

Forgiven: Con (The Four Book 3)

Author: Sloane Kennedy

Con

I have everything I've ever wanted... so why do I still feel like the kid who came from nothing?

Please help him...

Three little words that have haunted me for years.

Three little words that I know I'll take to my grave.

It was supposed to be just another fight. Another few minutes of using my fists and my so-called natural "gift" for fighting to raise the cash I needed to save my little brother's life.

But it *wasn't* just another fight.

Yes, I *had* walked away with the prize money and yes, I *had* saved my brother, but I'd also destroyed not one, but two lives. I'd left my opponent broken on the ground with his eight-year-old brother begging the onlookers around him for help.

Begging *me* for help.

But I'd walked away...

Fifteen years later and that little boy is now a bitter, broken young man standing over his brother's grave; the grave I might as well have put him in. I want nothing more than to help Micah Fox escape the hell his life has become, the life I condemned him to, but he wants nothing to do with me.

But I can't walk away this time.

I won't.

Micah

I'm so close to escaping my ugly little world that I can practically taste it. No way in hell am I letting the man who put me there try to play hero now.

That night was supposed to change my life.

It did.

Just not in any way I could have ever conceived of.

Fifteen years ago, the man known only as Zeus to his fans left my brother a broken man who wanted nothing to do with the world around him. I couldn't save my brother, but I sure as hell can make sure my niece and nephew have a future... the one their father should have had.

Zeus or Con or whatever the hell his name is wants to help me now? Not happening. He might know how to turn on the charm and play to his legions of adoring fans, but he and I both know what kind of monster lurks inside him.

Okay, so what if strange things happen in my belly when he touches me? What if I feel a little stronger when he wraps his arms around me and promises me that everything will be okay?

It's not real.

It can't be.

Because hate is all I have right now. If I let Con take that from me...

Like I said... it can't be real.

I won't let it be.

Line Mates & Study Dates (CU Hockey Book 4)

Author: Eden Finley

ASHER

Hockey, studying, and school runs. That's my life now.

After a tragic accident that took our parents' lives, it's up to me and my big brother to take care of our five younger siblings.

In between burning their meals and keeping them from killing each other, I'm supposed to get a college degree. It's hard when I don't have time to breathe let alone study, and if I don't get my grades up, I'm in danger of losing the one thing that makes me happy: my spot on the hockey team.

Which is why when the new equipment manager offers to tutor me, I really can't afford to say no. Even though I should.

He's Coach's son and way too tempting.

KOLE

As this year's equipment manager for Dad's hockey team, I'm expected to deal with sweaty jock straps and herding hockey players to their rooms at away games.

The job is easy, but babysitting Asher Dalton is not supposed to be a part of it.

So why, when his brother asks me to keep an eye on him, do I agree?

Why, when he's struggling in classes, do I offer to help?

And why, when we're studying, do I suggest a reward system that lands us squarely in bed?

Asher's trouble, I know he is. But there's something about him that makes it impossible to stay away.

Good Intentions (Intentions Duet Book 2)

Author: Ella Frank

Gabriel Romero made me hungry for things I'd never wanted, and starved of the things I didn't think I'd ever need.

Until now...

Until him...

I was never the man who believed in love, romance, or happily ever afters. I was married to my work, and happy to be that way. Until one night, not too long ago, when an audacious young man lied his way into my life and showed me what I'd been missing.

Bold and sexy, with a face that could melt through the iciest of exteriors, Gabriel Romero is the one factor I never saw coming. There are so many reasons we shouldn't work—my age, his, our career goals in life—and yet we are drawn together by a passion for music, and each other, that neither of us can deny.

I've always been the one to think things through, to follow my head instead of my heart. But if I don't open myself to what's possible, instead of thinking of all the ways this seems *impossible*, I might miss out on the best thing that has ever happened to me.

So I'm taking a chance, and laying myself at his mercy, opening my heart with nothing but good intentions. Only time will tell if Gabriel Romero decides to let me back in.

Good Intentions is the second book in the Intentions Duet.

Code Red

Author: N.R. Walker

Maddox Kershaw is the main vocalist of the world's biggest boy band. He's at the top of every music chart, every award show, every social media platform, and every sexiest-man-alive list. He's the bad boy, the enigma, the man everyone on the planet wants a piece of.

He's also burned out and exhausted, isolated and lonely. Not in a good headspace at the start of a tour.

Roscoe Hall is Maddox's personal manager. His job is high-flying, high-demand, high-profile, and he loves it. Maddox has consumed his entire life for the past four years. Roscoe knows him. He sees the real Maddox no one else gets to see.

He's also in love with him.

When the tour and stress become too much, when the world begins to close in, Roscoe becomes Maddox's lifeline. But as Maddox knows already, and as Roscoe is about to learn, the brighter the spotlight, the darker the shadow.

Ache

Author: Marley Valentine

From *USA Today* bestselling author Marley Valentine comes an all new emotional, friends-to lovers gay romance standalone.

I couldn't tell you when I fell in love with Gael Herrera, but I wish I knew how to make it stop.

Falling in love with a straight man is a rookie mistake. But falling in love with my soon-to-be-married-to-a-woman best friend is nothing but heartache.

Through all the years, and all the men I've fooled around with, he's always been at the back of my mind. An unrequited crush I wish I could shake. A dream that was never going to come true.

When I whisk him off to a surprise bachelor party weekend in Vegas, I surrender to the idea that this is an opportunity for me to finally let go of my feelings for him and say goodbye.

But after a heated exchange and an even hotter kiss, everything I thought I knew about our friendship changed.

Maybe I had it wrong. Maybe, after all this time, we were more than best friends. Maybe, just maybe, he felt it too.

Virgin Flyer

Author: Lucy Lennox

Wanted: One night together, no strings attached. Hold me, make love to me, treat me like I'm the most important person in the world. No talking. No names. And don't be surprised if I'm gone in the morning.

After crushing on my best friend for years, I realize he'll never want someone inexperienced like me. So I decide to get it over with, play the V-card once and for all with an anonymous hook-up. The terms are simple: no talking, no names.

It isn't as easy as it seems. Now I can't get the handsome stranger who greeted me with soft kisses and gentle touches out of my mind. Those hands, those lips... But it was just a one-time thing, and I need to forget about him once and for all.

At least I know I won't ever see him again—until I board a flight and catch sight of a familiar profile in the cockpit just as the door closes.

Corbin (The Theriot Family Book 2)

Author: Silvia Violet

A bratty mobster and the man who wants to take him in hand

Everyone says I need discipline, but no one's willing to give it to me until I meet my match.

I can't stand the arrogant man who refuses to cower at the mention of my family's name.

But my hate isn't strong enough to keep me from wanting everything his hungry look promises.

Boyfriend Material

Author: Alexis Hall

"The apotheosis of the rom-com." —Entertainment Weekly, A+ Review

Named a best book of the year by *Oprah Magazine*, *Entertainment Weekly*, *Goodreads*, *The Washington Post*, and more!

WANTED:

One (fake) boyfriend

Practically perfect in every way

Luc O'Donnell is tangentially—and reluctantly—famous. His rock star parents split when he was young, and the father he's never met spent the next twenty years cruising in and out of rehab. Now that his dad's making a comeback, Luc's back in the public eye, and one compromising photo is enough to ruin everything.

To clean up his image, Luc has to find a nice, normal relationship...and Oliver Blackwood is as nice and normal as they come. He's a barrister, an ethical vegetarian, and he's never inspired a moment of scandal in his life. In other words: perfect boyfriend material. Unfortunately, apart from being gay, single, and really, really in need of a date for a big event, Luc and Oliver have nothing in common. So they strike a deal to be publicity-friendly (fake) boyfriends until the dust has settled. Then they can go their separate ways and pretend it never happened.

But the thing about fake-dating is that it can feel a lot like real-dating. And that's when you get used to someone. Start falling for them. Don't ever want to let them go.

Discover the LGBT romance about exact opposites falling in perfectly imperfect love that *New York Times* and *USA Today* bestselling author **CHRISTINA LAUREN** calls "hilarious, witty, tender, and stunning."

Scratch The Surface

Author: Mary Calmes

Sometimes things look one way, but when you scratch the surface, there's more than meets the eye.

Jeremiah Wolfe has always done what was necessary to survive. On top of working two jobs, he's going to school to become a social worker so he can give kids the help he never got when his mother left years ago. When a rare night off finds him with the chance to make a quick buck, he jumps on it. But his evening goes sideways, and he's about to head home when he's propositioned by a stranger. A meaningless one-night stand is simple and easy, so he steps into the hotel room—as he has many—without expectation. But the man behind the door is a surprise, as is the instant connection that builds along with passion and a glimpse of his heart. Small wonder that Jere can't get the nameless man out of his head.

Cameron Gallagher has never been accused of being spontaneous. He's an introvert whose life is about schedules, plans, and lists. He's always been the careful one, so inviting a stranger into his bed on the lure of his gorgeous smile and warm brown eyes isn't only out of his comfort zone, it's entirely out of character. Surprisingly, when he wakes in the morning alone, it's not regret he feels, but the need to find the man who held him in his arms all night. It seems crazy, but he can't get the man out of his head.

When they're brought back together, each man believes it's more than luck. They feel as though they've gotten a second chance. Sure, love at first sight is just a myth, the stuff of romance novels, but the more they scratch the surface, the more they realize they've got a shot at something lasting.

Without A Doubt (Love Starts Here Book 1)

Author: E.M. Lindsey

How did the worst date of his life turn in to the man of his dreams?

Carter Winter's not sure there's anything worse than watching the man he's on a date with slip his number to the bartender... except maybe finding out six months later that his bad date is his new boss. And it doesn't help that Rhys London seems to have had a personality transplant, *and* he doesn't seem to remember Carter or that night.

Carter's never been one for second chances, but this new Rhys is making him wonder if it's possible that the man really has changed. Carter's been burned before, but being graced with one of the man's rare smiles, Carter finds himself absolutely helpless against the racing beat of his heart.

Rhys London has never been a man of feeling. A widower who spends most of his life running his company and cleaning up after his destructive brother, he hasn't had time for things like love.

That is, until his business partner hires Carter Winter—a bright, beautiful man who forces the heart in Rhys' chest to start beating again.

And while Rhys is used to shutting off his emotions and embracing logic, something about Carter makes him want to reach for the unreachable. After all, Carter is the first person he's ever met that makes him believe in forever, without a single doubt.

Without A Doubt is the first book in a romantic, light-hearted, small town trilogy. It contains no cheating, and a happily ever after.

Hotshots Collection

Author: Annabeth Albert

Danger lurks everywhere for Central Oregon's fire crews, but the biggest risk of all might be losing their hearts...

Burn Zone

Smokejumper Lincoln Reid is speechless to see Jacob Hartman among his squad's new recruits. Linc had promised his late best friend he'd stay away from his little brother. And yet here Jacob is...and almost instantly, the same temptation Linc has always felt around him is causing way too many problems.

Jacob gets everyone's concerns, but he's waited years for his shot at joining the elite smokejumping team, hoping to honor his brother's memory. He's ready to tackle any challenge Linc throws his way, and senses the chemistry between them—chemistry Linc insists on ignoring —is still alive and kicking. This time, Jacob's determined to get what he wants.

But the closer they get, the more Linc's plan to leave at the end of the season risks him breaking another promise: the one his heart wants to make to Jacob.

High Heat

Smoke jumping is Garrick Nelson's life. Nothing, not severe injuries nor the brutal physical therapy that follows, is going to stop him from getting back with his crew. But when a lost dog shows up on his front porch, he can't turn her away, and he can't take care of her on his own. Thankfully, help comes in the form of his new sexy, dog-loving neighbor. As they work together, trying to re-home their little princess, Garrick can't resist his growing attraction for the other man, even though he knows this guy isn't the staying type.

Rain Fisher doesn't take anything too seriously. He dances through life, one adventure at a time, never settling in one place for too long. When his hot, conveniently buff, neighbor shows up on his doorstep, dog in tow, Rain's determined to not just save the adorable puppy, but her reluctant owner as well. He never expects their flirtation might tempt him into stay put once and for all...

Feel the Fire

Fire behavior specialist Luis Riviera goes where his job takes him. But when he's assigned to an arson investigation in Central Oregon—the place he left his broken heart twenty years ago—he's afraid of being burned all over again.

Tucker Ryland had planned to join his first love, Luis, in LA after high school graduation, but life got in the way. Now a fire management expert and a divorced father of teen twins, Tucker's thrown for a loop when he finds himself working side by side with his Luis, now all grown up and more intriguing than ever.

Though consumed by a grueling fire season and family responsibilities, the two men discover their bond has never truly broken. Tentative kisses turn to passionate nights. But smoking sheets aside, old hurts and new truths stand in the way of this time being the start of forever.

Hot as Heller: An Aster Valley Novel

Author: Lucy Lennox

The man asked me to valet his damn car.

Look, I left LA for a reason. I've had my fill of big Hollywood stars and their even bigger egos. I want something genuine. Something *real*. And it doesn't get any realer than being the new sheriff of Aster Valley, Colorado.

That is, until entitled Finn Heller appears on the scene, handing me the keys to his convertible like I'm his personal servant.

The former child star and wannabe action hero is the hottest thing I've ever seen. He's also a snarky party animal with legions of adoring fans and attitude for days.

Or so I thought.

The longer the film crew stays in town, the more I begin to wonder if Finn is hiding his true self, one that's as beautiful inside as out. He's a star alright, but the kind that shines bright enough to light up the night sky... the kind I want to make a wish on.

A wish Finn will find a way to make things work with me, even if it means his next role is my very own leading man.

The List (Second Chances Book 1)

Author: Felice Stevens

Oops. He did it again.

Elliot Hansen has a terrible habit of falling in love with every man he dates.

His friends have had enough and make a list of Elliot's perfect man.

That V...

Those abs....

Shouldn't a boyfriend be more than the sum of his parts?

But when sexy detective Winston Rogers bursts into his bedroom to arrest a burglar, Elliot knows he wouldn't mind checking one or two things off that list with him.

What if you had it all?

Five years after the death of his husband, Winston Rogers is single and determined to stay that way.

He throws himself into his job—the more dangerous the assignment, the better.

He can't face another risk to his heart.

But then a routine arrest in his neighbor's bedroom leaves Win searching for more than evidence as the man's sweet smile and vulnerable eyes strike a chord inside him Win had thought gone forever.

