingly agreed to work for a psychotic fallen angel. And dealing with a career change not entirely of her own choosing is doing nothing to improve V's already fractious temper. The angel is a jealous and violent employer, so she's quit working for the Weyrd Council and sent her family away, for their own safety. Instead of indulging in domestic bliss, she's got to play BFFs with the angel's little spy, Joyce the kitsune assassin and Joyce comes with her own murderous problems. The angel has tasked V with finding two lost treasures, which would be hard enough even without a Dusana Nadasy on her heels. And Inspector McIntyre won't stop calling: the bodies of Normal women who disappeared decades before are turning up, apparently subjected to Weyrd magics. Angelic demands or not, this isn't something she can walk away from. And the angel is getting impatient for results.



THE BRIGHTEST FELL – SEANAN MCGUIRE BOOK #11 \$18.95 *REPACK*

Start with Rosemary And Rue. The elf-shot cure has been approved, Arden Windermere is settling into her position as Queen in the Mists, and Toby doesn't have anything demanding her attention except for wedding planning and spending time with her family. Maybe she should have realized that it was too good to last. When Toby's mother, Amandine, appears on her doorstep with a demand for help, refusing her seems like the right thing to do, until Amandine starts taking hostages, and everything changes. Now Toby doesn't have a choice about whether or not she does as her mother asks. Not with Jazz and Tybalt's lives hanging in the balance. But who could possibly help her find a pureblood she's never met, one who's been missing for over a hundred years? Enter Simon Torquill, elf-shot enemy turned awakened, uneasy ally. Together, the two of them must try to solve one of the greatest mysteries in the Mists: what happened to Amandine's oldest daughter, August, who disappeared in 1906. This is one missing person case Toby can't afford to get wrong.



THE SILVER STAG – YASMINE GALENORN VOLUME 1 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Life isn't easy when you bear the mark of the Silver Stag. Caught between the worlds of Light and Dark Fae, Ember Kearney was born with the mark of the Silver Stag. Rejected by her bloodlines, she's turned her back on her people to become a freelance investigator, hiring herself to take care of common problems like hen-stealing goblins. When Ember's best friend asks for her help, it leads them both into a glittering world of conspiracy and danger. Angel's little brother has vanished, and Ember must race against time to save his life. But when Ember discovers what's happened to DJ, both she and Angel find themselves recruited into Herne's squad of bounty hunters. Now, Ember must not only face her heritage, but she's bound to preserve the balance between the Fae Courts, for if order isn't maintained, war and chaos will spill out into the mortal realm.



TWILIGHT DESIRES – AMANDA ASHLEY BOOK #3 \$18.95 *REPACK*

Book #1 As Twilight Falls, Book #2 Twilight Dreams. Sofia Ravenwood was once fascinated by vampires-their seductive power, their dark desires. Then one of them attacked her family, and she threw out her goth attire and vowed to keep clear of her enemies. Until she heard about Ethan Parrish: a former college football player, turned into a vampire against his will. Wandering the deserted streets of Morgan Creek, Ethan's sure he'll be alone forever-a monster like him deserves nothing else. Then Sofia agrees to meet him, fangs and all. The need she ignites in him is more than just the pulse of her blood or the scent of her skin. But he's not the only bloodsucker desperate to make her his own.

THE LATE GREAT WIZARD – SARA HANOVER BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

With her father vanished under suspicious circumstances and her old life destroyed, Tessa Andrews is determined to pick up the pieces and forge ahead. If only their borrowed house didn't shake and rumble as if haunted. But at least she and her mom have a roof over their heads, so her luck couldn't be all bad. As if to prove her wrong, Tessa gets a call for help one night from Professor Brandard, one of the people on her charity meals route. She dashes over, only to find the house in flames and the professor gone. A young man steps out of the ashes to request her assistance, claiming to be the professor and a Phoenix wizard. She not only has to believe in him, but in magic, for an ancient evil is awakening and it will take the two of them, plus a few shady friends, to stand against it. Because the rejuvenation ritual has gone horribly wrong. The late, great wizard desperately needs to get his mojo back, for only if Brandard regains all his magic do they stand any chance of defeating this deadliest of perils.



Here are 3 great releases from Heather Graham this month HEATHER GRAHAM'S HAUNTED TREASURES \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK *3 IN 1*

“Lovers and Demons” Fleeing the unholy attentions of a creature of the night, Lenore Tyler, a ravishing Confederate smuggler, joins forces with a brave Yankee officer-and discovers ecstasy in the arms of her handsome, virile enemy. “And I Will

Love You Forever” A beauty, overcome by war, triumphs in love when her strange dreams of a virile and ghostly Viking protector come true. “Vanquish The Night” Anne Pemberton, a beautiful Texas innocent falls under the haunting spell of a dashing exotic immortal, and is rescued from eternal damnation by the rapturous power of love.

NEVER FEAR: THE TAROT \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Never Fear - The Tarot, contains twenty-six stories based on the twenty-two cards of the Major Arcana and the four cards of the Minor Arcana. Award-winning and New York Times bestselling authors combine their talents to deal out twenty-six dark tales influenced by the Tarot. Authors include Heather Graham, Lori Avocato, Michael M. Hughes, Tim Waggoner, Tara Nina, C.M.C. Dobbs, Michael A. Stackpole, Matthew Costello, C.L. Wilson, Tori Eldridge, Lisa Mannetti, Patrick Freivald, Jamie Rush, Rebecca Paisley, Edward DeAngelis, Richard Devin, Lance Taubold, Jeff DePew, Lee Lawless, Hal Bodner, Jennifer St. Giles, Jayne Belmont and Janice M. Jones.



NEVER FEAR: PHOBIAS \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

For those who like their stories on the darker side. 19 Stories of phobia from suspense authors F. Paul Wilson and Heather Graham with a "krew" of dynamic award-winning storytellers. Including Thomas F. Monteleone, E. McCarthy, Lance Taubold, Elle J Rossi, Michael Koogler, Crystal Perkins, Richard Devin, Connie Corcoran Wilson, Aidan Russell, Edward DeAngelis, Jeff DePew, Don Marlowe, Holly Prentiss, and Jason Pozzessere.



HERES A NEW SERIES FROM ELIZABETH HUNTER



OMENS AND ARTIFACTS

BOOK #0.5(3) \$23.95 TRADE P/BACK

Book #0.5(1) Shadows And Gold, Book #0.5(2) Imitation And Alchemy. Setting up shop as an antiques hunter means nothing if you don't have clients. Benjamin Vecchio, nephew of a famed vampire assassin, is the subject of speculation, but so far that speculation hasn't translated into work. What Ben needs is a job. Finding the lost sword of Brennus the Celt, the mythical Raven King of the British Isles, would make Ben's reputation in the immortal world, but it could also draw dangerous attention. The Raven King's gold hoard isn't famous for being easy to find. Luckily, Ben has his own legend at his side. Tenzin is a wind vampire who doesn't like digging, but she's more than happy to let Ben do the dirty work while she provides the muscle he needs to make other immortals pay attention. They're partners. Or so Ben thinks. But when finding this treasure puts Tenzin's future plans at risk, will their partnership survive? Tenzin isn't used to taking orders from anyone, particularly from a human who used to be her student. Digging into ancient Scottish history can get you dirty. It can also get you killed.

MIDNIGHT LABYRINTH

BOOK #1 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

He's one human caught in a tangled maze of theft, politics, magic, and blood. In other words, it's just another night. Benjamin Vecchio escaped a chaotic childhood and grew to adulthood under the protection and training of one of the Elemental world's most feared vampire assassins. He's traveled the world and battled immortal enemies. But everyone has to go home sometime. New York means new opportunities and allies for Ben and his vampire partner, Tenzin. It also means new politics and new threats. Their antiques business is taking off, and their client list is growing. When Ben is challenged to find a painting lost since the second world war, he jumps at the chance. This job will keep him closer to home, but it might just land him in hot water with the insular clan of earth vampires who run Manhattan. Tenzin knew the painting would be trouble before she laid eyes on it, but she can't deny the challenge intrigues her. Human laws mean little to a vampire with a few millennia behind her, and Tenzin misses the rush of taking what isn't hers. But nothing is more dangerous than a human with half the story, and Ben and Tenzin might end up risking their reputations and their lives before they escape the Midnight Labyrinth.



BOUND TO THE BEAR – KATHY LYONS

BOOK #5 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Start with The Bear Who Loved Me. Hard-bodied and military-trained shifter Hank Coleman will always do what's best for the clan. With a mysterious virus ravaging the city and transforming anyone with shifter DNA into dangerously unstable hybrids, that means asking a human scientist for help. Hank knows that getting Dr. Cecilia Lu involved will mean exposing the shifter world and his black bear self, but it's the

animal attraction that sparks between them that could be the real danger. Cecilia trusts data and what she can see with her own two eyes. So when the hottest man she's ever met *transforms into a bear* right in front of her, she has no choice but to accept that shifters are real. And with hybrids attacking humans and shifters turning on their own kind, Hank and Cecilia have zero time to fight the desire that's burning hotter by the minute. But war is brewing between the shifters, and Cecilia will be forced to choose between the world of men and the world of her sexy beast.



