

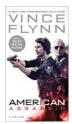
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#### All the Little Liars: An Aurora Teagarden Mystery

Charlaine Harris

Aurora Teagarden is basking in her new pregnancy when disaster strikes her small Georgia town: 4 kids vanish from school. Aurora's 15-year-old brother Phillip is one of them. And then there's a worse discovery—at the kids' last known destination, a dead body.

While the local police comb the county, Aurora and her new husband begin their own investigation. Could it have anything to do with bullies at the middle school? Is Phillip's disappearance related to Aurora's father's gambling debts? Or is Phillip himself responsible for taking the other children?



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Pocket Books B & L Books Pub Date: 8/22/17 \$9.99 544 pages • Mass Market Fiction / Thrillars American Assassin: A Thriller

Vince Flynn

Mitch Rapp was a gifted college athlete without a care in the world...and then tragedy struck. Terrorists attacked innocent American citizens, and Rapp's girlfriend was among the murdered. Two hundred and seventy souls perished on that cold December night, and thousands of family and friends were left searching for comfort. Mitch Rapp was one of them, but he was not interested in comfort. Now he wants retribution.

Two decades of cutthroat partisan politics have left the CIA and the country in an increasingly vulnerable position.

Cold War veteran CIA Operations Director Thomas



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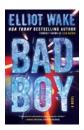
#### The Art of Keeping Secrets: A Novel

Rachael Johns

An extraordinary novel of friendships, hidden secrets...and the consequences of facing the truth.

They've been best friends since their sons started high school together, and Felicity, Emma and Neve share everything...or so they thought.

But Flick's seemingly perfect marriage hides a shocking secret that, with one word, threatens to destroy her and her family's happiness. Emma is in denial about a potential custody battle, her financial constraints, the exhaustion she can't seem to shake off and the



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#### **Bad Boy: A Novel**

Elliot Wake

Vlog star Renard Grant has nothing to prove: he's got a pretty face, chiseled body, and two million adoring video subscribers. Plus scars on his chest and a prescription for testosterone. Because Ren is transgender: assigned female at birth, living now as male. He films his transition and shares it bravely with the world; his fans love his honesty and positivity.

But Ren has been living a double life.

Off-camera, he's Cane, the muscle-bound enforcer for social justice vigilante group Black Iris. As Cane, he lets his



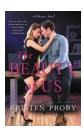
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#### **Bad Deeds: A Dirty Money Novel**

Lisa Renee Jones

Would you bleed for the one you love?

To save his family empire from the grip of the drug cartel, Shane is pushed to the edge of darkness, forced to make choices he might never make. His father is dying. His brother is desperate to rule the empire and this means war and all gloves are off. His brother only thought he knew what dirty meant. Shane is about to give it new meaning. There is another war brewing though, and that one, is inside him, his battle between right and wrong, light and dark, and in the heat of the night, it is Emily he turns to for escape. Driving her to new limits, pushing her



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# The Beauty of Us: A Fusion Novel

Kristen Probv

Riley Gibson is over the moon at the prospect of having her restaurant, Seduction, on the Best Bites TV network. This could be the big break she's been waiting for. But the idea of having an in-house show on a regular basis is a whole other matter. Their lives would be turned upside down, and convincing Mia, her best friend and head chef of Seduction, that having cameras in her kitchen every day is a good idea is daunting. Still, Riley knows it's an opportunity she can't afford to pass on. And when she meets Trevor Cooper, the show's executive producer, she's stunned by their intense chemistry.

Trevor's sole intention is to persuade Riley to allow Best



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#### Before I Knew

Jamie Beck

Author Jamie Beck returns with an engrossing series about family, friendship, and starting over. In this first Cabot novel, a legacy of secrets tests old friends seeking a second chance at life and love.

On the second anniversary of her husband's suicide, Colby Cabot-Baxter is ready to let go of her grief and the mistakes made during her turbulent marriage. Her fresh start comes in the form of A CertainTea, the restaurant she's set to open along Lake Sandy, Oregon, with help from her family. But when her executive chef quits just weeks before the grand opening, Colby is pressured to



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## **Black Sheep**

Zara Cox

#### In a family of cold-hearted black sheep, I, Axel Rutherford, am the blackest.

My father has hated me since the day I was born. The feeling was mutual. In the shady underworld that was my legacy, Cleo McCarthy became my light. She was beautiful, passionate, and my whole world. So naturally my father had to destroy us. First he sent me away. Next he claimed Cleo as his own. But now I've returned, and nothing will stop me from taking back everything that is rightfully mine.

He was the love of my life - when my life was still



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#### The Black Widower: A Beautiful Doctor, Her Seemingly Perfect Husband and a Chilling Death

Michael Fleeman

On their 12th wedding anniversary, Harold Henthom took his wife Toni on a surprise trip to a luxurious mountain resort. But the romantic getaway came to a sudden and tragic end when Toni fell from a diff while hiking in a remote area. Harold called 911 and was coached through CPR by one of the dispatchers, but Toni was gone. It was a shocking loss for Harold and for Toni's family.

Harold seemed like the perfect husband, but he was also controlling and manipulative. After Toni's sudden death, his stories kept changing, and her family began to suspect



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### **Blind Date**

Bella Jewel

Four years after her husband's death, Hartley Watson is finally getting on with her life. When her best friend sets her up on a blind date, it seems like the perfect way for Hartley to have some fun. Instead, it's the beginning of a nightmare.

Suddenly Hartley starts to feel like someone is watching her all the time and personal things begin to go missing from her home. Is her blind date stalking her, or has she been targeted by someone even more sinister?

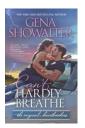
When she goes to the police for help, Hartley meets

#### **Bright Midnight: A Novel**

No Image Karina Halle

From the New York Times bestselling author of Where Sea Meets Sky and Racing the Sun comes a wildly romantic novel about a young American in Norway who runs into the man who broke her heart eight years ago.