Why not enjoy each other with no strings attached? Win and Elliot decide to make their own list.

Rule #1: Strictly friends with benefits.

Rule #2: No doing anything stupid like falling in love.

Rule #3....

See Elliot and Win ignore Rules #1 and #2.

Bad Intentions (Intentions Duet Book 1)

Author: Ella Frank

My name isn't Logan Mitchell, but Marcus St. James doesn't know that...

When I showed up at my roommate's work party, the last thing I expected was to find a man straight out of my dreams. But when the crowd parted and the fates aligned, there he was, waiting for me. Marcus St. James, president of ENN WorldWide News.

Sexy and powerful, with a stare that could freeze you in place, Marcus was the perfect reward for securing a job at Mitchell & Madison, the best law firm in Chicago. To play with the big fish, however, one must become a big fish, and that's where my little white lie began.

It was one night. I was never going to see him again, and from the second we spoke, I knew he was interested. It was there in his eyes, the same fire in my veins. It was there in his voice, whenever he said my name.

The only problem? It wasn't my name, and now I wanted more—much more.

But how can anything good come out of something that started with such bad intentions?

Bad Intentions is the first book in the Intentions Duet.

Subtle Blood (The Will Darling Adventures Book 3)

Author: KJ Charles

Will Darling is all right. His business is doing well, and so is his illicit relationship with Kim Secretan—disgraced aristocrat, ex-spy, amateur book-dealer. It's starting to feel like he's got his life under control.

And then a brutal murder in a gentleman's club plunges them back into the shadow world of crime, deception, and the power of privilege. Worse, it brings them up against Kim's noble, hostile family, and his upper-class life where Will can never belong.

With old and new enemies against them, and secrets on every side, Will and Kim have to fight for each other harder than ever—or be torn apart for good.

Protecting His Own: MM Shifter Romance (Guardians Of The Pack Book 1)

Author: Aja Foxx

~ Jackson ~

When life at home became too risky, I accepted my aunt's invitation to move to her ranch on the other side of the country. It would have been perfect if my aunt hadn't died a month after I arrived and left me her ranch. Now, I had to figure out how to run a ranch... and why a sexy stranger on a motorcycle has moved himself into my house.

~ Ze'ev ~

I was born a dire wolf. Our sole purpose in life was to protect our pack. We didn't get mates. We didn't have lives of our own. We had nothing except our duty. Well, screw that. I left my pack years ago, refusing to conform to the rules set down by the shifter council. Imagine my surprise when I find myself intrigued by a human I met in passing. Unwilling to pass up an opportunity to get to know him better, I move myself into his house. What better way to discover why he smells so damn good?

When danger knocks on the front door and Jackson is attacked, who better to help me protect him than other dire wolves. It might be my only chance to keep him alive, even if it means I have to form my own pack.

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*Warning: Gay erotic romance. The material in this book contains explicit sexual content that is intended for mature audiences only. All characters involved are adults capable of consent, are over the age of eighteen, and are willing participants.*

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## **Summons: A demon/mage story (Quirk of Fate Book 1)**

***Author: Lisa Oliver***

**Summons**

***The first in a new series of standalone stories where our lovely men find their mates in the strangest of circumstances. It has to be Fate, right?***

Edward Rosen, level ten mage, hadn't reached the end of his tether – he was hanging from it. After a hundred and twenty-four years of living under his parents' rules, Edward decided the only way things could change, was if he got married. The only problem was that the wedding was meant to take place in a matter of

hours and Edward hadn't met his groom yet.

Mammon, Prince of Hell, was doing what most demons did when they were bored – he was playing poker. When an unbeatable hand is foiled by a summons, he's not impressed. But rules are rules and Mammon followed the summons, determined to get back to his game as quickly as possible.

Marrying was just the first hurdle. Coping with the demands of Edward's family, a curse, a prophecy, and four hellhounds took a lot of work. Clara's having a ball, but what's with all the toothpicks and where did the dragon come from?

Summons is a 50,000 word story that's a classic example of what happens when the author's muse runs amuck. But like all of Lisa's stories, it contains fated mates, a spot of humor, and intimate situations between two men that are only suitable for readers eighteen years and older. HEA is guaranteed.

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## Top Shelf (Boston Rebels Book 1)

**Author: RJ Scott**

**Acting on the attraction to his best friend's brother has always been off the table for Xander until a passionate hookup with Mason at a beach resort begins a love affair that burns long after summer ends.**

Mason specializes in assisting same-sex couples on their journey to becoming parents and fighting every rule that blocks his way in the stuck-in-the-past agency that hired him. Living in his brother's pool house is rent-free, and every cent he earns he saves for his dream—that one day he'd have his own company helping others. The downside is that he has to see his annoying brother every day, the upside is that his brother's teammates from the Boston Rebels make regular visits. The eye candy that passes Mason's window is almost enough to make him consider dating a hockey player, but not just any player though. Ever since Xander—his brother's childhood friend—came out as gay at a press conference, Mason's puppy love has turned into a burning attraction he can no longer ignore.

Hockey has been one of Xander's main focuses since he was old enough to balance on skates. Well, hockey and Mason Kingsley, but Mason was always unattainable. Now that he's about to see thirty candles on his birthday cake and is no longer hiding the fact he's gay, he's ready to find a soul mate to make his life complete. A summer vacation is just what he needs to have time to think, but when the Boston Rebels arriving in paradise with Mason in tow, thinking is the last thing he needs. One torrid night under a balmy moon and rules about not messing with his best friend's brother vanish on a warm, tropical breeze.

Summer romances don't generally last past Labor Day, but with the new season about to begin Xander and Mason are going to have to face the world and decide if their love is real enough to withstand everything.

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## A King to be Feared: MM+ fantasy (Our king, Our Master Book 3)

**Author: Brea Alepou**

***With great power comes great destruction. Or something like that....***

Titos has never been powerful, but as he continues to gain more keepers his power grows. It's almost too much. He finds out more of what it means to be a soul eater and why his kind has been practically wiped out. He has to stand tall, be a king, and defend his home.

But as his list of enemies continues to grow Titos isn't sure how much longer he can stand strong. His existence is one that will be feared by all.

Can his keepers help him keep it together?

A king to be feared is book 3 in the ongoing Our King Our Master series and cannot be read as a standalone. Features Gay harem, action, epic battles, and magical beast. Order :

1. **A King to be Claimed**
2. **A King to be Protected**
3. **A King to be Feared**

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## Redemption: Lions of Locust Falls 1

**Author: Jayda Marx**

Talon - I cocked up. But it wasn't like my normal cock ups, which happen way more often than I'd like to admit; this was the cock up of a lifetime. I was feeling restless and frustrated, and decided to blow off a little steam with a random hookup in the bathroom of a gay club. That's not so bad, right? Well, it wouldn't have been, if my mate didn't choose that exact moment to walk in.

Yep, my mate, the man I'd waited my entire lifetime to meet, the one whom I was destined to love and protect for all eternity, caught me in the act with a stranger. Talk about a great first impression. And when I tried to approach him to apologize, he pepper sprayed me and ran away.

I can track him easily enough, but how do I explain myself when he won't speak to me? How do I show him that we're meant to be, or that I'm loyal and trustworthy when he probably thinks I'm just a dirty man-whore? Oh, and as if that isn't difficult enough, I need to tell him that I can turn into a lion. Time is running out to claim my mate and luck is certainly not on my side.

\*This M/M paranormal romance is a fun, light and fluffy quick read, and contains a misguided but endearing lion shifter and his adorkable fated mate. It is low to no angst, has no cliffhangers or cheating, and features a very happy HEA. Look out for a healthy dose of humor, heartwarming moments, and steamy scenes!

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## Red, White & Royal Blue: A Novel

**Author: Casey McQuiston**

\* Instant NEW YORK TIMES and USA TODAY bestseller \*

\* GOODREADS CHOICE AWARD WINNER for BEST DEBUT and BEST ROMANCE of 2019 \*

\* BEST BOOK OF THE YEAR\* for VOGUE, NPR, VANITY FAIR, and more! \*

*What happens when America's First Son falls in love with the Prince of Wales?*

When his mother became President, Alex Claremont-Diaz was promptly cast as the American equivalent of a young royal. Handsome, charismatic, genius—his image is pure millennial-marketing gold for the White House. There's only one problem: Alex has a beef with the actual prince, Henry, across the pond. And when the tabloids get hold of a photo involving an Alex-Henry altercation, U.S./British relations take a turn for the worse.

Heads of family, state, and other handlers devise a plan for damage control: staging a truce between the two rivals. What at first begins as a fake, Instagramable friendship grows deeper, and more dangerous, than either Alex or Henry could have imagined. Soon Alex finds himself hurtling into a secret romance with a surprisingly unstuffy Henry that could derail the campaign and upend two nations and begs the question: Can love save the world after all? Where do we find the courage, and the power, to be the people we are meant to be? And how can we learn to let our true colors shine through? Casey McQuiston's *Red, White & Royal Blue* proves: true love isn't always diplomatic.

"I took this with me wherever I went and stole every second I had to read! Absorbing, hilarious, tender, sexy—this book had everything I crave. I'm jealous of all the readers out there who still get to experience *Red, White & Royal Blue* for the first time!" - Christina Lauren, *New York Times* bestselling author of *The Unhoneymooners*

"*Red, White & Royal Blue* is outrageously fun. It is romantic, sexy, witty, and thrilling. I loved every second." - Taylor Jenkins Reid, *New York Times* bestselling author of *Daisy Jones & The Six*

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## Rookie Mistake (Sugar Land Saints)

**Author: Baylin Crow**

**The straight rich jock would never date his family's gay hired help, right?**

Colton:

Crushing on the town's star football player is a bad idea for a few reasons. One, Logan's straight. And has a girlfriend. That alone makes anything between us impossible.

Two, living in the guesthouse with my family on his parents' estate, I'm really just the unnoticed lawn guy. Our social status difference is night and day.

Those reasons are now irrelevant, because I'm determined to get over this pointless infatuation I've harbored for Logan Kelley for years. He's more of a jerk than I realized.

Logan:

There are three things people know about me. I'm a Saints tight end. My bank account stays fat with cash. I have a girlfriend, Jules.

What they don't know is that I'm gay, and Jules is actually my childhood best friend who's been doing me a solid in a mutually beneficial arrangement.

Colton Lockhart has been the one person I've wanted, but he doesn't know that. When I come home for a week during the summer, I'm ready to tell him and have it all planned out. Except I immediately blow my shot with him.

It's safe to say that although years of playing on the field have made me a seasoned athlete, in relationships... Well, I have zero experience in dating. Or anything else for that matter.

**I hope he'll chalk it up to a rookie mistake and give me another chance.**

Rookie Mistake is a low angst, high heat Sugar Land Saints novella that takes place where book three ended

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## Galen (Sons of the Fallen Book 1)

**Author: Jaclyn Osborn**

Simon just wants to run his antique shop in peace.

But then he finds a small mysterious box that's (probably) haunted, and his shop is broken into by the hottest man he's ever seen who then steals said creepy box.

Now demons are after him and his only hope is to trust the tall, muscled, combat-boot-wearing thief who claims to be the son of a fallen angel.

Galen is charged with protecting humanity from dark forces. Cursed with Wrath, he's hot-tempered and spends his days fighting demons and trying not to kill his six brothers when they irritate him.

His number one rule? Never fall in love. But then he meets Simon, a clumsy human who asks way too many questions and is—unfortunately—a total demon-magnet, and he starts breaking his own rules.

What's inside the box, and why do the demons want it so badly? One thing is for sure... Simon can kiss his peaceful, ordinary life goodbye.

*Book 1 in the Sons of the Fallen series. A low-angst urban fantasy MM romance featuring a grumpy half-angel and the human he swears he doesn't like (he's lying), seven warriors representing the deadly sins, a seaside mansion where they all live, banter, a snarky demon, and a HEA.*

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## Forbidden: King (The Four Book 4)

**Author: Sloane Kennedy**

King's story is coming soon!

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## Forgotten: Luca (The Four Book 1)

**Author: Sloane Kennedy**

I left him behind because I had no choice...

That's what I keep telling myself, but it doesn't make it any easier to sleep at night... or to drown out the words he kept repeating over and over the day we'd met: I just want to go home.

That was eight long years ago and I'd only known him as Billy, a terrified fourteen-year-old I'd had to leave behind to save someone else.

But his name wasn't Billy and he's no longer a frightened kid lost in a world where he was nothing more than a possession. His name is Remy, and while I didn't recognize him upon meeting him again, he sure as hell remembers me.

It would be easier just to turn my back on him a second time, especially since that's exactly what he wants, but there's no way I can let the tormented young man go. At least not without trying to make things right first. The problem is, even if I can make up for leaving Remy behind so long ago, I'm not sure I'll be able to walk away from him twice.

I don't know what that means, but I do know that it scares the hell out of me.

Because needing in my world comes at a heavy price... one that not even I can afford to pay.

He gave me hope when I'd had none left, but he forgot about me just like all the others...

I fight. That's what I do. It's who I am.

But when Luca Covello walked into the dark, dirty room my captors were keeping me in so long ago, I'd already decided to do the one thing I hadn't in the three years since I'd been taken from my home and family.

Give up.

Then he'd been there, like a bright light in a sea of darkness, and I'd had something new to fight for, to stay alive for... the day Luca came back to get me like he'd promised.

Except he never came.

And now, eight years later, he's decided he wants to play the hero and save me. Well, I don't need saving.

Not anymore... not ever.

Along with two years of sobriety under my belt, I've got a good job, a decent apartment, and I've managed to put my past where it belongs... in the past. No one,

not even the gorgeous, mysterious businessman, is going to mess things up for me. If he's come seeking forgiveness, I'm fresh out.

And if he's come seeking something else... well, let's just say that when I'm done with him, there's no way he'll forget me this time around.

Trigger Warning: For those who would like to see the trigger warnings associated with this book, please either download the sample or use the "look inside" feature and go to Trigger Warning page for more information.

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## **The Grave Between Us: M|M Romantic Suspense (A Noah & Cole Thriller Book 2)**

***Author: Tal Bauer***

*It was just one moment.*

*It was just one mistake.*

For years, men have been disappearing. A father in North Carolina. A boater in California. A hiker in Arkansas. And more, scattered across the United States. The FBI knows who's responsible: a serial killer they caught, a man they sent young profiler Cole Kennedy to interrogate. But then the killer escaped, leaving the FBI in chaos and Cole's psyche in tatters.

