

Bridgerton: The Duke and I (Bridgertons Book 1)

Author: Julia Quinn

Can there be any greater challenge to London's Ambitious Mamas than an unmarried duke?—Lady Whistledown's Society Papers, April 1813

By all accounts, Simon Basset is on the verge of proposing to his best friend's sister—the lovely and almost-on-the-shelf—Daphne Bridgerton. But the two of them know the truth—it's all an elaborate ruse to keep Simon free from marriage-minded society mothers. And as for Daphne, surely she will attract some worthy suitors now that it seems a duke has declared her desirable.

But as Daphne waltzes across ballroom after ballroom with Simon, it's hard to remember that their courtship is a sham. Maybe it's his devilish smile, certainly it's the way his eyes seem to burn every time he looks at her . . . but somehow Daphne is falling for the dashing duke . . . for real! And now she must do the impossible and convince the handsome rogue that their clever little scheme deserves a slight alteration, and that nothing makes quite as much sense as falling in love.

Romancing Mister Bridgerton (Bridgertons Book 4)

Author: Julia Quinn

From #1 *New York Times* bestselling author Julia Quinn comes the story of Colin Bridgerton and Penelope Featherington, in the fourth of her beloved Regency-set novels featuring her charming, powerful Bridgerton family, now a series created by Shondaland for Netflix.

COLIN AND PENELOPE'S STORY

Penelope Featherington has secretly adored her best friend's brother for . . . well, it feels like forever. After half a lifetime of watching Colin Bridgerton from afar, she thinks she knows everything about him, until she stumbles across his deepest secret . . . and fears she doesn't know him at all.

Colin Bridgerton is tired of being thought of as nothing but an empty-headed charmer, tired of the notorious gossip columnist Lady Whistledown, who can't seem to publish an edition without mentioning him. But when Colin returns to London from a trip abroad, he discovers nothing in his life is quite the same—especially Penelope Featherington! The girl who was always simply there is suddenly the girl haunting his dreams. When he discovers that Penelope has secrets of her own, this elusive bachelor must decide . . . is she his biggest threat— or his promise of a happy ending?

The Viscount Who Loved Me: Bridgerton (Bridgertons Book 2)

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ANTHONY'S STORY

This time the gossip columnists have it wrong. London's most elusive bachelor Anthony Bridgerton hasn't just decided to marry—he's even chosen a wife! The only obstacle is his intended's older sister, Kate Sheffield—the most meddling woman ever to grace a London ballroom. The spirited schemer is driving Anthony mad with her determination to stop the betrothal, but when he closes his eyes at night, Kate's the woman haunting his increasingly erotic dreams...

Contrary to popular belief, Kate is quite sure that reformed rakes do not make the best husbands—and Anthony Bridgerton is the most wicked rogue of them all. Kate's determined to protect her sister—but she fears her own heart is vulnerable. And when Anthony's lips touch hers, she's suddenly afraid she might not be able to resist the reprehensible rake herself...

To Sir Phillip, With Love: Bridgerton (Bridgertons Book 5)

Author: Julia Quinn

From #1 *New York Times* bestselling author Julia Quinn comes the story of Eloise Bridgerton, in the fifth of her beloved Regency-set novels featuring her charming, powerful Bridgerton family, now a series created by Shondaland for Netflix.

ELOISE'S STORY

Sir Phillip knew that Eloise Bridgerton was a spinster, and so he'd proposed, figuring that she'd be homely and unassuming, and more than a little desperate for an offer of marriage. Except . . . she wasn't. The beautiful woman on his doorstep was anything but quiet, and when she stopped talking long enough to close her mouth, all he wanted to do was kiss her . . . and more.

Did he think she was mad? Eloise Bridgerton couldn't marry a man she had never met! But then she started thinking . . . and wondering . . . and before she knew it, she was in a hired carriage in the middle of the night, on her way to meet the man she hoped might be her perfect match. Except . . . he wasn't. Her perfect husband wouldn't be so moody and ill-mannered, and while Phillip was certainly handsome, he was a large brute of a man, rough and rugged, and totally unlike the London gentlemen vying for her hand. But when he smiled . . . and when he kissed her . . . the rest of the world simply fell away, and she couldn't help but wonder . . . could this imperfect man be perfect for her?

An Offer From a Gentleman: Bridgerton (Bridgertons Book 3)

Author: Julia Quinn

From #1 *New York Times* bestselling author Julia Quinn comes the story of Benedict Bridgerton, in the third of her beloved Regency-set novels featuring her charming, powerful Bridgerton family, now a series created by Shondaland for Netflix.

BENEDICT'S STORY

Sophie Beckett never dreamed she'd be able to sneak into Lady Bridgerton's famed masquerade ball—or that "Prince Charming" would be waiting there for her! Though the daughter of an earl, Sophie has been relegated to the role of servant by her disdainful stepmother. But now, spinning in the strong arms of the debonair and devastatingly handsome Benedict Bridgerton, she feels like royalty. Alas, she knows all enchantments must end when the clock strikes midnight.

Ever since that magical night, a radiant vision in silver has blinded Benedict to the attractions of any other—except, perhaps, this alluring and oddly familiar beauty dressed in housemaid's garb whom he feels compelled to rescue from a most disagreeable situation. He has sworn to find and wed his mystery miss, but this breathtaking maid makes him weak with wanting her. Yet, if he offers her his heart, will Benedict sacrifice his only chance for a fairy-tale love?

When He Was Wicked: Bridgerton (Bridgertons Book 6)

Author: Julia Quinn

In every life there is a turning point . . .

A moment so tremendous, so sharp and breathtaking, that one knows one's life will never be the same. For Michael Stirling, London's most infamous rake, that moment came the first time he laid eyes on Francesca Bridgerton.

After a lifetime of chasing women, of smiling slyly as they chased him, of allowing himself to be caught but never permitting his heart to become engaged, he took one look at Francesca Bridgerton and fell so fast and hard into love it was a wonder he managed to remain standing. Unfortunately for Michael, however, Francesca's surname was to remain Bridgerton for only a mere thirty-six hours longer—the occasion of their meeting was, lamentably, a supper celebrating her imminent wedding to his cousin.

But that was then . . . Now Michael is the earl and Francesca is free, but still she thinks of him as nothing other than her dear friend and confidant. Michael dares not speak to her of his love . . . until one dangerous night, when she steps innocently into his arms and passion proves stronger than even the most wicked of secrets . . .

It's In His Kiss: Bridgerton (Bridgertons Book 7)

Author: Julia Quinn

From #1 *New York Times* bestselling author Julia Quinn comes the story of Hyacinth Bridgerton, in the seventh of her beloved Regency-set novels featuring her charming, powerful Bridgerton family, now a series created by Shondaland for Netflix.

HYACINTH'S STORY

Meet Our Hero . . .

Gareth St. Clair is in a bind. His father, who detests him, is determined to beggar the St. Clair estates and ruin his inheritance. Gareth's sole bequest is an old family diary, which may or may not contain the secrets of his past . . . and the key to his future. The problem is—it's written in Italian, of which Gareth speaks not a word.

Meet Our Heroine . . .

All the ton agreed: there was no one quite like Hyacinth Bridgerton. She's fiendishly smart, devilishly outspoken, and according to Gareth, probably best in small doses. But there's something about her—something charming and vexing—that grabs him and won't quite let go . . .

Meet Poor Mr. Mozart . . .

Or don't. But rest assured, he's spinning in his grave when Gareth and Hyacinth cross paths at the annual—and annually discordant—Smythe-Smith musicale. To Hyacinth, Gareth's every word seems a dare, and she offers to translate his diary, even though her Italian is slightly less than perfect. But as they delve into the mysterious text, they discover that the answers they seek lie not in the diary, but in each other . . . and that there is nothing as simple—or as complicated—as a single, perfect kiss.

The Lady and the Unicorn: A Novel

Author: Tracy Chevalier

A tour de force of history and imagination, **The Lady and the Unicorn** is Tracy Chevalier's answer to the mystery behind one of the art world's great masterpieces—a set of bewitching medieval tapestries that hangs today in the Cluny Museum in Paris. They appear to portray the seduction of a unicorn, but the story behind their making is unknown—until now.

Paris, 1490. A shrewd French nobleman commissions six lavish tapestries celebrating his rising status at Court. He hires the charismatic, arrogant, sublimely talented Nicolas des Innocents to design them. Nicolas creates havoc among the women in the house—mother and daughter, servant, and lady-in-waiting—before taking his designs north to the Brussels workshop where the tapestries are to be woven. There, master weaver Georges de la Chapelle risks everything he has to finish the tapestries—his finest, most intricate work—on time for his exacting French client. The results change all their lives—lives that have been captured in the tapestries, for those who know where to look.

In **The Lady and the Unicorn**, Tracy Chevalier weaves fact and fiction into a beautiful, timeless, and intriguing literary tapestry—an extraordinary story exquisitely told.

Where the Lost Wander: A Novel

Author: Amy Harmon

In this epic and haunting love story set on the Oregon Trail, a family and their unlikely protector find their way through peril, uncertainty, and loss.

The Overland Trail, 1853: Naomi May never expected to be widowed at twenty. Eager to leave her grief behind, she sets off with her family for a life out West. On the trail, she forms an instant connection with John Lowry, a half-Pawnee man straddling two worlds and a stranger in both.

But life in a wagon train is fraught with hardship, fear, and death. Even as John and Naomi are drawn to each other, the trials of the journey and their disparate pasts work to keep them apart. John's heritage gains them safe passage through hostile territory only to come between them as they seek to build a life together.

When a horrific tragedy strikes, decimating Naomi's family and separating her from John, the promises they made are all they have left. Ripped apart, they can't turn back, they can't go on, and they can't let go. Both will have to make terrible sacrifices to find each other, save each other, and eventually...make peace with who they are.

On the Way to the Wedding: Bridgerton (Bridgertons Book 8)

Author: Julia Quinn

Now a Netflix series created by Shonda Rhimes— producer and creator of Grey's Anatomy, How to Get Away with Murder, and Scandal— starring Julie Andrews, Phoebe Dynevor, Regé-Jean Page, and Nicola Coughlan.

A funny thing happened ...

Unlike most men of his acquaintance, Gregory Bridgerton believes in true love. And he is convinced that when he finds the woman of his dreams, he will know in an instant that she is the *one*. And that is exactly what happened. Except ...

She wasn't the one. In fact, the ravishing Miss Hermione Watson is in love with another. But her best friend, the ever-practical Lady Lucinda Abernathy, wants to save Hermione from a disastrous alliance, so she offers to help Gregory win her over. But in the process, Lucy falls in love. With Gregory! Except ...

Lucy is engaged. And her uncle is not inclined to let her back out of the betrothal, even once Gregory comes to his senses and realizes that it is Lucy, with her sharp wit and sunny smile, who makes his heart sing. And now, on the way to the wedding, Gregory must risk everything to ensure that when it comes time to kiss the bride, *he* is the only man standing at the altar ...

Bridgerton Collection Volume 1: The First Three Books in the Bridgerton Series (Bridgertons)

Author: Julia Quinn

An enchanting collection containing the first three novels in *New York Times* bestselling author Julia Quinn's beloved Bridgerton series set in Regency England—*The Duke and I*, *The Viscount Who Loved Me*, and *An Offer from a Gentleman*—now a series created by Shondaland for Netflix

The Duke and I

When Daphne Bridgerton and Simon Basset, Duke of Hastings, agree to a fake courtship, they think they've found the perfect solution to their problems. Romantically associated with one of London's most desirable catches, Daphne's prospects among the ton will soar. For avowed bachelor Simon, an attachment to Daphne will deter would-be brides and their ambitious mamas. Their plan works like a charm—at first. But amid the glittering, gossipy, cut-throat world of London's elite, there is only one certainty: love ignores every rule. . .

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The Highlander (Victorian Rebels Book 3)

Author: Kerrigan Byrne

In The Highlander, a stunning, gorgeous Victorian romance from Kerrigan Byrne, can the fiercest master of battle conquer a woman's heart?

They call him the Demon Highlander. The fearsome Lieutenant Colonel Liam MacKenzie is known for his superhuman strength, towering presence, and fiery passion in the heat of battle. As Laird to the MacKenzie clan, the undefeated Marquess has vanquished his foes with all rage and wrath of his barbaric Highland ancestors. But when an English governess arrives to care for his children, the master of war finds himself up against his greatest opponent. . . in the game of love.

Defying all expectations, Miss Philomena is no plain-faced spinster but a ravishing beauty with voluptuous curves and haughty full lips that rattle the Laird to his core. Unintimidated by her master's raw masculinity and savage ways, the headstrong lass manages to tame not only his wild children but the beast in his soul. With each passing day, Liam grows fonder of Miss Mena—and more suspicious. What secret is she hiding behind those emerald eyes? What darkness brought her to his keep? And how can he conquer this magnificent woman's heart . . . without surrendering his own?

The Skylark's Secret

Author: Fiona Valpy

Loch Ewe, 1940. When gamekeeper's daughter Flora's remote highland village finds itself the base for the Royal Navy's Arctic convoys, life in her close-knit community changes forever. In defiance of his disapproving father, the laird's son falls in love with Flora, and as tensions build in their disrupted home, any chance of their happiness seems doomed.

Decades later, Flora's daughter, singer Lexie Gordon, is forced to return to the village and to the tiny cottage where she grew up. Having long ago escaped to the bright lights of the West End, London still never truly felt like home. Now back, with a daughter of her own, Lexie learns that her mother—and the hostile-seeming village itself—have long been hiding secrets that make her question everything she thought she knew.

As she pieces together the fragments of her parents' story, Lexie discovers the courageous, devastating sacrifices made in her name. It's too late to rekindle her relationship with her mother, but can Lexie find it in her heart to forgive the past, to grieve for all that's lost, and finally find her place in the world?

Dovetail: A Novel

Author: Karen McQuestion

From the bestselling author of *Hello Love* comes a spellbinding new novel of enduring love, family secrets, and mysterious death.

Joe Arneson's ordinary life is upended by troubling dreams of himself as a different man in another place and time. It isn't until he visits his estranged grandmother, Pearl, in her Wisconsin hometown that a startling connection emerges.

Drawn into his family's past, Joe discovers secrets weighing on the old woman's soul: the tragic death of her sister Alice a half century ago and its ripple effect on all who loved her. Digging into the events of that summer in 1916, Joe is convinced that his recurrent visions relate to Alice's untimely passing and to the beloved

man she meant to marry. With the help of Kathleen, a local woman Joe's fallen for, the puzzles of the past start falling into place.

As uncovered truths bring Joe and Kathleen closer together, they also reveal a new danger. For Joe's dreams may be a warning—from one star-crossed couple to another.

The Bridgertons: Happily Ever After

Author: Julia Quinn

New York Times Bestselling Author

For the first time in print, *New York Times* bestselling author Julia Quinn presents a collection of “second epilogues” to her Bridgerton series plus a new bonus Bridgerton novella.