After years of bartending her way across Europe, Shay Lavji has seen almost everything the continent has to offer, but there's one country she hasn't crossed off her bucket list: Norway. It's not that she doesn't want to visit the land of the midnight sun—far from it; she's obsessed with the culture and is dying to see the majestic fjords for herself.



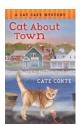
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#### Can't Hardly Breathe

Gena Showalter

New York Times bestselling author Gena Showalter returns with an irresistible Original Heartbreakers story about a woman who's never felt desired and the man who wants her more than air to breathe...

Bullied in high school, Dorothea Mathis's past is full of memories she'd rather forget. But there's one she can't seem to shake—her longstanding crush on former Army Ranger Daniel Porter. Now that the sexy bad boy has started using her inn as his personal playground, she should kick him out...but his every heated glance makes



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#### Cat About Town: A Cat Cafe Mystery

Cate Conte

Maddie James has arrived in Daybreak Island, just off the coast of Massachusetts, eager to settle down and start her own business—and maybe even fall in love. When a stray orange tabby pounces into her life, she's inspired to open a cat café. But little does Maddie know that she's in for something a lot more *cata*strophic when her new furry companion finds the dead body of the town bully. Now all eyes are on Maddie: Who *is* this crazy cat-whisperer lady who's come to town? If pet-hair-maintenance and crimefighting weren't keeping her busy enough, Maddie now has not one but two eligible bachelors who think she's the cat's pajamas... and will do anything to win her heart.



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# The Champagne Conspiracy: A Wine Country Mystery

Ellen Crosby

Welcome back to the Montgomery Estate Vineyard, where Lucie Montgomery and winemaker Quinn Santori have decided to bottle a sparkling wine, a tribute to French Champagne that should be *très chic* for business. But just as Lucie's big plan is set to pop, Quinn's unde Gino turns up demanding Lucie's help in solving a long-ago family mystery—one that has its origins in Prohibition-era Washington, D.C., where bootlegging and blackmail, jazz and murder, went hand in hand...and still has Quinn in its grip. Can Lucie unearth a century-old secret, and steer dear of a ruthless unknown enemy,

# MARIAH STEWART The Chesapeake Bride Bride

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#### The Chesapeake Bride: A Novel

Mariah Stewart

Architect Cassidy Logan has swom off good-looking adventurers. Newly divorced, she's focused on building ecologically friendly, historically accurate homes on the Chesapeake Bay for her father's construction company. Traveling to Cannonball Island—where there has been no new construction in nearly one hundred years—Cass is sensitive to the heritage of the island, and has come up with plans so perfect she's determined to buy a home for herself. Even the fact that Owen Parker—a local who she dismisses as a lightweight and a player—seems to be everywhere isn't enough to deter her from building her dream house.



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# Christmas at Lilac Cottage

Holly Martin

Penny Meadows loves her cozy cottage with its stunning views over the town of White Cliff Bay and her job as an ice-carver, creating breathtaking sculptures. Yet her personal life seems frozen. When Henry and daughter Daisy arrive at the cottage to rent the annex, Penny is determined to make them feel welcome. But while Daisy is friendly, Henry seems guarded. As Penny gets to know Henry, she realizes there is more to him than meets the eye. And the connection between them is too strong to ignore. While the preparations for the ice sculpting competition and Christmas Eve ball are in full swing, will Penny be able to melt the ice and allow love into her



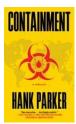
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#### The Coldest Fear: A Thriller

Debra Webb

# A killer with nothing left to lose...

Afraid or not, Detective Bobbie Gentry has a monster to confront. The pain of losing her family and nearly her life to a criminal's vile hunger is still fresh, but now the landscape is different. Now she's not alone. Now she has Nick Shade to trust. Nick treats the terror of his past with vengeance. He's dedicated his life to hunting serial killers and he'd give up his last breath to save Bobbie. When a string of killings bloodies Savannah's elite society and causes cold cases to resurface, Bobbie is captured in a city more haunted than Nick's inescapable nightmares. And as



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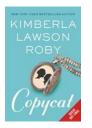
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#### Containment: A Thriller

Hank Parker

From Hank Parker, a former Homeland Security advisor specializing in bio- and agro-terrorism, comes a chillingly realistic debut thriller about a global plot to release a deadly virus and the elite response team who must try and stop it.

It's a race against time to both find a vaccine and unravel a bio-terrorist conspiracy when a terrifying new tick-borne virus is traced to an extremist group in Southeast Asia. Government epidemiologist Mariah Rossi must leave the safety of her lab behind to help CIA agent Curt Kennedy track the disease to its source. Their harrowing journey



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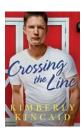
#### Copycat

Kimberla Lawson Roby

From the *New York Times* bestselling author who "writes with high-octane levels of emotion" (*USA Today*).

Befriending Traci Calloway Cole is the best thing Simone Phillips has ever done. Traci is the kind of woman Simone wants to be-in every way possible. She begins copying her role model. Not because she wants to be Traci. She just wants to be exactly *like* Traci.

Traci doesn't worry, though. She knows Simone doesn't mean any harm and that her mimicry is only sincere



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#### Crossing the Line

Kimberly Kincaid

Cocky farmer Eli Cross plays twice as hard as he works. When his latest stunt drums up a heap of negative PR for the family farm, he grudgingly agrees to play host to an ambitious New York City photographer. Her feature on Cross Creek could be just the ticket to show the country what the Cross brothers do best...which is more problem than solution for Eli.