Eight years later, Cole's life has changed. He's found the man of his dreams, and he's moved to Iowa to be with Special Agent Noah Downing, leaving the FBI's Behavioral Analysis Unit and the murderers behind.

Or so he thought.

An attack on the backroads of Iowa shatters the FBI, and in the aftermath, they uncover the signature of the last man they expect: the killer who got away. Now he's hunting Noah, and the BAU descends on Des Moines, sending Cole back on the psychological chase.

To catch the only man who has ever beaten him, Cole will have to delve inside the killer's mind. It's a place he barely survived before, and the deeper he goes, the more horrors await. And though Noah is ordered to back off the investigation, he won't leave Cole to face this darkness alone.

If Cole has any hope of saving the man he loves, he must unravel the killer's twisted profile and follow his trail of death... even when it leads him into the marrow of his worst nightmares.

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## **Goal Lines & First Times (CU Hockey Book 3)**

***Author: Eden Finley***

### **COHEN**

It turns out making out with my best friend in high school could be considered gay. Who knew? Apparently, everyone but me.

Now that it's been pointed out, I can't help reliving it in my head. Repeatedly. Goodbye Denial Town, hello Confusionville.

When my path leads me down the gay dating app route, I don't expect to meet anyone I like, but then I meet him.

He can't be more opposite than me. He's smart, he hates hockey, and he identifies as demi—something I've never heard of.

Yet I can't deny something's there. Something I want to explore in person. If only I could get him to agree.

### **SETH**

All my life, I've felt broken.

Sick of being asked if I could be gay by ex-girlfriends, friends, and even my parents, I join a gay dating app to prove a point.

I don't expect to find what's always been missing. A real connection.

The problem is, I'm too scared to meet him in person. He's a hockey player, and I fear when he finds out my twin plays for the NHL, I'll be overshadowed by my overachieving brother. Again.

Worse yet, what happens if we meet and that connection isn't the same?

When I tell him I'm not ready, he's disappointed but supportive. Fate, on the other hand, isn't as accepting.

I had no idea the person I've been falling for is someone I already know.

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## Head Games (Wages of Sin Book 3)

**Author: Neve Wilder**

*“You’re a vigilante in an argyle sweater.”*

Straight-laced psychologist Tobias is an expert in the deviant behavior of others but a novice when it comes to his latest endeavor: serial killer.

After years of high-profile kills and mentoring numerous other assassins, laid-back Soren lives his life in a state of semi-permanent vacation. He comes out of an early retirement to help out a friend, only to set off sparks with the renowned psychologist when they discover they’re hunting the same man.

One shaky truce and a whole lot of blood later, Soren has a new mentee in Tobias.

Soren finds Tobias and his dark impulses fascinating. Tobias finds Soren’s relaxed attitude infuriating. They have nothing in common except their ability to kill and chemistry neither can deny. But a kill list, a rage room, the Irish mob and the ghosts of their past all stand in the way of their happily ever after.

***Head Games is a steamy, thrill ride of a romance with a HEA and no cliffhangers. It features an uptight, sweater-loving psychologist with a taste for blood and a soft spot for his murderous yorkie, the most zen contract killer to ever mosey the earth, plenty of dark humor, and true love. Because even bad dudes deserve their soulmates. This is book 3 in the Wages of Sin series. Each book follows a different couple.***

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## Screens Apart

**Author: Charlie Novak**

Simon has one secret and two problems.

The secret? An anonymous blog featuring satin and lace.

The problems? Two crushes. One on his gorgeous, charming roommate, Taylor. And another on his charismatic online admirer, Mr. Smith.

When Taylor suggests they start hooking up, Simon is more than happy to agree, even if it means putting a lid on his feelings. After all, no-strings fun is better than nothing at all, right?

Except Simon’s not sure that lid will stay shut, especially when he starts to fall in love. But with Mr Smith in the same situation, advice is in short supply.

And there’s no chance Taylor and Smith are the same person... is there?

Screens Apart is a 55,000-word comedy of errors featuring panties, pining, and two men falling in love, complete with plenty of heat and fluffy feels. Originally released as a serial, this is the full collection with a new bonus epilogue. It contains no love-triangle and no cheating.

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## Innocent

**Author: Roe Horvat**

On the night of his eighteenth birthday, Navid is marrying the illustrious tycoon, His Excellency Zana Massoud. He barely knows the man, yet he is now Zana’s property. Affected by the grim teachings of his conservative tutor, Navid fears he won’t be able to fulfil his husband’s needs and make him happy. He only hopes that the intimidating alpha will treat him with kindness. Soon, Navid comes to the maddening conclusion that everything he’s been taught about love and marriage has been wrong.

*Innocent is an MM romance, high heat, inspired by omegaverse.*

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## Celebrating Sanctuary (Magical Mischief at the B&B Book 5)

**Author: Susi Hawke**

**Sanctuary B & B—Our wards are strong and our door is open!**

Hey, y’all. It’s me, Darcy Valentine. I’m still enjoying a fabulous, never-ending first date with my sexy vampire boyfriend Storm. Can you believe we’re celebrating a year together? Yep, we go together like toast and jam. He’s still helping me with the B&B I run inside the warded walls of the quirky, ancestral castle I call home with the rest of the special family my mama and I built with the motley group of weirdos who live here with us.

Lordy, do I ever have a crazy tale for you this time. I’m a huge fan of not just Storm but so many other authors. Imagine my thrill when Storm gets the invite to appear at a reader con right here in Austin. You only know I have to go with him, right? It’s the perfect way to celebrate things getting back to normal, our first

anniversary, and... did I mention there'd be book signings?

Just one thing... Nobody told me these conventions can be deadly. Life-changing, in fact. Remember how I said I'm a huge fanboy? Y'all... I ain't got nothin' on the Storm Chasers. Who are they, you ask? Ha! Have a seat. This one might take a few to tell.

*This 24k novella is the fifth and final book in the Magical Mischief at the B&B series. This book does not contain mpreg, and if you're looking for serious literature, this ain't it. But if you want to laugh so hard you'll wake the neighbors, this should get you there. There might be a few tears this time, but it's mostly full of all the fluffy, happy feels you'd expect from a Susi Hawke book. It could also be a choking hazard due to a ridiculous amount of awful jokes, so maybe don't eat or drink while reading, okay?*

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## **The Endgame (Atlanta Lightning Book 1)**

**Author: Riley Hart**

Weston  
When I left home, I swore I'd never hide anything about myself again. From college, to law school, to the United States Senate representing California, I've done it all as an out gay man. So, when I'm in DC and see a beautiful guy at the hotel bar, I don't hesitate to proposition him...right before he runs out on me, leaving his sunglasses behind like my very own Cinderella.

Anson  
I've always known I'm gay, but never acted on it. Pretending isn't easy, but it means I can keep playing football. No one has ever guessed my secret until the gorgeous man at a bar in DC. At least he doesn't know who I am—the best tight end in the NFL, playing for the Atlanta Lightning. Though my identity doesn't stay a secret from him for long.

Between texts and late-night phone calls, we get to know each other. West's the only person who knows all the parts of me, just like I know his. When he asks for one night together so he can show me what it's like to be with a man, I can't say no. But once isn't enough, and we keep sneaking around together—brief encounters, in California, Georgia, or DC, filled with passionate touches and whispered truths.

I never thought I'd have love. West never thought he'd want it. Now we're all in with each other, but he still has time left in his Senate term. I have contract obligations to fulfill, and I'm closeted. We don't even live in the same state. The odds are stacked against us, but if there's one thing I know, it's how to win. He's the endgame in the biggest challenge of my life, the one I'm banking my future happiness on.

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## **Hitman Daddy (Russian Protectors Book 1)**

**Author: Aster Rae**

**Nikolai is a dangerous hitman. I call him my protector.**

I met Nikolai Antonov the night he rudely demanded to see my fake ID in his Manhattan nightclub. Apparently, my baby face was too babyish to convince him I was actually twenty-one. I told him to take his demands where the sun don't shine and ran. Except one day, Nikolai swings by my ice cream parlor with an offer I can't refuse. He needs a fake boyfriend and he'll pay my college tuition to do it. Nikolai is extremely convincing and soon, I find myself burdened with very real feelings for a hitman in the Russian mob. This stone-cold killer is everything I've ever wanted, but how will Nikolai react when I call him Daddy?

*Hitman Daddy is a full-length MM Mafia Daddy/boy romance with an age gap, lots of laughs, and a super-sweet, totally swoony, give-me-ALL-the-feels HEA. Not for those who don't like sweet-hearted hitmen or silly boys who are allergic to sleeping without their stuffies. Coming June 25!*

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## **Ben's Boss: Maine Men, Book Two**

**Author: K.C. Wells**

*"Pearson's a common name."*

*"It can't be him."*

*"God wouldn't be that cruel."*

**A painful history**

Walking into the job interview confirms Ben White's worst fears. It's been eight years since high school, yet he can still recall Wade Pearson's taunts.

There's always a chance Wade isn't the same homophobic asshole Ben knew. Yeah right.

Except the boy Ben remembers has grown into one seriously hot, brooding man. In another life, Ben would have climbed him like a tree. Wade's gaze still makes Ben shiver – although now for entirely different reasons.

### **A secret longing**

As soon as Wade read Ben's application, he knew he had to see him. Ben's still as gorgeous as Wade remembers. It's obvious he doesn't expect to get the job, given their history.

But Wade has an agenda. He has to make it up to Ben for treating him so badly – not that Ben will ever know why he acted like he did. Seeing him every day only heightens Wade's regret. If he'd had more courage back then, maybe he and Ben could have been something.

The least he can do is show Ben he's changed.

There's no way Wade can get what he really wants – Ben's heart.

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## **Super Spiced Omega Bundle II: Hollydale Omegas Books 6-12 (Hollydale Omega Bundles)**

**Author: Susi Hawke**

**Welcome to Hollydale, a magical town where things aren't always as they appear.**

**The Hollydale Omegas** is a sweet, feel good series about finding love in a small town... with a little supernatural help. This is a non-shifter, contemporary mpreg series. Settle in with a good snack before you dive into this intriguing mix of fun, friendship and family. From elves and ghosts, to cupid and leprechauns—this series will steal your heart.

This bundle contains the final seven books from this best-selling series, but does NOT include the special entertainment cookbook: Hollydale, please. Also included is 11k of bonus material.

Books Included:

**Shamrock Spiced Omega** — Braden and Greg are a pair of "bros". They're best friends, roomies, and occasional hook-up partners... until a magical gift from a special leprechaun changes their lives completely.

**Marshmallow Spiced Omega** — When Grazer comes back to town, he finds a real surprise waiting for him. Popular YouTube star of The Omega Manny, Luke is the younger guy Grazer had fun with before he left town. So who is the baby that Luke is carrying around?

**Maple Spiced Omega** — When Scott went to explore the Canadian wilds, the last thing he expected was to find romance with a hot, older mountie.

**Cider Spiced Omega** — When Todd had a hookup at The Big O, he never would've expected to come face-to-face with the guy the next day... as his newest employee at The Sausage Shack. Single dad Hugo came to Hollydale to find a fresh start for him and his son.

**Nutmeg Spiced Omega** — Tired of the playboy lifestyle, Gabe Smythe comes to Hollydale with one goal—to reunite with his long-lost brother, Rafe. What he didn't expect was Cody... a stubborn omega who doesn't want an alpha.

**Vanilla Spiced Omega** — Shane and Keith's would-be romantic dreams were dashed when their parents fell in love. Years have passed, but these stepbrothers still long for each other.

**Freedom Spiced Omega** — When Hollydale's most hated alpha and clumsiest omega meet up, only one thing can happen... complete fireworks.

Bonus Epilogues:

There are four bonus epilogues of brand-new material included in this bundle.

- Red Ball, featuring two of the Hollydale "kids" who are now teens.
- Hank the Tank at home with his family
- Tom Faces Forty
- Tofer and Seamus Dance-off

*These books are sweet romances but all contain adults adulating in naughty, knotty ways and occasional potty mouth language that might make a sailor blush. Keep an eye out for supernatural characters, businesses with a serious innuendo naming issue, and enough feels to make the grinch himself reach for a tissue. This bundle contains seven books and four epilogues for a combined total of over 242,000 words, or 900 pages, of sweet fluffy heat.*

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## Worship (On My Knees Series Book 1)

**Author: Ella James**

**Book One in an epic, forbidden MM romance duet from USA Today Bestselling Author Ella James...**

You think you know me.

That's the way I want it.

Making you feel like we know each other--like we could go grab a beer sometime--is part of my job. Maybe the most vital part. It doesn't hurt that I'm easy on the eyes, single at 35, and born richer than sin.

My aesthetic matters much more than it should, but all the better for my worthy cause.

And it's a worthy cause. I've made an art of making you feel good, and my influence makes you want to be good. Good like me.

You think you know me, but you don't.

Everyone has secrets. Mine could cost me everything. So I'm a fortress. No one's ever gotten close.

Until tonight.

See that man, the tall guy dripping on the bow of my yacht? The one I just pulled from the ocean?

He's the one who's going to cost me everything.-----

Find out why reviewers are raving about the bestselling On My Knees Duet...

"Worship is perfect. It's got everything I love in a taboo forbidden romance, and it's done with Ella James's talented flair for emotional erotica that will drop you to your knees." --My Little Book Nook

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"Worship blew me away. There is no other way of describing it. The story sucked me in, and now I can't get it out of my head." --Reflections of a Swede

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"I am wrecked. I cannot believe how incredibly I felt for these characters! This story took me places I hadn't planned on going. So unexpectedly moving. This is not just an MM story with crazy hot sex (it has that too). It's about forbidden love, acceptance you don't think you can have and happiness you don't think you deserve." --Keri Loves Books

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"This novel will ALWAYS have a special place in my heart. Always. So flippin' perfect." --Sairaika

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## The Single Dad: Red's Tavern, Book 4

**Author: Raleigh Ruebins**

**As a newly single dad, I had hard rules. And a sensitive, smoking hot military vet is breaking every last one....**

I've always had everything figured out. Dream job? Check. Three beautiful kids? Check. Married my high school sweetheart? Check.