EVE LANGLAIS HAS 2 GREAT RELEASES THIS MONTH

DREAMS OF DARKNESS

BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Adara has no idea who she is. *What* she is. That doesn't stop danger from stalking her. It also does nothing to stem the nightmares. Caught in her dreams of darkness, Adara attracts the attention of a werewolf and a vampire and wonders if she's losing her mind. They can't exist, and her mind says *forget*. But she wants to remember. However, if she does, will the truth shatter her?



HITMAN WEDDING

BOOK #4 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Start with The Assassin Next Door. Once upon a time, Darren fell for a woman while in the world's most romantic city. In full view of the Eiffel tower he had his heart torn from his chest and stomped on. Time for revenge. Francesca played Darren for a fool, but he won't let it happen again. Now that he's found her, she's going to pay for her actions. Problem is she's getting under his skin. Rubbing against his skin. Making him remember those Paris days and hotter nights. Before he can decide if he's crazy enough to fall in love with her again, everything explodes after the wedding.

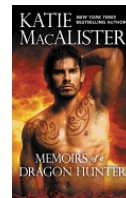


MEMOIRS OF A DRAGON HUNTER –

KATIE MACALISTER

BOOK #1 \$18.95

One moment, I was a normal (if somewhat germaphobic) math teacher getting ready for summer vacation. Then my sister died in a pile of black ash, leaving me with a sword... and her destiny as dragon hunter. It turns out there's a whole other world out there filled with demons, dragons, and spirits. Now my job is to protect mortals - and I haven't got a *clue* what I'm doing. Then there's tattooed hotness Ian Iskander. Part dragon hunter and part demon, Ian's got some seriously creepy business associates and keeps trying to steal my sword. So why do we keep getting lost in hungry, crazy-hot kisses? Ian is the only person who can help me figure out who - and *what* - I am. But trusting a half-demon is dangerous... because when you play with dragon fire, someone *always* gets burned.



DRAKON UNCHAINED – NJ WALTERS

BOOK #5 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK

Start with Drakons Promise. Rowena Connor's ex was a monster, and she'd do anything to protect her son from him. Including fake her death and sequester her son in another country. But somehow her ex figured it out. Now he's kidnapped her son and wants her dead-for real this time. US Marshal Ryan McCabe had to leave Rowena to save her. It gutted him. But now she's dropped into his life unexpectedly, on the run from the man McCabe has been hunting for years. He still burns for her, but it's clear she definitely hasn't gotten over what he did to her. Who can blame her? But her only hope to stay alive is to trust him, dark secrets and all.

HOW TO DATE YOUR DRAGON – MOLLY HARPER

BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Anthropologist Jillian Ramsay's career has taken a turn south. Concerned that technology is about to chase mythological creatures out into the open (how long can Sasquatch stay hidden from Google maps?), the League for Interspecies Cooperation is sending Jillian to Louisiana on a fact-finding mission. While the League hopes to hold on to secrecy for a little bit longer, they're preparing for the worst in terms of human reactions. They need a plan, so they look to Mystic Bayou, a tiny town hidden in the swamp where humans and supernatural residents have been living in harmony for generations. Mermaids and gator shifters swim in the bayou. Spirit bottles light the front porches after twilight. Dragons light the fires under crayfish pots. Jillian's first assignment for the League could be her last. Mystic Bayou is wary of outsiders, and she has difficulty getting locals to talk to her. And she can't get the gruff town sheriff, Bael Boone, off of her back or out of her mind. Bael is the finest male specimen she's seen in a long time, even though he might not be human. Soon their flirtation is hotter than a dragon's breath, which Bael just might turn out to be.



JUST DISCOVERED A NEW SERIES FROM SUSAN DENNARD



SOMETHING STRANGE AND DEADLY

BOOK #1 \$22.95

Sixteen-year-old Eleanor Fitt's brother is missing. After discovering the Dead are rising and wreaking havoc in Philadelphia, she knows that her brother is involved. So Eleanor enlists the help of the Spirit-Hunters. This motley crew, hired to protect the city from supernatural forces, is after the necromancer who has been reanimating corpses.

Their skills can save her brother. Yet as Eleanor spends time with the Spirit-Hunters and their handsome inventor, Daniel, the situation becomes dire. Now not only is her reputation at risk, but her very life hangs in the balance.

A DARKNESS STRANGE AND LOVELY

BOOK #2 \$22.95

With her brother dead and her mother unwell, Eleanor Fitt is alone. Even the Spirit-Hunters--Joseph, Jie, and the handsome Daniel--have fled to Paris. So when Eleanor hears the vicious barking of hounds and sees haunting yellow eyes, she fears that the Dead, and the necromancer Marcus, are after her. To escape, Eleanor boards a steamer bound for France. There she meets Oliver, a young man who claims to have known her brother. But Oliver harbors a dangerous secret involving necromancy and black magic that entices Eleanor. If she can resist him, she'll be fine. When she arrives in Paris, she finds a whole new evil lurking--forcing her to make a deadly decision that will go against everything the Spirit-Hunters stand for. In Paris, there's a price for this darkness strange and lovely, and it may have Eleanor paying with her life.





MAVERICK – CHERYL BROOKS
BOOK #1 \$18.95

Having the Zetithian feline gene gives Larry Tshevnoe awesome beauty, fearsome strength, sensuality and sexual prowess unmatched by any other males in the universe. But it can make the quest for true love...complicated. Enter childhood friend and fellow Zetithian Althea Banadänsk.

Her empathic powers make her the only one who can show Larry what he truly desires, and she'll do anything to help even if that means hiding her desperate craving for him. But when a distress call sends them off course-and into danger-they find more than their hearts are at stake. Now it's up to them to become the champions of truth and justice throughout the galaxy or risk losing it all.

CONFLUENCE – S K DUNSTALL
BOOK #3 \$18.95

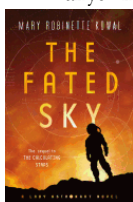
Book #1 Linesman, Book #2 Alliance. While the Crown Princess of Lancia seeks to share the new technology, her father, the Emperor, has other plans. His latest political maneuverings seem to be tilting the balance of control to Lancia's favor-a move that not all members of the New Alliance are looking upon favorably. As tensions mount, Ean and his former shipmates must unite to avert a conflict: the princess working within the Alliance, Ean seeking the help of the impatient alien ships, and Ean's close friend and bodyguard, Radko, embarking on a mysterious mission. But the biggest threat comes from an unexpected source. Someone is trying to take down the New Alliance from within-and will use anything, even the lines themselves, to ensure its destruction



THE FATED SKY – MARY ROBINETTE KOWAL
BOOK #2 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 The Calculating Stars. Of course the noted Lady Astronaut Elma York would like to go, but there's a lot riding on whoever the International Aerospace Coalition decides to send on this historic--but potentially very dangerous--mission? Could Elma really leave behind her husband and the chance to

start a family to spend several years traveling to Mars? And with the Civil Rights movement taking hold all over Earth, will the astronaut pool ever be allowed to catch up, and will these brave men and women of all races be treated equitably when they get there? This gripping look at the real conflicts behind a fantastical space race will put a new spin on our visions of what might have been.



JOHN RINGO CONTINUES HIS POSLEEN WAR SERIES
THE HERO

BOOK #5 \$18.95 *REPACK*

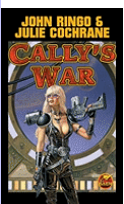
Start with A Hymn Before Battle. For thousands of years the Darhel, a warrior species conditioned to be incapable of killing, manipulated and controlled the human race. Then the humans threw off their yoke. Now, for the first time, a Darhel has been assigned to the elite Deep Reconnaissance Team commandos. Trust, in a small unit, is vital. And there was no trust to be had on either side. But when the mission encountered an alien device worth more than a king's ransom, it was the humans who betrayed the trust. Now the despised Darhel must race against the team's sniper to prevent the artifact falling into the wrong hands. The Darhel has empathic powers, superhuman strength and the speed of a cheetah. The sniper has years of experience and enormous ability. The sniper can kill. The Darhel cannot. The fate of the galaxy and the human race for the next thousand years rests on the shoulders of a Darhel. The Hero has a thousand faces, but is one of them the face of an elf?



CALLY'S WAR

BOOK #6 \$18.95 *REPACK*

Cally O'Neal was trained from childhood as a premier killer. Officially listed as dead, for the past forty years she has lived a life of aliases and targeted assassinations. This has led her to become the top in her profession. And in the process, she has lost her soul. Now she, and the man she loves, must battle to reclaim it. But Cally will find that leaving her dark world of shadow identities, murder-for-hire, and deadly secrets will be more difficult than any of the many lethal operations she carried out in the past. Her employers think she knows too much to live, and the scores of enemies she has made still have her at the top of their hit lists. The real question is, will she win her soul only to lose her life?



Coming Next Month...

VAMPIRES LIKE IT HOT – LYSAY SANDS BK #28
TIMES CONVERT – DEBORAH HARKNESS H/C & T/P
WUNDERSMITH—JESSICA TOWNSEND BK #2 T/P
STARS UNCHARTED – SK DUNSTALL BK #1 T/P
COVERT GAME—CHRISTINE FEEHAN BK #14 *REPACK*
ECHOES OF EVIL—HEATHER GRAHAM BK #23

IMMORTAL DANGER – CYNTHIA EDEN
BOOK #0.5 \$18.95 *REPACK*

Once, Maya Black was a badass cop patrolling the streets of L.A. She still keeps the city safe, but these days her bad guys of choice include demons, werewolves, and assorted nocturnal scum. Something Maya knows a thing or two about. She's a vampire-and not thrilled about it. Adam Brody hopes Maya is as dangerous as they say she is. He needs her to help rescue his niece Cammie from a ruthless band of vamps, and he's willing to pay-in blood. Trusting her is another matter. Adam has never met a vampire who doesn't lie. Then again, he's never met *anyone* like Maya, who fills him with a desperate need that ignites into explosive encounters.