Scarlett Edwards-Stewart has photographed everything from end zones to war zones. She's confident she can ace this one little story to help her best friend's failing magazine. At least, she would be if her super-sexy host wasn't so tight lipped. But the more Scarlett works with



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#### The Cuban Affair: A Novel

Nelson DeMille

Daniel Graham MacCormick—Mac for short—seems to have a pretty good life. At age thirty-five he's living in Key West, owner of a forty-two-foot charter fishing boat, *The Maine*. Mac served five years in the Army as an infantry officer with two tours in Afghanistan. He returned with the Silver Star, two Purple Hearts, scars that don't tan, and a boat with a big bank loan. Truth be told, Mac's finances are more than a little shaky.

One day, Mac is sitting in the famous Green Parrot Bar in Key West, contemplating his life, and waiting for Carlos, a hotshot Miami lawyer heavily involved with anti-Castro



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#### Damaged: A Novel

Lisa Scottoline

Ten-year-old Patrick O'Brien is a natural target at school. Shy, dyslexic, and small for his age, he tries to hide his first-grade reading level from everyone: from his classmates, from the grandfather who cares for him, and from the teachers who are supposed to help him. But the real trouble begins when Patrick is accused of attacking a school aide. The aide promptly quits and sues the boy, his family, and the school district. Patrick's grandfather turns to the law firm of Rosato & DiNunzio for help, and Mary DiNunzio is on the case. Soon Mary becomes Patrick's true champion and his only hope for security and justice. But there is more to the story than meets the eye and Patrick

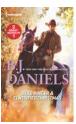


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#### **Dangerous Pleasure: A Novel**

Lora Leigh

Abram Mustafa faces the test of his life and his heart when his terrorist father kidnaps Paige Galbraithe, the one woman who has always been able to touch Abram's soul. With Paige's life now in danger, Abram knows that his plans for escape from the only home he has ever known have suddenly become more imperative than ever. Paige has always wondered if the dark, cool and mysterious Abram el Hamid Mustafa is hiding a wicked side. . . . a wicked side that will allow her to explore the kind of pleasure she has dreamed of. But when she is kidnapped by his father, she finds that she must trust Abram with more than her fantasies. Paige must trust him



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## **Dead Ringer & Classified Christmas**

B.J. Daniels

Cowboys face down danger with their own brand of Western justice in these two stories of romantic suspense from New York Times bestselling author B.J. Daniels

Dead Ringer

Ledger McGraw may know all about horses, but he doesn't know anything about the lie that broke up his first romance with waitress Abby Pierce. Abby, tricked into marrying the wrong man, is at the end of her tether in her abusive relationship. When she learns the truth about her terrible marriage, she becomes desperate to escape it—before her jealous husband kills her. Though Ledger's



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#### The Devil's Triangle

Catherine Coulter, J.T. Ellison

"He who controls the weather, will control the world. He who controls time, will never be around." —Thomas Frey

FBI Special Agents Nicholas Drummond and Michaela Caine are the government's Covert Eyes-leading a top-notch handpicked team of agents to tackle crimes and criminals both international and deadly. But their first case threatens their fledgling team when the Fox calls from Venice asking for help.

Kitsune has stolen an incredible artifact from the Topkapi Museum in Istanbul, and now the dient wants her dead.



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#### Dirty Dancing at Devil's Leap: A Hellcat Canyon Novel

Julie Anne Long

She was a naive country girl. He was a billionaire's spoiled son. He was her first crush, her first heartbreak...and now her swom enemy.

As Avalon Harwood's fortunes soared, Maximilian "Mac" Coltrane's plummeted, and he had to fight his way back to where they both began: Hellcat Canyon. Now Mac and Avalon will play dirty—in more ways than one—to get what they each want: the glorious old abandoned Coltrane mansion. But when Avalon snaps the house up at auction, she discovers there's something awfully familiar about the extremely hot caretaker...



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# **Disorderly Conduct: The Academy**

Tessa Bailey

You don't know what you've got until it's gone...

Police academy cadet Charlie Burns can't believe his luck when the gorgeous blonde he meets in a bar murmurs those magic words: "Nothing serious, 'kay?' Mind-blowing, no-strings sex with Ever Carmichael—it's the holy grail of hookups for a guy who's too busy following in his law enforcement family's footsteps to think about getting serious. Charlie's all about casual... that is, until Ever calls it quits and his world tilts on its axis.

Ever knows that when you control the relationship game, you can't get played. But for the first time, she wants more than short-term satisfaction. Sten one, end her flind



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#### Dragonsworn

Sherrilyn Kenyon

There is nothing in the universe the cursed dragon, Falcyn, hates more than humanity . . . except Greek humans. In a war he wanted no part of, they systematically destroyed everything he'd ever cared for. Now he waits for the day when evolution will finally rid him of the human vermin.

Medea was born the granddaughter of the Greek god Apollo, and among the first of his people that he cursed to die. But she will not let anyone rule her life. Not even her notorious grandfather. And when Apollo sends a new plague to destroy what remains of her people, she refuses



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#### The Dreaming Hunt

Cindy Dees, Bill Flippin

In The Sleeping King our intrepid adventurers learned that to wake the legendary Sleeping King, they must find his lost regalia-crown, ring, sword, shield, and bow.

In The Dreaming Hunt, the heroes begin their guest. But they've caught the attention of powerful forces determined to stop them. Worse, their visit to the Dream Plane has unleashed chaos, and the fight is spilling over into the mortal realm.

They frantically outrun old enemies and pick up new ones: imperial hunters, a secret cabal of mages, a



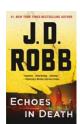
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#### The Duchess Deal: Girl Meets Duke

Tessa Dare

When girl meets Duke, their marriage breaks all the

Since his return from war, the Duke of Ashbury's to-do list has been short and anything but sweet: brooding, glowering, menacing London ne'er-do-wells by night. Now there's a new item on the list. He needs an heir-which means he needs a wife. When Emma Gladstone, a vicar's daughter turned seamstress, appears in his library wearing a wedding gown, he decides on the spot that she'll do.



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#### Echoes in Death: An Eve Dallas Novel (In Death, **Book 44)**

1.D. Robb

This chilling new suspense novel is the perfect entry point into the compelling In Death police procedural series featuring Lieutenant Eve Dallas.