...Until my marriage fell apart. Now I only see my kids for half of each week, and for the other half I'm left alone in my big, empty house, figuring things out all over again in my thirties. My rules were simple: no hookups for two months, no dating for a year, and nobody meets my kids.

I blew right through that first rule with Luke.

He's got deep eyes, beautiful tattoos, and a big, wounded military vet's heart. At night I'm also chatting online with a guy that feels kind of like home, but is totally off limits. I find myself wishing... hoping?... that he might even *be* Luke.

Before long Luke is flexing his handyman skills, helping me fix up my house and transform my life into something that feels like home again, too.

We have baggage the size of mountains, and pasts that haunt us.

But we both know that nothing is serious... so what's the harm?

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## Messy Love (Stumbling into Love Book 3)

**Author: Riley Hart**

**Danny**

I'm not a guy who's looking for a serious relationship. I love the chase, and the one time I thought I wanted more, the guy bailed. When my buddy Will mentions his recently out, older brother is looking for a place to stay, I offer the spare room in my apartment. It's clear Jonathan's past did a number on him, and he's locked up tight. I make it my mission to show him how to have a little fun. What I don't expect is to start to like him...or get jealous when he goes on a date...and hooking up with him is a terrible idea...right?

## Jonathan

When Dad caught me kissing a boy as a teenager, he made it clear such behavior was unacceptable, and I've been messed up about it ever since. I'm over thirty, yet from Danny's viewpoint, I'm a *baby gay*, which should be more annoying than it is. He's got me playing on a queer baseball team, making friends, and wanting things I never thought I'd want, like pursuing my art—and him. I definitely want him.

Problem is, I can't get rid of the unwanted voices in my head, my relationship with most of my family is a disaster, and every time Danny touches me, I come apart, finding myself wanting more. Danny doesn't do relationships, he's my brother's friend, and I have a slew of hang-ups. All of this makes things...*messy*.

So then why can't we keep our hands off each other? Why is he taking me on dates and looking at me like we could have more? To get there, we'll need to put our pasts away for good, and have a lot of trust, not just in ourselves, but each other.

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## Sweet as Honey: An Aster Valley Novel

**Author:** *Lucy Lennox*

When I rode my bike into Aster Valley, it was supposed to be temporary. A quick, relaxing visit with friends. No entanglements. Zero drama.

But then I saw the bumblebee being harassed on the side of the highway.

More specifically, I saw Truman Sweet, Aster Valley's resident botanist, spice merchant, and bee-costume enthusiast, being harassed. And the second I got involved, all my plans for a quick departure scattered like pollen on the breeze.

It turns out that Truman—adorkably shy, relentlessly sunshiny, hot as all heck, reluctantly-still-a-virgin Truman—has secrets. Secrets someone in this charming small town doesn't want brought to light. Secrets that rouse every one of my protective instincts just as surely as his kisses rouse... other parts of me.

And before I know it, I'm thinking being entangled might not be so bad... if it's Truman I'm tangled up with.

I'll do whatever it takes to protect Truman from the dangers in his past, but after a lifetime of loneliness and disappointment, how can I possibly convince him to trust me with his future?

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## Lost and Bound (Mismatched Mates Book 6)

**Author:** *Eliot Grayson*

Kidnapped, imprisoned, and experimented on for two years, Jared Armitage has lost the will to live. When his captors give him to another prisoner, one who can and probably will take Jared's life, he comes face to face with the most terrifying thing of all: hope.

Calder's warlock captors meant to turn him into a monster, and they nearly succeeded. Starved, desperate, and filled with rage, Calder hasn't cared about anyone in years. Until Jared. Together they have a chance at escape and Calder has someone to fight and kill for. To cherish. Someone he doesn't want to hurt.

Life after captivity isn't easy. Jared never wanted a mate like Calder, but he craves Calder's intense attention, his ability to take Jared apart...and then put him back together again. Even if their mate bond is only temporary.

But Calder's made a promise—one he'll die before he breaks—never to hurt Jared or let him be hurt. Unexpected enemies are lurking, targeting Jared, Calder's one weakness. Their intense bond—and maybe even love—are worth everything, and they're both willing to fight for it...or die trying.

*Lost and Bound contains dubcon and graphic violence. It also includes a monster who torments his mate by being too gentle, the werewolf who can't stop craving him, and knotting—and a guaranteed HEA. The book has new main characters, but it is best read in series. This series does not contain mpreg.*

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series will steal your heart.

This bundle contains the first five books from this best-selling series. Also included is what I consider “book five and a half”, Strawberry Spiced Omega. This bonus short is 8k and features a couple that appear peripherally in other books.

Books Included:

**Pumpkin Spiced Omega** — Rafe is an alpha who writes the romance novels that omega Milo loves to read. A major misunderstanding disrupts their smooth beginning, and only the ghostly help of a beloved nana can bring these stubborn men back together.

**Cinnamon Spiced Omega** — Christian is an alpha who can't help but be drawn to the homeless, pregnant omega he literally bumps into in the alley behind his shop. Liam is fighting to survive and afraid to trust another alpha. A little angelic help from the stogie smoking, crusty old man who keeps poking into their lives nudges these two together.

**Peppermint Spiced Omega** — Omega, please. “Ginger boy” Tom is a flamboyant omega who prefers to speak in the third person... partially because Tom loves drama, but also because Tom has suffered major pain in the past that he prefers not to think about, thank you very much. When he meets Colin, aka his hot alpha daddy, Tom is smitten. A surprise from the past helps heal Tom's heart, with a little help from a kooky elf named Tofer, a little ginger-haired girl who will steal your heart, and an alpha who is Tom's perfect match.

**Champagne Spiced Omega** — Cecil is not your average omega, and he definitely does not have any plans to ever have one of those sticky fingered, screaming little womb rats of his own. Playboy alpha Ian goes home with him for a night, then sticks around to help when Cecil suddenly finds himself the guardian of a newborn infant. Two guys who never thought past a one-night stand discover that falling in love is the ultimate adventure.

**Chocolate Spiced Omega** — Sometimes what happens in Vegas doesn't always stay there. Kent is happy to see the omega again who slipped out after their one steamy night together... until the little recipe thief starts stealing business away from the candy shop he works for and pulling them across the street to his snooty French bakery. Pierre is a single dad with zero desire for an alpha. Lovers to enemies to... making a family? This book will leave you smiling and cheering for this stubborn couple who need more than little help from Amor, a chubby hippie who may not be quite as simple as he seems.

Bonus Short:

**Strawberry Spiced Omega** — Dr. Hank and Ezra are like ships passing in the night. They could be great together, but the timing just isn't right. A surprise pregnancy and a little help from Amor is the only thing that can save this pair who might just find they're each other's perfect match.

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## Foreseen: Lex (The Four Book 2)

**Author: Sloane Kennedy**

LEX

**Even if I wasn't losing my sight, I never would have seen him coming...**

I've known my fate for years, but I wasn't willing to accept it. But as the light in my eyes dims a little more each day, I have no choice but to adapt.

Or not.

The secluded cabin in the north woods of Maine is supposed to be an escape... a place where I can figure out how to move forward with my life... to find out if I even can.

But then he shows up and suddenly I'm facing a new fight...

GIDEON

**He wants to be left alone? Fine by me. But I'm not going to watch him just give up...**

Wanting to be left alone, that's something the guy and I have in common. But that's about it. As far as I'm concerned, he's just another rich city boy playing at living off the grid for a while. He's got no idea what it really means to be alone.

My job is to take care of the cabin he's staying in and that's it. It doesn't matter that I can't stop thinking about why he looks so damn broken or wondering why he stirs something inside of me I thought long dead.

But try as I might, I can't stay away from him, just like I can't watch him give up on himself. He may be losing his sight, but I won't let him lose himself.

I won't let him become like me...

\*\*\*Although this book is part of a series, it can be read as a stand-alone\*\*\*

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## Every Shade: A Collection of Shorts

**Author: Nora Phoenix**

**DIVE INTO THESE FIVE MM ROMANCE SHORTS BY BESTSELLING AUTHOR NORA PHOENIX THAT OFFER A SEXY ESCAPE FROM REALITY WITH UNIQUE CHARACTERS, PLENTY OF HEAT, AN AMAZING STORY, AND ALL THE FEELS.**

**Unstuck:** When Samuel discovers his boyfriend has cheated on him, his Valentine's Day seems ruined. Until he gets stuck in an elevator with a sexy stranger... Could their instant connection be the start of something more? (33k words, contains role play)

**Assembly Required:** AJ helps his adorably clumsy new neighbor build his IKEA furniture, but when he discovers the man needs instructions in more than just furniture building, will AJ offer his services? (12k words. Previously released as *Helping Hand* in Heart2Heart)

**Hot for His Assistant:** Jace has the best job in the world as a virtual PA to sexy romance author, Matthew. When Matthew falls ill, Jace rushes over to take care of him. But is Matthew hot from fever...or hot for his assistant? (20k words, contains role play)

**Layover:** While traveling in Germany, two men get stuck in Munich on an unexpected layover. They spend a glorious night together, but is what they have enough to last when they're so different? (17k words)

**Alexander and Langley:** Langley has had a crush on Alexander, his former PE teacher, for years. When Alexander runs into financial trouble, Langley offers help. Can he convince Alexander that what he feels for him is real and that the age gap between them doesn't matter? (13k words, previously unpublished)

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## Power Plays & Straight A's (CU Hockey Book 1)

**Author: Eden Finley**

**FOSTER:**

"Look out for Zach and don't hit on him."

My brother's request sounds easy enough. Keep an eye out for his best friend on campus and keep my hands to myself.

Easy.

Even if Zach is a quintessential nerd, who I've always thought was cute, I don't have the time to think with my ... stick.

There's only one stick I should be focused on this year, and that's my hockey stick. My goal once I graduate is to get an NHL contract.

The last thing I need is a distraction. On or off the ice.

Only, keeping to the rules is harder than I thought it would be.

**ZACH:**

People confuse me.

And no one more than Foster Grant.

I've barely spoken two words to him in the whole time I've known him, but the second I step foot on campus, he's impossible to shake.

I can never anticipate his next move. And whenever we're together, my next move is a total mystery as well.

I want to give in to him, but that might mean coming clean about something I've never been bothered about before.

I'm still carrying my V-card.

And I think it's time to turn it in.

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## Brother-in-Law Material

**Author: Crystal Lacy**

### Can his sister's fake boyfriend become his real one?

When Kendall O'Hara catches his boyfriend cheating, he runs to his sister--the only person he can rely on in the city. But she's on a business trip, so Kendall finds himself temporary roomies with her super hot and equally kind live-in boyfriend.

Luke Hale's family has made him so jaded regarding relationships that he's had no problem pretending to be his best friend's boyfriend. It's never been a problem, until her sweet, adorable brother arrives. Kendall's passion for his food channel is contagious and his openness and vulnerability are intoxicating.

They both know the other should be off-limits, but spending time together--cooking, talking, laughing--is so easy and wonderful. Their attraction is undeniable and once Kendall learns that Luke is actually available, all bets are off. Sizzling chemistry quickly gives way to real feelings. But Kendall's stay is temporary. Can their friends with benefits arrangement blossom into a forever love or will they both wind up alone again?

*Brother-in-Law Material* is a 57,000-word M/M romance including the following tropes: fake boyfriend, temporary roommates, friends with benefits, best friend's brother.

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## Beautifully Unexpected

**Author: Lily Morton**

Sometimes love comes when you least expect or want it.

Magnus Carlsen is determined to grow old disgracefully. At fifty-two, he doesn't believe in keeping anything. Men, sofas, books—everything gets jettisoned, eventually. He's divided his life into happy compartments. A successful trial lawyer, he spends his days lecturing jurors, exasperating judges, and striding arrogantly around courtrooms. He fills his nights with a parade of handsome young men who want to make him happy. Why date someone his own age to discuss back pain, retirement-planning, and corns, when he can date men who don't care to discuss anything at all?

However, when one of these sunny young men shows an inclination for dramatic scenes, Magnus meets his new neighbour. And his whole world implodes.

Laurie Gentry is nearly the same age as Magnus, but that's where the similarity ends. He's messy and creative and nosy and mysterious. He's everything that Magnus has spent a lifetime avoiding. So, why can't he get Laurie out of his head?

Luckily, Laurie is only in London for the summer. Magnus can uncover Laurie's mysteries and indulge their annoyingly hot attraction, and Laurie will be gone before complications arise. A few months isn't long enough to lose his heart. Is it?

From bestselling author, Lily Morton comes a romantic comedy about two footloose older men and how one summer in London brings something quite beautifully unexpected into their lives.

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## Care: A Daddy Gay Romance (White House Men Series Book 5)

**Author: Nora Phoenix**

**Kenn wants Warrick to be his teacher, his boyfriend...and his Daddy.**

Being the president's son was never something Kenn wanted, but it's the reality nonetheless. Home from college with nothing to do, he's elated when his father hires a tutor to prepare him for law school.

Professor Warrick Duvall is kind, smart, and he has time for Kenn when no one else does. When the unthinkable happens and Kenn's world is rocked to its core, it's Warrick who is there for him, and the friendship with him is the only thing that keeps Kenn going. Warrick takes care of him, helps Kenn find his footing again, and they grow even closer.

When others start to notice and warn him, it's time for Kenn to be honest about who he is and what he wants. But how will his father react when he learns Kenn doesn't want Warrick to be merely his teacher and his boyfriend...but his Daddy?

*Care is a slow burn MM gay romance with an age gap and daddy kink (no age play), featuring a Daddy who doesn't know he's a Daddy and a needy boy who soaks up all Daddy's care. It's the fifth book in the White House Men series, a continuing MM romantic suspense series set in the White House that needs to be read in order. Care ends with a happily ever after, **but the suspense plot ends on a cliffhanger and will be continued in the rest of the series.***

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## The Jock: An M|M Sports Romance

**Author: Tal Bauer**

Wes Van de Hoek clawed his way off his family's West Texas ranch under the Friday night lights, earning a football scholarship to the state's best university. Three years in, he has it all: he's the starting tight end, team captain, and, according to ESPN, maybe the best college football player in the nation. But he's been keeping a secret from everyone.