Julia Quinn's Bridgerton series remains one of the most beloved among historical romance readers, and this collection of “second epilogues”—stories that take place after the original books end—offer fans more from their favorite characters. Previously published as ebook originals, these second epilogues include those from *On the Way to the Wedding*; *It's in His Kiss*; *When He Was Wicked*; *To Sir Phillip, With Love*; *Romancing Mister Bridgerton*; *An Offer from a Gentleman*, *The Viscount Who Loved Me*; and *The Duke and I*. Also in this collection is a Bridgerton novella written especially for this book, which will be sure to satisfy the legions of Julia Quinn fans.

The Perfect Waltz (Merridew Series Book 2)

Author: Anne Gracie

Society rogue Sebastian Reyne's search for a practical wife comes to a crashing halt when he dances with the effervescent Hope Merridew--and is seduced into a delicious intrigue of sensuality and desire.

How to Stop Time: A Novel

Author: Matt Haig

THE SUNDAY TIMES BESTSELLER
WINNER OF THE 2017 BOOKS ARE MY BAG READERS AWARD FOR POPULAR FICTION

Tom Hazard has a dangerous secret. He may look like an ordinary 41-year-old, but owing to a rare condition, he's been alive for centuries. From Elizabethan England to Jazz-Age Paris, from New York to the South Seas, Tom has seen a lot, and now craves an ordinary life.

Always changing his identity to stay alive, Tom has the perfect cover - working as a history teacher at a London comprehensive. Here he can teach the kids about wars and witch hunts as if he'd never witnessed them first-hand. He can try to tame the past that is fast catching up with him. The only thing Tom must not do is fall in love.

In Bed with the Earl (Lost Lords of London Book 1)

Author: Christi Caldwell

“Sizzling, Witty, Passionate...Perfect!”

—Eloisa James, *New York Times* bestselling author

Christi Caldwell, *USA TODAY* bestselling author of the *Wicked Wallflowers* series, combs London's underground and finds romance and danger for a missing lord and the lady who loves him.

To solve a mystery that's become the talk of the *ton*, no clues run too deep for willful reporter Verity Lovelace. Not even in the sewers of London. That's precisely where she finds happily self-sufficient scavenger Malcom North, lost heir to the Earl of Maxwell. Now that Verity's made him front-page news, what will he make of her?

Kidnapped as a child, with no memories of his well-heeled past, Malcom prefers the grimy spoils of the culverts to the gilded riches of society. Damn the feisty beauty who exposed the contented toshier to a parade of fortune-hunting matchmakers. How to keep them at bay? Verity must pretend to be his wife. She owes him.

The intimacy of this necessary arrangement—Verity and Malcom thrust together in close quarters—soon sparks an irresistible heat. But when the charade ends, the danger begins. Will love be enough to protect them from a treacherous plot devised to ruin them?

The Power of Hades: A Fated Mates Fantasy Romance (The Hades Trials Book 1)

Author: Eliza Raine

I've been kidnapped by Zeus. Plucked from the streets of Manhattan and frightened half to death by a freaking Olympian god. And now I'm trapped in the Underworld, being forced to compete in a series of deadly trials for the position of Queen of the Underworld. Which would mean marrying Hades, the utterly terrifying Lord of the Dead. Who the hell wants a husband at all, let alone one made of smoke and riddled with death?

I have to get back home, to New York and my brother. But I can't leave without completing the trials and they've been designed for a godly Queen, not Persephone - barista and botanical garden enthusiast.

I'm surrounded by lethal, all-powerful maniacs. Sexy-as-hell maniacs, sure, but as dangerous as they come. And I'm going to have to prove to all of them that there's a goddess of hell inside me. It's the only way I'll survive the Hades Trials. But then what? And *why, why, why* am I so desperate to see under Hades smoky exterior and find out what he's hiding from me?

If I win the trials, I have to marry the devil himself. But losing might mean losing my life.

*The Power of Hades is book 1 in the Hades Trials, which is intended for adults and is packed with magic, mythology and slow-burn soulmate romance! *Contains swearing and mature themes.**

The Brigands (The Texicans Book 1)

Author: Parris Afton Bonds

Everything is bigger and better in Texas.

Before there was New Mexico, Arizona, Nevada, California, or Utah, there was Texas. Molded by Old Mexico and a new rough and ready breed of hearty settlers from around the world, The Lone Star Republic was the thing of dreams—land, riches, liberty, home. For the Paladin family, it is all of those things and so much more.

English-born Lord Paladín and Irish traveler Niall Gorman are both deeply involved in the Texican campaign for independence, although neither out of purely patriotic fervor. Niall, a master horseman and crack sharpshooter from Kentucky, sees the Mexican province of Tejas merely as a means to an end—revenge. Alex Paladín, on the other hand, is a shrewd second son, despite his proclivity for extravagance. He sees an independent Texas as the salvation of his family estates—to say nothing of himself.

Seeking funds, Alex barter's his baron's title for the dowry of young Rafaela Carrera, beautiful daughter of a wealthy Spanish rum trader. Rafaela wants no part of the marriage, but finds herself shipped to the New World anyway, a prisoner of the roguish Paladín. On her journey she meets Fiona Flanigan, an Irish immigrant late of New York City's crime-infested slums. Lured by the prospects of independence and prosperity, the fiery young lass is dead set to carve out her stake—or die trying.

With the first volume of her highly addictive Texicans saga, *New York Times* bestselling author Parris Afton Bonds brings us the riveting tale of four wayward souls colliding on the eve of Revolution. From the shadow of the Alamo to the bloody fields of San Jacinto, their lives and loves, hopes and allegiances, will be tested in ways none of them could ever imagine. Fast-paced and tightly-plotted, *The Brigands* is a triumph of historical romantic fiction that will leave you breathless.

My Darling Duke (The Sinful Wallflowers Book 1)

Author: Stacy Reid

“Lush, beautifully written, and deeply romantic, My Darling Duke will sweep you off your feet. My heart was lost to this couple from the very start.”
—Amalie Howard, author of *The Beast of Beswick*

Miss Katherine Danvers has always been a wallflower. But now, with her family on the brink of financial ruin, she finds herself a *desperate* wallflower. To save her family, she'll do anything. Luckily, she has the perfect plan...

She'll impress the *ton* by simply announcing she is engaged to the reclusive and mysterious Duke of Thornton, Alexander Masters, and secure strong matches for her sisters. No one has heard from the duke in years. Surely he'll never find out before her sisters' weddings, and she can go back to her own quiet life.

Soon, though, everything is out of control. At first, it's just a few new ball gowns on the duke's accounts. Then, it's interviews with reporters eager for gossip. Before she knows it, Katherine has transformed herself into Kitty Danvers, charming and clever belle of the *ton*—with everyone eager to meet her thankfully absent fiancé.

But when the enigmatic Alexander Masters suddenly arrives in the city, dashing and oh so angry, he demands retribution. Except not in the way Katherine

expected...

Each book in the Sinful Wallflowers series is STANDALONE:

* My Darling Duke

* Her Wicked Marquess

His Disinclined Bride

Author: Jennie Goutet

Theirs is not a love match. She'll make sure of it.

Kitty Stokes never imagined she'd be so weak as to sacrifice herself on the altar of family obligations, but when the only alternative to marriage with Lord Hayworth is to play nursemaid to her brother's children, Kitty reluctantly agrees. On her wedding day, she's certain she has made a grave error, but it's too late to back out.

Phineas Hayworth refrained from setting eyes on his new bride before their wedding day—the price he forced himself to pay for being so mercenary as to wed the sister of a wealthy merchant in a bid to save his estate from ruins. Her beauty, therefore, comes as a shock, as does her icy treatment, which he feels he deserves. He swears an oath he will not approach her for an heir unless the invitation comes from her.

As Phineas sets out to put his estate in order and present his new wife to Society, he finds her more enchanting than he could have hoped for, even in a love match. Kitty continues to hold him at arm's length, although he suspects her feelings for him run just as deep. As Phineas's love and desire for his wife grows, the oath he swore her begins to suffocate. It soon becomes clear that while he'd once been prepared to settle for a loveless marriage, he will not abide an unrequited love.

His Disinclined Bride is a sweet/clean regency romance, stand-alone novel about arranged marriage, and book seven in the **Seasons of Change** series. ♥

Other books in the series include:

Book 1: *The Road Through Rushbury* by Martha Keyes

Book 2: *A Forgiving Heart* by Kasey Stockton

Book 3: *The Last Eligible Bachelor* by Ashtyn Newbold

Book 4: *A Well-Trained Lady* by Jess Heileman

Book 5: *The Cottage by Coniston* by Deborah M. Hathaway

Book 6: *A Haunting at Havenwood* by Sally Britton

Book 7: *His Disinclined Bride* by Jennie Goutet

Because of Miss Bridgerton: A Bridgerton Prequel (Rokesbys Series Book 1)

Author: Julia Quinn

Sometimes you find love in the most unexpected of places...

This is not one of those times.

Everyone expects Billie Bridgerton to marry one of the Rokesby brothers. The two families have been neighbors for centuries, and as a child the tomboyish Billie ran wild with Edward and Andrew. Either one would make a perfect husband... someday.

Sometimes you fall in love with exactly the person you think you should...

Or not.

There is only one Rokesby Billie absolutely cannot tolerate, and that is George. He may be the eldest and heir to the earldom, but he's arrogant, annoying, and she's absolutely certain he detests her. Which is perfectly convenient, as she can't stand the sight of him, either.

But sometimes fate has a wicked sense of humor...

Because when Billie and George are quite literally thrown together, a whole new sort of sparks begins to fly. And when these lifelong adversaries finally kiss, they just might discover that the one person they can't abide is the one person they can't live without...

Highlander's Desire: A Scottish Historical Time Travel Romance (Called by a Highlander Book 5)

Author: Mariah Stone

He's a fierce Highland warrior. She's a struggling history student. Can they transcend the bounds of time to claim the love they desire?

Scotland, 1310. Fiercely protective Highlander Angus Mackenzie fought for Scotland's independence. Now, unable to pay his clan's tribute, he has agreed to give up his own freedom by marrying the powerful and predatory Euphemia of Ross.

Scotland, 2021. Historian Rogene Wakely has felt responsible for her younger brother since their parents died. But when the teen disappears in Eilean Donan Castle, her search leads to a rune-covered rock that sends her plummeting through time. Waking up to a gorgeous Scot who makes unsavory assumptions, Rogene slaps the man and runs for her life to the local church.

Discovering that the village priest is ill, Angus asks the beautiful stranger's forgiveness and implores her to write his marriage contract. One forbidden kiss with Rogene makes his impending wedding feel like a death sentence. But rejecting Euphemia would put Angus's clan—and Rogene—in grave danger. Rogene can't help being drawn to the rugged Scot, but she won't interfere with his engagement, which will result in an important heir. But when Euphemia sees Angus's longing for the dark-haired beauty, neither can escape her rage.

Will forbidden lovers risk their lives and Scotland's future by choosing desire over duty?

Highlander's Desire is the fifth book in the enthralling *Called by a Highlander* time travel romance series. If you like epic historical romances, dangerous rivals, and daring rescues, you'll fall hard for Mariah Stone's high-stakes adventure!

[Buy Highlander's Desire to embrace the power of passion today!](#)

Lady Wicked (Notorious Ladies of London Book 4)

Author: Scarlett Scott

One reckless moment was all it required for Lady Julianna Somerset to lose her innocence to her best friend's brother. But when he broke her heart, she fled London to heal her wounded pride. A desperate change in circumstance has forced her to return. And in a cruel twist of fate, the man who ruined her may be the only one who can save her.

Sidney, Lord Shelbourne has always wanted one woman at his side and in his bed. The only problem? She refused his proposal of marriage and disappeared from his life. He's resigned himself to a life of duty when her arrival in London rekindles old, dangerous flames.

Sidney has not forgiven Julianna for spurning him or for the shocking secret she has been keeping. Now that she needs his aid, he has a plan. Revenge will be his, and so will she. But Julianna is determined to protect herself against the handsome lord she never stopped desiring. This time, she has vowed she will be the one to force his surrender.

Into the Fire: The Complete Series

Author: Mia West

The blacksmith who hid his desire. The soldier who never knew...until now.

When Rome falls, **Marc** treks home across the desolation to find everything changed, including his boyhood friend Wolf.

Gone is the big, clumsy lad. In his place at the forge stands a man as skilled as he is shy.

And surely not interested in feeding the spark he's just lit in Marc's belly.

One that feels unnervingly like hope.

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When Marcus left to fight, **Wolf** had a secret. One that burned so hot he shoved it down deep.

Now Marc's back, hardened by war and survival into something only fire could mend.

Wolf knows fire. And every day in Marc's presence tempts him to use it.

But with the world in chaos, can he risk incinerating them both?

This complete series collection includes all 9 original novellas, plus 2 exclusive short stories – approx. 175,000 words total.

"Outstanding series – humor with a huge amount of heart and an author who writes intelligently and compassionately and always, always allows her MCs to come

across as **strong, capable and loving men** – I can't ask for anything more." – Karen, Goodreads

"I would happily read and read and read about Marc and Wolf forever. **If you like m/m romances and historical romances you will love these books.**" – Jo, Goodreads

"This is **my all-time favorite love story.** Hands down." – Mary, Goodreads

First Comes Scandal: A Bridgerton Prequel

Author: Julia Quinn

Continuing her delightful Bridgertons Prequel series, #1 *New York Times* bestselling author Julia Quinn presents the latest love story between the Bridgerton and Rokesby families.

She was given two choices...

Georgiana Bridgerton isn't *against* the idea of marriage. She'd just thought she'd have some say in the matter. But with her reputation hanging by a thread after she's abducted for her dowry, Georgie is given two options: live out her life as a spinster or marry the rogue who has ruined her life.

Enter Option #3

As the fourth son of an earl, Nicholas Rokesby is prepared to chart his own course. He has a life in Edinburgh, where he's close to completing his medical studies, and he has no time—or interest—to find a wife. But when he discovers that Georgie Bridgerton—his literal girl-next-door—is facing ruin, he knows what he must do.

A Marriage of Convenience

It might not have been the most romantic of proposals, but Nicholas never thought she'd say *no*. Georgie doesn't want to be anyone's sacrifice, and besides, they could never think of each other as anything more than childhood friends... or could they?

But as they embark upon their unorthodox courtship they discover a new twist to the age-old rhyme. First comes scandal, then comes marriage. But after *that* comes love...

The Girl With The Make-Believe Husband: A Bridgertons Prequel

Author: Julia Quinn

There were Bridgertons before the eight alphabetically named siblings. In this second of a new prequel series, following *Because of Miss Bridgerton*, we go back to where it all began. . . from *New York Times* bestselling author Julia Quinn.

While you were sleeping...

With her brother Thomas injured on the battlefield in the Colonies, orphaned Cecilia Harcourt has two unbearable choices: move in with a maiden aunt or marry a scheming cousin. Instead, she chooses option three and travels across the Atlantic, determined to nurse her brother back to health. But after a week of searching, she finds not her brother but his best friend, the handsome officer Edward Rokesby. He's unconscious and in desperate need of her care, and Cecilia vows that she will save this soldier's life, even if staying by his side means telling one little lie...