MANDY M ROTH CONTINUES HER KING OF PREY SERIES
MASTER OF THE HUNT

BOOK #3 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 King Of Prey, Book #2 A View To A Kill. When the oracle warns Prince Aeson that his future mate is in the human realm and is in great danger, he wastes no time going in search of her. Problem is, he has no idea who he's looking for. He's never met her and the oracle couldn't give him anything more than small clues as to who she is and where she might be. Sent to one of his favorite hangouts-Aeson is stunned when a beauty shows up on the arm of another man, a man void of emotion. He senses trouble surrounding her and something else-something that marks her as his. He doesn't care if she is or isn't the woman the oracle told him about, she's the woman he wants. Anyone who dares to stand in his way will feel his wrath and, before the night is out, she'll feel exactly what it's like to be taken by a prince.

RISE OF THE KING

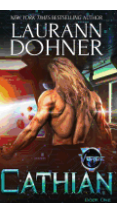
BOOK #4 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Warrior, bastard, outcast, traitor to his kind, these are all labels Lazar has worn for the past several years, since he took a stand against the actions of a mad king. He's defended the Kingdom of the Hawks even though the blood of the Falcons runs through his veins. He's bedded their women, drank their mead and protected their king. None of that makes him one of them. An empty pit has been in his stomach for years, believing his true mate perished long ago. When he learns she's alive, he has to not only win her over, but also make her understand men who can shift into birds aren't the things of nightmares. They're real, and he's one of them. Sabrina lives a relatively sheltered life. Her overprotective uncle means well but can sometimes go too far. When he shows up with a sexy hunk she's dreamed about, it's all Sabrina can do to control her emotions. As old lies are uncovered, she has to decide if she should open her heart to a man who has made using women an art form and who also happens to have wings. Plus, he's more than just any old shifter male. He's the rightful king of the Falco, and it's time he rose to his position and accepted his destiny, even if that destiny includes her.



CATHIAN – LAURANN DOHNER

BOOK #1 \$27.95 *REPACK/RENAME/REWRITE*



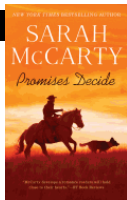
Previously published as "Captain of Nara's Heart" in Something Wicked This Way Comes Vol 1. It has been updated and expanded. When Nara Barns and her tiny crew find themselves with a choice between jail or the sex-slave auction block, it's an easy choice. Especially when they plan to escape their buyers as soon as possible. Even better, Nara's buyer wants her for just six days, long enough to get him through his heat until women from his planet can come to his aid. Six days and then freedom? Sign her up. However, Nara's completely unprepared for the impact Captain Cathian Vellar has on her body. To survive his heat, the Tryleskian must feed-and Nara is his favorite meal. Her body can barely withstand the rapture. Soon, her heart is just as engaged. But enduring the pinnacle of Cathian's heat he could kill Nara, and he refuses to risk her life.

THREE TO RIDE – LEXI BLAKE AKA SOPHIE OAK

\$35.00 TRADE P/BACK *REISSUE/REWRITE* (Orig 10/10)

Re-released with two new chapters and new content. Rachel Swift is a woman on the run. A stalker sent Rachel's world reeling. Now she's running for her life, and Bliss, seems like the perfect place to hide. Bliss is a strange little town, filled with artists, nudists, and the occasional conspiracy nut. It's a good place to start over. Max and Rye are just the men to catch her. Horse trainer Max and Sheriff Rye gave up on their dream of finding one perfect woman to share long ago. Rachel walks in, and they're both in love and fighting their true natures. When Rachel's past catches up with her, all of Bliss is in danger. Rachel knows she should run, but how can she leave behind the love she's found with Max and Rye and the home she's built in Bliss? With her whole town behind her, Rachel is ready to make her stand. It's time for her to get back in the saddle and ride.





**PROMISES DECIDE – SARAH MCCARTY
BOOK #5 \$18.95**

Start with Promises Linger. As Jackson Montgomery heads home after collecting on a bounty, he's looking forward to a meal, a drink, and some female companionship. But when he sees signs of life in a house infamous for its second-rate construction, he can't resist taking a gander at who'd been fool enough to buy it. Mimi Banfield thought she was done

for when she fell into a well filled with rattlers, until a man shows up to rescue her. Jackson has all the survival skills she's missing and he's just the man to show her how to survive out West. As the new guardian of three orphans, she could certainly use a hand. He seamlessly transitions into life with Mimi and the children, not knowing that she has a deadly secret. By the time she confesses, it may just be too late for salvation.

Elle James writing as Myla Jackson continues her Ugly Stick Saloon series

**BOOTS & DIRTY TRICKS
BOOK #5 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK**

Start with Boots & Chaps. Charli Sutton is bored and ready to leave her job at the Ugly Stick Saloon and her home in Temptation, to seek excitement and love. That is, until she meets a cowboy determined to show her there's more to life in a small town than she ever imagined. As she anticipates his next moves, she weighs the merits of the unknown with the known entity of a war veteran whose gentle caresses are hard to resist. Torn between her two love interests, Charli realizes life might not be quite so dull in Temptation.



**BOOTS & LACE
BOOK #6 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK**

Lacey Lambert did the marriage thing and got dumped for a younger woman. Unwilling to give up sex, and determined to raise brows and rumors, she's all about having fun with her new neighbors. Nick McBride's ex took everything and he's forced to room with his brother until he can find or build another place to live. Having been taken by the fairer sex once, he's not interested in relationships. When Lacey Lambert offers commitment-free sex, how can he resist? Only catch is he has to share with his brother. Why not? Together Nick and Lacey learn that not all relationships are doomed to fail and if there's enough spark, maybe you shouldn't resist but saddle up and ride again.



Coming next month...

CROSSBREED – LORA LEIGH *BREED* H/C

**DIGGING DEEPER – QUINN/BERMINGHAM
BOOK #4 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK**

Start with Breathing Betrayal. A maniac is loose in London, drugging young women and assaulting them before burying them in shallow graves. When Inspector John Cordiline asks Jake Chivis for his assistance with the case, he feels he can't refuse. What begins as a simple job soon turns darker when a victim dies and an offer of help comes from an unexpected source. Dr. Mari Gale is disturbed to find that his former lover Tomas Arregui is in London and wants to meet with him. Despite his best efforts to avoid him, fate seems to be pushing them together. And the impact will cast him into more trouble than he could ever have imagined. Digging deeper for the truth could be the death of them.



**THE GENTLEMANS GUIDE TO VIRTUE AND VICE – MACKENZIE LEE
BOOK #1 \$19.99 TRADE P/BACK**

Henry "Monty" Montague doesn't care that his roguish passions are far from suitable for the gentleman he was born to be. But as Monty embarks on his grand tour of Europe, his quests for pleasure and vice are in danger of coming to an end.

Not only does his father expect him to take over the family's estate upon his return, but Monty is also nursing an impossible crush on his best friend, Percy. So Monty vows to make this yearlong escapade one last hurrah and flirt with Percy from Paris to Rome. But when one of Monty's decisions turns their trip into a manhunt, it calls into question everything he knows, including his relationship with the boy he adores.

**A GENTLEMAN NEVER KEEPS SCORE – CAT SEBASTIAN
BOOK #2 \$18.95**

Book #1 It Takes Two To Tumble. Once loved by London's elite, Hartley Sedgwick has become a recluse after gossip exposed his secrets. Rarely venturing from his house, he's captivated by the handsome man who seeks to rob him. Since retiring from boxing, Sam Fox has made his pub, The Bell, into a haven. But when his best friend Kate implores him to find and destroy a revealing painting of her, he agrees. Sam would do anything to protect those he loves. But when he encounters Hartley, he soon finds himself wanting to steal more than just a painting from the man-he wants to steal his heart.



**HENRY – KATHI S BARTON
BOOK #2 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK**

Book #1 Jake. Henry Myers never kept his gender preferences a secret. His mother supported his choices and stood by his side even when his career tanked because of it. Now she's gone, and so is his career. Henry is at a loss. Patrick Garrett, Paddy, is now in a bad place. He's worked at the precinct since he was in his early twenties, and now he can trust no one. Not his captain nor his partner. He was shot and bleeding, and it seems the whole precinct is on the take. Henry has been able to talk to ghosts since a near death experience as a child. Now it seems Paddy can see them as well. But when Wally, Henry's ghostly companion referred to Paddy as Henry's mate. Neither man was sure how to take that news. Henry couldn't deny the attraction to the cop, and if the man didn't put back on his shirt, he's not so sure he'd be able to control himself.

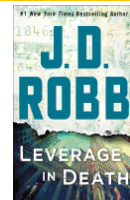


Coming next month...