Justin Swanscott has three certainties in his life: he's gay, football is overrated, and he really, really doesn't like cowboys. He should never have fallen into Wes's open-range eyes or let his heart run wild when Wes gave him that shy little smile over summer. But he couldn't stop himself.

Everyone's asking questions about Wes this season: How is he playing so well? Will Texas be undefeated this year? Will he take the team all the way to the national championship? What's next for him?

The truth? Wes isn't dreaming about an NFL contract. His heart belongs to Justin, even though the world wants it to belong to football.

Wes has stadiums packed with screaming fans, ESPN is all over him, and the NFL wants him badly. He's living under a microscope, and the pressure keeps building as the team keeps winning. Everyone wants something from him, but all Wes wants is to love Justin.

Something's gotta give.

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## **Remington: An M/M Mafia Romance (The Theriot Family Book 1)**

***Author: Silvia Violet***

**A mobster rescued me, and I rescued him right back.**

I should never have approached Remington's car. I knew he was dangerous, but he needed help and I was sure he could pay well for it.

When he offers me an astronomical sum to stay with him for two weeks, I can't say no. Even then, I know when our time is up, I'll wish we had forever.

Remington cares for me like no man ever has, and I can't help falling for him. But how could a crime boss be my Prince Charming or give me the fairytale happily ever after I've always dreamed of?

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## **Getting Friendly (Never Just Friends Book 3)**

***Author: Saxon James***

**LEON**

When I'm looking for a hook up, I want three things:

Big, thick, and rough.

So it doesn't make sense that I can't get my new hire out of my head.

He's a tiny guy with big ideas ... and he's my apprentice which means he's completely off limits.

But he's already under my skin.

And for the first time with any guy, I don't think I can hold my own against him.

Physically, yes. Emotionally, no.

Auggie makes me weak.

**AUGGIE**

Growing up, I always wanted to go into the family business and follow in Dad's footsteps.

Until in my senior year of high school when he told me to find a new dream.

No one would let a small, clumsy guy like me on a construction site.

And after trying and failing for years, I was starting to believe him.

Then LJ Constructions calls me for an interview and when I meet Leon, he becomes my new dream.

He's hot as hell, self made, and instead of putting me down, he sees what I've always seen in myself.

But I'm not dumb enough to throw away this one chance, not even for him.

Not even if I really, really want to.

**Getting Friendly is a low angst friends-to-lovers romance with spa dates, a size difference, and an adorably awkward MC.**

All books in the Never Just Friends series are stand alones. Series number refers to recommended reading order.

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## **Call Me by Your Name: A Novel**

**Author: André Aciman**

**Now a Major Motion Picture from Director Luca Guadagnino, Starring Armie Hammer and Timothée Chalamet, and Written by Three-Time Oscar™ Nominee James Ivory**

**The Basis of the Oscar-Winning Best Adapted Screenplay**

**A New York Times Bestseller  
A USA Today Bestseller  
A Los Angeles Times Bestseller  
A Vulture Book Club Pick**

**An Instant Classic and One of the Great Love Stories of Our Time**

André Aciman's *Call Me by Your Name* is the story of a sudden and powerful romance that blossoms between an adolescent boy and a summer guest at his parents' cliffside mansion on the Italian Riviera. Each is unprepared for the consequences of their attraction, when, during the restless summer weeks, unrelenting currents of obsession, fascination, and desire intensify their passion and test the charged ground between them. Recklessly, the two verge toward the one thing both fear they may never truly find again: total intimacy. It is an instant classic and one of the great love stories of our time.

Winner of the Lambda Literary Award for Fiction

A *New York Times* Notable Book of the Year • A *Publishers Weekly* and *The Washington Post* Best Book of the Year • A *New York Magazine* "Future Canon" Selection • A *Chicago Tribune* and *Seattle Times* (Michael Upchurch's) Favorite Favorite Book of the Year

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## **Daddy's Precious: An Age Gap MM Romance**

**Author: Hayden Hall**

***There's only one rule: don't fall in love.***

**Dylan**

He's the strangest man I've ever met; a true artist.

When Nicholas hired me for two weeks of shooting for his comeback collection, everyone warned me he was a hard man to work with.

Nobody thought to warn me about falling in love with him.

The moment I lifted my T-shirt and the shutter snapped, the sparks exploded and I couldn't rid myself of those feelings.

No matter the gossip that follows him, he makes one thing clear: never mix work and lust.

**Nicholas**

The boy's a natural; a proper sub.

He's also the model that dragged me back into the business. When he moved into my house in the mountains, it was supposed to be business as usual. Except, it's never business as usual.

I've been burned in the past and I swore never to let my guard down around another model, but that's easier said than done when Dylan is all innocent attraction.

I must resist him, or else I'll fall in love with him.

***Daddy's Precious is a full length MM romance with high steam, a man and a boy hurting from old wounds, one adorable kitten, and a guaranteed happily ever after. It can be read as a standalone.***

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## **Exploring Daddy (Love in LA Book 2)**

**Author: Mia Monroe**

*I've never had a Daddy. Can he teach me how to be the perfect boy?*

I have three problems.

No job

No direction

No clue what I'm doing next.

Following my best friend to LA is the only thing that makes sense. I'll start a new life, figure out a career, and learn how to be an adult. Meeting Matteo is intimidating but exciting. I know he wants a boy. I also know I'm far from what he's looking for. How can I go to him when I don't even know how to balance a bank account? I'm determined to stand on my own two feet before letting a Daddy take over my life.

As usual, life has other plans for me, and I find myself needing the one thing I tried to avoid. I can't imagine what the gorgeous, older man could want with me, but I'm done fighting. I have a lot to learn about life and love, but exploring Daddy is turning out to be one of my better decisions. If he thinks I can be the perfect boy for him, maybe I can.

*Exploring Daddy* is a delicious Daddy/boy romance with a pining Daddy ready for a special boy, a stubborn young man fighting his own wishes, exploring new ground, and learning that sometimes asking for help is the bravest thing you can do. It is book 2 in the Love in LA series featuring doting Daddies and sweet boys finding love in Los Angeles.

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## **King's Stalemate (Road To Redemption Book 2)**

***Author: Aiden Bates***

I was supposed to be over bad boys, and then I met King ...I had a plan. Bartend at King's Gambit. Earn enough to open my yoga studio. Ignore my dark past. And never fall for the boss.Easier said than done. Falling for King is the best mistake I've ever made. But he's not the only one with secrets, and when my past comes to call it could destroy us both.Rory deserves everything ...Until I met Rory, I didn't do long term. Now he has me thinking about forever. But Rory has a past of his own, one I never expected from the mild-mannered yoga instructor. He says he can accept my gangland past, but I'm still recovering from my own scars. I can't worry about my own issues when my boyfriend is in danger.But to keep him safe, I may need to go to become more dangerous than either of us can imagine.

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## **Date Me: A Tattoos and Temptation Prequel**

***Author: Mia Monroe***

**He's the hottest man I've ever seen.**

I'm shy, not hot, and eating entirely too many pastries every day just to see my crush. It's ridiculous to pine for a guy so far out of my league, but here we are.

When I confide in my friend about my crush, he pumps me up, giving me the courage to find out if this is a passing infatuation or the beginning of something more.

All I have to do is ask Wyatt to Date Me.

**Date Me** is a prequel novella to the Tattoos and Temptation series. In it, you'll get a sneak peek of future main characters, tons of pining, a sweet tattooed hunk, and enough steam to satisfy. Welcome to Miami.

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## The Swap Masquerade

**Author: Annabella Michaels**

"A night of passion and pleasure awaits you. No names, no faces, just the chance to live out your wildest fantasies. Leave your keys in the bowl and let fate decide who you'll end up with." After years of hiding his sexuality from his family and teammates, Elliott Stone is tired of living a lie. However, with only three months left until the baseball season is over and he graduates from college, he's determined to keep his secret for a little bit longer. But the words written on a party invitation offer another option. One that might allow him to finally explore what it's like to be with another man. Gavin Holt loves being a college professor, but living and working in a small, conservative town makes discretion essential when it comes to his sexuality. That's why he likes going to Swap Masquerades. Hiding his identity under a mask is the only way he can truly feed all of his desires without anyone finding out. Behind a mask, is the one place they can both let their inhibitions go, but what happens if the person finally revealed is someone who's off limits?

*"An incredibly brilliant and unique romance. It was everything I wanted in a sequel and more. Gavin and Elliott were perfection."* - Author Nicky James

*"The Swap Masquerade will have you fanning yourself one minute, and smiling so big the next...Add that to the romance Annabella writes so well, and you've got the best of both worlds"* - Author Jaclyn Quinn

*"The Swap Masquerade reminded me why I fell in love with Annabella Michael's writing. It has everything I love, passion, emotion, outstanding plot, and characters with chemistry so strong it flew off the page and into my heart."* - Author Davidson King

*"As a huge fan of voyeur scenes, this steamy, sexy read was hot! hot! hot! Add in the loving characters and the sweet story line, the Swap Masquerade is everything I expect from Annabella Michaels. Five breathtaking stars."* - Author Sammi Cee

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## Brave Boy (Perfect Boys Book 2)

**Author: K.M. Neuhold**

**As long as LonelyDaddy is on the other side of the computer screen, there's a chance he could be the man Emerson has been dreaming of.**

I've gotten used to being alone, to disappearing inside the fictional worlds between the pages of a book and letting my lonely life fade away. Books have never judged me for the stutter I can't control. Books have never abandoned me. Books have never let me down. Then again, books have never hugged me or told me they loved me either, so my plan is far from perfect.

The first time I lay eyes on the tall, red-haired Kiernan with a beard for days and shoulders made for scratch marks, I wanted to crawl onto his lap and call him Daddy. The only problem is, I can never seem to string two words together around him... Heck, I'd be happy to manage to get even one word out, like maybe "yes," preferably over and over again.

I thought making an online dating profile would be the hardest part, but it turns out getting up the courage to meet the man I've been messaging is even more difficult.

Could LonelyDaddy be Kiernan? And if he is, is there any chance he'll want to keep me? Can I be his brave boy?

\*\*\*Brave Boy is the online love-sweet, ginger Daddy—totally swoony—second book in the Perfect Boys series and can be read as a stand-alone.

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## The Murder Between Us: M|M Romantic Suspense (A Noah & Cole Thriller Book 1)

**Author: Tal Bauer**

*It was just one night.  
It was just one mistake.*

FBI Agent Noah Downing had questions about his sexuality that a single night in Vegas should have answered. But dawn finds him on a plane back to Iowa, back on the trail of a vicious serial killer who disappeared six years ago and has suddenly resurfaced. There's nothing like a murder investigation to escape an existential crisis.

FBI profiler Cole Kennedy is still reeling after finding a heart-stopping connection with a seemingly perfect man, only for him to vanish. When he's sent to Iowa to profile the killer terrorizing America's heartland, he finds more questions than answers - both about the murderer and about Noah, the last man he ever expected to see again.

A twisted secret stretches between Cole and Noah, tangled with questions they both have about each other. But now, thrown together, they'll have to unravel the killer's profile and follow his trail... back to the very beginning, to where everyone's questions are answered once and for all.

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## The Best Friend: Red's Tavern, Book 1

**Author: Raleigh Ruebins**

**My best friend's a former quarterback, and I'm a nerdy math teacher.  
He has no idea how badly I want him.**

Back in high school, Mitch protected me from bullies and was at my side through tragedy. It didn't matter that he was a football star and I was a mathlete, or that I was gay and he was straight. We stuck together like glue--until he married a girl and ran away.

Now Mitch is back home, and he's a divorced single dad. His son is in my math class, and I collide with Mitch everywhere in this small town. When he starts bartending at the only local gay bar, I'm screwed. Red's Tavern is my haven, but how can I fake it for other guys when I'm in love with the big jock behind the bar?

Then Mitch invites me into his bed, saying it's just for fun. But I'm addicted to him the second his body is on mine.

I've done the math a million times. I know the odds are bad, but I know I want him.

And now that he's given me a taste, I can't stop begging for more.

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## Scoring With Him (Men of Summer Book 1)

**Author: Lauren Blakely**

**An emotional, sexy, forbidden romance! *Scoring with Him* is the first novel in the utterly addictive Men of Summer Series!**

Falling for the rookie wasn't part of the plan.

As a pro athlete, I have one unbreakable rule when it comes to men -- *Don't date another baseball player.*

Good thing I haven't been tempted once in four years in the majors.

Until the day a rising star walks into my locker room. Outgoing, affable, and sexy-as-sin, Grant has confidence and talent for miles. He seems to get me too, maybe because we each have our fair share of secrets and scars -- ones we'll both fight to protect.

But, I've got far too much trouble in my past to want to bring any into my present.

All the more reason to resist the kind of dirty deeds his lips and eyes promise.

Even after I plant a scorching, hot kiss on the rookie one night after a game.

Even after he sends me the world's sexiest selfie.

But when Grant reveals his biggest secret, I'm so damn ready to rip up the rulebook.

Turns out he's a virgin and he wants me to help him get around all the bases.

The only rule? Don't fall in love with him as we go.

**Scoring with Him is book one in the utterly addictive Men of Summer series. This romance between two professional athletes spans five epic years and continues in *Winning With Him*.**

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## Nowhere to Ride

**Author: Andrew Grey**

Unjustly accused of a crime, Ky Archer is trying to keep his ranch together, with fierce tenacity and minimal help. With his nefarious accuser the lead wolf at the door, Ky is resolved to do whatever he has to in order to keep the final link with his family intact.

Brodie Tyler is down on his luck--way down. Down enough to camp with his baby sister in a tent to get away from relatives he'd hoped would help him. His parents are gone and he's got nowhere to go, but he's determined to keep his sister safe with him, no matter what.

Ky finds Brodie and Emily on his property and takes them in out of the storm... literally. Neither expects the heat that ignites between them to be as hot as the western sun. The men find they fit together well, both at work and in the bedroom. They also find they have a common enemy who tries to tear them apart.

Working together, they might discover that each holds the key for the other's desire.

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## Any Closer

**Author: Mary Calmes**

Charlie Ryerson has a colorful past, painful memories, and more than one secret he's been keeping from his best friend. After three years working for Leo Foster's construction company, Charlie's worst fears are realized, and Leo finds out the first part of what Charlie has worked so hard to hide. When Leo meets the revelation with absolute acceptance, Charlie is ready to come clean about his heart, and make a confession from the soul he hopes will change their relationship forever.

