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Second Chance Charmer - Brighton Walsh 2018-03-15

Willow Haven's content. Okay, that's a lie, but she has been trying her damndest. Trouble is, it never sticks. Second oldest in a family her town was named after, she's always felt the pressure. From the townspeople, from her sisters, but most of all from her daddy--the original Good Old Boy and Havenbrook's reigning mayor. The only time she didn't feel that stress had been those blissful months spent in the arms of the resident bad boy. The same one who broke her heart beyond repair when he left without a word. Life hasn't come easy for Finn Thomas. He's had to claw and fight for everything he's ever had--and truth be told, it hasn't been much. He spent the first eighteen years of his life living so far from the wrong side of the tracks, he couldn't even see them through his trailer window. The only thing that ever came easy for him and made his sorry ass happy was the one girl he loved with all his heart. And the one thing he had no choice but to leave behind. When an opportunity arises to return to his tiny, southern hometown and open the first bar in a formerly dry county, he jumps at the chance. That won't win him points with the mayor, who's hell bent on making Finn's life a nightmare for sullyng his namesake. But too bad for Mayor Haven, Finn's got his sights set on more than just the town, and this time he won't be scared off quite so easily.

Night Game - Christine Feehan 2005-11-01

In this "suspenseful...captivating" (Publishers Weekly) novel in GhostWalker series, #1 New York Times bestselling author Christine Feehan tracks the desperate steps of a wanted woman--betrayed, avenging, and dangerously irresistible... Gator Fontenot of the Special Forces paranormal squad can't refuse an urgent request to save the elusive Iris "Flame" Johnson, a victim of the same horrific experiments that warped Gator. Now unleashed, she's a red-haired weapon of unimaginable destructive powers, a walking time bomb bent on revenge in the sultry bayous of New Orleans, and hunted by a shadowy assassin. It's Gator's job to reel Flame in. But can two people haunted by violent betrayals trust the passion that soon ignites between them? Or is one of them just playing another seductive and deadly night game?

The Nerd and the Neighbor - Lainey Davis 2019-02-14

Meet the Crawfords: brilliant in business, lousy at love Hunter Crawford is a grumpy astronaut who's fallen from grace. The brilliant scientist knows everything...except how to relate to other people. When his career comes crashing down, Hunter loses his stoic calm and flees to his hometown to wait out the media frenzy. Abigail Baker needs a fresh start. Floundering in her father's

construction business, struggling with a boyfriend who terrifies her, Abigail takes off. She comes across a help wanted ad and heads east to see if Oak Creek holds the key to her happiness. In the small college town, Abigail carves out an unlikely friendship with her landlord. Blunt, and brooding, Hunter just wants to lick his wounds, but his new tenant gives him other ideas for his tongue. In a town full of nosy neighbors, hilarious antics, and Autumn Apple festivals, the unexpected lovers explore their budding passion. Will they overcome their baggage and find true love? *The Nerd and the Neighbor* is the first book of the Oak Creek series. If you like small-town characters, a family who won't butt out, and scorching hot love scenes, then you'll devour this sizzling next-door romance by Lainey Davis. Buy it today and fall in love with Oak Creek.

Seed - Joanna Walsh 2021-06-03

Paige in Progress - Brighton Walsh 2016-01-19

In this funny and wildly sexy New Adult novel from the author of *Caged in Winter* and *Tessa Ever After*, two people find love where they least expect it.

Hometown Troublemaker - Brighton Walsh 2021-09-14

Aurora "Rory" Haven's life is in shambles. Her ex-husband's living with the woman he cheated with, her oldest daughter blames her for the divorce, and she's broke. To make ends meet, she partners with the too-young, way too hot local contractor she has absolutely no business fantasizing about. Nash King is working overtime so he can take over the family business. He doesn't need the distraction of his best friend's sister, but the hot-as-hell, pearl-clutching divorcée barrels her way into his everyday life. He's managed to ignore his attraction to her for a decade. What's another couple months? The summer heat and forced proximity has tempers flaring and their chemistry sizzling. But Havenbrook's gossip mill is churning full-force, and the last thing Rory needs is everyone speculating over her crush on a man eight years her junior. Except crushing doesn't have anything on what's really going on? What would happen if the townspeople found out paint wasn't the only thing being stripped?