FINN – ANGEL MARTINEZ BK #1 T/P

**LEVERAGE IN DEATH – JD ROBB BOOK
BOOK #47 \$45.95 H/COVER \$29.99 TRADE P/BACK**

Start with Naked In Death. For the airline executives finalizing a merger that would make news in the business world, the nine a.m. meeting would be a major milestone. But after marketing VP Paul Rogan walked into the plush conference room, strapped with explosives, the headlines told of death and destruction instead. The NYPSP's Eve Dallas confirms that Rogan was coerced by two masked men holding his family hostage. His motive was saving his wife and daughter-but what was the motive of the masked men? Despite the chaos and bad publicity, blowing up one meeting isn't going to put the brakes on the merger. All it's accomplished is shattering a lot of innocent lives. Now, with the help of her husband Roarke, Eve must untangle the reason for an inexplicable act of terror, look at suspects inside and outside both corporations, and determine whether the root of this crime lies in simple sabotage, or something far more complex and twisted.



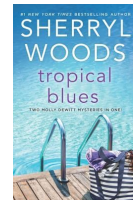
**LITTLE GIRL LOST – WENDY CORSI STAUB
\$18.95**

MAY, 1968 On a murky pre-dawn Mother's Day, sinister secrets play out miles apart in New York City. In Harlem, a church janitor finds a newborn in a basket. In Brooklyn, an elusive serial killer prowls slumbering families, leaving a trail of blood and a twisted calling card. Cloaked in lies, these seemingly unrelated lives-and deaths-are destined to intersect on a distant, blood-soaked day. OCTOBER, 1987 Reeling from shocking personal discoveries, two strangers navigate a world where nothing is as it seems. Amelia Crenshaw embarks on a search to discover the truth about the birth mother who abandoned her, never suspecting she's on a collision course with a killer. Detective Stockton Barnes, a young NYPD detective, trails a missing millionaire whose disappearance is rooted in a nightmare that began twenty years ago. The past returns with a brutal vengeance as a masked predator picks off victims whose fates intertwine with a notorious murder spree solved back in '68-or was it?



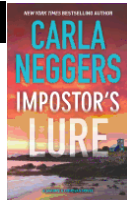
**TROPICAL BLUES – SHERRYL WOODS
BOOK #1 & 2 \$18.95 *REISSUE* 2 IN 1**

"Hot Property" (Orig 03/92) Finding a corpse in the card room of her new Key Biscayne apartment complex was not what Molly DeWitt had in mind for a fresh new start-especially when the knife in the dead Ocean Manor's president's back appears to be her own. But when homicide detective Michael O'Hara decides to get on her case, it's up to Molly to track down the real killer and clear her name. "Hot Secret" (Orig 10/92) When the body of her young film director is found in actress Veronica Weston's trailer, she desperately needs an alibi-and Molly DeWitt is it. Molly's PR job is to keep everyone happy, but solving the case is a challenge she can't resist, just like homicide detective Michael O'Hara. She and Michael must strip the masks from a cast of potential killers, each of whom has a motive.



**FIELD OF BONES – JA JANCE
BOOK #18 \$45.95 H/COVER**

Start with Desert Heat. Sheriff Joanna Brady's intentions to stay on maternity leave take a hit when a serial homicide case rocks Cochise County, dragging her into a far-reaching investigation to bring down a killer. This time Sheriff Joanna Brady may expect to see her maternity leave through to completion, but the world has other plans when a serial homicide case surfaces in her beloved Cochise County. Rather than staying home with her newborn and losing herself in the cold cases to be found in her father's long unread diaries, Joanna instead finds herself overseeing a complex investigation involving multiple jurisdictions.



IMPOSTORS LURE – CARLA NEGGERS
BOOK #9 \$45.95 H/COVER

Start with Saints Gate. Newlyweds Emma and Colin are suspicious when prosecutor Tamara McDermott is a no-show at a Boston dinner party. Matt Yankowski, head of HIT, Emma and Colin's elite team, is a friend of Tamara's, and he needs them to find her. In London, a woman who was supposed to meet Emma's art-detective grandfather to talk about forgeries is discovered near death. Her husband, who stayed behind in Boston, has vanished. The couple's connection to Tamara adds to the puzzle. As the search for Tamara intensifies, a seemingly unrelated murder leads Emma, Colin and HIT deep into a maze of misdirection created by a clever criminal. As Emma draws on her expertise in art crimes and Colin on his experience as a deep-cover agent, the investigation takes a devastating turn that tests the strengths of their relationships as well as their FBI colleagues as never before.

SLEEP LIKE A BABY – CHARLAINE HARRIS
BOOK #10 \$18.95 *REPACK*



Start with Real Murders. Robin and Aurora have finally begun their adventure in parenting. When Roe's mother offers to pay for live-in childcare for Sophie, how can she refuse? Virginia proves to be a godsend when Robin has to leave town for work and Roe is struck with the flu. Then, one night, Roe wakes to hear the screams of her daughter and Virginia is nowhere to be found. Instead, Roe happens upon a dead body in her backyard who is definitely not Virginia. As if the demands of new motherhood weren't enough, now Roe must unlock this shocking double mystery. How can she manage to find Virginia *and* a killer on so little sleep?



ROSEMARY REALLY LOVED THIS BOOK.

TEAR ME APART – JT ELLISON
\$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Competitive skier Mindy Wright is a superstar in the making until a spectacular downhill crash threatens not just her racing career but her life. During surgery, doctors discover she's suffering from a severe form of leukemia, and a stem cell

transplant is her only hope. But when her parents are tested, a frightening truth emerges. Mindy is not their daughter. The race to save Mindy's life means unraveling years of lies. Was she accidentally switched at birth or is there something more sinister at play? The search for the truth will tear a family apart and someone is going to deadly extremes to protect the family's deepest secrets.



JEALOUSY – NANCY BUSH
\$18.95

The Crissmans were once one of Portland's most powerful families. There's still enough fortune left to sow mistrust between siblings Lucy, Layla, Lyle, and his wife Kate. When a charity event at the Crissman Lodge ends in a fatal poisoning, Lucy becomes a prime suspect. But the truth is even more twisted, and Lucy can't be sure which of her family is being targeted. Defense attorney Dallas Denton has been hired to clear Lucy's name, unaware of the secret that ties them together or of the cracks in the Crissman legacy. Someone is ready to eliminate every obstacle to get what they most covet, and prove that envy runs deeper than blood.



PERFECT PREY – HELEN FIELDS
BOOK #2 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Perfect Remains. Welcome to Edinburgh. Murder capital of Europe. In the middle of a rock festival, a charity worker is sliced across the stomach. In a crowd of thousands, no one saw his attacker. The following week, the body of a primary school teacher is found in a dumpster in an Edinburgh alley, strangled with her own scarf. D.I. Ava Turner and D.I. Luc Callanach have no leads and no motive - until around the city, graffiti appears describing each victim. It's only when they realise the words are being written before the murders, that they understand the killer is announcing his next victim and the more innocent the better.



DIM SUM OF ALL FEARS – VIVIEN CHIEN
BOOK #2 \$18.95

Book #1 Death By Dumpling. Lana Lee is a dutiful daughter, waiting tables at her family's restaurant, even though she'd rather be anywhere else. Then, just when she has a chance for a "real" job, her parents take off to Taiwan, leaving Lana in charge. Surprising everyone, she turns out to be quite capable of running the place. Unfortunately, the newlyweds who just opened the souvenir store next door to the Ho-Lee have turned up dead, and soon Lana finds herself in the midst of an Asia Village mystery.



BRENDA NOVAK CONTINUES HER FANTASTIC EVE TALBOT SERIES
HANOVER HOUSE



BOOK #.5 \$27.95 TRADE P/BACK

Welcome to Hanover House. Psychiatrist Evelyn Talbot has dedicated her life to solving the mysteries of the antisocial mind. After having been kidnapped, tortured and left for dead when she was a teenager, by her high school boyfriend, she's determined to understand how someone she trusted so much could turn on her. So she's established a new medical health center in the remote town of Hilltop, Alaska, where she studies the worst of the worst. But not everyone in Hilltop is excited to have Hanover House. Alaskan State Trooper, Sergeant Amarok, is one of them. He knows what could happen if one thing goes wrong.



FACE OFF
BOOK #3 \$18.95

Book #1 Her Darkest Nightmare, Book #2 Hello Again. Tortured and left for dead at sixteen, Evelyn Talbot turned her personal nightmare into her life's work. Evelyn tries to believe the past will never come back to haunt her-until a woman goes missing from a cabin nearby, and every clue points to the man who once brutalized her. As her boyfriend, who is the area's only police, begins to investigate-and finds not one but two bodies-Evelyn can't forget that her would-be killer, Jasper Moore, was never caught. But there are no new faces in tiny Hilltop, no one who seems suspicious. In this twisted game of cat and mouse, Evelyn is certain of only one thing-Jasper must be hiding in plain sight. And if she can't find him before he comes for her, she won't survive twice.

DEAD RINGER – MARY BURTON
\$22.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 11/08)

Beside each body, he leaves a charm bearing a woman's name. The victims were strangers to each other, but they have been chosen with care. Each bears a resemblance to Kendall Shaw, a local anchor woman, each strangled by a madman whose obsession will never end. In front of the cameras, Kendall is the picture of confidence. But at night she's haunted by nightmares in which she is young, alone, and filled with fear. Are these memories? Despite warnings from Detective Jacob Warwick, Kendall can't stop investigating the string of murders. She knows she holds the key to catching a psychopath-if he doesn't get to her first. The deeper Kendall and Jacob dig into the victims' backgrounds, the more terrifying the discoveries. Every murder has been leading to Kendall. And this time, nothing will stop the killer making her his final victim.