When the young woman-dazed, naked, and bloody -wanders in front of their car, Roarke slams on the brakes just in time, and Eve-still in glittering gown and heels—springs into action. It's been a long night for the tired homicide cop, and it's far from over.

Daphne Strazza is rushed to the ER, but it's too late for



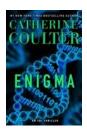
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#### **Emerald Coast: A Novel**

Anita Hughes

Lily Bristol arrives at a luxurious resort in Sardinia for the grand opening of her newest home furnishing store on the Emerald Coast. She's a successful business woman with an international chain of stores from San Francisco to Milan. Thirty-two and newly divorced, she's ready to handle things on her own. At least until her private butler, Enzo, escorts her to a beautiful suite where she notices a suspiciously familiar pair of men's slippers and shaving kit.

Lily is horrified. Her ex-husband Oliver moved out of their restored Connecticut farmhouse six months ago, but they booked this trip when they were trying to save their



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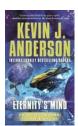
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#### **Enigma**

Catherine Coulter

When Agent Dillon Savich saves Kara Moody from a seemingly crazy man, he doesn't realize he will soon be facing a scientist who wants to live forever and is using "John Doe" to help him. But when the scientist, Lister Maddox, loses him, he ups the stakes and targets another to take his experiments to the next level.

It's a race against time literally as Savich and Sherlock rush to stop him and save both present and future victims of his experiments. In the meantime, Cam Wittier and Jack Cabot must track a violent criminal through the Daniel Boone National Forest. When he escapes through a



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#### Eternity's Mind: The Saga of Shadows

Kevin J. Anderson

The desperate war with the Shana Rei seems lost. All across the transportal network, space is tearing apart, the links between the gateways are breaking down, the fabric of space unraveling, and entire sections of the Spiral Arm are becoming galactic dead zones.

The Shana Rei have infiltrated the transportal network, and desperate populations have to cut themselves off, shutting down their portals, often their only connection with the rest of the Spiral Arm.

In desperation, humans and Ildirans turn to the most



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#### The Exile: Book One of the Fae

C.T. Adams

Brianna Hai runs an occult shop that sells useless trinkets to tourists—and real ritual implements and ingredients to real witches and warlocks. Brianna is half-Fae; she and her human mother fled the Fae world years ago, escaping court intrigues and assassination attempts. Brianna's mother then sealed the border between the worlds—except for a single, secret portal.

An attack made through that portal drags Brianna back to the Fae world and the battle over who will succeed her father, King Liu, on the throne of Faery. Shocked to learn that a new prophecy names her heir, Brianna is pretty



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#### **Exposed**

Lisa Scottoline

A BATTLE FOR JUSTICE PITS PARTNER AGAINST PARTNER...

Mary DiNunzio wants to represent her old friend Simon Pensiera, a sales rep who was wrongly fired by his company, but her partner Bennie Rosato represents the parent company. When she confronts Mary, explaining this is a conflict of interest, an epic battle of wills and legal strategy between the two ensues—ripping the law firm apart, forcing everyone to take sides and turning friend against friend.

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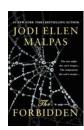
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#### Faithful: A Novel

Alice Hoffman

Growing up on Long Island, Shelby Richmond is an ordinary girl until one night an extraordinary tragedy changes her fate. Her best friend's future is destroyed in an accident, while Shelby walks away with the burden of quilt.

What happens when a life is turned inside out? When love is something so distant it may as well be a star in the sky? Faithful is the story of a survivor, filled with emotion—from dark suffering to true happiness—a moving portrait of a young woman finding her way in the modern world. A fan of Chinese food, dogs, bookstores, and men she should



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#### The Forbidden

Jodi Ellen Malpas

FROM THE #1 BESTSELLING AUTHOR OF THE THIS MAN TRILOGY....

What do you do when you can't control your feelings for someone? When you know you shouldn't go there? Not even in your head.

Annie has never experienced the 'spark' with a guy-the kind of instant chemistry that steals your breath and blindsides you completely. Until a night out with friends brings her face to face with the wickedly sexy and



9781477848777 Montlake Romance B & L Books Pub Date: 8/15/17 \$12.95 304 pages • Trade

#### Forever in Good Hope

Cindy Kirk

In the fourth installment of Cindy Kirk's beloved Good Hope series, a ruse with an old flame grows into romance.

Delphinium "Fin" Bloom returns to her hometown with one goal: get the mayor—her former flame—to approve a location shoot in Good Hope. But business turns personal when the two become entangled in a fake engagement to comfort his ailing grandmother:

For Jeremy, the romantic façade hits close to his heart. Still reeling from the way things ended between Fin and him all those years ago, he sees the fake engagement as an opportunity to get her out of his system once and for



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Everyone knows who I am and that I could have any female fan I want. That's supposed to be the "perk" of playing left field for the Boston Renegades. But I don't want just any woman; I want *her*.

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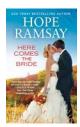
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April Hunt

#### A DATE WITH DANGER

As the first female operative at Alpha Security, Charlotte "Charlie" Sparks has her work cut out for her. Sure, she can wrestle a man to the ground and hit a target at 200 yards with the best of them. But sometimes, being surrounded by all that testosterone can drive a woman to distraction-especially when that distraction is six-and-a-half feet of cocky, confident, Alpha-trained muscle.

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Hope Ramsay

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For Professor Laurie Wilson, planning her wedding to longtime boyfriend Brandon Kopp has been a whirlwind. But somehow, between all the cake tastings and dress fittings, she never imagined being left at the altar. In the aftermath, she does what any sensible woman would - she swigs champagne and considers keying his car. Until someone knocks on her door with a much better idea for revence.