I told everyone I was your wife

When Edward comes to, he's more than a little confused. The blow to his head knocked out three months of his memory, but surely he would recall getting *married*. He knows who Cecilia Harcourt is—even if he does not recall her face—and with everyone calling her his wife, he decides it must be true, even though he'd always assumed he'd marry his neighbor back in England.

If only it were true...

Cecilia risks her entire future by giving herself—completely—to the man she loves. But when the truth comes out, Edward may have a few surprises of his own for the new Mrs. Rokesby.

The Other Miss Bridgerton: A Bridgerton Prequel (Rokesbys Series Book 3)

Author: Julia Quinn

#1 *New York Times* bestselling author Julia Quinn continues her Bridgerton prequel series with a new novel following the adventures—and love stories—of the Bridgerton and Rokesby families.

She was in the wrong place...

Fiercely independent and adventurous, Poppy Bridgerton will only wed a suitor whose keen intellect and interests match her own. Sadly, none of the fools from her London season qualify. While visiting a friend on the Dorset coast, Poppy is pleasantly surprised to discover a smugglers' hideaway tucked inside a cave. But her delight turns to dismay when two pirates kidnap her and take her aboard a ship, leaving her bound and gagged on the captain's bed...

He found her at the wrong time...

Known to society as a rascal and reckless privateer, Captain Andrew James Rokesby actually transports essential goods and documents for the British government. Setting sail on a time-sensitive voyage to Portugal, he's stunned to find a woman waiting for him in his cabin. Surely, his imagination is getting the better of him. But no, she is very real—and his duty to the Crown means he's stuck with her.

Can two wrongs make the most perfect right?

When Andrew learns that she is a Bridgerton, he knows he will likely have to wed her to avert a scandal—though Poppy has no idea that he is the son of an earl and neighbor to her aristocratic cousins in Kent. On the high seas, their war of words soon gives way to an intoxicating passion. But when Andrew's secret is revealed, will his declaration of love be enough to capture her heart...?

What a Difference a Duke Makes: School for Dukes

Author: Lenora Bell

Wanted: Governess for duke's unruly children

Edgar Rochester, Duke of Banksford, is one of the wealthiest, most powerful men in England, but when it comes to raising twins alone, he knows he needs help. The only problem is the children have chased away half the governesses in London. Until the clever, bold, and far-too-enticing Miss Mari Perkins arrives.

Lost: One heart to an arrogant duke

Mari knows how to wrap even the most rebellious children around her finger. But their demanding, wickedly handsome father? He won't be quite so easy to control. And there's something else she can't seem to command. Her heart. The foolish thing beats so wildly every time the duke is near.

Found: A forbidden passion neither can deny

As his employee, Mari is strictly off-limits. But what if she's the one breaking all his rules? In the game of governess versus duke, how can Edgar maintain his defenses when the only thing he wants to do is let the tempting beauty win...?

An Uninvited Bride for the Cowboy's Heart: A Western Historical Romance Book

Author: Lydia Olson

She becomes his mail-order bride – but she wasn't invited by him. He becomes her husband out of duty. How will they find each other souls amidst trials?

Velma is a kind-hearted woman who has experienced heartbreak. Although she works hard, after the loss of her beloved husband, falling into poverty is inevitable. With no other choice, she replies to a mail-order bride ad. Love is not what she's looking for, but rather a sense of stability. When she meets Charles, everything changes. How can he mend her broken heart?

Charles is a lonely rancher and a widower. His sister Martha not only helps him with the workload but also takes care of his little boy. He doesn't try to connect with his son and dwells too much on the past. Martha has had enough and places an ad for him. When Velma arrives, Charles will be conflicted by his unexpected feelings for her. How can she help him heal his scars and connect with his child?

Both of them, will have to abandon their fears, trust their hearts, and give love a second chance. But Charles' past at the saloon where he used to spend so much time comes back to haunt him. How will they find each other's hearts when their honor is in danger?

"An Uninvited Bride for the Cowboy's Heart" is a new emotional historical western romance book. If you like a selfless strong heroine, who speaks her mind and left so much behind to venture into the vast unknown frontier, then you'll adore Lydia Olson's sweet book.

[Buy it now to discover Velma's romantic and empowering story in the Old West!](#)

Thank you!

The Lovers (Echoes From The Past Book 1)

Author: Irina Shapiro

1665. When Elise de Lesseps is sold in marriage to Lord Edward Asher, she resolves to be an obedient and dutiful wife, until, on their wedding night, she finds out exactly what her husband has in store for her. His request leaves her feeling shocked and humiliated, but being his chattel, she has no right to refuse. The consequences of that night seal Elise's fate, and set her on a path that will lead to heartbreak and tragedy.

2013. Renowned archeologist, Dr. Quinn Allenby has a gift; she can see into the past when holding an object that belonged to the dead. When asked to host a BBC series called "Echoes from the Past," Quinn uses her gift to find out what really happened to the 17th century couple known only as "The Lovers," and unwittingly stumbles onto the secret of her own birth.

Outlander: A Novel (Outlander, Book 1)

Author: Diana Gabaldon

'Scotland's answer to *Game of Thrones*' *HERALD*

THE FIRST NOVEL IN THE BESTSELLING OUTLANDER SERIES, as seen on Amazon Prime

What if your future lay in the past?

1946, and Claire Randall goes to the Scottish Highlands with her husband Frank. It's a second honeymoon, a chance to re-establish their loving marriage. But one afternoon, Claire walks through a circle of standing stones and vanishes into 1743, where the first person she meets is a British army officer - her husband's six-times great-grandfather.

Unfortunately, Black Jack Randall is not the man his descendant is, and while trying to escape him, Claire falls into the hands of a gang of Scottish outlaws, and finds herself a Sassenach - an outlander - in danger from both Jacobites and Redcoats.

Marooned amid danger, passion and violence, her only chance of safety lies in Jamie Fraser, a gallant young Scots warrior. What begins in compulsion becomes urgent need, and Claire finds herself torn between two very different men, in two irreconcilable lives.

With more than 20,000 5-star ratings on Amazon and 25 million copies sold worldwide, *OUTLANDER* is among the most popular book series of all time. Begin your journey into the Highland past here...

(Previously published as Cross Stitch)

The Iron Earl: A Valor of Vinehill Novel

Author: K.J. Jackson

A lady desperate to escape. A hot-tempered earl in the wrong place and wrong time. A journey across the English isle that sends sparks flying and forges an attraction that neither can deny.

A lady desperate to escape.

Miss Evalyn Swanson is desperate to escape her stepfather and his nefarious plan to hawk her off to his vicious business partner. With time running out, she spies salvation at a house party in Lincolnshire. Salvation in the form of one hulking, brooding Scotsman that is conveniently traveling north. North, where she can disappear for good.

A hot-tempered earl in the wrong place and wrong time.

With his sister just married to his bitter enemy, Lachlan Ruddington, Earl of Dunhaven is in no mood to entertain the whimsical notions of a chit straight from the ballroom. Even if she's an enchanting sprite, he has no time for anything other than quick dabbles with the opposite sex. He has an estate to right. A senile grandfather to battle. And a few more enemies he needs to mete out justice to.

An escape not quite according to plan.

Try as he might, Lachlan discovers the draw of Evalyn undeniable—though he'll refuse it for as long as he can. Propriety demands it. His heart that he never thought to lose to an English lass demands it. The danger that lurks around her demands it. But if they can survive, they may just discover the truest love could be the love neither one of them ever anticipated.

Join the adventure today! You'll love *The Iron Earl*, the first in the *Valor of Vinehill* series and a can't-miss enthralling regency romance by USA Today bestselling author, K.J. Jackson.

Note: The novels in the Valor of Vinehill series by K.J. Jackson are each stand-alone stories and can be read individually in any order. These historical romances are set in the Regency and Victorian eras, and do not shy away from scenes with steamy heat, occasional naughty language, and moments that might possibly make you squirm.

Ten Things I Hate About the Duke: A Difficult Dukes Novel

Author: Loretta Chase

USA Today bestselling author Loretta Chase continues her Difficult Dukes series with this delightful spin on Shakespeare's classic, *The Taming of the Shrew*.

This time, who's taming whom...

Cassandra Pomfret holds strong opinions she isn't shy about voicing. But her extremely plain speaking has caused an uproar, and her exasperated father, hoping a husband will rein her in, has ruled that her beloved sister can't marry until Cassandra does.

Now, thanks to a certain wild-living nobleman, the last shreds of Cassandra's reputation are about to disintegrate, taking her sister's future and her family's good name along with them.

The Duke of Ashmont's looks make women swoon. His character flaws are beyond counting. He's lost a perfectly good bride through his own carelessness. He nearly killed one of his two best friends. Still, troublemaker that he is, he knows that damaging a lady's good name isn't sporting.

The only way to right the wrong is to marry her...and hope she doesn't smother him in his sleep on their wedding night.

The Magic of Ordinary Days

Author: Ann Howard Creel

Olivia Dunne, a studious minister's daughter who dreams of being an archaeologist, never thought that the drama of World War II would affect her quiet life in Denver. An exhilarating flirtation reshapes her life, though, and she finds herself banished to a rural Colorado outpost, married to a man she hardly knows. Overwhelmed by loneliness, Olivia tentatively tries to establish a new life, finding much-needed friendship and solace in two Japanese American sisters who are living at a nearby internment camp. When Olivia unwittingly becomes an accomplice to a crime and is faced with betrayal, she finally confronts her own desires. Beautifully written and filled with memorable characters, Creel's novel is a powerful exploration of the nature of trust and love.

Lovers' Meeting: A Pride & Prejudice Variation

Author: Catherine Lodge

Journeys end in lovers' meetings, every wise man's son doth know— William Shakespeare

IT IS A TRUTH UNIVERSALLY ACKNOWLEDGED that the disastrous first meeting of Fitzwilliam Darcy and Elizabeth Bennet at the Meryton Assembly provided each with a ready-made set of prejudices to apply to the other. But when a horrific rural accident reveals Darcy to be a man of active, intelligent benevolence, and Elizabeth, in the absence of her appalling family, to be an extraordinary lady of courage and decision—then surely the course of true love will run smoothly.

BUT ALAS, THE LOVERS' MEETING is not the end but a new beginning. For though they have found each other, a seeming multitude of complications—a catastrophic flood, the last wishes of a dying friend, Lydia's misfortunes, a dastardly Member of Parliament, and even their own fears— contrives to come between them and their journey's end.

LOVERS' MEETING is a Pride and Prejudice variation.

Highlander Vows: Entangled Hearts Collection Volume 1: The first five books in the Highlander Vows: Entangled Hearts Scottish Romance Series (Highlander Vows- Entangled Hearts)

Author: Julie Johnstone

Five fierce and loyal noble highlanders defy family, king, and their own vows to protect and win the ladies they love.

No cost is too great.
No mission too harrowing.
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Hearts will be broken.
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Passion will flare.
Love will be claimed!

Five novels for the price of one! Featuring **USA Today bestselling author** Julie Johnstone's bold and brave MacLeod and MacLean highlander families!

HIGHLANDER VOWS: ENTANGLED HEARTS Volume 1 contains:

WHEN A LAIRD LOVES A LADY

Arranged marriage romance!

When fierce warrior Iain MacLeod finds himself obliged to wed to save his king, Iain reluctantly travels across England to collect his unwanted bride, expecting to find a cold Englishwoman. Instead, he discovers a fiery, bold beauty whose fierce loyalty and protectiveness of those she loves defies him at every turn, challenging his certainty that his heart is dead. But can a warrior use to conquering surrender to love before it's too late?

WICKED HIGHLAND WISHES

Scandalous love triangle romance!

When legendary warrior Lachlan MacLeod's younger brother confesses his love for Bridgette MacLean—the only woman Lachlan has ever wanted—Lachlan turns away from the beautiful Scottish lass, vowing to be no more than her friend. But then Bridgette becomes a pawn in a dangerous political game and Lachlan will risk everything to save her, yet can he ever claim her for his own?

WHEN A HIGHLANDER LOSES HIS HEART

Enemies-to-lovers romance!

Set on revenge, Highland warrior Graham MacLeod abducts Isobel Campbell never anticipating his enemy's daughter would awaken an irresistible hunger in him. But then his beautiful, headstrong captive challenges his will and proves her courage and honor by willingly risking her life for his. With a battle for the Scottish throne brewing, Graham and Isobel must find a way to vanquish distrust and build an alliance, so they can grasp at unexpected love and withstand the devastation of war and a king determined to sacrifice anything—and anyone—to keep his throne.

HOW A SCOT SURRENDERS TO A LADY

Forbidden love romance!

Highland warrior Cameron MacLeod's mission for the king has just gone dangerously awry, and the best chance he has of saving it is the fair-haired beauty he encounters during the ambush. Injured during the battle, the enchantress has lost her memory, but Cameron harbors one of her. Long ago, a seer foretold that this woman had the power to destroy him. He's confident he's not so weak as to succumb to her charms, but the mysterious woman soon proves herself brave, guileless, and after one foolish, searing kiss, impossible to resist.

WHEN A WARRIOR WOOS A LASS

Soul Mates romance!

Haunted by violent nightmares of his dark past, Alex MacLean has put off getting married for as long as possible. But now he finds himself the husband of a woman scarred by the cruel whims of her late husband. Alex is drawn to Lena as he has never been to another. He vows to protect and heal her, and as she grows stronger, so does his love for her. Yet, his horrible memories and a treacherous task are preventing him from giving himself to her entirely, and the secrets he harbors threaten to destroy the life of love and hope they have just begun to build.

The full blurbs of each of the books can be read on the book's individual page.

The Beast's Bride (The Bluestocking War)

Author: Eva Devon

From USATODAY Bestselling author Eva Devon, writing as Maire Claremont, comes a brand new series that will sweep you away to the drama and angst of Regency England. Glittering ballrooms, wild moors, and brooding lords waiting to be tamed by bluestockings await. . .

Lady Augusta Penworthy is in dire straits. Her father has spent every last coin and she and her sisters cannot even afford coal. One chance encounter and a torn gown change everything. While one might think a sudden marriage to a wealthy lord would be a relief, if that marriage is to the Duke of Blacktower one would be vastly mistaken. For no young lady wishes to be the infamous rake's bride.

The Duke of Blacktower has a secret. He has vowed never to marry and ensured his fearsome reputation would dissuade any hopeful lady or their scheming mama. Now, his hand has been forced and his fury is unleashed. But Lady Augusta is not the manipulative young lady he believed and suddenly he finds himself tempted by his own bride.

A Sheriff to Salvage the Widow's Heart: A Historical Western Romance Novel

Author: Etta Foster

A lost baby at her doorstep, a newly found love in the sheriff's eyes!

After losing her beloved husband to a terrible infection, Clementine Milborn is struggling with the ranch she must run on her own. While trying her best to keep her property and her life afloat, Clementine has to deal with hostile men who want nothing to do with a woman. She thought her life could not get any more complicated...