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## Shiver (Unbreakable Bonds Series Book 1)

**Author: Jocelynn Drake**

Lucas Vallois does not want a bodyguard.

The self-made millionaire is building a glittering empire and has everything he wants within his tight grasp.

His world is starting to crumble after a trio of goons jump him late one night after leaving a club.

Caving to the demands of his friends, Lucas accepts the help of bodyguard, Andrei Hadeon, as he hunts for the source of this new threat.

But Lucas can't deny the shiver of longing that strikes every time he's around his sexy Romanian bodyguard.

Lucas is sure he has no room in his life for others beyond his three close friends, but he wants to change the world for the man who could be his greatest love. His everything.

Shiver is the first book in the Unbreakable Bonds series, which features a bossy millionaire, sexy bodyguard, forbidden love, close friendship bonds, bisexual awakening, car chase, and lots of steam.

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## Shielding the Superstar: An MM Bodyguard Romance (Hart Security Book 2)

**Author: Jacki James**

**Ryan Barnes isn't a country music fan, but when one of Nashville's most popular musicians finds himself in need of a bodyguard, Hart Security gets the call.**

After almost twenty years in public eye, Colton Montgomery has finally gone public with the truth about his sexuality. He has one last tour planned, and he is going out on his own terms. As an out and proud gay man.

When strange gifts start appearing in his penthouse apartment, his manager insists on a bodyguard. He agrees, but only if the bodyguard agrees to pretend to be his boyfriend to help preserve his tough guy image.

Ryan is no stranger to odd requests from clients and pretending in public to be the hot country stars boyfriend is no hardship. But the more Ryan gets to know about Colton Montgomery, the more he likes him, as a man, not as a superstar, and pretending in public starts to feel a lot like something real in private.

Colton may be the one in physical danger, but both men's hearts are on the line.

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## Luca (Gentlemen of the Emerald City Book 1)

**Author: L.A. Witt**

**Ethan**

Hockey season is over, and that means one thing—returning home to my empty condo. With nothing to distract me from this loneliness, it's going to be a miserable summer.

Then I hire Luca for one night.

At least, it was supposed to be one night.

**Luca**

Ethan isn't like my other clients (not that I have many these days). He's nice. He's genuine. He doesn't treat me like I'm here to earn my pay.

When he asks me to make this a regular thing for the summer, my wallet doesn't leave me much choice.

But I'm pretty sure my heart isn't supposed to get involved.

**Gentlemen of the Emerald City**

*Luca* is Book 1 of *Gentlemen of the Emerald City*, a sexy series centered around the high class, high-dollar *Gentlemen of Seattle's* most exclusive escort service. Each book is full of snark, sass, and sweetness, and like any *Emerald City* client, you're guaranteed a happy ending.

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## Right as Raine: An Aster Valley Novel

**Author: Lucy Lennox**

**Tiller:**

As the first openly gay professional football player, I can't afford to make any mistakes, on or off the field. And the absolute biggest mistake I could make right now would be to fall for Mikey Vining, my best friend, employee and, more importantly, Coach's baby boy. I might fantasize about Mikey at night—*every* night—but actually touching him would be a serious personal foul.

And falling for him? That's completely out of bounds.

**Mikey:**

I've learned my lesson about falling for one of my dad's players. They're a bunch of spoiled jocks with more muscles than brains. I've spent years learning to keep my eyes, and my hands, to myself. But resisting the temptation becomes nearly impossible when Tiller Raine and I end up together in a small cabin in a remote Colorado town.

Suddenly, there's not much to do but look at each other. And talk. And hopefully, *hopefully* touch.

But what happens when our stay in Aster Valley is over and it's time to return to the real world? Will Coach blow the whistle on our relationship? Or will Tiller admit there might actually be something he loves more than football after all?

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## **Hero: Wolves of Royal Paynes**

**Author: Kiki Burrelli**

**Mercenaries. Outcasts. Alphas.**

Knox knows all the five of them have left now is each other. That, and the driving desire to find who had slaughtered their pack and make that person pay.

But investigating a tragedy with only rubble as evidence requires money and time. Knox can find one and use it to buy the other. They may be the last remaining members of a once thriving pack, but they are no strangers to taking the types of jobs that would keep lesser men awake at night.

Finding and returning some young punk to his rich, asshole father shouldn't be all that difficult.

Jazz Whitten lives as he likes, always. Since leaving home when he was young, he's operated under a single rule, never stay where you aren't wanted. Using his unique ability and the sleight of hand he's perfected over the years, life as a fugitive isn't that bad. It's lonely at times, but freedom is more important than companionship.

But when Jazz comes head to head with the latest team hired by his father, he forgets his own rule. He knows it is money, not affection that keeps the team on his tail. Their leader, Knox, is merciless and focused, but there's something else about the man. It isn't his kindness—Knox is a brute and unfortunately for Jazz, he's smart too—but Knox radiates a type of pain that Jazz is all too familiar with.

Jazz is as slippery as he is sexy and it takes every trick Knox has to catch up with him. But when he does, how will the stone-cold mercenary ever give him up?

*Hero* is the first book in the *Wolves of Royal Paynes* series. It is an action-packed, swelteringly hot, mpreg romance that introduces a world of intrigue, mystery, and magic. For maximum enjoyment, this series should be read in order.

*Wolves of Royal Paynes:*

*Hero*

*Ruler*

*Lovers*

*Outlaw*

***Wolves of Royal Paynes is the second series in the Wolves of World. Though the series are connected, they may be read on their own for maximum enjoyment.***

*Wolves of World*

*Wolves of Walker County*

*Wolves of Royal Paynes*

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## **The Eagle Soul (The Soul Stones Book 7)**

**Author: Amy Sumida**

**Everything changed the day a faerie fell into my tomatoes.**

I thought I had my life planned out. My farm was prosperous, and I was on the verge of proposing to my childhood sweetheart. I'd have a family. A normal life. And then the Eagle Lord crashed into my crops—a giant bird with a broken wing. I foolishly tried to save him from the monster who was stalking him, and he repaid me by giving me immortality. Sounds good, doesn't it? Except immortality isn't free, even when it's a gift. Taryn Savagas wants me to fight beside him. To give up everything I have and everything I am to be his valorian. A weapon to end the Farungal War. No, thank you; I'd rather fight a drought than the Farungal. Even the searing hot passion that ignited between us—forbidden desire that I've denied my entire life—can't sway me. Sex isn't worth dying for. But the Eagle Lord has the stubbornness of a mule and the attitude of an ass. To secure me as his valorian, he'll do anything, even jeopardize the bond that's been forged between us. All he cares about is ending this war, and if I continue down this path with him, I have a horrible feeling that my heart will become collateral damage.

Trigger Warning: This book contains scenes of bondage that may upset some readers.

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## Best Laid Plans: An LGBTQ Romance (Garnet Run Book 2)

**Author: Roan Parrish**

**“This love story is heartrending, swoon-worthy, and extremely well-told.” — Publishers Weekly, starred review**

*A man who's been moving his whole life finally finds a reason to stay put.*

Charlie Matheson has spent his life taking care of things. When his parents died two days before his eighteenth birthday, he took care of his younger brother, even though that meant putting his own dreams on hold. He took care of his father's hardware store, building it into something known several towns over. He took care of the cat he found in the woods...so now he has a cat.

When a stranger with epic tattoos and a glare to match starts coming into Matheson's Hardware, buying things seemingly at random and lugging them off in a car so beat-up Charlie feels bad for it, his instinct is to help. When the man comes in for the fifth time in a week, Charlie can't resist intervening.

Rye Janssen has spent his life breaking things. Promises. His parents' hearts. Leases. He isn't used to people wanting to put things back together—not the crumbling house he just inherited, not his future and certainly not him. But the longer he stays in Garnet Run, the more he can see himself belonging there. And the more time he spends with Charlie, the more he can see himself falling asleep in Charlie's arms...and waking up in them.

Is this what it feels like to have a home—and someone to share it with?

### Garnet Run

Book 1: *Better Than People*

Book 2: *Best Laid Plans*

**Carina Adores is home to highly romantic contemporary love stories where LGBTQ+ characters find their happily-ever-afters. Discover a new Carina Adores book every month!**

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## Can you reach us? (The Outreach)

**Author: Romilly King**

**“Before you ask, he can't speak, and before you try it, we're never separated.”**

Those are the first words Trent says to every new person thrust into his and Micah's life.

Not everyone listens.

So far this place is different. There has been a warm bed and soft clothes. There's filling food and, blessings indeed, a hot shower. For once he is clean, and Micah, when he curls around him, doesn't smell like dirt and sweat and tears.

Trent thinks this must be limbo, but a nice one, not like the one they were expecting.

He's not going to assume it will last, but he'll take it while he can, get his strength back to face the next threat thrown at them.

They've heard a lot of promises, Trent and Micah, but the serious man with the sad eyes insists he's going to fight for them, so they can stay together, and he says that nothing that has happened so far was their fault.

Trent finds that difficult to believe. Nobody has said that before, because it has always been their fault, right from the start.

**Can you reach us? The Outreach Series, Book 2** is a hurt/comfort age gap gay romance by Romilly King, author of the Delphic Agency and Handled Series. It features a grieving Daddy dom who needs to let himself act on his instincts, and two traumatised young men who are desperate to be cared for.

*Trigger warning for adult scenes, abusive behaviour, homophobic language, and depression*

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## The End Zone (Atlanta Lightning Book 2)

**Author: Riley Hart**

### Jeremy

Seeing my best friend West, happy with his fiancé opened my eyes to things I've been missing in my own marriage. My divorce, which was amicable, followed. Strangely, at West's wedding, I find myself confiding in Darren, the straight, confirmed bachelor and star quarterback of the Atlanta Lightning. Darren is a *full-steam-ahead* kind of guy, and one talk leads to hanging out, swapping phone numbers, and pranking West and Anson while they're on their honeymoon. When I head back to California, I expect our chats to end, but I couldn't be more wrong.

### Darren

I still can't say how it happened, how a random decision to strike up a conversation with Jeremy turned into...whatever this is. All I know is, months later, my days aren't complete until we tell each other good night. Whether it's on our calls or when he flies to Atlanta, we talk about everything, lying awake together half the night. Jeremy's got me feeling...*different*. If it was just my newly discovered bisexuality, that'd be one thing. I'm not one to stress about being into a man for the first time. It's the other stuff, the way he makes my pulse race and my heart swell, that's throwing me for a loop.

I didn't think I was made for relationships, thought something inside me was broken, but I want it all with him. Except, it feels like as soon as we make it past one obstacle, there's an even bigger one waiting for us. We just have to keep our heads in the game and our eyes on the prize, to make it to the end zone, before one last tackle takes us down for good.

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## Reservation (Rent A Spouse Book 3)

**Author: Jason Collins**

### THOMAS:

Status: single dad—for the rest of time. After my ex-husband up and left, I take a full-time job as a rent-a-spouse in a mountain town. It keeps the bills paid, my daughter and I afloat, and our life uncomplicated.

But then there's my gorgeous boss, Palmer.

He's rugged and great with his hands—and I'm doomed. When a fire leaves my daughter and me homeless, he brings us in with no questions asked. I could fall in love with this man, but it would upend our world if Kelly and I were abandoned again. Trusting once is hard, but trusting again can wreck you.

### PALMER:

My hands are always full, but my personal life is empty. I built this big house and all the furniture in it, but when I return from my woodworking shop at the end of the night, it's too quiet. Nothing but echoing rooms and an emptier bed.

Then I meet my rent-a-spouse, Thomas.

I wasn't expecting intimacy, but Thomas is single and downright seductive. When an apartment fire displaces him and his adorable daughter, I offer my house as a place to stay. The three of us share the same roof, and as Thomas and I grow closer, I know I want this life forever—but he's holding back. His walls are so high I wonder who hurt him, and how I can convince him I won't do the same.

*This is the third book in the Rent A Spouse series. It can be read as a standalone with no cliffhanger.*

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## Face Offs & Cheap Shots (CU Hockey Book 2)

**Author: Eden Finley**

**JACOBS:**

For the last three years, I've lived and breathed hockey with one goal: team captain. There's only one thing standing in my way.

TJ Beckett.

Beck is irresponsible and immature, and I've hated him since the moment we met freshman year. Yet, the coaches see something in him I obviously can't, and they refuse to choose between us.

The captain spot is going to a team vote.

And the team thinks that what we need are a bunch of challenges to prove our worth. Challenges that have nothing to do with hockey. Challenges that are throwing me and Beck together.

And he's still as infuriating as ever.

**BECK:**

I have no idea why Christopher Jacobs hates me, and I can't say I care.

I like pushing his buttons, but the guy needs to loosen up. I'm going to win these stupid challenges easily and spend my senior year as hockey king on this campus.

Tormenting Jacobs at the same time will just be a bonus.

Even if I'm getting confusing feelings toward him, I won't let it hold me back.

When it comes to competing, I'm all in, and nothing will get between me and the W.

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## Muscle and Bone

**Author: Mary Calmes**

You belong to me and I know it down deep, in muscle and bone, where my wolf lives.

Avery Rhine isn't an average homicide detective with the Chicago PD. In fact, Avery isn't an average anything. Sure, as an omega he knows he's at the bottom of the food chain, but that's never slowed him down. He's got a great life, complete with a loving family and a best friend who'd take a bullet for him, so what more could he possibly want or need? Except, maybe, for the world to change. And to find someone to spend more than one night with, but that isn't high on his list of priorities. He's never been one to believe in destiny or whatever else the fantasies sell about there being someone special out there meant just for him.

Then a chance encounter at a party changes everything.

Graeme Davenport has no delusions about finding his true mate. The consensus is that if an alpha doesn't find their other half by the time they're thirty, the chances of it ever happening go from slim to none. He's not a mere alpha, though; Graeme is a cyne who sits at the pinnacle of lupine hierarchy, so he's obligated by tradition and duty to choose an omega now, sign a contract, and bond with him. Love is not part of the equation.

When Graeme and Avery meet, their fierce attraction to each other flies in the face of reason and logic. Avery's intense physical reaction to the alpha is something he's never experienced before, while Graeme, who has always been the soul of discretion, loses all his inhibitions to desire for the man he wants to possess. They are two very different men trying to navigate expectations, separate reason from innate primal drive, and do it while working together to solve a murder.