DON'T CLOSE YOUR EYES – CHRISTIE CRAIG
BOOK #1 \$18.95

Annie Lakes has had a recurring nightmare for years. A panicked voice, begging her to run faster. Her own scream. But Annie is starting to realize it's not a dream. She's starting to remember things about the night her cousin Jenny disappeared. Things that make her believe her family was involved and what they're hiding is worse than she ever imagined. But she can't unravel this alone. She needs help from Detective Mark Sutton. Mark has seen enough to assume that Annie's story is a dead end. It turns out that her family is hiding some killer secrets. A long time ago, Annie was just an innocent little girl who saw something she shouldn't. Now she's a target, and Mark's running out of time to protect the woman he's starting to fall for.

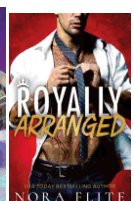
KEEPING SECRETS – LISA JACKSON
\$18.95 *REISSUE* *2 IN 1* (ORIG 86)

"One Man's Love" Stacey Monroe made it a rule not to get involved with any of her patients or their fathers! But when Nathan Sloan brought his daughter in, Stacey fell in love with both of them. But Nathan is a man with many secrets. "Mystic" Savannah Beaumont once loved Travis McCord, but then he left her to marry someone else. Now, nine years later, Travis has returned to the Beaumonts' ranch to confront Savannah's father about his suspicious political ambitions. Jilted once before, Savannah is determined to keep Travis at a distance, but when he comes to her, desperate for her help, she'll have no choice but to risk her heart once more.

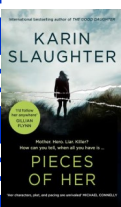


ROYALLY ARRANGED – NORA FLITE
BOOK #3 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Royally Bad, Book #2 Royally Ruined. Hawthorne Badd has lived his life as a reckless playboy-not as a presumptive king. But after the death of his uncle, it can all be his. All he has to do is govern a country he's never set foot in and marry the daughter of his family's greatest rival. Nova Valentine is as smart and beautiful-and when she first met Thorne Badd, she fell hard. But surrounded by betrayers and schemes, can Thorne and Nova learn to trust each other or will their families' rivalry prove too great a hurdle?



HERES THREE GREAT RELEASES FROM KARIN SLAUGHTER THIS MONTH



PIECES OF HER
\$32.99 TRADE P/BACK

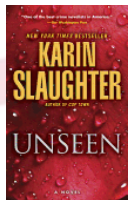
Andrea Oliver's mother, Laura, is the perfect small-town mum. Laura lives a quiet, happy life in Belle Isle. She's a pillar of the community: a speech therapist, business owner and everybody's friend. And she's never kept a secret from anyone. Or so Andrea thinks. When Andrea is caught in a random violent attack at a mall, Laura intervenes and acts in a way that is unrecognisable to her daughter. It's like Laura is a completely different person, and that's because she was. Laura is hailed as a hero for her actions at the mall but 24 hours later she is in hospital, shot by an intruder, who's spent decades trying to track her down. What is Andrea's mother trying to hide? As elements of the past return and put them both in danger, Andrea is left to piece together Laura's former identity and discover the truth about her mother. Is the gentle, loving woman who raised her also a violent killer?



UNSEEN

BOOK #7 \$22.95 *REPACK*

Start with Triptych. Will Trent is a Georgia Bureau of Investigation agent whose latest case has him posing as Bill Black, an ex-con who rides a motorcycle around Macon and trails an air of violence wherever he goes. The cover has worked and he has caught the eye of a drug dealer who thinks he might be a useful ally. But undercover and cut off from the support of the woman he loves, Sara Linton, Will finds his demons catching up with him. Although she has no idea where Will has gone, or why, Sara herself has come to Macon because of a cop shooting: Her stepson, Jared, has been gunned down in his own home. Sara holds Lena, Jared's wife, responsible: Lena, a detective, is a magnet for trouble and Jared's shooting is not the first time someone else got caught in the crossfire. Sara finds herself involved in the same case that Will is working without even knowing it, and soon danger is swirling around both of them.

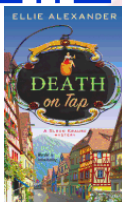


THE KEPT WOMAN
BOOK #8 \$22.95 *REPACK*

With the discovery of a murder at an abandoned construction site, Will Trent and the Georgia Bureau of Investigation are brought in on a case that becomes much more dangerous when the dead man is identified as an ex-cop. Studying the body, Sara Linton, the GBI's newest medical examiner realizes that the extensive blood loss didn't belong to the corpse. Bloody footprints leading away from the scene indicate there is another victim, a woman, who has vanished and who will die soon if she isn't found. Will is already compromised, because the site belongs to the city's most popular citizen: a wealthy, powerful, and connected athlete-a man who's already gotten away with rape, despite Will's efforts to put him away. But when evidence links Will's troubled past to the case, the consequences will tear through his life, wreaking havoc for Will and everyone around him, even the suspects he pursues.

DEATH ON TAP – ELLIE ALEXANDER
BOOK #1 \$18.95 *REPACK*

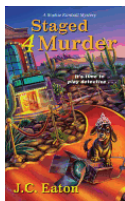
When Sloan Krause walks in on her husband, Mac, screwing the barmaid, she gives him the boot. Sloan has spent her life in Leavenworth becoming an expert in brewing craft beer, and she doesn't have time to be held back by her soon-to-be ex-husband. She decides to strike out on her own, breaking away from the Krause family brewery, and goes to work for Nitro, the new nano-brewery in the Bavarian-themed town. Nitro's owner, Garrett Strong, has the brew-world abuzz with his newest recipe, "Pucker-Up IPA." This place is the new cool place in town, and Mac can't help but be green with envy at their success. But just as Sloan is settling in to her new gig, she finds one of Nitro's competitors dead in the fermenting tub, clutching the secret recipe for the IPA. When Mac is arrested, Sloan knows that her ex might be a cheater, but a murderer? No way. Danger is brewing in Beervaria and suddenly Sloan is on the case.



STAGED 4 MURDER – JC EATON
BOOK #3 \$18.95

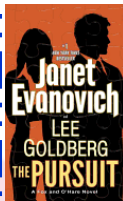
Book #1 Booked 4 Murder, Book #2 Ditched 4 Murder. Sophie "Phee" Kimball wants to get some work done at her private investigation company in Arizona--and she's distracted already by her old crush, who's arriving from Minnesota to join the staff. The last thing she needs is constant updates from her

mom on the local production of Agatha Christie's "The Mousetrap." Practically everyone from Mom's book club and retirement community, with the possible exception of her chiveenie, Streetman, wants to join the cast and crew. But someone's playing the role of the killer for real. After a much-despised cast member is found dead on a catwalk in the theater, Phee has no choice but to be drawn into all the backstabbing and backstage gossip. Especially if her drama-queen mother is right about the vaguely threatening note left on her windshield, which could mean curtains for another victim.



THROUGH THE FIRE – KATIE RUGGLE
BOOK #4 \$18.95

Start with Run To Ground. Kit Jernigan despairs of ever fitting in with her new K9 unit, they've been through too much to welcome a stranger. So when a killer strikes, it's a fight to convince her fellow officers to trust her to catch the woman she knows is responsible. She can't do it on her own. What she needs most is a partner: local fire spotter Wesley March. Wes knows in his heart that Kit is right, and he's willing to leave his tower to help her. But the more time they spend together, the hotter the fire smolders and the more danger they're in. A member of the K9 unit's inner circle is determined to get revenge, no matter who gets burned in the process.



THE PURSUIT - EVANOVICH/GOLDBLUM
BOOK #5 \$22.95 *REPACK*

Start with The Heist. Nicolas Fox, international con man, and one of the top ten fugitives on the FBI's most-wanted list, has been kidnapped in Hawaii. What the kidnapper doesn't know is that Nick Fox has been working for the FBI. It isn't long before Nick's covert partner, Special Agent Kate O'Hare, is in pursuit of the crook who stole her con man. The trail leads to Belgium, France, and Italy, and pits Nick and Kate against their deadliest adversary yet: Dragan Kovic, an ex-Serbian military officer. He's plotting a crime that will net him billions and cost thousands of American lives. Nick and Kate have to mount the most daring and audacious con they've ever attempted to save a major U.S. city from catastrophe. Luckily they have the help of an out-of-work actor, a bandit who does his best work in the sewers, and Kate's dad, Jake. The pressure's on for Nick and Kate to make this work.

DAGGERS EDGE – LORA LEIGH
BOOK #2 \$18.95

Book #1 Collision Point. Ivan Resnova wants nothing more than to escape his hard, brutal past. Starting over is not so easy once you've been a powerful crime boss but now, instead of being punished for his alleged crimes, Ivan fears that the one woman he can't forget is in danger of paying the price. Crimsyn "Syn" Delaney thought the danger she'd faced was over, and that she could resume her life. She never imagined it would return with a vengeance and throw her back into Ivan's world. But when an attempt is made on her life, she needs Ivan more than ever to keep her safe-even if she is in danger of falling deeply and dangerously in love.