Until she found a new-born baby left at her doorstep one day.

When his childhood sweetheart marries another man, the heartbroken Roger Wilson decides to move to a new place, become sheriff, and start a new life. Moving to a small town seemed like a good idea, but now Roger realizes he desperately needs to win local people's trust if he wants to survive there.

When Roger and Clementine meet and struggle with their irresistible attraction, they soon find that their paths are intertwined in more ways than one. As their secret shared alliance is put to the test, a new threat arrives one that can destroy everything they have worked so hard to build.

Will their love stand against adversity and the test of time?

***If you like engaging characters, heart- wrenching twists and turns, and lots of romance, then you'll love "A Sheriff to Salvage the Widow's Heart"!**

Buy "A Sheriff to Salvage the Widow's Heart" and unlock the exciting story of Roger and Clementine today!

Also available with Kindle Unlimited!

The Governess of Penwythe Hall (The Cornwall Novels Book 1)

Author: Sarah E. Ladd

Perfect for fans of *Poldark* and *Bridgerton*, this Regency romance is rich with family secrets, lingering danger, and the captivating allure of new love, all taking place on the Cornish coast.

Cornwall, England, 1811

Blamed for her husband's death, Cordelia Greythorne fled Cornwall and accepted a governess position to begin a new life. Years later her employer's unexpected death and his last request for her to watch over his five children force her to reevaluate. She can't abandon the children now that they've lost both parents, but their new guardian lives at the timeworn Penwythe Hall . . . back on the Cornish coast she's tried desperately to forget.

Jac Twethewey is determined to revive Penwythe Hall's once-flourishing apple orchards, and he'll stop at nothing to see his struggling estate profitable again. He hasn't heard from his brother in years, so when his nieces, nephews, and their governess arrive unannounced, he battles both grief at his brother's death and bewilderment over this sudden responsibility. Jac's priorities shift as the children take up residence in the ancient halls, but their secretive governess—and the mystery shrouding her past—proves to be a disruption to his carefully laid plans.

Praise for *The Governess of Penwythe Hall*:

"Brimming with dangerous secrets, rich characters, and the hauntingly beautiful descriptions Sarah Ladd handles so well, 1800s Cornwall is brought vividly to life in this well-crafted tale that kept me glued to the pages. What a brilliant start to a new series!" —Abigail Wilson, author of *Masquerade at Middlecrest Abbey*

"Absolutely captivating! Once I started reading, I couldn't put down *The Governess of Penwythe Hall*. This blend of *Jane Eyre*, Jane Austen, and *Jamaica Inn* has it all. Intrigue. Danger. Poignant moments. And best of all a sweet, sweet love story. This is by far my favorite Sarah Ladd book. Don't hesitate to snatch up this title!" —Michelle Griep, Christy Award-winning author

"*The Governess of Penwythe Hall* is a delightful and emotionally gripping tale that will tick all the boxes for any Regency lover: romance, history, and enough unpredictable intrigue to keep you up past your bedtime." —Kristi Ann Hunter, author of *A Defense of Honor*

"Lovers of sweet and Christian romance alike will fall in love with Delia's strength amid the haunting backdrop of her tragic past and the Cornish coast. Throw in a handsome leading man willing to turn his life upside down for the children in Delia's charge, and you have a story you can't put down." —Josi S. Kilpack, Whitney

Award-winning author

- Sweet, full-length Regency romance
 - First book in the Cornwall novels (*The Governess of Penwythe Hall*, *The Thief of Lanwyn Manor*, and *The Light at Wyndcliff*), but can be read as a stand-alone story
 - Book length: 94,000 words
 - Includes discussion questions for book clubs
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The MacKinnon's Bride (The Highland Brides Book 1)

Author: Tanya Anne Crosby

Romantic Times Top Pick! 4 1/2 Stars! and a K.I.S.S. AWARD

From a New York Times Bestselling Author, The MacKinnon's Bride brings us love, honor, suspense, passion--all the good things we love in a Highlander Romance.

When laird Iain MacKinnon's young son is captured by the English, the fierce Scottish chieftain retaliates in kind, capturing the daughter of his enemy to bargain for his son's return. Fiercely loyal to kin, Iain never imagines any father could deny his child--or that he would become Page FitzSimon's savior. "Keep her, or kill her!" FitzSimon proclaims when Iain forces his hand. So, what else should a good lad do, but carry the lass home--without telling her the truth: Her father doesn't want her. But even as Page blames her reluctant champion for welching on a bargain with her father, she suspects the truth... the shadows hold secrets... and danger. Now only love can save MacKinnon's fiery new bride.

Just Like Heaven (Smythe-Smith Quartet Book 1)

Author: Julia Quinn

Once again, #1 *New York Times* bestselling author Julia Quinn transports her readers to historical romance heaven! Quinn's *Just Like Heaven* is the dazzling first installment of a delightful quartet of Regency Era-set tales featuring the romantic exploits of the well-meaning but less-than-accomplished Smythe-Smith musicians—in this case, a beautiful violinist in the pitiful group who has her sights set on marrying the last unwed Bridgerton... unless her handsome, love-struck guardian has anything to say about it. Bridgerton fans will cry, "Encore!"—as will every reader who adores England's Regency period and great love stories that are smart, witty, and lighthearted.

Reforming the Duke: A Regency Romance (Regency Matchmakers Book 2)

Author: Laura Beers

Miss Amelia Blackmore has received the most interesting letter. The Dowager Duchess of Harrowden has requested that she visit Harrowden Hall under the guise of being her companion. Her true motive, however, is to successfully pair her son, the duke, with a potential love match. Intrigued by the prospect, Amelia sets off on an adventure, unprepared for the duke's reaction to his mother's new companion.

Edmund, the Duke of Harrowden, is miserable and has no qualms about showing it. When a young lady shows up claiming to be his mother's new companion, he immediately dismisses her. To his surprise, she defies him. Who does she think she is? No one dares defy him!

Edmund is adamant that Amelia needs to go, so he continuously strives to rid Harrowden Hall of his mother's vexing companion. Soon, he realizes that there is more to her than what he first observed, making him in real danger of losing his heart to Amelia. When the truth finally is revealed, can Edmund let go of his pride - and his past - to go after the woman he loves?

Duke of Knight (Gentlemen of Knights Book 1)

Author: Elizabeth Johns

Welcome to a new series by National bestselling author Elizabeth Johns. Enjoy the extraordinary tale of four Knight brothers, and one little sister in the *Gentlemen of Knights*.

Book 1, Duke of Knight is now available! Read for FREE with Kindle Unlimited!

Can a sharp-tongued governess become indispensable to a duke?

Rowley Knight, Duke of Knighton, is too busy being a duke to bother with such nonsense as love. With three heirs, he is in no hurry whatsoever to succumb to the lures of the leg-shackles. He is content managing his siblings and estates, and avoiding Society whenever possible. If he can only find someone to manage his young sister, life can go back to its proper order.

Emma Lancaster's father gambled away her family's fortune leaving her hopes for a respectable marriage shattered. Destitute and near desperate, she accepts a position as a governess to a young lady at the recommendation of her godmother. Little does she know that her charge is the brother of the man she despises. Can she humble herself to become his employee? Or will her temper get the best of her—and him?

Gentlemen of Knights

Book 1 - Duke of Knights

Book 2 - Black Knight

Book 3 - Knight and Day

Book 4 - Dark of Knight

Book 5 - Shining Knight

The Promise of Hades: A Fated Mates Fantasy Romance (The Hades Trials Book 3)

Author: Eliza Raine

The Greek God of the Underworld has turned my life completely upside-down and made me question everything I thought I knew about my life.

And now I don't even know who I am anymore. An internal war rages inside me, as I try to balance my need for more magic with the knowledge of what power does to people in Olympus. *What it may have done to me in the past.*

The one thing I do know though, is that my feelings for Hades are real. The Lord of the Dead is so much more than I ever realized, and something inside me knows that I need him as much as he needs me. But between the Hades Trials, the other Olympians, and whoever it is that's trying to kill me, I may not survive long enough to find a way for us to be together.

Hades says a light so bright can't live in the dark. But I'm not sure a life without him is worth living.

*The Promise of Hades is the third and final book in the Hades Trials, which is intended for adults and is packed with magic, mythology and slow-burn soulmate romance! *Contains swearing and mature themes.**

Mending the Duke's Heart: A Historical Regency Romance Book

Author: Bridget Barton

Miss Ella Ward, the daughter of a poor seamstress, has always dreamed of becoming a dress designer and catching the eye of even the most prominent figures in London. However, when her beloved father dies, she dedicates herself to working by her mother's side, to make ends meet. Her luck will finally change when a young lady becomes astonished by her talent and hires her as her personal dressmaker, spiralling her into a world she only dreamed of joining. It won't be long until Ella's world turns upside down once again, when she meets the lady's charming brother and becomes unable to stop daydreaming about his sparking gaze. Will Ella manage to survive and find love in a world that is totally unknown to her? Could she truly have the fairytale ending that any other girl of her class would die for?

After the unexpected loss of his father, Ross Edmundson, The Duke of Winthrope, has become distant, burying himself in grief. Carrying the extra wound of a past love, he has refused to open up his heart again and much to his distaste, he must suffer through the upcoming season as chaperone to his young sister. Everything is about to change though when he sees the beautiful seamstress of his sister and day by day realises he is desperately falling in love with her. However, he knows that this love would be against society's rules and that he would have to clash even with his own mother, who would undoubtedly be against this romance. Will the lonely Duke find the strength to defy everything for the sake of love? Could Ella be the one to finally sew his broken heart back together?

Ross and Ella cannot deny their blossoming feelings and they are desperate to make amends that will bring them closer to their happily ever after. However, a malicious figure who has set eyes on the Duke, tries to sabotage Ella and take her out of the picture once and for all. Will the honourable Duke manage to protect her from a world that keeps breaking her gentle heart? Will the two soulmates eventually beat the odds stacked against them or will they fail to break down the walls that keep them apart?

"Mending the Duke's Heart" is a historical romance novel of approximately 80,000 words. No cheating, no cliffhangers, and a guaranteed happily ever after.

What the Wind Knows

Author: Amy Harmon

An Amazon Charts, *Wall Street Journal*, and *Washington Post* bestseller.

In an unforgettable love story, a woman's impossible journey through the ages could change everything...

Anne Gallagher grew up enchanted by her grandfather's stories of Ireland. Heartbroken at his death, she travels to his childhood home to spread his ashes. There, overcome with memories of the man she adored and consumed by a history she never knew, she is pulled into another time.

The Ireland of 1921, teetering on the edge of war, is a dangerous place in which to awaken. But there Anne finds herself, hurt, disoriented, and under the care of Dr. Thomas Smith, guardian to a young boy who is oddly familiar. Mistaken for the boy's long-missing mother, Anne adopts her identity, convinced the woman's disappearance is connected to her own.

As tensions rise, Thomas joins the struggle for Ireland's independence and Anne is drawn into the conflict beside him. Caught between history and her heart, she must decide whether she's willing to let go of the life she knew for a love she never thought she'd find. But in the end, is the choice actually hers to make?

A Governess Should Never... Tempt a Prizefighter

Author: Emily Windsor

'A story so beautiful and joyful, that I just want to read it over again... wonderfully written, with characters to love, root for, and sigh over.' ★★★★★ & TOP PICK - *Roses are Blue, Romantic Fiction Reviews*.

"So tell me, Miss Griffin, why should I employ you as governess?"

A question to rouse fear within the breast of any prospective governess but for Matilda, a lady without references, appropriate brown clothing or any experience with children whatsoever, doubly so.

But alone in the world except for a brutish guardian and a malodorous betrothed, Matilda must seek her own future, even if that means employment in the household of a rugged ex-prizefighter with sizeable muscles and doubtless minuscule intellect.

"Please continue to enlighten me, Miss Griffin."

Mr Seth Hawkins, owner of famed Boxing Academy, has reached the point of desperation in his search for a governess.

Yet with no other suitable candidates, could this yellow-clad, bespectacled female who seemed to think him a witless dolt with calloused knuckles and no books, teach his daughter the ways of a lady?

The Lady and the Prizefighter.

One should never judge a man by his well-defined muscles or a lady by her yellow-silk slippers, for beneath both façades lay shared dreams, yearning hearts and a taste for adventure.

With scandalous kisses in midnight carriages, tavern jaunts, whiffers, nobblers and dressing as a nefarious footpad on the prowl, the vocation of governess has never been so exciting...

A fun, heart-warming stand-alone Regency romance, this is the first book in a companion series to the *Games of Gentlemen*.

This tale contains sensual scenes.

The Governess Chronicles

1 - *A Governess Should Never... Tempt a Prizefighter*

Games of Gentlemen

1 - *The Duke of Diamonds* - OUT NOW

2 - *The Rake of Hearts*

3 - *The Earl of Spades*

4 - *The Prince of Clubs*

NO, Mr Darcy: A Regency Romance inspired by P&P

Author: Sydney Salier

Mrs Bennet claims a compromise between Elizabeth and Mr Darcy.

Darcy does the honourable thing, and angrily offers to marry Elizabeth, assuming she was a willing participant in the compromise, BUT without consulting the lady.

Elizabeth is not interested in marriage to a man she despises, BUT she is told by her family, she must marry Mr Darcy or leave Longbourn.

Which will Elizabeth choose?

The answer is obvious. She decides to leave Longbourn, after saying NO to Mr Darcy during the wedding ceremony.

Will Darcy thank his lucky stars that he narrowly escaped the connection to the crass Bennet family, or will Elizabeth's refusal open his eyes to Elizabeth's innocence in the scheme, and make him realise that he is in love with a very special lady?

Both of them need time to mature and find out what they truly want.

After such a rocky beginning, will they be able to find a way to a happily ever after?

The Secrets of Sir Richard Kenworthy (Smythe-Smith Quartet Book 4)

Author: Julia Quinn

Sir Richard Kenworthy has less than a month to find a bride. He knows he can't be too picky, but when he sees Iris Smythe-Smith hiding behind her cello at her family's infamous musicale, he thinks he might have struck gold. She's the type of girl you don't notice until the second—or third—look, but there's something about her, something simmering under the surface, and he knows she's the one.

Iris Smythe-Smith is used to being underestimated. With her pale hair and quiet, sly wit she tends to blend into the background, and she likes it that way. So when Richard Kenworthy demands an introduction, she is suspicious. He flirts, he charms, he gives every impression of a man falling in love, but she can't quite believe it's all true. When his proposal of marriage turns into a compromising position that forces the issue, she can't help thinking that he's hiding something . . . even as her heart tells her to say yes.

Highlander's Captive: A Scottish Historical Time Travel Romance (Called by a Highlander Book 1)

Author: Mariah Stone

She's lost in the past. He's a powerful Scottish warrior. Can star-crossed love find a future between the ages?