Roman Crazy - Alice Clayton 2016-09-13

Avery Bardot steps off the plane in Rome, looking for a fresh start. She's left behind a soon-to-be ex-husband in Boston and plans to spend the summer with her best friend Daisy, licking her wounds--and perhaps a gelato or two. But when her American-expat friend throws her a welcome party on her first night, Avery's thrown for a loop when she sees a man she never thought she'd see again: Italian architect Marcello Bianchi.

Captain Heartbreaker - Brighton Walsh 2020-03-25

Can a broken bond—a broken heart—ever truly be mended? Captain Hudson Miller lives and breathes the thrill of flight. For ten years, he's spent his days in the sky as an army pilot. But he's never forgotten the girl—the woman—he left back home. On post-deployment leave, he decides it's time to return to Havenbrook for the first time since he enlisted in the military. Back to his momma's peach pie, enough memories to last a lifetime... And the only girl who ever left an impression on his heart. Mackenna Haven should have her life figured out by now. Instead, she's a college drop-out working at her soon-to-be brother-in-law's bar and living on her parent's land. She's shied away from commitment of any kind—she doesn't even have a consistent weekend booty call. But that doesn't mean Hudson can walk back into her life after ten years and expect he can make good on their childhood pact. He walked away from her once already, and she's not giving him a second chance to destroy her heart. *Captain Heartbreaker* is book four in the Havenbrook series, but it can be read and enjoyed without reading any other Havenbrook books. Each full length book in this series can be read on its own. For fans of: Adriana Locke, Amy Daws, Anna

Todd, Audrey Carlan, Aurora Rose Reynolds, Avery Flynn, Bella Andre, Beth Ehemann, Brenda Rothert, Carly Phillips, Carrie Aarons, Carrie Ann Ryan, Catherine Cowles, Charity Ferrell, Chelle Bliss, Claire Kingsley, Claudia Burgoa, Colleen Hoover, Corinne Michaels, Devney Perry, Elise Faber, Elle Kennedy, Emily Henry, Erika Wilde, Erin Nicholas, Geneva Lee, H Hunting, Helen Hoang, Helena Hunting, Ilsa Madden-Mills, Ivy Smoak, Jaci Burton, Jami Davenport, Jana Aston, Jay Crownover, Jennifer Probst, Jill Sanders, Jill Shalvis, K. Bromberg, K.A. Linde, Karina Halle, Karla Sorensen, Kat Mizera, Kate Canterbury, Kate Meader, Kaylee Ryan, Kelly Jamieson, Kendall Ryan, Kennedy Fox, Kennedy Ryan, Kristen Callihan, Kylie Scott, Lani Lynn Vale, Laura Kaye, Lauren Blakely, Lauren Landish, Lexi Ryan, LJ Shen, Lili Valente, Lucy Score, Maria Luis, Meghan March, Melanie Harlow, Melissa Foster, Mira Lyn Kelly, Monica Murphy, Nana Malone, Natasha Madison, Nicole Snow, Penelope Ward, Penny Reid, Pippa Grant, R.S. Grey, Rachel Gibson, Rachel Van Dyken, Sally Thorne, Sara Ney, Sarina Bowen, Sawyer Bennett, Stacey Lynn, Talia Hibbert, Tessa Bailey, Toni Aleo, Vi Keeland, Zoe York

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Unconventional Warfare (Special Forces, Book 1) - Chris Lynch 2018-11-27

Discover the secret missions behind America's greatest conflicts. Danny Manion has been fighting his entire life. Sometimes with his fists. Sometimes with his words. But when his actions finally land him in real trouble, he can't fight the judge who offers him a choice: jail... or the army. Turns out there's a perfect place for him in the US military: the Studies and Observation Group (SOG), an elite volunteer-only task force comprised of US Air Force Commandos, Army Green Berets, Navy SEALs, and even a CIA agent or two. With the SOG's focus on covert action and psychological warfare, Danny is guaranteed an unusual tour of duty, and a hugely dangerous one. Fortunately, the very same qualities that got him in trouble at home make him a natural-born commando in a secret war. Even if almost nobody knows he's there. National Book Award finalist Chris Lynch begins a new, explosive fiction series based on the real-

life, top-secret history of US black ops.