TEMPTED BY LOVE – JENNIFER RYAN
BOOK #3 \$18.95

Book #0.5 Protected By Love, Book #1 Escape To You, Book #2 True To You. Alina Cooke-little sister of his two best friends-is the last woman DEA agent Jay Bennett should be waking up next to on the day of her brother's wedding. But their attraction ignited a powder keg of desire. Alina's always been steady, focused, and lived on the safe side of life. Jay is totally devoted to his dangerous job. She knows a future with him will be filled with worry that one day he won't come home. She's done it with her brothers. She's not sure she can face that uncertainty with the man she loves. Yet being in his arms is a bad idea they keep repeating. When Alina is run off the road, Jay fears his job has made her a target. But the threat in Alina's life is closer than they think. As the enemy gets more ruthless, Alina proves she's no easy target and Jay will do anything to bring them down. Because surviving and being together is the only thing that matters.



UNDER CONTROL – SHANNON STACEY
BOOK #5 \$18.95

Start with Heat Exchange. When faced with the opportunity to change shifts while staying in the same house, firefighter Derek Gilman jumps at the chance. His new schedule means not working Saturdays, which means more time to spend with his two kids. His divorce may have been amicable, but being a firefighter and a single dad is a lot to juggle. And when fate brings a gorgeous woman into his life, he's pretty sure he can't handle more than he already is. Olivia McGovern loves plans. She planned to start her own business and planned its growth. It's earning her seven figures now, but her personal life simply doesn't exist. Getting trapped in a broken elevator figures in exactly nowhere, and freaking out in front of a sexy firefighter definitely isn't on the agenda. Especially not one with two kids and an ex. What would have been a random incident with a stranger becomes something more when a charity event brings them back together. They're from different sides of the tracks. But as Derek and Olivia are discovering, chemistry doesn't allow for plans, and love doesn't bother with logistics.





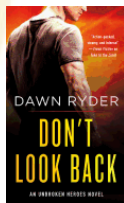
**MARRYING EMILY – SUSAN STOKER
BOOK #4 \$24.95 TRADE P/BACK**

Start with Rescuing Rayne. Few people know better than Delta Force soldiers that life is short. So Cormac Fletcher isn't waiting one more day to marry the love of his life, Emily. Fletch has already adopted her daughter, Annie. Now it's time to officially make Emily his too. Emily understands just about

every woman experiences a few wedding snafus-but they're usually not of the life-or-death variety. Fortunately for her, a guest list full of Delta soldiers and SEALs will make this an event to remember-for both Emily and the uninvited guests trying to ruin her day.

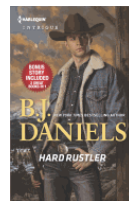
**DON'T LOOK BACK – DAWN RYDER
BOOK #6 \$18.95**

Start with Dangerous To Know. Shadow Ops Agent Thais Sinclair has sworn off falling in love for good. It's what's kept her calculated, steady, and on-task in a world dominated by men. She needs nothing and no one but her own wits and strength to guide her. But when she's slated to shadow the one man who could reveal their entire operation, all bets are off. Dunn Bateson, illegitimate son of a Southern debutante, has always had to fight harder than the rest to get what he wants. Now, the last thing he needs is Thais following his every move. She is so strong, sly, seductive. . . No woman has ever captivated him so completely. Thais may only have room for her mission in her heart, but is Dunn up to the challenge of showing her that she's worth every risk he is willing to take?



**HARD RUSTLER /SHOTGUN BRIDE– BJ DANIELS
BOOK #1 \$18.95 *2 IN 1***

“Hard Rustler” Annabelle "Annie" Clementine is back in Whitehorse, Montana, to sell her late grandmother's house. There's nothing cowboy Dawson Rogers wants more than to see Annie on the road out of town. Except along with the house, Annie inherited a mystery that could kill her. “Shotgun Bride” Handsome as sin and wild as the Western wind: that's Shane Corbett. No way is he settling down-especially not with a cowgirl from small-town Whitehorse. But when Maddie Cavanaugh is kidnapped, Shane saddles up to bring her back home.



**WIND RIVER LAWMAN – LINDSAY MCKENNA
BOOK #6 \$18.95**

Start with Wind River Wrangler. After serving as a Navy medic, Dawson Callahan is back in the States and ready to start over. Leaving his native Texas, he heads for the wide open spaces of Wyoming, where he finds work as a wrangler. True, he'll mainly be wrangling chickens-and wrangling Sarah

Carter's granny. But ranch work is ranch work, and it's hard to turn down a job offer from Sheriff Carter-especially when she deputizes him as one of her lawmen. Sarah loves her grandmother, but with her law enforcement career keeping her busy, they could both use some help. And policing Lincoln County has only gotten tougher since a drug lord arrived in the area. When Sarah takes a bullet on the job, it's Dawson who comes to her rescue-and though they both thought they left war behind in Afghanistan, they'll do whatever it takes to protect what's theirs, even if it means facing down traumas they've buried for years.



**RIGHT THROUGH ME – SHANNON MCKENNA
BOOK #1 \$35.00 TRADE P/BACK**

Biotech tycoon Noah Gallagher has a deadly secret: his clandestine training as a super-soldier gives him abilities that go far beyond human. Yet he's very much a man. When Caro Bishop shows up at his Seattle headquarters with a secret agenda, his life is thrown into chaos. Caro is a woman like no

other-and her beauty cloaks a mystery he must solve. Caro's lying low, evading a false charge of murder. She means to clear her name, and she'll do whatever it takes to survive-but seducing a man like Noah is more than she bargained for. His amber eyes have the strangest glow when he looks at her. The desire smoldering in Noah's eyes awakens her own secret hunger, but Caro has to resist his magnetic pull. Anyone close to her becomes a target. The only right thing to do is run but Caro can't outrun Noah's ferocious intensity-or deny the passion that explodes between them. Nothing else matters-until a vicious enemy bent on revenge puts his murderous plan into play. Noah and Caro must battle for their lives and their love.

**WILD LIKE THE WIND – KRISTEN ASHLEY
BOOK #6 \$40.00 TRADE P/BACK**

Book #1 Own The Wind. The brother known as Hound has a reputation. He's all about cracking heads, having a good time, and when the Chaos Motorcycle Club needs someone to do the tough job, they call on him. But Hound has a secret. He fell in love with a woman years ago. She's untouchable. Unattainable. And even when her status changes, for Hound, it remains the same. Keely Black had it all early and lost it all not long after. Thrown into an abyss of loss and grief, she's faced a life of raising two sons alone and battling the rage at all that had been ripped from them. And why. Words spoken in anger open Hound's and Keely's eyes. For Hound, he sees he's wasted his life loving the wrong woman. Keely sees she's wasting her life not opening herself to the love of a good man.



**DO OR DIE COWBOY – JUNE FAVER
BOOK #1 \$18.95**

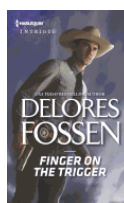
Cowboy musician Tyler Garrett has a once-in-a-lifetime chance to put aside his rancher's lifestyle and realize his dream. He's on the road to Dallas to record a demo when that dream gets kicked sideways by a beautiful woman on the run. Leah Benson will do whatever it takes to keep her daughter safe. But when

her dangerous past catches up with her, she needs a hero-and luckily for her, Tyler Garrett was born and bred for the role.



**FINGER ON THE TRIGGER – DELORES FOSSEN
BOOK #2 \$18.95**

Book #1 Cowboy Above The Law. After a one-night stand with Rachel McCall, Ranger Griff Morris reveals a long-kept secret. Feeling betrayed, Rachel flees her ranch. But when she returns, complications abound: she's pregnant and unable to forgive Griff, but she's also wildly attracted to him. With three attempts on her life and no shortage of suspects, can Griff earn Rachel's trust to keep her and their baby alive?



**COWBOY CROSS MY HEART – DONNA GRANT
BOOK #2 \$18.95**

Book #1 The Christmas Cowboy Hero. Naomi Pierce isn't the type to let a cowboy sweep her off feet. But when she returns to her hometown, she can't help but be swept up in the world of bronco-busting good-ol'-boys she loved as a girl. She might be here to photograph her Rodeo Queen best friend. But it's a cowboy who captures her eye. Brice Harper is all man, all muscle, and all heart. From the moment he rides into the stadium, he can't help but notice the stranger with a camera watching him from the stands. It doesn't take a zoom lens to see the sparks of attraction. But things really heat up when he meets Naomi and he discovers that someone is stalking her friend. Brice wouldn't be any kind of cowboy if he didn't offer to help the ladies out. But can the rough rider keep this spirited shutterbug out of danger-without risking his heart?



**THE TEXAS COWBOY WAY – MICHAELS/DEPAUL
\$18.95 *REISSUE* 2 IN 1**

“Claimed by a Cowboy” by Tanya Michaels (Orig 01/12) Lorelei Keller left Fredericksburg years ago. After coming home for her mom's funeral, she's shocked to learn that Sam Travis has inherited the family B and B. Did the sexy cowboy manipulate his way into her mother's heart? Lorelei is determined to clean up this mess, and then get out of Texas. There's nothing to keep her there now-except maybe Sam. “Texas Stakeout” by Virna Depaul (Orig 11/14) A US marshal and city wrangler at heart, Dylan Rooney has a new assignment in the heart of Texas: protect Rachel Kincaid, a widow with a young son whose ranch hand has just been killed. Posing as the new ranch hand, Dylan quickly learns that his job won't be easy-especially when Rachel's fugitive brother is the prime suspect.