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Adriana Anders

CONTEMPORARY ROMANCE

Dark and moody Luc Stanek craves a quiet life. But when a desperate woman lands bloodied and branded on his doorstep, he finds himself pulled into her world...and determined to save her no matter the cost.

Jo Merkley joined the Church of the Apocalyptic Faith as a child, and the brands marring her skin mark her as little more than the charismatic leader's property. Only Luc is able to see her for the woman she truly is. Determined to win her freedom, Jo and Luc will fight the only family Jo has ever known...for a future neither is certain can be theirs.



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Kate Meader

Harper Chase has just become the most powerful woman in the NHL after the death of her father Clifford Chase, maverick owner of the Chicago Rebels. But the team is a hot mess—underfunded, overweight, and close to tapping out of the league. Hell-bent on turning the luckless franchise around, Harper won't let anything stand in her way. Not her gender, not her sisters, and especially not a veteran player with an attitude problem and a smoldering gaze designed to melt her ice-compacted defenses.

Veteran center Remy "Jinx" DuPre is on the downside of a career that's seen him win big sponsorships, fans' hearts,



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#### The Jealous Kind: A Novel

James Lee Burke

On its surface, life in 1950s Houston is as you'd expect; stoic fathers, restless teens, drive-in movies, and souped-up Cadillacs. But underneath that surface lies a world shifting under high school junior Aaron Holland Broussard's feet. The underlying dass war between the haves and have nots is growing steadily, along with the menace of conflict overseas in Korea, providing a harrowing backdrop to his growth to manhood. But when Aaron spots the beautiful Valerie Epstein at a drive-in, he steps in when he sees her fighting with her boyfriend, Grady Harrelson. Aaron's newfound confidence helps catch Valerie's eye, and the two begin dating. Grady is a



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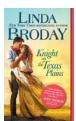
#### The Killing Forest

Sara Blaedel

Sara Blaedel, author of the #1 international bestseller *The Forgotten Girls--*-which was roundly praised as "gripping" with "uncompromising realism" (*Washington Post*) and "tautly suspenseful" (*BookPage*)--returns with the thrilling next book in her series featuring police investigator Louise Rick.

#### THE KILLING FOREST

Following an extended leave, Louise Rick returns to work at the Special Search Agency, an elite unit of the National Police Department. She's assigned a case involving a fifteen-year-old who vanished a week earlier. When Louise realizes that the missing teenager is the son of a butcher



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#### **Knight on the Texas Plains**

Linda Broday

HISTORICAL WESTERN ROMANCE

Duel McClain has just about given up on life until a single game of poker changes everything. He leaves the saloon with a baby in his arms—a baby he won—vowing he'll do whatever it takes to keep the little girl safe. But just as Duel thinks his life can't get any more complicated, a beautiful woman stumbles into the light of his campfire.

Jessie Foltry is hungry, tired, afraid, and running for her life. She assumes trusting Duel and his baby will be the easy part—there's no healing her wounded heart. But Duel makes it dear that the Texas plains have more than one kind of knight, and that perhaps her salvation is doser than she ever thought...



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#### **Labyrinth Lost**

Zoraida Cordova

If Alex could make one wish, it would be to get rid of her bruja magic. So when it comes time for her Death Day, she plans to twist the blessing meant to strengthen her magic into a curse that will banish it.

But when the curse backfires and banishes her family instead, Alex must seek help from Nova, a brujo with ambitions of his own, to rescue her family from the dangerous land of Los Lagos...



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#### The Laird Takes a Bride: The Penhallow Dynasty

Lisa Berne

Alasdair Penhallow, laird of his dan and master of Castle Tadgh, is forced to end his carefree bachelorhood, thanks to an ancient decree that requires him to marry. But Alasdair's search for a biddable wife comes to a screeching halt when Fate serves up Fiona Douglass. Prickly as a thistle, Fiona challenges him at every turn, rendering herself surprisingly irresistible. Her love would be a prize indeed . . . if Alasdair could accept it.

Fiona gave her heart once, and doesn't plan to repeat that folly. Yet she finds herself drawn to Alasdair's intelligence and strength, and the passion he incites goes well beyond



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#### Leave The Night On

Laura Trentham

Love, betrayal, and sweet revenge—life in Cottonbloom is about to get a whole lot hotter . . .

Sutton Mize is known for lavishing attention on the customers who flock to her boutique on the wealthy side of her Mississippi town. So when she finds a lace thong in her fiancé's classic cherry-red Camaro, she knows just who she sold it to: her own best friend. In an instant, Sutton's whole world goes up in flames. . .

Wyatt Abbott has harbored a crush on Sutton since he was a young kid from the other side of the tracks. He



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#### The List

Patricia Forde

In the city of Ark, speech is constrained to five hundred sanctioned words. Speak outside the approved lexicon and face banishment. The exceptions are the Wordsmith and his apprentice Letta, the keepers and archivists of all language in their post-apocalyptic, neo-medieval world.

On the death of her master, Letta is suddenly promoted to Wordsmith, charged with collecting and saving words. But when she uncovers a sinister plan to suppress language and rob Ark's citizens of their power of speech, she realizes that it's up to her to save not only words, but culture itself.



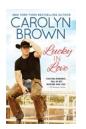
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## The Lost Vampire

Kate Baxter

The beautiful fae with the hair like fire haunts Saeed's dreams. After transitioning from dhampir to vampire, he was given all the memories of every vampire that's ever lived, but in those memories he relentlessly searches for her, his soul mate. He won't rest until theirs souls are tethered to one another.