On Blood Road - Steve Watkins 2018

This high-stakes survival novel takes readers on a harrowing journey during one of the most controversial wars in American history, where one boy is forced to confront the true cost of war, and what it really means to survive.

An Illustrated History of Health and Fitness, from Pre-History to our Post-Modern World - Roy J. Shephard 2014-11-27

This book examines the health/fitness interaction in an historical context. Beginning in primitive hunter-gatherer communities, where survival required adequate physical activity, it goes on to consider changes in health and physical activity at subsequent stages in the evolution of "civilization." It focuses on the health impacts of a growing understanding of medicine and physiology, and the emergence of a middle-class with the time and money to choose between active and passive leisure pursuits. The book reflects on urbanization and industrialization in relation to the need for public health measures, and the ever-diminishing physical demands of the work-place. It then evaluates the attitudes of prelates, politicians, philosophers and teachers at each stage of the process. Finally, the book explores professional and governmental initiatives to increase public involvement in active leisure through various school, worksite, recreational and sports programmes.

Plus One - Brighton Walsh 2013-05-06

Olivia hates the singles scene, so when her best guy friend, Ian, offers to be her plus one to a series of weddings she has to attend, she agrees. Although she doesn't want to complicate their lifelong friendship, she can't pass up the chance to have a steady date without the dating drama. What she doesn't expect is to now find Ian so incredibly sexy. When Ian sees his old friend Olivia dolled up for wedding #1, the boyhood crush he once nurtured transforms into smoldering attraction. It doesn't take long for their no-strings arrangement to turn physical. But as Olivia's desire to stay "just friends" becomes clear, Ian's feelings are deepening. In the time they have together, how will Ian convince Olivia that one plus one can make for a lifelong pair? 22,000 words

Tessa Ever After - Brighton Walsh 2015-05-05

In this grippingly emotional New Adult novel from the author of Caged in Winter, what you want isn't always what you need... Jason's been living (and loving) the rich playboy lifestyle for five years, but now his parents are pressuring him to get involved in the family business. The last thing he wants is another obligation, but when his best friend moves out of state and asks Jason to look after his sister, he can't just say no. Tessa had to grow up way too soon. After dealing with the aftermath of her parents' deaths, then becoming a teenage mom, she knows the meaning of responsibility. Which is why, at twenty-two, she's looking for so much more than a party boy. She's looking for someone who can stand by her and her daughter...forever. A relationship between them is doomed from the start, but who says they can't have a little fun? But as Jason gets closer to Tessa—and her daughter—fun starts to turn into something else... Something Jason's not sure he's ready for.

The Wild Rose - Jennifer Donnelly 2011-08-02

The third book in the sweeping, multi-generational saga that began with The Tea Rose, The Wild Rose is a "lush story of epic proportions" (Romantic Times Book Review). The Wild Rose is a part of the sweeping, multi-generational saga that began with The Tea Rose and continued with The Winter Rose. It is London, 1914. World War I looms on the horizon, women are fighting for the right to vote, and explorers are pushing the limits of endurance in the most forbidding corners of the earth. Into this volatile time, Jennifer Donnelly places her vivid and memorable characters: Willa Alden, a passionate mountain climber who lost her leg while summiting Kilimanjaro with Seamus Finnegan, and who will never

forgive him for saving her life; Seamus Finnegan, a polar explorer who tries to forget Willa as he marries a beautiful young schoolteacher back home in England; Max von Brandt, a handsome German sophisticate who courts high society women, but has a secret agenda in wartime London. Many other beloved characters from *The Winter Rose* continue their adventures in *The Wild Rose* as well. With myriad twists and turns, thrilling cliffhangers, and fabulous period detail and atmosphere, *The Wild Rose* provides a highly satisfying conclusion to an unforgettable trilogy.