Coming next month...
HIDDEN – REBECCA ZANETTI BK #1
CUT AND RUN—MARY BURTON T/P
A FACE TO DIE FOR – ANDREA KANE BOOK #6 T/P
WHAT IVE DONE—MELINDA LEIGH BK #4 T/P
Rocky Mountain Cowboy Christmas– KATIE RUGGLE BK #1

**“I CAN’T GET ENOUGH OF TALENTED AUSSIE
AUTHOR ANNIE SEATON” SAYS ROSEMARY
HER OUTBACK PLAYBOY
BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK**

Jenni McDougal's family have worked hard to build their fishing and charter business in the remote town of Second Chance Bay. Jake Jones, her childhood sweetheart, was once the poor boy in town. When he blows into town after making his fortune and expects to pick up where they left off, Jenni fights every move he makes. Jake knows that Jenni will always see him as a playboy, and his self confidence disappears when the town judges him on his past. Every time he tries to help her family business, she sees an ulterior motive. If Jenni can't trust him, what is there to keep Jake in Second Chance Bay?



GOOD TIME COWBOY – MAISEY YATES
BOOK #3 \$18.95



Book #1 Smooth Talking Cowboy, Book #2 Untamed Cowboy. When Lindy Parker lost her cheating husband, she gained a vineyard. She'll do anything for Grassroots Winery, including teaming up with Wyatt Dodge. Wyatt is her ex's friend and has a bull sized ego. But in spite of that, Lindy has always wanted him. Lightning struck Wyatt Dodge the first time he saw Lindy Parker. But there were two problems with that: she was married to his friend, and Wyatt doesn't do strings. But now Lindy is free, and the two of them can finally explore the heat that's burns between them. But can Lindy make this good time cowboy decide on forever?

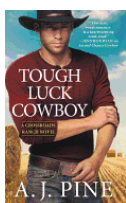
BIG SKY RIVER – LINDA LAEL MILLER
\$18.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 12/12)



Sheriff Boone Taylor has two kids he adores, his job, a decent ranch, two dogs and a good horse. He doesn't want romance-he has loved and lost enough for a lifetime. When a city woman buys the spread next door, Boone's peace and quiet is in jeopardy. With a marriage and a career behind her, Tara Kendall is determined to start over. Reinventing herself and living a dream are worth the hard work. Sure, she might need help from her neighbor. But life along Big Sky River is full of surprises, like falling for a cowboy-lawman who just might start to believe in second chances. Includes "A Christmas Affair" by Jodi Thomas.



TOUGH LUCK COWBOY – AJ PINE
BOOK #2 \$18.95



Book #1 Second Chance Cowboy. What's the saying, bad luck comes in threes? If so, Lily Green is due for something good. First, her divorce is finalized, on her birthday. Then the first job she lands for her catering company turns out to be for her ex-husband's wedding. To top it off, she's stuck working the event with Luke Everett, the best man who's never been able to stand her. When can a girl catch a break? For years, Luke has kept his feelings for Lily hidden. Hitting on his best friend's ex-wife would definitely break the cowboy code of honor. But ever since an injury sidelined his rodeo riding, the two of them keep getting thrown together. It's only a matter of time until his feelings come to light. When that happens, it will either be the biggest mistake of his life, or a sign that his luck is changing.

ESCAPADE – DIANA PALMER
\$18.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 12/92 AS SUSAN KYLE)



When her father dies, heiress Amanda Todd inherits a nearly bankrupt newspaper that she's determined to bring back from the dead. But controlling interest lies with mysterious millionaire Joshua Lawson, a man even more stubborn than he is handsome. So she heads off to Josh's Caribbean estate to show him how she can save the failing business. Sparks fly as Amanda and Josh butt heads; she's never been so attracted to any man before, let alone one whose support she needs to resurrect her family legacy. And he knows full well how much is riding on this. Can this beauty convince him he's met his match in business and love?

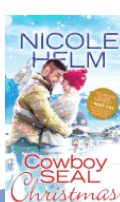
AREN'T WE LUCKY, HERES 2 RELEASES FROM NICOLE HELM

A NICE DAY FOR A COWBOY WEDDING
BOOK #4 \$18.95



Start with Need You Now. As the oldest of three brothers, Shane Tyler takes his responsibility to the family ranch seriously-and it's clear to him that the man who wants to marry his widowed mother is only looking for a meal ticket. He's determined to stop the nuptials whatever it takes, but the shy wedding planner his mom hired is harder to intimidate than he expected. When Cora Preston worked up the nerve to leave her abusive ex and move with her young son to Gracely, it was a huge step. Accepting the position as wedding planner at brand-new Mile High Weddings took even more courage. But Cora's biggest challenge is turning out to be the bride's handsome oldest son, Shane, and the way he makes her feel. Can the heat crackling between them warm two hearts suspicious of love?

COWBOY SEAL CHRISTMAS
BOOK #3 \$18.95



Book #1 Cowboy Seal Homecoming, Book #2 Cowboy Seal Redemption. Single mom and Revival Ranch's on-site therapist Monica Finley has dedicated her life to helping brave servicemen and women, but former Navy SEAL Gabe Cortez is the one man whose shell she just can't crack. With the holidays fast approaching, she may finally have a plan. In a bid to get Gabe to open up, she'll ask for as much help as possible-cutting down the Christmas tree, stringing lights, the whole nine yards. Gabe has always hated Christmas-the holiday never fails to remind him just how alone he truly is. But the more time he spends with Monica and her son, the more he finds himself drawn to their cozy little family and the more he begins to realize his Christmas dreams may finally be coming true.

Heres two great releases in Jennifer Ashleys popular cowboy series TYLER



BOOK #4 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Start with Adam. Tyler Campbell is rescued from having his butt handed to him by Jessica, a biker bartender with gorgeous ink. Jess is a single mom, her life taken up by raising a son and keeping away from her ex. Tyler is the first man who's truly looked at her in a long, long time, the first to make her remember what passion is. Though she recognizes that Tyler's a playboy, she sees something else in him, a pain he's kept hidden from all, even his close-knit family. Jessica doesn't believe she'll ever have anything with Tyler, but when she needs help, she risks all by seeking him in a little Texas town called Riverbend.

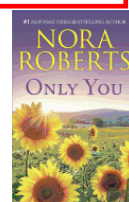


ROSS
BOOK #5 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

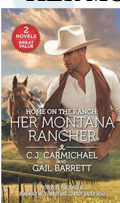
Ross Campbell had a thing for Callie Jones when they were growing up, but she was one of the "Jones girls," from the richest family in the county. Now Ross, deputy for a corrupt county sheriff, finds Callie stranded in the rain on the side of the road-on her wedding day. Ross gives her a ride, but when the wedding is a disaster, Ross is the rock that keeps Callie standing. Her high-school crush has grown up to be a gorgeous man, as considerate and charming as he is attractive. Callie has always been warned to stay away from the Campbells. But can they keep things casual when something far deeper is pulling at them, encouraging both Ross and Callie to surrender.

ONLY YOU – NORA ROBERTS
\$18.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 01/85)

"Boundary Lines" A feud between the Barons and the Murdocks has been simmering for years. Jillian Baron, who has inherited her family's ranch, sees no reason not to continue the grudge, especially where Aaron Murdock is concerned. But when the pair is threatened by a common enemy, Jillian and Aaron become uneasy allies. As they are forced to work in close quarters, they must decide what is more important-generations of mistrust or an unexpected passion. "The Right Path" While on vacation in Greece, the last thing Morgan James expects is to be set upon by a knife-wielding stranger. Much to her embarrassment, her walk has brought her to the private estate of Nicholas Gregoras, a Greek tycoon, and Morgan is trespassing. She's more surprised when he turns his gaze her way. Morgan doesn't know if the smooth-talking playboy can be trusted, but soon his kisses have her throwing her inhibitions to the wind.



HER MONTANA RANCHER – CARMICHAEL/BARRETT
\$18.95 *REISSUE* 2 IN 1



"Remember Me, Cowboy" by C.J Carmichael (Orig 11/13) In the wake of an accident, rancher Corb Lambert loses all memory of the passion he once shared with Laurel Sheridan. Now she's pregnant, and although Corb is willing to marry her, Laurel can't bear the thought that he doesn't remember her, especially since she fell for him, hard. "Cowboy Under Siege" by Gail Barrett (Orig 08/11) An unknown enemy is seeking vengeance on Cole Kelley-and the Montana ranch he'll fight to protect. His land is the only thing Cole can depend on. Not his powerful father. And especially not Bethany Moore-the beautiful nurse who left him years ago and is now back with secrets.

SPRINGTIME IN SALT RIVER– RAEANNE THAYNE
\$18.95 *REISSUE/RENAME* (ORIG 03/02)

"Lawmans Heart" Originally titled "Taming Jesse James". Teacher Sarah McKenzie wants to help one of her students who has a haunted look in his eyes. With no one else to turn to she asks Jesse James Harte, the police chief, for help. Jesse grew up as wild as his Old West namesake, but now he's the law. That means trouble is his business-and if he's ever seen somebody in trouble, it's Sarah. Jesse can tell she's running from something-something that might be catching up with her. Jesse will risk everything, even his heart, to keep Sarah safe. Also includes "Love Thine Enemy" by Patricia Davids.