Search-and-rescue officer Amy MacDougall fears being trapped — both in small, dark places and in a relationship. But while chaperoning a high school trip to Scotland, she's forced to confront her claustrophobia to save a student in a castle dungeon. And when a magical rock in the ruins catapults her through time to 1307 AD, she's alarmed to come face-to-face with a handsome Scottish warrior.

Highlander Craig Cambel refuses to trust anyone after the MacDougall clan kidnapped and assaulted his sister. So when he discovers a beautiful woman in a secret tunnel in the stronghold he's infiltrating, he locks her up to prevent her from warning the enemy. But when she proves helpful to his people despite being a MacDougall, he can't stop his icy mistrust melting into desire.

As Amy searches for a way back home, she finds her phobia of commitment fading and falls for the brave Scot. But when Craig learns the mysterious woman isn't who he thought she was, all his dark doubts reignite.

Will the distance of centuries shatter their hearts forever, or will they give in to destiny and build a happy future?

Highlander's Captive is the enchanting first book in the Called by a Highlander time travel romance series. If you like courageous warriors, quick-witted heroines, and lush historical details, then you'll adore Mariah Stone's passionate story.

[Buy Highlander's Captive to find love long ago today!](#)

A Night Like This

Author: Julia Quinn

Nora Roberts calls Julia Quinn's novels, "Delightful." The #1 *New York Times* bestselling creator of the irresistible Bridgerton family, Quinn offers historical romance readers new delights with *A Night Like This*—the second book (following the phenomenal *Just Like Heaven*) to feature the affairs, romantic and melodic, of the endearing, if painfully untalented, Smythe-Smith musicians. On *A Night Like This* in Regency England, anything can happen, especially when a beautiful pianist sitting in at the annual Smythe-Smith musicale catches the eye of a haunted, hunted man in desperate need of redemption. There is simply no author in the realm of historical romance fiction hotter than the remarkable Julia Quinn—and anyone who has ever been swept away by the love stories of Amanda Quick,

Lisa Kleypas, or Jill Barnett will cherish *A Night Like This*.

The Wild One (The De Montforte Brothers Book 1)

Author: Danelle Harmon

"Danelle Harmon is one of my all-time favorite authors!" -- JULIA QUINN, New York Times #1 bestselling author of The Bridgertons

"The bluest of blood, the boldest of hearts; the de Montforte brothers will take your breath away."

England, 1776: Lord Gareth de Montforte is known as an irresponsible rake with a heart of gold. When he takes a bullet for boldly thwarting a stagecoach robbery, he is stunned to discover that the beautiful young woman he has heroically rescued, Juliet Paige, is his deceased brother's American fiancée, accompanied by her infant daughter. Despite his brother the duke's refusal to acknowledge Juliet, Gareth is determined to do right by the courageous woman who crossed an ocean to give her baby her rightful name. But Juliet is wary of marrying this black sheep aristocrat, even while she is hopelessly charmed by the dashing devil. Never has she met anyone who embraces life so thoroughly, who makes her laugh, who loves her so well. And, even when it seems the odds are against them, Juliet has absolute faith that Gareth will go beyond the call of duty, risking his life itself to give her and her daughter a home — and a love that will last a lifetime.

Read The De Montforte Brothers in Order:

1. Book 1: The Wild One
2. Book 2: The Beloved One
3. Book 3: The Defiant One
4. Book 4: The Wicked One
5. Book 5: The Wayward One
6. Book 6: The Admiral's Heart
7. Book 7: The Fox & the Angel
8. Book 8: My First Noel

PRAISE FOR THE WILD ONE by NEW YORK TIMES & USA TODAY BESTSELLING AUTHOR DANELLE HARMON:

"Provocative and passionate!" **LISA KLEYPAS**, *New York Times Bestselling Author*

"Danelle Harmon's style is as bold and sexy as her unforgettable characters!" - **LORETTA CHASE**, *New York Times Bestselling Author*

"A PERFECT 10! Terrific ... Sensational Georgian romance. Harmon has started her new series about the De Montforte family with a home run that will leave readers looking forward to stories about the remaining siblings. A perfect 10! -- *H. Klausner, Painted Rock Reviews*

5 STARS! "Very well written ... I had a wonderful time with this book and didn't want to let go when I reached the last page. Harmon is my new favorite author in this genre." -- *Jonetta, The Book Nympho*

"A DESERT ISLE KEEPER! "I knew right from the opening chapters that not only was I going to immensely enjoy this book, but that Gareth and Juliet were going to make a very interesting couple. The characters are real and vibrant ... A wonderful hero... a perfect heroine... Fantastic sexual tension!" -- *Kate Smith, All About Romance*

FIVE STARS! "A timeless love story! You'll find yourself crying, laughing and smiling while turning pages [and will] feel like these characters are a part of your family, since you'll empathize and get to know them so well. You'll be charmed by de Montfortes!"-- *Reading Romance Blog*

4.5 STARS! "A winner ... A page turner. A delightful romp!" -- *Affaire de Coeur*

4.5 STARS! "An unusual, entertaining and truly touching historical romance ... one of the best historical romances I've read in some time." -- *It's Raining Books Blogspot*

"I really enjoyed THE WILD ONE. Harmon has a very fun way of writing ... I know she can be counted on to tell good stories!" -- *Readasaurus Reviews*

The Widow of Falbrooke Court (Ladies of Devon Book 3)

Author: Kasey Stockton

Can true love break the curse?

Amelia Fawn is cursed—or so she believes. How else can she explain each of her husbands' deaths within the first year of marriage? So after the ton names her the Black Widow and warns eligible men to stay clear, Amelia vows never to marry again. Not even if she falls in love.

Charles Fremont has loved Amelia Fawn his entire life. But after enduring countless rejections and watching her get married three other times, he's finally had enough. He swears a vow to never ask anything from her again. Even if it kills him.

Book three in the *Ladies of Devon* series, *The Widow of Falbrooke Court*, is a clean Regency romance continuing the story of the four women who make up a literary society in Devon and form a lasting friendship.

The Sum of All Kisses

Author: Julia Quinn

From Julia Quinn, the *New York Times* bestselling author of steamy historical romances, comes the third seductive installment of the Smythe-Smith Quartet, *The Sum of All Kisses*.

Sarah Pleinsworth can't forgive Hugh Prentice for the duel he fought three years ago that nearly destroyed her family, sent her cousin fleeing, and left Hugh himself with a badly injured leg. That's fine with Hugh, who can't tolerate Sarah's dramatic ways. But when the two are forced to spend a week together, they find that unexpected kisses, and mutual passion, may have the power to change both of their minds.

Written with Julia Quinn's trademark style, *The Sum of All Kisses* is a witty and lighthearted Regency romance.

Serving the Viscount: Historical Regency Romance

Author: Roselyn Francis

"I don't mind a good puzzle. I shall solve you, my dear."

Having given up on love ages ago, Lawrence, Viscount Morton, has decided to make a **marriage of convenience** with a woman he has never seen. His intended arrives battered and frightened on a rainy night, and something stirs in him; the need to hold and **utterly possess her**.

What a pity that he has to wait until their **wedding night!**

Being a maid, Hanna has to accompany her engaged Lady to London. But their trip is cut short, and **her mistress runs away**. She is now entrusted with carrying the news to the Viscount.

Hanna lost her voice upon seeing the **mesmerizing** Viscount. Especially when she realized that **he thinks she is his future wife!** Something about the handsome, **forbidden** lord makes her **forget all rules**, and play along.

But how long will she be able to hide her true identity? And how can he love a fraud?

Her mouth speaks lies, yet her lips tell the truth...

***If you like seductive Earls, Dukes, and Barons with a soft heart but a strong will, and romance stories depicting the Regency period, then *Serving the Viscount* is the perfect novel for you.**

Dive into the epic world of the Regency Era Ladies, Governesses, and Bluestockings while Roselyn Francis takes you on a suspenseful journey full of passion and true love!

"Serving the Viscount" is a Historical Regency romance novel of more than 40,000 words (around 200 pages). STANDALONE, no cheating, no cliffhangers, and a guaranteed happily ever after.

An Expectation of Love: A Regency Romance (Landon House Book 6)

Author: Rose Pearson

Rakes and rascals eager for her dowry and status...Can Lady Dorothea find one good gentleman?

As the youngest daughter, Lady Dorothea has been a little more indulged by their father than her sisters. Being fully aware in her own mind as to what she wished her future husband to be, she is immediately dissuaded from accepting the Earl of Windford's attentions due to the fact that he has something of a limp and cannot partake in society to its fullest extent.

Lord Oliver Windford is astonished at himself. To find himself so drawn to a lady, to then be so turned from her has left him in a great confusion! Already injured by society's disdain, he makes plans to leave London only to be prevented by the attentions of an entirely new lady. But is she genuine in her considerations towards him or does she have another motive?

This is the sixth book in the Landon House series, where Lady Hayward and the Duke of Landon form an alliance to assist each other with difficulties of their family life. Get your copy today!

When Dorothea realizes that the gentlemen around her are nothing more than rakes and rascals eager for her dowry and status, she soon begins to question her own attitude and selfishness. Is it too late for her to accept Lord Windford's attentions, or has he, as she fears, already turned towards another?

Determination: A Pride & Prejudice Variation

Author: C. P. Odom

"Love at first sight" is a laughable concept in the considered opinion of Colonel Richard Fitzwilliam and never occurs in real life—certainly not in the life of an experienced soldier. In fact, until he observes the smitten nature of his cousin Fitzwilliam Darcy, he doubts that fervent love exists. Marriage, after all, is a matter of money, social standing, and property.

But his cousin becomes besotted with Elizabeth Bennet, the lovely but penniless daughter of a Hertfordshire gentleman, and is determined to make her his wife. Unfortunately, emotions overwhelm his good judgment, and he botches an offer of marriage.

When the colonel attempts to untangle the mess, his own world becomes almost as chaotic when he makes the accidental acquaintance of Miss Jane Bennet, Elizabeth's beloved eldest sister. Can emotions previously deemed impossible truly seize such a level-headed person as himself? And can impassible obstacles deter a man of true determination?

The Wallflower's Wild Wedding (The Wallflower Wins Book 3)

Author: Eva Devon

In this wild and witty series the wallflower always wins. . . The rakes, rogues, and dukes won't know what's hit them. . .

Miss Eloise Edginton has spent every single season as a woeful wallflower. Every year, she longs to sing for society as all the other young ladies do. . . There's just one problem. Eloise has a golden voice that even the greatest prima donna would envy. Desperate to fulfill her dreams of becoming a great singer, Eloise does the only thing she can. She petitions the famous opera patron the Earl of Hollybrook to aid her. In all her wildest dreams, Eloise never could have imagined his shocking solution but to fulfill her deep desires, she will do whatever he says. . . Even risk ruin.

The Earl of Hollybrook is a rake of rakes. Knowing the dangers of jealousy, he chooses to change partners as quickly as some gentlemen change their cravats. But when a young lady accosts him at a house party in his bedchamber, it isn't the sort of proposition he's used to. And he finds, he cannot resist Eloise's dreams. Determined to make them come true, as his never could, Hollybrook takes her in hand. But as he does, she takes his heart. . . The very worst thing that could happen. For he fears the monster that love could make him.

Dreaming of You (Gamblers Book 2)

Author: Lisa Kleypas

When shy and secluded author Sara Fielding ventures from her country cottage to research a novel, she inadvertently witnesses a crime in progress—and manages to save the life of the most dangerous man in London.

Derek Craven is a powerful and near-legendary gambling club owner who was born a bastard and raised in the streets. His reputation is unsavory, his scruples nonexistent. But Sara senses that beneath Derek's cynical exterior, he is capable of a love more passionate than her deepest fantasies.

Aware that he is the last man that an innocent young woman should ever want, Derek is determined to protect Sara from himself, no matter what it takes. But in a world where secrets lurk behind every shadow, he is the only man who can keep her safe. And as Derek and Sara surrender to an attraction too powerful to deny, a peril surfaces from his dark past to threaten their happiness . . . and perhaps even their lives.

Together they will discover if love is enough to make dreams come true.

Fortune Favors the Sparrow

Author: Rebecca Connolly

Mischief is as mischief does...

Clara Harlow is perfectly content with her life as a teacher of art and French at the Miss Masters Finishing School, so nothing startles her more than to discover that the school is far more than it seems, and its purposes more complicated than anything she could have imagined. She finds herself accepting an assignment from the highest powers in England to use her talents for a particular mission: to impersonate the ward of the late Duke of Kirklín, gain access to the estate, and to discern how a strip of the Kent coastline there is being used against the security of England.

The present Duke of Kirklín, George Russell, better known as Hawk, does not know what to make of the appearance of the former ward of his late uncle, but he is captivated by her. Her skills in art are unlike anything he has ever seen, and her company grows more agreeable with every passing day. His boring, bachelor life grows less and less appealing, and the company within his walls more perfectly suited for the place than he ever dreamed.

What could possibly go wrong?

A Long Petal of the Sea: A Novel

Author: Isabel Allende

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • From the author of *The House of the Spirits*, this epic novel spanning decades and crossing continents follows two young people as they flee the aftermath of the Spanish Civil War in search of a place to call home.

"One of the most richly imagined portrayals of the Spanish Civil War to date, and one of the strongest and most affecting works in [Isabel Allende's] long career."—*The New York Times Book Review*

NAMED ONE OF THE BEST BOOKS OF THE YEAR BY *Esquire* • *Good Housekeeping* • *Parade*

In the late 1930s, civil war grips Spain. When General Franco and his Fascists succeed in overthrowing the government, hundreds of thousands are forced to flee in a treacherous journey over the mountains to the French border. Among them is Roser, a pregnant young widow, who finds her life intertwined with that of Victor Dalmau, an army doctor and the brother of her deceased love. In order to survive, the two must unite in a marriage neither of them desires.

Together with two thousand other refugees, Roser and Victor embark for Chile on the SS *Winnipeg*, a ship chartered by the poet Pablo Neruda: "the long petal of sea and wine and snow." As unlikely partners, the couple embraces exile as the rest of Europe erupts in world war. Starting over on a new continent, they face trial after trial, but they will also find joy as they patiently await the day when they might go home. Through it all, their hope of returning to Spain keeps them going. Destined to witness the battle between freedom and repression as it plays out across the world, Roser and Victor will find that home might have been

closer than they thought all along.

A masterful work of historical fiction about hope, exile, and belonging, *A Long Petal of the Sea* shows Isabel Allende at the height of her powers.

Praise for *A Long Petal of the Sea*

"Both an intimate look at the relationship between one man and one woman and an epic story of love, war, family, and the search for home, this gorgeous novel, like all the best novels, transports the reader to another time and place, and also sheds light on the way we live now."—**J. Courtney Sullivan, author of *Saints for All Occasions***

"This is a novel not just for those of us who have been Allende fans for decades, but also for those who are brand-new to her work: What a joy it must be to come upon Allende for the first time. She knows that all stories are love stories, and the greatest love stories are told by time."—**Colum McCann, National Book Award-winning author of *Let the Great World Spin***

The Secret Wife: A captivating story of romance, passion and mystery: Love. Guilt. Heartbreak.