But when Saeed finally finds his lost love, Cerys, he finds her enslaved, her soul owned by another-Connor Slade who keeps Fiona's soul. Without her soul, Cerys will never be free and she'll never be his. Can Saeed steal Cerys's soul, set her free from Connor's grasp, and convince her



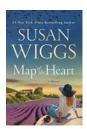
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# Lucky in Love

Carolyn Brown

CONTEMPORARY COWBOY ROMANCE

A cut barbed wire fence, and a big, mean Angus bull was not what Milli Torres was expecting for her first day's work on her grandfather's ranch. To make matters worse, who should be on the other side of the fence except the handsome Beau Luckadeau—the man she spent a steamy night in Louisiana with a few years back. Beau let go of his idea of the dream woman from his cousin's wedding. And when Milli starts working on the ranch next door, he's almost sure it's her—until she opens her mouth. Milli will do whatever it takes to hide the horrible secret she harbors from that night in Louisiana...because if Beau ever finds out, there will be hell to pay.



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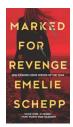
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#### Map of the Heart: A Novel

Susan Wiggs

An accomplished photographer, widow, and mother, Camille Palmer is content with the blessings she's enjoyed. When her ageing father asks her to go with him to his native France, she has no idea that shes embarking on an adventure that will shake her complacency and utterly transform her.

Returning to the place of his youth sparks unexpected memories—recollections that will lead Camille, her father, and her daughter, Julie, who has accompanied them, back to the dark, terrifying days of the Second World War, where they will uncover their family's surprising history.



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#### **Marked for Revenge**

Emelie Schepp

When a Thai girl overdoses smuggling drugs, the trail points to Danillo, the one criminal MMA-trained public prosecutor Jana Berzelius most wants to destroy. Eager to erase any evidence of her sordid childhood, Berzelius must secretly hunt down this deadly nemesis with whom she shares a horrific past.

Meanwhile, the police are zeroing in on the elusive head of the long-entrenched Swedish narcotics trade, who goes by the name The Old Man. No one has ever encountered this diabolical mastermind in person; he is like a shadow, but a shadow who commands extreme respect. Who is

# MASK SHADOWS

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#### Mask of Shadows

Linsey Miller

When petty thief Sal Leon steals a poster from a royal scribe announcing open auditions for The Left Hand, Sal knows it's a chance for a better life. The Queen's powerful personal assassins are named after the rings she wears—Ruby, Emerald, Amethyst, and Opal—and are her most trusted advisors.

But the audition is a fight to the death filled with clever circus acrobats, lethal apothecaries, and vicious ex-soldiers. A childhood as a common criminal hardly qualifies as preparation, but with each success, Sal comes doser to victory...and to the nobles who destroyed



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#### Maybe I Do: A Whiskey and Weddings Novel

Nicole McLaughlin

Wedding photographer Charlotte Linley loves her work—even though she hates weddings. Sure, she still holds a grudge after being left at the altar by her high-school sweetheart. But today Charlotte is just happy to have complete control over her career, which is flourishing. Especially since she joined forces with one of the three gorgeous owners of The Stag, a boutique distillery that has become Kansas City's hottest wedding venue.

Dean Troyer, bitter after the end of his own marriage, knows that Charlotte is the real deal—beautiful, talented,



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# Montana Heat: Escape to You: A Montana Heat Novel

Jennifer Ryan

A Montana man always protects the woman he loves.

He discovered her during a Montana blizzard, freezing cold, impossibly vulnerable, a little boy by her side. Undercover DEA Agent Beck "Trigger" Cooke is astonished to recognize Ashley Swan—award-winning actress, famous beauty—and missing for over a year. To keep her and the child hidden from a sadistic madman, he secrets the pair away to his isolated home.

No longer a prisoner, and protected at Hope Ranch, Ashley recovers and learns the tall, tempting federal agent may have a dark past, but it hasn't destroyed his sense of



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# **Navigators of Dune**

Brian Herbert, Kevin J. Anderson

Navigators of Dune is the dimactic finale of the Great Schools of Dune trilogy, set 10,000 years before Frank Herbert's classic *Dune*.

The story line tells the origins of the Bene Gesserit Sisterhood and its breeding program, the human-computer Mentats, and the Navigators (the Spacing Guild), as well as a crucial battle for the future of the human race, in which reason faces off against fanaticism. These events have far-reaching consequences that will set the stage for *Dune*, millennia later.



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## **Need You Now: A Cloud Bay Novel**

Emma Douglas

Welcome to the town of Cloud Bay. Charming, picturesque and full of secrets.

Faith Harper knows that she's not the marrying kind. Having watched her rockstar father work his way through three wives and numerous girlfriends, leaving heartbreak in his wake, she knows that Harpers and marriage don't mix. She keeps her relationships short, casual and far away from Lansing Island where she lives and runs the music empire her father left behind when he died.

Caleb White is looking for a distraction after shocking the



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#### **Never Dare a Dragon**

Ashlyn Chase

PARANORMAL ROMANCE

Jayce Fierro is part of a legendary Boston firefighting family of phoenix shifters. Hiding his true form makes being in a relationship near impossible. Meeting the beautiful Lieutenant Kristine Scott of the New York City Fire Department and knowing he can't have her only makes things worse.

Dragon shifter Kristine can't stop thinking about Jayoe and his teasing smile. A relationship could never work—not with the distance between them, and definitely not with her shifter secret. But when Kristine lands herself in a blaze of trouble and secrets are revealed, Jayoe will do whatever it takes to help.



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#### The Other Girl: A Novel

Erica Spindler

Officer Miranda Rader of the Hammond PD in Louisiana is known for her honesty, integrity, and steady hand in a crisis-but that wasn't always so. Miranda comes from Jasper, just south of Hammond, a place about the size of a good spit on a hot day, and her side of the tracks was the wrong one. She's worked hard to leave the girl she used to be behind and earn respect in her position as an

However, when Miranda and her partner are called to investigate the murder of one of the town's most beloved college professors, they're unprepared for the



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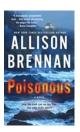
#### The Playboy Bachelor

Rachel Van Dyken

She's no Sleeping Beauty. And he's definitely no prince . . .