It will take everything they are to find a middle ground, and to learn to trust in a fated kind of love.

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## Reckless (Leather & Chrome Book 1)

**Author: Kiki Clark**

**Ride hard. Love harder. Live recklessly.**

Tank is done with his old life. All it's brought him is trouble and misery in the form of a four-year prison term. Though he did find one good thing while behind bars: Charles "CJ" Crane, pen pal extraordinaire.

After months of exchanging increasingly personal letters, Tank knows exactly where he's headed as soon as the prison gates open. CJ doesn't know he's coming, and he's not sure what he'll say when he gets there, but he knows one thing for certain.

The promises he and his boy made to each other in their letters may have been reckless, but he's willing to risk everything he's got on finding out if what they have could be real.

*Reckless is the first book in the Leather & Chrome series and features a motorcycle club's annual charity ride, a possessive biker whose new favorite color is pink, a twenty-four-year-old overly eager to experience his first time, and an excessive appreciation for perfectly lined tattoos.*

**Please see Author's Note for additional information.**

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## Sorcerers Always Satisfy: A Hidden Species Novel

**Author: Louisa Masters**

*Just because I enjoy planning and researching doesn't mean I'm not the most dangerous badass mothercracker around.*

The world sees me as boring, dependable David. And I like it that way. I *know things* and I'm *organized*. Plus, I've seen firsthand the harm a chaotic life can inflict, and I'd rather have my lists and be called dull.

Which is what makes it all the more disconcerting when a sexy elf declares his adoration and begins to "woo" me. What am I supposed to do?

Hide, mostly. It's hard, though, because Caolan and I are supposed to be working together. And he's tough to resist: sweet, competent, and so incredibly beautiful. He sees something in me that no one else does. Would it really be such a bad thing if I gave in to temptation?

But my personal life can't be the priority right now. The bad guys are gearing up to strike, and if we don't stop them, the end of the world could be nigh. I need to focus on that, not on letting Caolan show me the benefits of spontaneity. Why don't world-ending disasters come with an instruction manual?

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## Chef On Top: Sizzle in the Kitchen Book Three

**Author: M.J. O'Shea**

*In a year of impossible things, The most impossible thing of all came his way... love.*

Chef Jake Casey has never been what you'd call *liked*. By anyone. He was the odd outcast son of the town drunk and he's spent his adult life doing everything he can to be nothing like his father. If that meant stomping on a few dozen toes on his way to the top, so be it.

But contrary to popular belief, he *is* human. It gets a little old being alone all the time.

When he lands a new job on the other side of the country, Jake decides he's going to change.

New city, new rules, new Jake.

It's going pretty well until his first and only real friend's ex shows up with a fiancé in tow. Ty is horrified. Jake might not have much practice with the friend thing, but he decides he'll do what everyone in the movies always does -- he offers to be Ty's fake boyfriend.

It can't go wrong.

*Right?*

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## The Mage's Game (Wild Magic Book 3)

**Author: Claire Cullen**

*The love between an alpha and a mage is not easily forgotten. Even if one is a headstrong wolf and the other an untrustworthy sorcerer.*

Five years after he walked out of Declan's life, Jasper returns to Samhain Pack begging for help. Declan doesn't believe a word of the tale his ex is spinning. He wants Jasper gone from the pack before he brings trouble down on them. His head is telling him Jasper can't be trusted, but his heart has never quite let go of his love for the mage. Is he willing to risk everything for Jasper?

For five long years, Jasper has destroyed pack after pack at his family's behest. He bonds with an alpha, blinds them to the truth, and strikes at the heart of their pack. But Samhain isn't just any pack, and Declan is more than just an alpha. He is Jasper's first—and only—love. Torn between loyalty to his family and following his heart, who is he going to choose?

*The Mage's Game is a m/m paranormal romance featuring a stubborn hunter, a world-weary sorcerer, and a pack that's finally getting back on its feet. It's the third book in the Wild Magic series, which should be read in order. It contains mature and somewhat dark themes but is not an mpreg story.*

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## Just Friends (Never Just Friends Book 1)

**Author: Saxon James**

**Roo**

Five years ago, I walked away from Sunbury, Oregon, and left my best friend behind.

The move was supposed to get my life on track. I even had a list.

*Life changing epilepsy surgery.* Check.

*See the world.* Check.

*Get over my straight best friend ...* Not exactly.

No matter where I go or who I meet, I can't let Tanner go.

I'm back to tell him how I feel. To get the closure I need once and for all.

Only now I'm here and falling for him all over again, it's getting harder to say the words.

Because once I have my closure, I'll be gone.

And this time it will be for good.

## **Tanner**

When my best friend, Roo, left for Australia, it was the worst day of my life.

I thought we'd have each other always.

But Roo needed the surgery so I let him go, thinking he'd come straight back.

*Five years is a long time.*

Now he's here, all I want is to hold on tight.

I need to show him what he means to me.

The problem is, I'm not exactly sure what that is.

My draw to him has always been confusing and different—everyone in town says so. But I struggle to understand it.

All I know is I won't survive him leaving again.

And I'll do anything to make him stay.

**Just Friends is a best friends-to-lovers romance with an oblivious MC, only one bed, and terrible kangaroo jokes.**

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## **Somebody to Love: (A Tyler Jamison Novel - Book 1)**

***Author: April Wilson***

Chicago homicide detective Tyler Jamison has accepted the fact that he was born defective. Women just don't do it for him, and he can't contemplate any other option. So, loneliness it is.

Ian Alexander has met the man of his dreams, but the guy's in complete denial of his sexuality. Ian's not giving up on Tyler, though. Tyler's a domineering, controlling force of nature... just what Ian has always craved in his bed.

When a serial killer sets his sights on Ian, Tyler will do anything to protect the much younger man. For the first time in his life, Tyler has experienced desire, and it's for another man. How much will it take for him to become the man he was meant to be?

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## **Zone of Action (Legends of Lobe den Herren Book 2)**

***Author: AJ Sherwood***

Ren's homecoming wishlist includes:

- Arman not bashing everyone's heads together (at least not without him)

- Getting the fortress built before the Mongs attack (not at the rate they're going with all the thefts happening)
- Going home without incident (also, again, not likely)

What it did not include was:

- Social reform
- A child
- A raiding party
- Arman actually using his words

Life once again proved reality is better than fantasy, and Ren couldn't be happier.

Except for the Mongs. He could do without the Mongs.

Tags:

Homecoming, Arman actually uses his words, it's a miracle, children, homophobic idiots, supportive brother, surprise visits from royalty, Ren would like to point out this was not his idea, words are hard, if you have to build a fortress do it right the first time, Arman promises to not beat the whole country to a pulp for scorning his marriage, maybe, no promises, parenting is hard, someone should have warned Arman, raiding parties are their jam, O' Broin is a good bro, matchmaking, social change, Arman sucks at giving hints, absolutely no one is surprised by this, fantasy becomes reality

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## Feral (The Wrong Alpha Book 2)

**Author: Alessandra Hazard**

**Sometimes kissing the Beast doesn't turn it into a Prince Charming—instead, he's a charming prince you want to punch...**

Jules is an ordinary nineteen-year-old omega from a perfectly respectable family. He's not the most beautiful, or the smartest, or the strongest of the four Blake siblings. And he's fine with it, really. He isn't ugly or anything, but by omega standards, he's nothing special. "Nothing special" describes Jules's whole life. It's utterly boring.

So when strange things start happening in their house, it piques Jules's curiosity. There's a beast in the Blake family mansion; Jules is sure of it. He sometimes hears growls and screams coming from the basement, and the men guarding the door look positively terrified.

What could terrify grown alphas? Jules will have to investigate!

But his investigation comes with surprises...like the Beast's overwhelming effect on Jules's omega nature. It doesn't mean anything. Of course it doesn't. Jules is just curious; that's all.

Curiosity can change a life, but when you're attracted to a feral alpha whose real face you haven't even seen...will it change for the better? What if the Beast is no Prince Charming but a cold-hearted, cynical bastard? A bastard Jules shouldn't want—but does. A bastard Jules should stay away from—but can't.

*This novel is a steamy alpha/omega enemies-to-lovers MM romance with a happily ever after. While mpreg exists in this world, it is only mentioned and does not appear on-page. This book can be read on its own or as part of the series The Wrong Alpha.*

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## Coldburgh Train Station: RIPP (Researchers In Paranormal Phenomenon) Book 1

**Author: Michele Notaro**

***Do you hear bumps in the night? Get unexplained chills? Feel like someone's watching you when you're all alone? Don't stay scared! Shoot RIPP a message for all your spooktacular needs!***

*Dane*

I only go along with Rory and Thad's crazy plan of checking out an abandoned train station because they seem so excited, and I honestly don't care what we do for our film class project. Transferring colleges was supposed to be my escape from reality, anyway, so there's no harm in doing a little ghost hunting, right? It's not like we'll find anything. I really just want to go through the motions, but these guys have a way of making me care—ugh. Even Rory's older brother is able to get under my skin in ways I wish he couldn't. I should stay away, but his sweet and caring nature keeps pulling me in—damn him.

*Brooks*

Helping Rory and Thad with RIPP is just something I do to spend time with them. Bless their little hearts, they really believe in ghosts and are determined to prove it to the world. When Dane gets assigned to their group for their class project, my worry they won't need me anymore is overshadowed by my desire to spend as much time as possible getting to know the mysterious new man. I get my wish when we have an encounter that seems... unbelievable. As scary as it is, my life becomes less aimless when Dane and I team up to protect my brother and his best friend when they insist on returning to the train station again... *and again.*

What happens when two men experience something no one else sees? Can they stay alive long enough to fall in love or is seeing what lives at Coldburgh Train Station the beginning of the end?

*Coldburgh Train Station* is book one in the *RIPP* (Researchers In Paranormal Phenomenon) series. It's a 93K word standalone MM romance with spooky fun, cute guys, apparitions, a hyper younger brother that won't stay away from the coffee pot, a friend that cares way too much about his tan, spirits, a crazy mom, amazing friendships, love, and did we mention ghosts?

Intended for audiences 18 years and older.

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## The Alpha's Warlock (Mismatched Mates Book 1)

**Author: Eliot Grayson**

**Cursed, mated, and in for the fight of their lives...**

Warlock Nate Hawthorne just wants a cup of coffee. Is that too much to ask? Apparently. Because instead of precious caffeine, all he gets is cursed by a pack of werewolves who want to use him for his magic. Now the only way to fix the damage is a mate bond to a grumpy and oh-so-sexy alpha in the rival pack, who happens to hate him. This is so not how he wanted to start his day.

Ian Armitage never intended to take Nate as his mate. The Hawthorne family *can't* be trusted. Ian knows that better than anyone. The fact that he's lusted after the way-too-gorgeous man for years? Totally irrelevant. Ian's just doing what is necessary to protect his pack. This whole mating arrangement has nothing to do with love and never will. That's his story and he's sticking to it.

Nate and Ian will have to work together if they have any hope of staving off the pack's enemies and averting disaster. That's assuming they can stop arguing (and keep their hands off each other) long enough to save the day...

*The Alpha's Warlock is an explicit M/M paranormal romance featuring a snarky warlock, a brooding alpha werewolf, knotting, enchanted socks (long story), and a guaranteed happily ever after. This series does not contain mpreg.*

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## Four Father's Dates: Bisexual MMFM Enemies to Lovers Reverse Harem Romance (Four at War)

**Author: Mia Masters**

**They say two is better than one...**

**But what about three?**

I'm a babysitter for three hot single dads.

All of whom want to date me.

And all of whom want me to be a part of their Father's Day.

Their rivalry over me causes friction between them,

Even though I'd rather have a different kind of friction between us.

I can't decide between them, so the game is on.

They'll each take me out on a date.

And the winner will have my presence for the holiday.

But what if I like all of them?

And if they each start to like each other?

**Could we have a combined Father's Day...**

**And maybe by next year, another baby on the way?**

*Four Father's Dates* is an MMFM bisexual reverse harem romance with no cheating and no cliffhangers; just a lot of steamy goodness and a happily ever after for all.

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## Fourth Point of Contact (Legends of Lobe den Herren Book 1)

**Author: AJ Sherwood**

Ren's fantasy wishlist includes:

A sexy lover (preferably of the male variety)

Peace inside of the palace

Possibly an onsen

His best friend never deployed again, and always beside him

It does not include:

Assassins inside of his palace  
Far too many conspiracies  
Being proposed to while hungover. In bed. By his straight best friend.

Arman Brahm's falling in love with him is a fantasy Ren's buried for over six years, so to have it come true seems unreal. He has questions. All the questions. Mainly because Arman is bad at using his words.

But the most important question?

Is the fantasy worth risking everything?

Tags:

Friends to lovers, GFY, Arman is the king of demisexual, Arman is absolutely done with this nonsense and lets people know it, no fainting damsels here, proposing is difficult, indecent proposal, Arman uses words, not too many, that's what Ren is for, Ren's up to rule twenty-five, Arman's still violating three, five, and sixteen, too many potential conspiracies, too many assassination attempts, Ren would like less assassins please and thank you, being warden to a palace is not as much fun as it looks, Fourth Point of Contact doesn't mean what you think, don't mix alcohol with a teenage princess, accidental princess corruption, royal meddlers, fantasy world but no magic

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## The Silver Fox: Red's Tavern, Book 3

**Author: Raleigh Ruebins**

**I rescue people from danger every day. But my love life? That's a dumpster fire I can't put out.**

I had a badass life, my dream job as a firefighter, and I could snag anyone I wanted in bed. But when an injury temporarily took me off duty, it all screeched to a halt. Now I'm healing, staying with my brother Red in Amberfield, this small town with jack-all to do.

Other than flirt with Perry. A hot-as-hell, shy but smoldering silver fox. And I think he wants me bad, even though I'm a straight, babyfaced jock in a baseball cap.

Perry is a family man, through and through. He would do anything for his mom, brother, nieces and nephews. When family drama threatens to ruin his big family reunion, I know I can help. I offer to be Perry's fake boyfriend for the reunion, so all eyes will be on us.

And then the plan works.  
A little too well.

Turns out Silver Fox isn't as bashful as he seemed. Now I'm becoming addicted to the feeling of his lips on mine. His skin pressed up against me in bed. Soon, I'm fantasizing about going all the way with him, and I'm not sure I can call myself "straight" anymore with a straight face.