Author: Gill Paul

TWO WOMEN. ONE HISTORY. A SECRETS THAT CROSSES CENTURIES.

**** The USA Today Bestseller****

****The number one Kindle bestseller****

'A cleverly crafted novel and an enthralling story... A triumph.' DINAH JEFFERIES, author of *The Tuscan Contessa*

Love. Guilt. Heartbreak.

1914: Russia is on the brink of collapse, and the Romanov family faces a terrifyingly uncertain future. Grand Duchess Tatiana has fallen in love with cavalry officer Dmitri, but events take a catastrophic turn, placing their romance – and their lives – in danger . . .

2016: Kitty Fisher escapes to her great-grandfather's remote cabin in America, after a devastating revelation makes her flee London. There, on the shores of Lake Akanabee, she discovers the spectacular jewelled pendant that will lead her to a long-buried family secret . . .

Haunting, moving and beautifully written, *The Secret Wife* effortlessly crosses centuries, as past merges with present in an unforgettable story of love, loss and resilience.

The Secret Life of Miss Anna Marsh (The Marriage Game Book 2)

Author: Ella Quinn

For Ella Quinn's bachelors, courtship is all about gamesmanship, until the right woman shows them how much they have to learn . . .

Since she was a young girl, Anna Marsh has dreamed of Sebastian, Baron Rutherford asking for her hand in marriage. But that was in another life when her brother Harry was alive, before she vowed to secretly continue the work he valiantly died for. Now as Sebastian finally courts Anna, she must thwart his advances. Were he to discover her secret, he would never deem her a suitable wife . . .

Sebastian has always known Anna would become his wife someday. He expects few obstacles, but when she dissuades him at every turn he soon realizes there is much more to this intriguing woman. Somehow he must prove to her that they are meant to be together. But first he must unravel the seductive mystery that is Miss Anna Marsh . . .

Lady Ruthless (Notorious Ladies of London Book 1)

Author: Scarlett Scott

Lady Calliope Manning is determined to punish the man she holds responsible for her beloved brother's death. She will do anything in her power to destroy him. When rumors swirl that the Earl of Sinclair requires a wealthy bride to rescue himself from dire financial straits, she seizes the opportunity to ruin him at last.

Justin "Sin" Vaughn, Earl of Sinclair, needs to marry an heiress, and he needs to marry one now. But the sudden, anonymous publication of salacious memoirs rumored to be his obliterates his chances. With polite society convinced he is a murderer, he has only one choice: find the person behind his supposed memoirs and get his revenge.

Callie never expected Lord Sinclair to discover she wrote Confessions of a Sinful Earl. Or to abduct her and demand restitution in the form of her own hand in marriage. She definitely did not expect to find him so difficult to resist...

Sin is about to teach the beautiful, perfidious Lady Callie a lesson in ruthlessness. One scorching-hot kiss at a time.

The Hunt For Piper Oberg

Author: Duane Boehm

***The Hunt For Piper Oberg* is the latest novel by bestselling Western author Duane Boehm.**

When Piper Oberg reaches the point where she considers death preferable to another day of living with her mining tycoon husband, Rasmus, she is encouraged by her housekeeper, Maggie, to leave for a new life. While Piper and Maggie escape Denver for a fresh start, Rasmus will never allow his wife her freedom. He sends the indifferent Grayson Cooper to find his wife to return her home, but when the hunter becomes the hunted, unexpected alliances are formed that will lead each one of the group to have a reckoning with the past and change all of their lives as they try to escape Rasmus's vengeance.

Duane Boehm has written another western novel with enough humor, heartbreak, love, and outlaws to keep you turning the page.

Rescuing Lord Inglewood: A Regency Romance

Author: Sally Britton

All he wants is someone he can trust. All she wants is to belong. But when compromising circumstances force them together, do they have a chance at finding love?

Silas Riley, Earl of Inglewood, is known among his peers in Parliament as the man made of stone. As a wealthy peer, there are few he trusts with his friendship. He guards his heart and his honor with vigilance, and when an accident nearly takes his life, he's faced with a situation which threatens his standing in society.

Growing up in the shadow of her older brother, Esther Fox's acceptance in his circle has been indifferent at best. So when she ends up in a compromising situation as she saves the life of her brother's dearest friend, the Earl of Inglewood, she is forced to marry him to save her own reputation. Once again, she finds herself accepted only because of the situation, and not because she is truly wanted.

Neither are prepared for a loss which further complicates their new relationship. With such a difficult beginning, can they ever hope to understand one another, let alone find love?

Kiss of the Lyon (The Lyon's Den Book 12)

Author: Meara Platt

Enter the world of the most notorious gambling den in London, where matches are made... unusually. Welcome to the world of THE LYON'S DEN: The Black Widow of Whitehall Connected World, where the underground of Regency London thrives... and loves.

He was only supposed to win the high stakes game of chance, not a bride along with it.

Lord Matthew Lyon is often called upon by the Crown because of his mathematical brilliance, and participating in a high stakes game of chance at the notorious Lyon's Den should have been the easy part of his assignment...only it goes terribly wrong. He wins the pot, as expected since his probability calculations never fail. But no one calculated on his winning the hand of Lady Danielle Haverfield, daughter of the Earl of Haverfield, the prime suspect in a treason plot against the Crown and the very man he is assigned to bring down.

She was only trying to stop her brother from gambling his life away.

Lady Danielle Haverfield knew she did not belong in the Lyon's Den, but she had to stop her brother before he gambled away his entire inheritance. Not only did she fail to stop him, but she's ruined her life as well. Lady Dove-Lyon will not allow her brother to go unpunished, even though the handsome Scottish lord who's wiped him out is willing to forgive the debt. But the Black Widow of Whitehall has a fearsome reputation to maintain. Someone is going to have to pay for her brother's inability to pay up, and she's decided it is to be Danielle. Well, the handsome Scot could have asked for her only for the one night, but he's proposed marriage instead.

Can their love survive his secrets and her father's betrayal?

Other Lyon's Den Books

Into the Lyon's Den
The Scandalous Lyon
Fed to the Lyon
The Lyon's Lady Love
The Lyon's Laird
The Lyon Sleeps Tonight

A Lyon in Her Bed
Fall of the Lyon
Lyon's Prey
Loved by the Lyon
The Lyon's Den in Winter

For the Heart of a Rebellious Governess: A Clean & Sweet Regency Historical Romance Novel

Author: Fanny Finch

Divided by society, united in their cause. And joined forever in love...

A wrong turn brings Matthew Somersby in the slums of London, where a passionate young woman makes him realize that not everyone is as lucky as he was, growing up as a Duke's son. Unable to stay put and do nothing, Matthew starts wandering in disguise, helping those in need.

Anna Smith's family is suffering, like so many others, by the effects of the Corn Laws. Her contempt for noblemen must be put aside, as accepting a governess's position in a Lord's home is her only option to avoid starvation.

What Anna never imagined though, is that her employer's brother is the same young man she had a quarrel with, after they bumped into each other in the poorer parts of the city...

The two of them will be trapped in a dance of fighting for those who cannot do it alone and fighting for their forbidden romance...

But will their love prove strong enough to conquer their social differences...?

***If you like engaging characters, heart-wrenching twists and turns, and lots of romance, then you'll love "For the Heart of a Rebellious Governess"!**

Buy "For the Heart of a Rebellious Governess" and unlock the exciting story of Matthew and Anna today!

Also available with Kindle Unlimited!

The Warrior God: A Fated Mates Fantasy Romance (The Ares Trials Book 1)

Author: Eliza Raine

Anger management isn't so bad when your shrink is gorgeous. It's less great when you turn up to find him dead on the floor, and an armored giant dressed like a freaking ancient warrior standing over his body though.

Ares, the God of War, has lost his power and the only way for him to get it back? Me. Apparently, I'm a goddess. One with the power of war. I mean, it does explain a lot.

To my relief, Joshua, my shrink and only friend, isn't really dead. He's been kidnapped and taken to Olympus—the world where I'm supposed to belong. I vow to do whatever it takes to find him. But Ares has other plans for me. He wants my power, and the easiest way for him to get it is to kill me.

When Hades suggests a compromise, I'm forced to work side-by-side with a giant, murderous warrior god. One with far too many secrets. Ares might be the brute everyone thinks he is, but I'm no angel. He awakens a power within me that I've failed to control my whole life.

And I soon discover that Joshua isn't the only one that needs saving.

The Warrior God is the first book in the Ares Trials, which is intended for adults and is packed with magic, mythology and enemies-to-lovers soulmate romance!

There are some spoilers for Hades' and Persephone's story as the plot follows directly on from the Promise of Hades.

Contains swearing and mature themes.

The Elephant Keeper's Daughter

Author: Julia Drosten

From the bestselling author of *The Lioness of Morocco* comes the beguiling novel of a young woman trapped between the expectations of her family and the desire to live free.

Ceylon, 1803. In the royal city of Kandy, a daughter is born to the king's elephant keeper—an esteemed position in the court reserved only for males. To ensure the line of succession, Phera's parents raise her as a boy.

As she bonds with her elephant companion, Siddhi, Phera grows into a confident, fiercely independent woman torn between the expectations of her family and her desire to live life on her own terms. Only when British colonists invade is she allowed to live her true identity, but when the conquerors commit unspeakable violence against her people, Phera must add survival to the list of freedoms for which she's willing to fight.

Possessed by thoughts of revenge yet drawn into an unexpected romance with a kindly British physician, the elephant keeper's daughter faces a choice: Love or hatred? Forgiveness or retribution?

Given to the Highlander

Author: Amelia Smarts

Marisol Adams grew up aboard the space station which has served as humanity's refuge since the great cataclysm, and when she is sent to join a recently established colony in the Scottish Highlands she quickly discovers that her new life will be quite different. Not only has she been given to the future clan chief as his bride, her new husband will have complete authority over her and will enforce that authority with a firm hand applied to her bare bottom as often as necessary.

Though it doesn't take long for Marisol to find herself over the stern, handsome Scotsman's knee for a sound spanking, she cannot help longing for his touch even after her already bright red backside is paddled until she is well past tears. Her desire for him and her love for him grow with each passing day, but can she make a place for herself among the rugged people of this land?

Publisher's Note: *Given to the Highlander* includes spankings and sexual scenes. If such material offends you, please don't buy this book.

Mr. Gardiner and the Governess: A Regency Romance (Clairvoir Castle Romances Book 1)

Author: Sally Britton

A duke's governess, a gentleman entomologist, and a castle full of flowers is the perfect setting for a summer romance.

As the new governess to the duke's family, Alice Sharpe must learn to control her impulsiveness. Employment in the duke's household is a once in a lifetime opportunity, and could mean living in comfort the rest of her days. Unfortunately, her first encounter with the duke's houseguest, a handsome gentleman obsessed with insects, proves she may not be ready for the austere role of governess.

Rupert Gardiner has one goal: to have his work in entomology and botany published by the Royal Society. He is fortunate that the Duke of Montfort, believes in him and enlists Rupert to make a record of all the flora on the castle grounds. But Miss Sharpe's spontaneity and continual appearance during his work is an annoying distraction. At least, that's what he tells himself.

While Alice struggles to adapt to her new role, constantly striving to go unnoticed while still being herself, she cannot help but admire Rupert's intelligence and focus. The more often they fall in together, the more her admiration deepens. But could a gentleman such as he ever fall in love with the governess?

As the first stand-alone novel in a new series by author Sally Britton, this story begins the Clairvoir Castle romances. This is a light-hearted series set in the Regency period.

Sally Britton's other works include:

The Inglewood Romances:

Rescuing Lord Inglewood

Discovering Grace

Saving Miss Everly

Engaging Sir Isaac

Hampshire Stories: A Collection of Tales Set in 19th-Century England

Author: Joe Giampaolo

★★★★★ “Hampshire Stories: A Collection of Tales Set in 19th-Century England by Joe Giampaolo is a stellar collection of short stories!... These are stories of pure delight and feature a lovable cast of characters... Giampaolo's writing is reminiscent of Jane Austen and Elizabeth Gaskell” (Editorial Review by Literary Titan, 2020).

'Hampshire Stories' is an award-winning collection of short narratives set in nineteenth-century England. This collection was written with particular attention to historical accuracy and is recommended for teen and adult readers who enjoy charming love stories or poignant dramas of the Regency and Victorian periods. You will enjoy this journey back in time to nineteenth-century England.

AWARDS: GOLD MEDAL, LITERARY TITAN BOOK AWARD 2020

Ranked 37th on Amazon Canada's Top 100 Bestsellers list in the Victorian Historical Romance category and 66th in the Regency Historical Romance category (December 2020).

WHAT READERS AROUND THE WORLD ARE SAYING ABOUT HAMPSHIRE STORIES:

“To read this work is to immerse oneself in a magical and, at the same time, mundane world of afternoon teas, soirées, holidays by the sea, beautiful dresses and military uniforms. The author has replicated the writing style of the period with such ability that I completely forgot I was reading a book written in our modern times.” (Amazon reader, USA) – “I felt like I was so immersed that I was watching a movie... The writing is excellent and has realistic scenarios and dialogue. This book is perfect for a relaxing time to sit down and be transported into another time.” (Amazon reader, USA) - “His writing is so natural and evocative that this book becomes a journey of time travel to those eras! (Amazon reader, USA) - “Joe Giampaolo takes the cake with this collection. The dialogue is witty and enthralling... Giampaolo's descriptions in the stories are so vivid that I felt like I was in the book.” (Amazon reader, USA) - “Dramatic, humorous, and heartfelt, Hampshire Stories draws the reader into an engaging read” (Amazon reader, Canada) – “The prose deftly illuminates the period and immerses you in a world of engaging characters. Everything you want in historical fiction stories.” (Amazon reader, Canada) - “Wonderful storytelling and beautifully written. Joe Giampaolo eloquently conveys the 19th-century period in which his stories are set” (Amazon reader, Canada) – “A lovely collection set in 19th century written by extremely talented writer Joe Giampaolo. Vivid imagery and wonderful stories... This book made me very happy.” (Amazon reader, Canada) – “A wonderful and very enjoyable collection of short stories. The author uses an exquisite prose... A fine piece of literature.” (Amazon reader, Italy) – “Very beautifully written, with a classic and elegant style. The characters are credible and the recreation of the period is immersive and utterly convincing.” (Amazon reader, Brazil) –

The Thief of Lanwyn Manor (The Cornwall Novels Book 2)

Author: Sarah E. Ladd

In Regency England an advantageous match could set up a lady for life. Julia knows Matthew Blake, copper mine owner and very eligible bachelor, is the gentleman she should set her eyes upon. But why can't she steal her gaze away from his younger brother, Isaac?

Cornwall, England, 1818

Julia Twethewey needs a diversion to mend her broken heart, so when her cousin invites her to Lanwyn Manor, Julia eagerly accepts. The manor is located at the heart of Cornwall's mining industry, and as a guest Julia is swept into its intricate world. It's not long, though, before she realizes something dark lurks within the home's ancient halls.