COME BACK TO ME – SHARON SALA
BOOK #6 \$18.95



Start with You And Only You. After a devastating fire pitted their families against each other, high school sweethearts Phoebe Ritter and Aidan Payne were torn apart. Twenty years later, Aidan is called back to Blessings, nervous about confronting his painful past. And that's BEFORE he knows about the nineteen-year-old secret Phoebe has been harboring all this time. As Aidan tries to make up for lost time with the family he didn't know he had, Phoebe and Aidan rediscover long-suppressed feelings. But the past won't lie buried, and old enemies threaten to destroy the peace they've fought so hard to find.

SUMMER AT THE CORNISH CAFÉ – PHILLIPA ASHLEY

BOOK #1 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

As a waitress washing dishes and serving ice creams seems to be as exciting as the holiday season is about to get for Demi. That's until she meets Cal Penwith, Cal is persuaded to let Demi help him renovate his holiday resort, Kilhallon Park. The once popular destination has now gone to ruin. During the course of the Cornish summer, Demi makes new friends and foes as she helps Cal in his quest. Working side by side, the pair grow close, but Cal has complications in his past which make Demi wonder if he could ever truly be interested in her. But as the summer draws to a close, and Demi's own reputation as an up and coming cafe owner starts to spread, she is faced with a tough decision.



THE SUMMER THEATRE BY THE SEA – TRACY CORBETT

\$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Charlotte Saunders has always loved the city life. So, when she finds herself abruptly fired, dumped and forced to leave London to move in with her sister Lauren in Cornwall, she thinks the world is ending. To keep herself busy in the quiet town, Charlotte agrees to help the local drama club. Designing sets for their performance of A Midsummer Night's Dream, for the summer, while she figures out her next move. But could days at the beach, new friends and a handsome doctor, change Charlotte's mind?



ONE PERFECT KISS—JACI BURTON

BOOK #8 \$18.95

Start with Hope Flames. Josie Barnes has always craved a sense of home. She's found that in Hope-she bought a house, has a new job as an English teacher at Hope High, she's made friends, and she's taking in stray animals that no one else wants. Now she's flirting with fellow teacher and hot high school

football coach Zach Powers. But he's almost too good to be true, and Josie learned long ago not to trust in the too-good-to-be-true, because it has always let her down. A former pro football player, Zach had to pull back when a career-ending knee injury forced him to rethink his future. Now he's happy calling plays as Coach. If he could just get Josie Barnes to stop benching his players for their poor grades, life would be perfect. Instead, she drives him crazy as the stern teacher at school and the sexy woman of his dreams outside of the classroom.



HARD SELL – LAUREN LAYNE

BOOK #2 \$29.95 TRADE P/BACK

Book #1 Hot Asset. Matt Cannon is the youngest broker on Wall Street. But when his latest fling makes headlines, his clients get nervous, and his bosses level an ultimatum: get a “real” girlfriend, and clean up his act. Only one woman can help Matt. For PR genius Sabrina Cross, the best fixer in Manhattan, playing Matt's steady is going to be a challenge, even if it's just for show. They already have an explosive history and worse-she can't stop thinking about him. So who'll dare to break her no touching rule first?



DEBBIE MACOMBER HAS 2 RELEASES THIS MONTH

A GIRLS GUIDE TO MOVING ON

\$18.95 *REPACK*

When Nichole discovers that her husband, Jake, has been unfaithful, the illusion of her perfect life is shattered. While juggling her son, a new job, and volunteer work, Nichole meets Rocco, who is the opposite of Jake in nearly every way. Though rough around the edges, Rocco proves to be a dedicated father and thoughtful friend. But just as their relationship begins to blossom, Jake wagers everything on winning Nichole back-including their son's happiness. Somehow, Nichole must find the courage to defy her fears and follow her heart. Leanne has quietly ignored her husband's cheating for decades, but is jolted into action by the echo of Nichole's all-too-familiar crisis. While volunteering as a teacher of English as a second language, Leanne meets Nikolai. Resolved to avoid the heartache and complications of romantic entanglements, Leanne nonetheless finds it difficult to resist Nikolai's effusive overtures.



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\$18.95 *REISSUE* (ORIG 08/95) *2 IN 1*

Single mom Meg Remington isn't looking for another chance at love, but her teenage daughter, Lindsay, has other plans, so she places a personal ad on her mother's behalf. She's convinced Meg wants to remarry, whether she knows it or not. When it's answered by Steve Conlan, he actually seems perfect! Steve still isn't sure how he got himself into this mess. When his hopeless romantic sister told him she'd answered an ad in the paper posing as Steve, he was furious. But once he sets his eyes on Meg, he finds himself thinking maybe the date wasn't such a bad idea after all. Meg and Steve want to teach their matchmakers a lesson-if only they weren't really falling for each other. Also includes “Fully Ignited” by Shannon Stacey.

HERES SOME MORE OF VICKI LEWIS THOMPSONS COWBOYS.

A COWBOYS CHRISTMAS

BOOK #6 \$27.95 TRADE P/BACK

Start with A Cowboys Strength. Hayley Bennett's mom has been planning her wedding she was born. Air Force vet Badger Calhoun is delighted to be Hayley's seatmate on the flight to Eagles Nest. He's visiting his friend Ryker McGavin for the holidays, but when he discovers Hayley needs a guy she can present to her marriage-minded momma as her fiance, he's all in. Pretending to be her devoted boyfriend is a no-brainer. But when the holiday ends, can he just walk away?



A COWBOYS KISS

BOOK #7 \$27.95 TRADE P/BACK

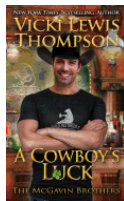
Saving the day is what Luke Bennett does. But it will take all his management skills to rescue Abigail Summers from bankruptcy. Although she bakes like an angel, the devil's in the details. She could be Luke's dream girl, but her cardboard box overflowing with a year's worth of receipts is his worst nightmare. Saving the day and winning the girl looks damn near impossible.



A COWBOYS LUCK

BOOK #8 \$27.95 TRADE P/BACK

Hiring Roxanne Sawyer to design a logo for his bar is the best decision Michael Murphy ever made. His heart dances every time she comes through the door. But now he wants to focus that creative energy in a new direction. For one night he gets his wish. He believes Fate has drawn them together, but Roxanne wakes with morning-after regrets. He'll need to convince her to take a chance on love.



MAYBE FOR YOU – NICOLE MCLAUGHLIN

BOOK #3 \$18.95

Book #1 Maybe I Do, Book #2 Maybe This Time. After a year of mourning her fiancé, Alexis Parker has worked hard to rediscover what she wants out of life. Fresh out of the military, her brother offers her a marketing job at the Stag Distillery. Ready for a new challenge, Alexis agrees to

accompany her new co-worker Jake Cooper on a cross-country promotional tour. He may have an infamous playboy reputation, but Alexis is surprised to find out that there is more to him than meets the eye. Jake promised Alexis's brother that he'd be a gentleman. Of course, that was before he and Alexis hit the road. Their plan: to keep their fling confined to the RV. Things progress in ways neither of them could have imagined, and Jake realizes that he and Alexis make a perfect mix.



ONE MORE MOMENT – SAMANTHA CHASE

BOOK #7 \$18.95

Start with Made For Us. Julian Grayson is taking a break, from his cheating fiancée, from his band and from his life in the spotlight. Charlotte Clark is devoted to her work, to save the world, to help the homeless and to get a broken man back on his feet. When Charlotte Clark offers to pay for Julian Grayson's coffee, the world-famous drummer assumes she wants something from him. But Charlotte has no idea who he is, and Julian can't resist keeping up the charade-being incognito is a novelty and a relief. He'll have to tell her eventually. But as Charlotte cheerfully undertakes to transform his life, Julian realizes there's something about her that gives him what he hasn't felt in years: hope.



SECOND CHANCE AT TWO LOVE LANE – KIERAN KRAMER

BOOK #3 \$18.95



Book #1 Christmas At Two Love Lane, Book #2 Wedding At Two Love Lane. In her professional career, Ella Mancini plays matchmaker at Two Love Lane but, in her personal life, she takes the stage at the Dock Street Theatre. Now she has a chance at a new role in a Hollywood movie that happens to be filming in Charleston. Long ago, Ella passed up a major audition while awaiting a marriage proposal. Not only didn't she get the role; she never got the ring, either. Instead, her boyfriend Hank went on to become a huge film star. But now Hank's back in Charleston, cast as the male lead in the same movie Ella's in. In spite of the tension off-screen, he and Ella try to stay cool onset. But when their feelings start to heat up all bets are off.

Coming next month...

CONSUMED—J R WARD BK #1 H/C & T/P

WHY NOT TONIGHT – SUSAN MALLERY BK #3

THE FOREVER CHRISTMAS TREE – SANDRA HILL

HOT WINTER NIGHTS—JILL SHALVIS BK #6

THE CHRISTMAS ROOM—CATHERINE ANDERSON *REPACK*

A Snow Country Christmas—Linda Lael Miller BK #4 *REPACK*

SAIL AWAY WITH ME—SUSAN FOX BK #3