At first I just craved the attention. But Perry isn't just great in bed--his family is fun as hell, too. For once, I feel like I belong somewhere.

And once we're done faking it, I don't know how the hell I'm going to leave.

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## King's Gambit (Road To Redemption Book 1)

**Author: Aiden Bates**

I'm done with falling for bad boys ...

I've got a simple plan: bartend at King's Gambit until I have enough cash to start my own yoga studio. I'm not supposed to fall for King in the process.

Whoops.

I'm over bad boys, and ex-gangster King is badder than most, but I can't resist.

When trouble at the bar threatens what we're building together, I will stand by King through thick and thin. But he's not the only one haunted by his past.

All this time, he's been worried he'll bring me down. But I could be the pawn that brings down the king.

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## Without You

**Author: Marley Valentine**

**Tragedy brought us together, but something stronger made me want to stay.**

Julian was the boy next door. My brother's best friend, he fit with my family in ways I never could. While he and Rhett went on to play house, I left the only life I knew, desperate for a fresh start.

Until everything changed.

Heartache came along, and the aftermath of my brother's death was here to stay. I was now face to face with Julian more than I ever wanted to be.

Being around him brought up all my insecurities, forced me to deal with hard truths, and conjured up feelings I had no business entertaining. He wasn't the man I thought I knew. He was complex and layered, and inherently beautiful in all the ways I'd never noticed.

Not on another person.

Not on another man.

Not until him.

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## Black Moon (Wolf Moon Rising Book 1)

**Author: Sam Burns**

**An apple a day won't keep this doctor away.**

Linden Grove has always known that he's not destined to be the next pack alpha. That position belonged to his brother Aspen—but then Aspen left the pack to join the military. When the unthinkable happens and the pack is left rudderless, someone has to step up and take care of it. Can a doctor go from "do no harm" to defending his own with his teeth and claws?

Colt Doherty is used to a certain kind of life. Glittering, picturesque, and . . . empty. As the youngest child of the country's only werewolf senator, Colt has grown up in the spotlight, and he's all too used to knot-headed alphas taking credit for the work of others, especially omegas like himself. When his editor sends him to write a story on the Grove pack, though, he finds something completely unexpected: Linden Grove in his unpolished perfection, as shiny and sweet as the apples his pack are known for.

A Grove pack omega has been kidnapped, and someone has to step up. The pack needs Linden to fill his father's shoes, but no wolf can stand on his own. To save the day, sheltered Colt has to drop the politics and become the action hero he never thought an omega could be.

*Black Moon is an 90k word standalone novel featuring one fiery journalist, one doctor with an obsession for hand knit sweaters, and the sweetest apple pies on the whole eastern seaboard, all bundled up in a non-mpreg A/B/O universe.*

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## Pretenders: MM Fake Boyfriend/Opposites Attract Romance

**Author: Alexa Land**

Doctor Wesley Bennett is desperate to find a date for his ex-fiancé's destination wedding. So desperate, in fact, that he's decided to hire an escort to pose as his boyfriend.

That's what he thinks, anyway.

My roommate's the actual escort, not me. He wasn't available, so I stepped in. This job was just way too sweet to pass up.

It should be easy. All we have to do is convince everyone Wesley and I are a couple without getting emotionally involved. He's adorable though, in a nerdy and endearingly awkward kind of way, and the attraction between us is undeniable. I have a feeling things are about to get complicated. And what's going to happen when the job is over? Can we stop pretending and build something real? Or are a straight-laced pediatrician and a lavender-haired DJ too different to make it work?

*Pretenders is a stand-alone, opposites attract gay romance, set in the world of Alexa Land's best-selling Firsts and Forever Series.*

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## Adore (On My Knees Series Book 2)

**Author: Ella James**

**The heartrending second book in the On My Knees series, by USA Today Bestseller Ella James...**

For years, I've kept his secret. When he called, I answered. When he needed, I gave.

Then he went dark.

I tracked him on Instagram--like his sixteen million other followers. When being on the planet with him, separated by his secrets, felt like torture, I moved on. But Luke McDowell wouldn't let me go.

He says he doesn't want me, but we both know that won't hold.

By the end of our story, he'll have taken everything.

The question is, what will he give?

\**Adore* is the sequel to *Worship*. If you haven't read *Worship*, find out why readers are calling it the best forbidden romance of the year!

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"Hands down a ten star read!" -Ravenceleste

"This book is EVERYTHING!" -Stephanie

"My top read of the year." -WordNerd

"The only passionate sobbing and filthy romance you need."

-Aphrodites Reading Alphas

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## Off Key (Whispering Key)

**Author: May Archer**

I'm about to sing you the saddest song in the universe, and it's called "The Man of My Dreams Married My Sister."

It's kinda my theme song. And trust me when I tell you, it's heavy on the violins.

Because the man in question? He's not just any guy, he's *Rafe* freakin' *Goodman*.

My former best friend.

The boy who made my summers on *Whispering Key* magical. The guy who inspired every love song that led to the chart-topping music career I have today. The man I always sort of figured would wait for me, while I pursued my dreams and finally found a way to tell the world I was gay...

But instead of waiting, he married Aimee.

Rafe and Aimee's marriage has been over for a while now, but it doesn't really matter. He doesn't love me even though I feel like I'll love him until the day I die. Trying to be "just friends" would tear me apart.

We're a broken chord. A blue note. Hopelessly out of tune.

Or so I thought.

But when circumstances throw us back together on a crazy cross-country road trip, suddenly all kinds of secrets come to light that make it seem like maybe our show's not over yet.

If I want a life with the man of my dreams, though, I'll have to be honest--with Rafe and the rest of the world, too--and find the courage to write us a new song.

One that's exactly like us: perfectly imperfect... and a little off key.

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## Forbidden Lover (Exit Strategy Book 4)

**Author: Jocelynn Drake**

Devlin Relic was off limits.

The sweet man had already lost a husband and nearly lost his life when someone put a contract on his head last year.

He needed to focus on raising his adopted son and finding a nice, normal man.

Kai was anything but nice and normal.

He was an assassin, and that did not fit into Dev's neat and tidy life.

But when a dead body mysteriously appears in Dev's bathtub, it looks like an assassin is exactly what he needs.

Maybe this time Kai will be brave enough to fight for Devlin and finally put his exit strategy to use.

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## Wood You Be Mine (Omegas of Animals Book 4)

**Author: Lorelei M. Hart**

**It all started with a spilled beer...** Omega woodchuck shifter Lasklas grew up the only woodchuck in his wolf pack. He left at eighteen and has made a home for himself at Animals, the kind of life he never had growing up. He has a job he loves and lives in a tightknit community filled with other shifters and their growing families. He has everything he longed for...everything except a family of his own. But who would take him as a mate? He's nothing but an overgrown rodent, something his former pack reminded him of daily, only the beer-drenched wolf is looking at him as anything but.

**It all started with a blind date...** Alpha and wolf shifter Shawn left the pack where he'd spent his entire life for a job that was everything he ever wanted—or so he thought. Now, stuck in a dead-end job in a climate he doesn't love, without a pack, Shawn is second guessing all of his decisions. When a coworker invites Shawn to Animals for one of their must-attend events, he reluctantly agrees. He'd have hard passed if he'd known was being set up on a blind date with someone already spoken for, something he discovers as a pint of beer is thrown in his face by an angry mate. Wet and without a ride home, he deems it the worst night ever—until he scents him—scents his mate. *Wood You Be Mine is a sweet with knotty heat M/M age-gap shifter mpreg romance featuring a wolf out of his element, a woodchuck learning for the first time he's not alone, a blind date that goes horribly wrong in the very best of ways, a found family, a sweet baby, some familiar faces from the Omegas of Animals universe, and a guaranteed HEA. Each book in this series can be read as a standalone. If you like your alphas hawt, your omegas strong, and your mpreg with heart, download today.*

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## A King to be Claimed: MMMM+ Fantasy Romance (Our king, Our Master Book 1)

**Author: Brea Alepou**

*Edoli have lived alongside humans for thousands of years. While some hold such abilities as shape-shifting and controlling the elements, the rarest are the kings and queens who can bond through blood with keepers and amplify their power... and their own.*

**Work, hide, run.** These were the three things Titos did to survive.

An outcast, the weakest of his kind, at least that's what Titos was led to believe. Never accepted Titos lived amongst humans. Never staying in one place too long, bond to a life of solitude.

But that all changes in one night. He goes from being alone to having a keeper devoting himself to Titos, and then another and another. But only Kings the strongest of Edoli can have keepers.

Titos a King? Can Titos be so lucky to have found his place in the world he was deemed unworthy of, or will he forever be an outcast?

***Titos is just a king who wants to be loved.***

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## Glamorous (Club Nocturne Book 2)

**Author: Romeo Alexander**

**Aidan:** A fresh start, far away from my old life, is exactly what I need. A new town, new people, new job, the works. Yeah, I jump at my own shadow, who wouldn't after what I've been through. My ex and his fists are behind me, and believe it or not, working at Club Nocturne is exactly what I need to get back on my feet. Performing always gives me confidence, and stripping is just acting, right? The huge security guy reminds me of my ex, and at first, I can't even look him in the eye. But my body is telling me a completely different story...I just don't know if I can afford to listen.

**Axel:** Everyone at Nocturne calls me Glam, but there's nothing glamorous about me. I've got a pretty good life, which is saying something considering how it used to be. I've got a house, a great job running security at Club Nocturne, four sisters who drive me nuts, and two cats who I'm sure are trying to kill me. Then a hot new dancer shows up at the Club. I can't decide if he's just shy or if there's more to his story...then I watch him dance, and I suddenly want a whole lot more. But I know I'm going to have to take it slow...

Shy and scared meets a safe pair of hands in this tale of new beginnings. Can Aidan embrace his fresh start, and even more importantly, can he bring himself to embrace Axel?

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## **PUSH**

**Author: Nyla K**

To the unassuming observer, Ben Lockwood is your typical, suburban dad. Aside from the fact that he's only thirty-six and his daughter is a sophomore in college. He and his wife, Jessica, had their only daughter, Hailey, when they were in high school. So you can imagine the unease Ben is feeling when said daughter brings her new boyfriend home for Thanksgiving... To stay, in their house, for the whole weekend.

Ryan Harper, otherwise known as The Boyfriend, is every dread Ben's ever had in his daughter dating come to fruition. There's nothing wrong with Ryan. He's polite, smart, and charming... He doesn't have any neck tattoos or facial piercings, and he drives a BMW. But still, he's dating Ben's daughter. That makes him a threat.

It's in Ben's best interest to keep an eye on the kid. You know, to make sure there's no funny business going on under his roof. Unfortunately for him, the tension in the house is less about Ryan being his daughter's boyfriend, and more about him being a strangely intriguing human.

And soon enough, Ben can't tell if he's watching Ryan to protect his daughter's innocence, or obliterate his own. It seems like the boring married-guy image isn't going to hold up for long... Not after this bizarre, life-changing weekend.

What are these new, strange feelings and desires? Where did they come from? And why do they have to center around what belongs to his daughter?

Ben and Ryan's situation couldn't get much more complicated... Until Jessica steps into the mix.

An unexpected push is all it took for their lives to change forever.

\*\*\*PUSH by Nyla K is a label-free HEA love story. It contains infidelity triggers, which do work themselves out, so I urge you to give it a shot. MM turns to MMF, in a very steamy, unexpected romance that will make you laugh, maybe cry, and definitely swoon. The theme of love is love is key here, so there aren't many defining, or coming out moments. That being said, this book does explore male-male bisexuality, pansexuality and polyamory, but in a very casual, unassuming way. If MM and MMF are not your cup of tea, then steer clear. However, if you're looking for an open-minded tale of taboo and forbidden romance that ultimately works out for its characters, then this book is for you!\*\*\*

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## **Obsession (Rent A Spouse Book 2)**

**Author: Jason Collins**

**JOSH:**

My love life is on the backburner—or so I thought. I moved to this small town to escape my overbearing ex, and I became a rent-a-spouse to pay the bills. But I didn't plan for Keaton, my ridiculously handsome new boss.

I'll be Mr. Thornhill's husband any day of the week.

Keaton's attracted to me, too, and he wants a real relationship. Our chemistry is too strong to ignore and being in his arms makes me feel safe again. But when my ex reappears and won't stop harassing me, I'm tempted to run. Except that would mean leaving Keaton behind.

**KEATON:**

It all started when my new rent-a-spouse walked through the door. Josh is charmingly soft-spoken, witty, and full of mystery. I needed someone to cook, clean, and make the house a little less lonely in this mountain town. Instead, my new "husband" has the physique of an underwear model.

I'm not complaining.

Around Josh, I'm happier than I've ever been. He's addictive, and our relationship becomes more than just a contract. But Josh carries a sadness in his eyes I can't explain, and he refuses to talk about his past. If he won't let me in, I can't protect him from the ghosts that still haunt him.

*This is the second book in the Rent A Spouse series. It can be read as a standalone with no cliffhanger.*

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## **The Ghost in the Emerald Cabin: RIPP (Researchers In Paranormal Phenomenon) Prequel**

**Author: Michele Notaro**

***Wanna check out early? Blame the ghost. Get your money back? Sure, ghost. Imagine your best friend naked? Yeah, ghost—no, wait a minute.***

When my best friend, Tate, called a few years ago to ask me to help him run the Narrow Peaks Ski Resort, I jumped at the chance. Skiing is one of the things I'm most passionate about—that and pretending not to notice how hot Tate is. This is my dream job, but never in a million years did I think I'd be fielding demands

from guests trying to check out early because they claim their cabin is *haunted*. I can't deny how creepy some of their stories are, though.

Even while being spooked every time I turn around, I can't seem to keep my eyes off of Tate. The guy that put me in the friend zone years ago. *Kill me now*.

When the two men end up sharing a cabin together, will they finally take a chance on each other? Or will the dangers inside break them for good?

*The Ghost in the Emerald Cabin* is a prequel in the *RIPP* (Researchers In Paranormal Phenomenon) series. It's a 21K word standalone MM romance novella with creepy fun, two guys who are completely clueless, icky ski hats, a spooktastic cabin, snowballs, and don't forget there might be a ghost!

Intended for audiences 18 years and older.

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