Margot McCleery could have lived her whole life without seeing Bentley Wellington again-her ex-best friend and the poster boy for Hot, Rich Man-Whores everywhere. But Margot's whiskey-augmented grandmother "buys" Bentley at a charity bachelor auction, and now suddenly he's at her door. Impossibly charming. Impossibly sexy. And still a complete and utter jackass.

Bentley's just been coerced by his grandfather to spend



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#### Poisonous: A Novel

Allison Brennan

Teenaged Internet bully Ivy Lake fell off a diff and few people cared ... except her mentally-challenged step-brother, Tommy. He's distraught and doesn't understand why his blended family is falling apart. After a year, the police still have no answers: Ivy could have jumped or been pushed, or it could have been an accident.

Tommy thinks if someone can figure out what happened to his step-sister, everything will go back to normal, so he writes investigative reporter Maxine Revere. The heartbreak in Tommy's letter pulls her in. But the more



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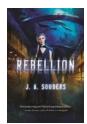
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# Pushing Up Daisies: An Agatha Raisin Mystery

M. C. Beaton

When Agatha Raisin left behind her PR business in London, she fulfilled her dream of settling in the cozy British Cotswolds where she began a successful private detective agency. Unfortunately, the village she lives in is about to get a little less cozy. Lord Bellington, a wealthy land developer, wants to turn the community garden into a housing estate. When Agatha and her friend Sir Charles Fraith attempt to convince Lord Bellington to abandon his plans he scoffs: "Do you think I give a damn about those pesky villagers?" So when Agatha finds his obituary in the newspaper two weeks later, it's no surprise that some in town are feeling celebratory.



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#### Rebellion: A Novel

J. A. Souders

In this conclusion to J. A. Souders's thrilling, twist-filled Elysium Chronides series, Evie Winters and Gavin Hunter return to the isolated, dangerous underwater city that they fought so hard to escape.

Back in Elysium at last, Evie has finally found her true self hidden under layers and layers of false memories implanted by the woman she knew as Mother. Thanks to the intervention of her father, she knows the horrible truth about Mother and her insidious plans for the city. With the help of the love of her life, Gavin, and her best friend, Asher St. James, Evie is determined to free her people



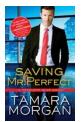
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#### Rise of the Federation: Patterns of Interference

Christopher L. Bennett

The time has come to act. Following the destructive consequences of the Ware crisis, Admiral Jonathan Archer and Section 31 agent Trip Tucker both attempt to change their institutions to prevent further such tragedies. Archer pushes for a Starfleet directive of non-interference, but he faces opposition from allies within the fleet and unwelcome support from adversaries who wish to drive the Federation into complete isolationism. Meanwhile, Tucker plays a dangerous game against the corrupt leaders of Section 31, hoping to bring down their conspiracy once and for all. But is he willing to jeopardize



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# Saving Mr. Perfect

Tamara Morgan

ROMANTIC SUSPENSE

Penelope thought she could handle the transition from jewel thief to happy housewife. But when a series of break-ins across the Upper East Side has her FBI agent husband trying to peg the blame on her, she will do whatever it takes to prove her innocence.

When Penelope's former accomplices set up a heist, she figures this is the perfect opportunity to catch the Peep-Toe Prowler in the act. But, as usual, things rarely go according the plan, and it may take all her wiles—and her husband's considerable brawn—to take down a whole new kind of foe...



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#### **SEAL Wolf Undercover**

Terry Spear

PARANORMAL ROMANCE

Vaughn Greystoke, Navy SEAL wolf turned PI, is shot while investigating an attempted murder of one of his wolf pack members. As it turns out, a jaquar-run United Shifter Force is already looking into it and they want to team up with him. But Vaughn works alone, and he wouldn't want to spend a day with Jillian Matthews—the sexy-as-sin wolf shifter who just shot him. Jillian's on a mission: find her brother before everyone believes he's the roque. As much as the hot SEAL wolf gets under her skin, she knows if they all join forces finding her brother will be a no-brainer. Now, if only she



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#### Seeing Double

Tamra Baumann

Dani Botelli has vowed to step out of her demanding movie star mother's shadow, and is determined to start a new chapter in her life. But two men are making for double the trouble. There's Jake, her police detective almost-ex who wasn't so hot as a husband but sizzles between the sheets. He needs Dani's intuition and visions to help him solve crimes. Then there's her high school crush, Michael, a former NFL pro who's now her mom's hunky lawyer.

Working alongside Jake, while keeping her special gifts under wraps, is proving to be more dangerous than Dani realized. She needs to stay out of harm's way—and out of



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#### Seeing Red

Sandra Brown

#1 New York Times bestselling author Sandra Brown delivers nonstop suspense and supercharged sexual tension in a thriller about tainted heroism and vengeance without mercy.

Kerra Bailey is a TV journalist hot on the trail of a story guaranteed to skyrocket her career to new heights. Twenty-five years ago, Major Franklin Trapper became a national icon when he was photographed leading a handful of survivors to safety after the bombing of a Dallas hotel. For years, he gave frequent speeches and interviews but then suddenly dropped out of the public

# JAMES ROLLINS SEVENTH PLAGUE

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#### The Seventh Plague: A Sigma Force Novel

James Rollins

Two years after vanishing into the Sudanese desert, the leader of a British archeological expedition, Professor Harold McCabe, stumbles out of the sands, frantic and delirious, but he dies before he can tell his story. The mystery deepens when an autopsy uncovers that someone had begun to mummify the professor's body—while he was still alive.

When his remains are returned to London for further study, alarming news arrives from Egypt. The medical team who had performed the man's autopsy has fallen ill with an unknown disease that is quickly spreading throughout Cairo. Fearing the worst, a colleague of the



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#### Sleeper

MacKenzie Cadenhead

As a sufferer of REM Sleep Behavior Disorder, Sarah acts out her dreams. Usually she's only a danger to herself, but when she almost breaks her best friend's neck at a sleepover, Sarah becomes a social pariah. Luckily (and stangely), Wes, a guy she's only seen in her dreams, turns up at school and the two become inseparable.