As a respected mine owner's younger son, Isaac Blake is determined to keep his late father's legacy alive through the family business, despite his brother's careless attitude. In order to save their livelihood—and that of the people around them—the brothers approach the master of Lanwyn Manor with plans to bolster the floundering local industry. Isaac can't deny his attraction to the man's charming niece, but his brother has made clear his intentions to court the lovely visitor. And Isaac knows his place.

When tragedy strikes, mysteries arise, and valuables go missing, Julia and Isaac find they are pulled together in a swirl of strange circumstances, but despite their best efforts to bow to social expectations, their hearts aren't so keen to surrender.

- Sweet Regency Romance
- Full-length novel, approximately 90,000 words
- Second in the Cornwall series, but can be read alone

Praise for *The Thief of Lanwyn Manor*

“*Northanger Abbey* meets *Poldark* against the resplendent and beautifully realized landscape of Cornwall.” —**Rachel McMillan**, author of *The London Restoration*

“Cornwall’s iconic sea cliffs are on display in *The Thief of Lanwyn Manor*, but it’s the lyrical prose, rich historical detail, and layered characters that truly shine. The story anchors the foray into Cornwall’s copper mining legacy with historical accuracy and brilliant heart. Fans of Regency romance will be instantly drawn in and happily lost within the pages—this is Sarah E. Ladd at her best!” —**Kristy Cambron**, bestselling author of the *Lost Castle* series

Highland Treasure: Highland Brides

Author: Lynsay Sands

A Buchanan brother finds a love to treasure in this scintillating historical romance from *New York Times* bestselling author Lynsay Sands...

After escaping from the English soldiers who attacked her home and imprisoned her in a dungeon, Lady Elysande de Valance is grateful for the rugged Scots who are escorting her to safety in the Highlands. Even with danger dogging their every step, she hadn’t expected to welcome the strong comforting embrace of their leader, Rory Buchanan. They say he’s a healer, but she finds the heat of his touch does so much more...

Let his brothers get married—Rory is too busy tending to the sick to be bothered with wooing a bride. But when he is tasked with accompanying a family friend’s “treasure” to the Highlands, he is surprised to learn the treasure is a beautiful woman on the run—and even more surprised to discover bruises hidden by her veil. Rory makes it his mission to tend to her injuries and protect her, but the thought of losing her makes him realize that perhaps it is *his* heart that is most in need of healing...

Once Upon a Devilishly Enchanting Kiss (The Whickertons in Love Book 1)

Author: Bree Wolf

In this enemies-to-lovers regency romance by USA Today bestselling and HOLT Medallion winning author Bree Wolf, a head-strong lady and her devilishly charming nemesis find that fighting love only prolongs the inevitable.

*He loves nothing better than to tease her.
She considers him her nemesis...
...until the day she does not.*

England 1801: LADY LOUISA, daughter to the EARL OF WHICKERTON, never thought she would ever have reason enough to hate anyone; especially not PHINEAS HAWKE, VISCOUNT BARRINGTON, the man with the most wickedly dark eyes she has ever seen.

Yet, at an innocent ball, Louisa is suddenly forced to realize that the man she could easily have lost her heart to has discovered her most shameful secret. And that is not all.

Lord Barrington makes it a habit to tease her endlessly about it, his devilish grin and knowing eyes mocking her, testing her resolve time and time again. Struggling to maintain her composure, Louisa vows to never surrender, to never allow him to see how deeply his flippant words wound her. Anger settles in her heart, burying all tender emotions, as she tries her utmost to ignore him.

That, however, is easier said than done.

PHINEAS HAWKE has known the lovely LADY LOUISA almost all his life; not well, but at least from afar, they have always been acquainted. Her face is a familiar sight, and although he cannot deny that she possesses certain appealing charms, Phineas has never looked at her and seen someone other than simply one of Lord Whickerton’s daughters.

At least not, until another gentleman rather unexpectedly voices his partiality toward her.

Suddenly, Phineas realizes that the woman he has known all his life is one he has ignored for far too long, and to his utter dismay, she has come to loathe the very sight of him. Why? He does not know; however, he will not yield easily.

As it seems, neither will she.

If you enjoy wicked viscounts as well as head-strong ladies, fierce in their affections and daring in their search for their perfect match, then ONCE UPON A DEVILISHLY ENCHANTING KISS is perfect for you!

The Secret Diaries of Miss Miranda Cheever (Bevelstoke Book 1)

Author: Julia Quinn

2 March 1810 . . . Today, I fell in love.

At the age of ten, Miranda Cheever showed no signs of Great Beauty. And even at ten, Miranda learned to accept the expectations society held for her—until the afternoon when Nigel Bevelstoke, the handsome and dashing Viscount Turner, solemnly kissed her hand and promised her that one day she would grow into herself, that one day she would be as beautiful as she already was smart. And even at ten, Miranda knew she would love him forever.

But the years that followed were as cruel to Turner as they were kind to Miranda. She is as intriguing as the viscount boldly predicted on that memorable day—while he is a lonely, bitter man, crushed by a devastating loss. But Miranda has never forgotten the truth she set down on paper all those years earlier—and she will not allow the love that is her destiny to slip lightly through her fingers . . .

Undressed with the Marquess (Lost Lords of London Book 3)

Author: Christi Caldwell

For a heartbroken woman and a daring thief, the most tempting proposal comes *after* marriage in the unforgettable final Lost Lords of London novel by USA Today bestselling author Christi Caldwell.

Long ago, Dare Grey disappeared from privilege to help the downtrodden. Abandoning his future as a nobleman, he instead came of age as the most skilled—and wanted—thief in East London. But when the Robin Hood of the Rookeries is captured, his influential grandfather offers him a choice: face his heritage...or the gallows. And to step into his rightful role as marquess, Dare must find a wife.

Little do they know, he already has.

Marrying Dare rescued young Temperance Swift from a brutal life. Yet his commitments were elsewhere, and Temperance would not continue in the charade of a relationship that surely would end with her husband in Newgate Prison. It broke her heart to leave the righteous bandit, but she established a new life for herself as a seamstress. One who respected and obeyed the law and kept herself safe—if lonely.

But Dare finds her and offers to resume their role as husband and wife, and this time it will yield a fortune. A fortune that could be used to help the disadvantaged, without resorting to ever-more-daring thefts...

Once they're ensconced in the comfortable family fold of Mayfair, the romance they thought ended years ago stirs again. But when every kiss is shadowed by the mistakes of the past, and a haunting secret Temperance bears, will love be enough to save them from such an uncertain fate?

The Duke Heist (The Wild Wynchesters Book 1)

Author: Erica Ridley

A NYT bestselling author kicks off a new Regency series of "irresistible romance and a family of delightful scoundrels" as a woman looking to recover a stolen painting accidentally kidnaps a duke instead. (Eloisa James)

Chloe Wynchester is completely forgettable -- a curse that gives her the ability to blend into any crowd. When the only father she's ever known makes a dying wish for his adopted family of orphans to recover a missing painting, she's the first one her siblings turn to for stealing it back. No one expects that in doing so, she'll also abduct a handsome duke.

Lawrence Gosling, the Duke of Faircliffe, is tortured by his father's mistakes. To repair his estate's ruined reputation, he must wed a highborn heiress. Yet when he finds himself in a carriage being driven hell-for-leather down the cobblestone streets of London by a beautiful woman who refuses to heed his commands, he fears his heart is hers. But how can he sacrifice his family's legacy to follow true love?

"Erica Ridley is a delight!" --Julia Quinn, New York Times bestselling author of the Bridgerton series

The Duke I Thought I Knew: A Historical Regency Romance Novel

Author: Emma Linfield

"Over everything, I choose you..."

Miss Anastasia Byrds' life crumbles the day her father passes. Left in the care of her cruel uncle, she is certain she is trapped in a perpetual nightmare. A nightmare that proves real when her uncle arranges her marriage to a man she has only ever heard terrible whispers about.

Clayton Gale, the Duke of Calford, is rumored to be a terrifying man. Having lost his parents at a young age, he has been living in a self-imposed exile, allowing a select few to catch a glimpse of his face. Until the day he meets his bride at the altar.

Their blooming love sweeps them off their feet, like lightning. But what Anastasia and Clayton forget, is that after lightning comes thunder. And when she falls deathly ill, it's up to Clayton to do everything in his power to save her. A tale as old as time, tune as old as song...To save his true love from harm, the Beast must learn to love...

***If you like powerful Dukes, loving Duchesses and a marvelous depiction of the majestic Regency and Victorian era, then *The Duke I Thought I Knew* is the novel for you.**

Emma Linfield's 38th book is a historical Regency romance novel of 60,000 words (around 300 pages). No cheating, no cliffhangers, and a sweet happily ever after.

Pick up "The Duke I Thought I Knew" today to discover Emma's amazing new story!

Seasons: Four Victorian Romances

Author: Laura Landon

Attraction. Conflict. Resistance. Surrender.

Each of the four books in Laura Landon's 2020 series are collected here in one great read. Together they joyfully prove that love can thrive in any season.

★Book One: **Winter's Cold Heart**

Only a poisonous rumor stands between them. Can Lydia McDowell ignore an entire village and trust the shamed Doctor Jarvis? Or will doing so come at the cost of her brother's life...and her own frozen heart?

★Book Two: **Spring's Tender Heart**

She sought escape. He sought seclusion. But an ill-timed near tragedy brings them together.

Jonah Mason, Earl of Glassborough, thought he had closed his heart to love. It would have worked, had a beautiful woman not fallen—literally—into his arms.

★Book Three: **Summer's Distant Heart**

Two wary souls, one tyrannical father, and no way to avoid a deadly clash.

Amelia Halloway has lost her sister and gained an infant nephew. She knows she can keep him safe, as long as the child's grandfather never hears of his existence. And it's working, until the babe's uncle, Hunter Montclair, the new Lord Atherton, arrives on her doorstep—a handsome devil whose father wishes the child dead. He says he's there to save the child. But can she trust him?

★Book Four: **Autumn's Wild Heart**

She was invisible to him, until her loving betrayal opened his eyes...and his heart. Now can a forced marriage destined for loneliness become a match made in heaven? The tension mounts as this plus-sized wallflower tries to save her dashing bachelor and ends up ruining them both.

Four Victorian romances, eight captivating characters, one great read

A Substitute Wife for the Prizefighter: A Victorian Romance (Victorian Prizefighters Book 2)

Author: Alice Coldbreath

Plain, respectable Lizzie Anderson is in the devil of a fix. After catching sight of something she was not supposed to, her whole family is torn apart by the ensuing scandal. Lizzie's steadfast principles means she cannot deny the evidence of her own eyes and as a consequence finds herself thrown out onto the street! Her only ally in her time of need, comes from a very unexpected quarter indeed...

■ Benedict Toomes has long thought Lizzie a thorn in his side, but after seeing her staunchness in the face of adversity, he finds himself picturing her in a totally different role in his life. A stand-in for the betrothed he no longer wants to marry... Find out how this unlikeliest of couples navigates life together after a rocky start and find their preconceived notions about the other could not have been further from the truth!

■ A Substitute Bride for the Prizefighter is a stand-alone Victorian romance novel of over 119,000 words. Please do not purchase if you are offended by strong language and or sex scenes.

Unmasked by her Lover (Season of Scandal Book 4)

Author: Mary Lancaster

Revealing the true love of her life! The thrilling conclusion to the Season of Scandal series!

Lady Meg's parents decide that the best solution to the scandal breaking over her head, is to marry her to her old childhood friend, Harry. Meg will not allow it. Instead, she persuades Harry to take her secretly to her twin sister's house in Kent to ride out the storm.

Captain Lord Harry de Vere, a brave and dashing veteran of the Peninsular war, has never forgotten the enchanting playmate who once won his heart and rejected him. He is happy to enter one more adventure with her, though he has no intention of falling in love with her again.

But this is Meg, and inevitably their simple plan is quickly complicated. Her sister Martha is mysteriously missing. Her brother-in-law, Lord Calvert, talks her into masquerading as Martha – which might have been more amusing had she not once been Martha's rival for Calvert's heart and hand.

But Lord Barden, the architect of the scandal that was supposed to ruin four innocent young women, is expected for Martha's masked ball. Meg and Harry prepare to bring him down once and for all – and invite the other three ladies and their new husbands to assist.

Will Barden finally get his just desserts? And will Meg's feelings finally be unmasked by the man she never wanted to love?

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Season of Scandal

Book 1 - Pursued by the Rake

Book 2 - Abandoned to the Prodigal

Book 3 - Married to the Rogue

Book 4 - Unmasked by her Lover

Jonah Silk (Western Justice Riders)

Author: Jesse Storm

When the Scarlet Star Gang ride into town, bringing a storm of bullets, Jonah Silk is taught the harshest lesson life can offer: the dead can't be brought back to life, and the rich will do anything to get richer.

Bent on revenge against the men who killed his family, the boy will have to become a man, chasing the ghosts of his past to the bitter end. But nobody ever said that taking an eye for an eye would be easy, and Red O'Connell, the leader of the Scarlets, won't fall without a fight.

For Clara Lasseter, she has her own revenge to take. She's watched, she's waited, and now her time has come. But when push comes to shove, will she stand in the way of the man she loves, or will she step aside?

Across the wild landscape of Arizona, bullets will fly, hearts will break, blood will spill, and secrets, long kept, will decide who lives and who dies.

A Fine Mind: A Pride and Prejudice Novella (Sweet Sentiments Book 3)

Author: Alix James

***He'd give anything to keep his sister safe.
Even his own future.***

Georgiana Darcy sees the world differently. Gifted with a sensitive soul and a mind that feels what others miss, she is the misfit in an aristocratic family. She's also the reason her brother, Fitzwilliam Darcy, lets few people into his heart.

Teaching her, guiding her, and pushing away those who would not understand her, Darcy has done all in his power to protect his sister. Is it enough? If he cannot convince his uncle, the earl, that Georgiana's place is with him, he is in danger of losing her forever.

Darcy's worst nightmare comes true when Georgiana stumbles—quite literally—into a guest at Pemberley. But, when that guest turns out to be Elizabeth Bennet, the only woman in the world he ever dreamed of having by his side, Darcy learns to hope that there may still be a way to have everything.

Can he persuade Elizabeth to give him another chance? Will they find a family and a love that endures all, hopes all, and never fails?

A Fine Mind is a sweet, novella-length, Regency variation of Jane Austen's Pride and Prejudice.

Wild Rain: Women Who Dare

Author: Beverly Jenkins

The second novel in USA Today bestselling author Beverly Jenkins' compelling new Women Who Dare series follows a female rancher in Wyoming after the Civil War.

A reporter has come to Wyoming to do a story on doctors for his Black newspaper back east. He thinks Colton Lee will be an interesting subject...until he meets Colton's sister Spring. She runs her own ranch, wears denim pants instead of dresses, and is the most fascinating woman he's ever met.

But Spring, who has overcome a raucous and scandalous past, isn't looking for, nor does she want, love. As their attraction grows, will their differences come between them or unite them for an everlasting love?