An experimental drug offers a cure, but she and Wes soon realize that not only are they sharing the same dreams, they can now alter *other* people's dreams. It's clear that this new drug is offering a lot more than just sleep. Will Wes and Sarah choose responsibility...or revenge?



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#### The Sleeping Beauty Killer

Mary Higgins Clark, Alafair Burke

Fifteen years after being convicted of murdering her fiancé—the famed philanthropist Hunter Raleigh III—Casey Carter is determined to clear her name. Though she has served her time, she finds that she is still living under suspicion. Going on the true crime show *Under Suspicion* seems to be her only hope to prove her innocence.

The show's producer, Laurie Moran, also believes in her innocence and wants to help Casey. But with Alex Buckley taking a break from the show—cooling his potential romance with Laurie—*Under Suspicion* introduces a new



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#### The Store

James Patterson, Richard DiLallo

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Jacob and Megan Brandeis have gotten jobs with the mega-successful, ultra-secretive Store. Seems perfect. Seems safe. But their lives are about to become anything but perfect, anything but safe.

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#### The Storyteller

Jodi Picoult

Mourning the passing of her mother, Sage Singer decides to attend a grief support group. She doesn't expect to start an unlikely friendship with an elderly man also attending. Josef Weber is a beloved, retired teacher and Little League coach. Together they attempt to heal.

But one day he asks Sage for a favor: to kill him. Shocked, Sage refuses but then he confesses his darkest and long-buried secret, one that irrevocably changes Sage's worldview. She suddenly finds herself facing questions she never expected, such as what do you do when evil lives next door? Can someone who's committed



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## **Tangled Destinies**

Diana Palmer

Passion and danger collide in a breathless story from *New York Times* bestselling author Diana Palmer.

Saved from an abduction and unthinkable harm, Gabrielle Bennett owed her life to her rescuer. Marc Stephano, a stranger from the sketchy shadows of town, could've asked for money. Instead he introduced her to desire and daimed her completely—then he broke her heart.

Older, wiser, and now a top New York model, Gabrielle is prepared for anything—except Marc's reemergence into her life. It's a merciless trick of fate. A successful,



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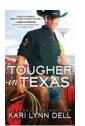
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#### **That Thing You Do**

Kayti McGee

With the heart and sass of a Susan Elizabeth Phillips novel and the humor and sexiness of bestseller Alice Clayton, *That Thing You Do* is a story of three friends who make a pact in high school that states that none of the girls will marry unless each one agrees with the match.

Greta is always the bridesmaid - and that's fine with her. She has no desire to date after a bad relationship left her reeling. Her friends aren't having that, though, and after yet another wedding, she finds herself being set up with the DJ. Deciding to save herself the trouble of an inevitable breakup, Greta orchestrates a series of fake



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Rodeo bullfighter Cole Jacobs has his hands full running Jacobs Livestock. He cant afford to lose a single crew member, so when his cousin offers to send along a more-than-capable cowboy to replace her, he eagerly accepts. He expects to hire on a grizzled Texas good of boy. He gets Shawnee Pickett.

Shawnee's always gotten a kick out of driving the uptight Cole crazy...but she never counted on the job showing her a side of the rodeo star she's never seen. As much as she likes this new part of Cole, she carries a secret that forbids a happily ever after. Too bad Cole's not the type to give up when things get tough...



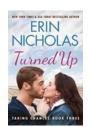
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Ace's previous line of work is not so easily left behind, and



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Now an emergency room physician, Dillon has returned to their hometown of Chance, Nebraska. Soon he and Kit fall back into old habits, sparring in public while trying to stay



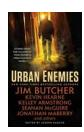
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Patty Blount

When Elijah is dragged to a high school play in the next town, he can't take his eyes off Kristen, the star. But when he posts a picture of her on Twitter along with an out-ofcontext sexual comment, his words go viral.

Elijah sets out to apologize, and when he finally meets Kristen, they hit it off right away. She forgives him for his unthinking comment and believes she's finally found a boy who understands her. But strangers online are threatening Elijah's sister who has special needs, and Kristen's father wants Elijah gone. Can their relationship survive?



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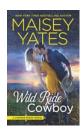
#### When the Scoundrel Sins

Anna Harrington

#### A MOST INDECENT PROPOSAL

Annabelle Green needs a husband-and quickly. To inherit the only home she's ever known, she must be married by her twenty-fifth birthday. But finding a suitor has been next to impossible after a reckless rogue named Quinton Carlisle seduced her into a scandalous midnight tryst. Her reputation in ruins, Belle now needs a rather large favor. And she knows just who to turn to . . .

Quinn can hardly believe that the shy bookish girl he teased as a child has grown into such a brazen beauty.



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Maisey Yates

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Putting down roots in Copper Ridge was never Alex Donnelly's intention. But if there's one thing the ex-military man knows, it's that life rarely unfolds as expected. If it did, his best friend and brother-in-arms would still be alive. And Alex wouldn't have inherited a ranch or responsibility for his late comrade's sister—a woman who, despite her inexperience, can bring tough-as-iron Alex to his knees.



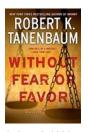
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Full of Tanenbaum's signature page turning intense action and heart pounding suspense from "one hell of a writer" (New York Post), Without Fear or Favor will keep you



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Amy Lukavics

#### FREE US, OR JOIN US...

Lucy Acosta's mother died when she was three. Growing up in a Victorian mansion in the middle of the woods with her cold, distant father, she explored the dark hallways of the estate with her cousin, Margaret. They're inseparable—a family.

When her aunt Penelope, the only mother she's ever known, tragically disappears while walking in the woods surrounding their estate, Lucy finds herself devastated and alone. Margaret has been spending a lot of time in



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Susan Mallery

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Pallas adores Weddings in a Box. But if she can't turn the floundering business around, she'll have no choice but