Elizabeth and Darcy Beginning Again: a Pride and Prejudice variation

Author: Elaine Jeremiah

Little does Elizabeth Bennet think the journey across muddy fields from her home at Longbourn to Netherfield Park will change her life forever.

But an unexpected encounter with the proud and haughty Mr Darcy leaves her injured and vulnerable. Worse still, she is left alone with him for a significant amount of time. Her reputation at risk, she is forced to make a decision about her future. Now her life will never be the same again.

Can Elizabeth ever be happy? Or will she always loathe Mr Darcy?

A Duke for Miss Townsbridge (The Townsbridges Book 4)

Author: Sophie Barnes

She threatens to conquer his heart...

When Matthew Donovan, Duke of Brunswick, proposes to Sarah Townsbridge, she's shocked. After all, she's never met him before. One thing is clear though – he obviously needs help. So after turning him down, she decides to get to know him better, and finds out she's right. But fixing a broken man is not the same as adopting a puppy. Least of all when the man in question has no desire to be saved.

Matthew has his mind set on Sarah. Kind and energetic, she'll make an excellent mother. Best of all, her reclusiveness is sure to make her accept the sort of marriage he has in mind – one where they live apart. The only problem is, to convince her, they must spend time together. And the more they do, the more he risks falling prey to the one emotion he knows he must avoid at all cost: love.

Wicked and the Wallflower: Bareknuckle Bastards Book 1

Author: Sarah MacLean

When Wicked Comes Calling . . .

When a mysterious stranger finds his way into her bedchamber and offers his help in landing a duke, Lady Felicity Faircloth agrees—on one condition. She's seen enough of the world to believe in passion, and won't accept a marriage without it.

The Wallflower Makes a Dangerous Bargain . . .

Bastard son of a duke and king of London's dark streets, Devil has spent a lifetime wielding power and seizing opportunity, and the spinster wallflower is everything he needs to exact a revenge years in the making. All he must do is turn the plain little mouse into an irresistible temptress, set his trap, and destroy his enemy.

For the Promise of Passion . . .

But there's nothing plain about Felicity Faircloth, who quickly decides she'd rather have Devil than another. Soon, Devil's carefully laid plans are in chaos and he must choose between everything he's ever wanted . . . and the only thing he's ever desired.

With this Pledge (The Carnton Series Book 1)

Author: Tamera Alexander

From the pages of history and accounts of those who endured the Battle of Franklin, Tamera Alexander weaves real-life love letters into a story of unlikely romance first kindled amid the shadows of the Civil War.

Elizabeth "Lizzie" Clouston's quietly held principles oppose those of the Southern Cause—but when forty thousand soldiers converge on the fields of Franklin, Tennessee, the war demands an answer. The Carnton home where she is governess is converted into a Confederate field hospital, and Lizzie is called upon to assist the military doctor with surgeries that determine life or death. Faced with the unimaginable, she must summon fortitude, even as she fears for the life of Towny, her fiancé and lifelong friend.

As a young soldier lies dying in Lizzie's arms, she vows to relay his final words to his mother, but knows little more than the boy's first name. That same night, decorated Mississippi sharpshooter Captain Roland Ward Jones extracts a different promise from Lizzie: that she intervene should the surgeon decide to amputate his leg.

Lizzie is nothing if not a woman of her word, earning the soldiers' respect as she tends to the wounded within Carnton's walls. None is more admiring than Captain Jones, who doesn't realize she is pledged to another. But as Lizzie's heart softens toward the Confederate captain, she discovers that his moral ground is at odds with her own. Now torn between love, principles, and promises made, she struggles to be true to her heart while standing for what she knows is right--no matter the cost.

From the pages of history and the personal accounts of those who endured the Battle of Franklin, Tamera Alexander weaves the real-life love letters between Captain Roland Ward Jones and Miss Elizabeth Clouston into a story of unlikely romance first kindled amid the shadows of war.

This historical novel is a standalone, though it can be read as part of Tamera Alexander's series, the Carnton Novels.

Novella that launched the series: *Christmas at Carnton*

Book 1: *With This Pledge*

Book 2: *Colors of Truth* Book 3: Summer 2021

Book length: approximately 132,000 words. Includes a reading group guide, recipes, and notes from the author.

"Beautifully-drawn characters and rich history in *With This Pledge* work seamlessly to demonstrate that Christ's love and romantic love can triumph even in our darkest moments." --Lynn Austin, bestselling author

"Alexander's *With This Pledge* dusts off the archives and breathes life into the Battle of Franklin: believed to be the most brutal battle in the Civil War. Through Tamera Alexander's indomitable heroine, Lizzie Clouston, who transforms from governess to nurse out of necessity, we find ourselves contemplating our own inner strength should we also be faced with the unthinkable. Tamera Alexander's *With This Pledge* is not only historical fiction at its finest, but its most compelling." --Jolina Petersheim, bestselling author of *How the Light Gets In*

"Tamera Alexander has once again given readers a beautifully written story full of strong characters and tender romance--all while staying true to the actual history of the people and events she describes. From the horrors of war to the hope of blossoming love, Lizzie and Roland's story will live in my heart for a very long time." --Anne Mateer, author of *Playing by Heart*

Highlander Oath Of The Beast (Highland Promise Trilogy Book 3)

Author: Donna Fletcher

A promise is a promise and Raven keeps hers no matter the cost.

Five years ago Raven of the Clan MacKinnon was forced to hide after the attack on her clan. She helped get her wounded father to safety, then watched helplessly as her two brothers were taken prisoner and marched off to serve the Beast, a heartless Northman determined to claim not only MacKinnon land but surrounding clan lands as well. What she witnessed that day shocked her. How she survived afterwards changed her forever.

Her brothers' return home signal her own return home to her family and relative peace. Finally, the Beast has been appeased. Or so she thinks.

Wolf is an exceptional warrior, fearless, even ruthless when necessary. He intends to claim land that rightfully belongs to his family. All went according to plan until... how did one, young lass escape a troop of warriors and ruin his well-executed plans? He searched five years for the MacKinnon lass without success, then she suddenly surfaces with a proposal for him that will end all strife and win him most of what he wants. She may think she is the victor, but he knows better. Or so he thinks.

Wolf accepts the proposal, signs the agreement, making the woman who caused him endless trouble... his wife.

Raven and Wolf face challenges, not only with each other, but with an old enemy seeking revenge, and unexpected secrets that reveal surprising truths and unforeseen danger.

Can foes become friends? Or will love decide for them?

Author note... there is a Prequel, *Highland Oath*, to this book. It introduces all the characters, and details that led to the Clan MacKinnon being separated. You don't have to read it to read this one, but you might find it interesting.

Always the Rebel (Never the Bride Book 10)

Author: Emily E K Murdoch

Always the rebel and never the bride - it's down with men for this young lady...

Miss Sophia Worsley never expected to be left at the altar, but two broken engagements was enough. Never again will she allow herself to be that vulnerable. It's time to rebel against all that society expects of her. Though even at three and twenty, she knew wearing breeches at Almack's were probably too much...

If there is one man bored of life, it's Philip Egerton, Earl of Marnmouth. He's seen it all and nothing can surprise him - though the woman laying down a Royal Flush with a grin is certainly new. Ah, a challenge. Finally something for Philip to sink his teeth into - though that's not what he wants to sink into the delectable

Miss Sophia Worsley.

He's determined to have her. She's turned her back on men and matrimony. Passions ignite as two challengers circle each other looking for a weakness.

But the rebellious Sophia may just have the upper hand as Philip loses his heart faster than he could have predicted. Will this rebellion end in tears?

This full length novel is a steamy Regency romance with a happily ever after, no cliffhangers, and is part of a series that can be read in any order.

Never the Bride Series

Never the Bride Series
Always the Bridesmaid
Always the Chaperone
Always the Courtesan
Always the Best Friend
Always the Wallflower
Always the Bluestocking
Always the Rival
Always the Matchmaker
Always the Widow
Always the Rebel

Conveniently Trapped with the Marquess: A Historical Regency Romance Novel

Author: Hanna Hamilton

He told her he loved her. But now, she must die...

Her mother's passing affected Lady Alice Softcreek in more ways than one. After witnessing her father wither in grief, she's vowed never to fall in love and suffer a similar fate.

Rumor has it that William Millington, the Marquess of Earhum, is a heartbreaker unlike any other. He is also very much against taking responsibility for any of the broken hearts he's left in his wake. Until the day he meets a lady who seems completely unaffected by his charms.

Magnetic and irresistible, the attraction between them pulls them closer to each other. And to their own damnation. A note promising another stolen moment with William lures Alice outside at night. Only, the face she sees staring back is that of a nightmare.

****If you like a realistic yet charming depiction of the Regency and Victorian era, then *Conveniently Trapped with the Marquess* is the novel for you.***

This is Hanna Hamilton's 47th book, a historical Regency romance novel of 80,000 words (around 400 pages). No cheating, no cliffhangers, and a sweet happily ever after.

Pick up "Conveniently Trapped with the Marquess!" today to discover Hanna's amazing new story!

Saving Lord Berkshire: A Regency Romance (Regency Matchmakers Book 1)

Author: Laura Beers

After losing her fiancé to a terrible accident, Miss Katherine Blackmore found contentment as a matchmaker to the members of Society. Working alongside her sisters, they strive to secure the most unlikely people with love matches. Everything is perfect until an infuriating lord steps into her office, turning her world upside down.

Edward Simpson, the Marquess of Berkshire, has a problem. His sister needs to marry, and quickly. When he approaches Miss Blackmore to hire her services, he does so poorly and ends up soundly insulting her. Luckily, he fares better with his second attempt.

Edward is boorish. Katherine is headstrong. Though their relationship begins on rocky footing, they soon realize that they need each other if they want to save Edward's sister from making a horrible mistake. But Katherine works hard to keep Edward at a distance, even if he is worthy of her heart. Can Edward prove to Katherine that he is the man for her, or will he lose her forever?

Highlander's Winds of Hope: A Scottish Medieval Historical Romance (Highlands' Elements of Fate Book 3)

Author: Alisa Adams

Can a woman who has suffered so much still hope?

Mary Douglas Mallach is a widow, and no man is willing to marry her after he meets her four wild boys! Nevertheless, her brother Laird Bhaltair Douglas insists that she marries again and finally manages to arrange a wedding with a merchant who resides in Scotland's far north in the Orkney Islands. **However, the northern waters around the Pentland Firth are dangerous and difficult to sail, and they are full of pirates...** Seeking a way to protect her, her brother takes her to meet the only man he trusts to take his sister and his nephews on the dangerous journey; Captain Broccin Orcadian. The hardened Captain does not want a woman and four boys on his ship, but **he is offered a tremendous sum of money by the Laird, more than enough to buy a second ship.** As their journey begins, Mary expects the intimidating Captain to be as cruel as her children's father, and just like most of the men she has met. The beautiful but timid widow has become wary of men, and at first, she was terrified of the towering Captain Orcadian with the scary jagged scar on his cheek. However, when her boys misbehave, **he makes them work to pay for all the tricks they did on his ship, and the boys are excited to learn under his commands!** Unfortunately, the boys' mischievous behavior soon becomes the least of their worries; Broccin has faced quite a few challenges, but the one coming their way might be the most dangerous of them all! A combination of bad luck and the return of a long-forgotten foe create the perfect storm. **And this time Broccin has to keep safe not only himself and his crew but also the lady and the children, and thus decides to come up with an audacious plan.** Yet, if Mary does not trust him and work with him, his plan is doomed to fail. **And how can she be sure that this man is any different from all the cruel and lying men she has met in the past?"** *Highlander's Winds of Hope* is a standalone story by best-selling author Alisa Adams, packed with passion, romance, and redemption, set on the beautiful backdrop of the Scottish Highlands. Get your copy TODAY for FREE With Kindle Unlimited! Enjoy!

The Way the Wallflower Wed (The Wallflower Wins Book 1)

Author: Eva Devon

In this wild and witty series the wallflower always wins. . . The rakes, rogues, and dukes won't know what's hit them. . .

Lady Pippa Post is one of London's most woeful wallflowers. With a father who has lost it all and an intellect as sharp as a cutlas, she's firmly on the shelf.

But Pippa has no desire to retire to a wilting life in the country, even if she adores learning dead languages, and pouring over ancient tomes. So, when a position opens, curating the Earl of Roxly's ever growing Egyptian collection, she knows exactly what must be done. But she doesn't expect that Roxly's rugged demeanor and wicked wit will entice her into a game of passion.

Lord Marcus Drake, Earl of Roxley, has no time for shrinking violets. He has no time for Londoners at all! He's man of power, passion, and purpose. In but a short time, he is determined to leave English shores behind and return to the Nile he loves so well. . . But when a waspish wallflower shows up, determined to take care of his artifacts, he's intrigued and shocked to find that she is a mystery to be discovered. . . And adventurer that he is, there's nothing Roxly loves more than a mystery.

Will Pippa shrink from a chance at love with this wild brute of a lord. . . or will the wallflower wed.

The Best-Laid Plans

Author: Sarah M. Eden

Newton Hughes has long dreamed of pursuing a career in law, an acceptable choice for a gentleman of status and wealth. His parents, however, disapprove of his ambition, urging him instead to take his rightful place as a gentleman of leisure—with a suitable wife of their choosing, of course.

Ellie Napper would like nothing more than for her parents to abandon their incessant efforts to marry her off to the greatest possible advantage. Her lack of matrimonial enthusiasm drives her family mad, but she refuses to feign frivolity in order to make herself more palatable to potential suitors.

When Ellie and Newton are introduced through their mutual acquaintance, Charlie Jonquil, they commiserate over their shared plight. In desperation, they hatch a plan: Ellie and Newton will feign an interest in each other—enough to convince their parents not to push them toward unwanted matches but not enough to cause whispers or expectations. Their plot quickly spirals out of control, but the greatest complication is the one they didn't see coming: their plan never included falling in love.

The Viscount and the Vicar's Daughter: A Victorian Romance

Author: Mimi Matthews

"Matthews' tale hits all the high notes of a great romance novel...Cue the satisfied sighs of romance readers everywhere." -Kirkus Reviews

A World-Weary Rake

After years of unbridled debauchery, Tristan Sinclair, Viscount St. Ashton has hit proverbial rock bottom. Seeking to escape his melancholy, he takes refuge at one of Victorian society's most notorious house parties. As the Christmas season approaches, he prepares to settle in for a month of heavy drinking...until an unexpected encounter changes his plans--and threatens his heart.

A Prim Vicar's Daughter

Valentine March is not the drab little spinster she appears to be. When her new job as a lady's companion lands her smack in the middle of Yorkshire with England's most infamous rake, she resolves to keep her head down and her eyes fixed firmly on her future--a future which most definitely does not include a sinfully handsome viscount.

A Match Made in Scandal

A friendship is impossible. An affair out of the question. But when one reckless act binds them together, will two star-crossed souls discover there's more to each other than meets the eye? Or will revelations from the past end their fragile romance before it begins?