The Queen's Secret - Melissa de la Cruz 2021-03-02

From #1 bestselling author Melissa de la Cruz comes the heart-pounding follow-up to *The Queen's Assassin*, perfect for fans of Leigh Bardugo and Holly Black. Lilac's birthright makes her the Queen of Renovia, and a forced marriage made her the Queen of Montrice. But being a ruler does not mean making the rules. For Lilac, taking the throne means giving up the opportunity to be with love of her life, the kingdom's assassin, Caledon Holt. Worse, Cal is forced to leave the castle when a horrific set of magical attacks threatens Lilac's sovereignty. Now Cal and Lilac will have to battle dark forces separately, even though being together is the only thing that's ever saved them. In the riveting conclusion to Melissa De La Cruz's fantasy duet, love and magic are at war, and victory rests on a knife's edge.

His Curvy Temptation: An Opposites Attract Romance - Christa Wick

Of all the gorgeous grouches Melanie's ever worked with, Declan Bain is without a doubt the worst. And as an aspiring costume designer still working as a wardrobe girl in L.A., she's definitely met her fair share. So, when a weird development arises out of the blue, crossing their paths and effectively turning their lives upside down, waking up next to him in her childhood bed is only the second most shocking result. Finding out he'd actually wanted something to happen between them is the first. And now that Declan's fully aware of just how much she's enjoyed working with his...um, wardrobe, all this time, he's decided to collect on all the very dirty, very alcohol-fueled promises she made him before falling asleep. Melanie really has no idea what she promised the man, but if it's even half as wicked as the things he's promising to do to her, she's not sure she'll survive. But she's absolutely willing to find out. Previously published as *Curve Struck* (c) 2016 with revisions throughout and newly added/changed content.

Pigment Compendium - Nicholas Eastaugh 2008-09-10

This is an essential purchase for all painting conservators and conservation scientists dealing with paintings and painted objects. It provides the first definitive manual dedicated to optical microscopy of historical pigments. Illustrated throughout with full colour images reproduced to the highest possible quality, this book is based on years of painstaking research into the visual and optical properties of pigments. Now combined with the *Pigment Dictionary*, the most thorough reference to pigment names and synonyms available, the *Pigment Compendium* is a major addition to the study and understanding of historic pigments.

That Forever Girl - Meghan Quinn 2019

USA Today bestselling author Meghan Quinn's second book in the *Getting Lucky* series brings heart, humor, and heat back to Port Snow. There are two little words every small-town man dreads: She's back. Harper Sanders, the girl who was supposed to be my forever, has returned to Port Snow, Maine, for good--and she's bringing back memories of our shared past. We once had a bright future together, but when tragedy struck, I threw it all away and pushed her out of my life. People in our small town think I'm cursed, but I know better. I did it all to myself. And now she's creating a life of her own in the place where we first fell in love. I can't fight my feelings for her--or the strong attraction

that keeps pulling us together. But after all this time, can she forgive the past and fall in love with me all over again? Everyone hopes to find that forever girl...I just hope I haven't lost mine for good.

Our Love Unhinged - Brighton Walsh 2022-03-15

The Book of Night Women - Marlon James 2009-02-19

From the author of the National Book Award finalist *Black Leopard, Red Wolf* and the WINNER of the 2015 Man Booker Prize for *A Brief History of Seven Killings* "An undeniable success." - The New York Times Book Review A true triumph of voice and storytelling, *The Book of Night Women* rings with both profound authenticity and a distinctly contemporary energy. It is the story of Lilith, born into slavery on a Jamaican sugar plantation at the end of the eighteenth century. Even at her birth, the slave women around her recognize a dark power that they- and she-will come to both revere and fear. The Night Women, as they call themselves, have long been plotting a slave revolt, and as Lilith comes of age they see her as the key to their plans. But when she begins to understand her own feelings, desires, and identity, Lilith starts to push at the edges of what is imaginable for the life of a slave woman, and risks becoming the conspiracy's weak link. But the real revelation of the book-the secret to the stirring imagery and insistent prose-is Marlon James himself, a young writer at once breathtakingly daring and wholly in command of his craft.

The Last Protector (James Marwood & Cat Lovett, Book 4) - Andrew Taylor 2020-04-02

From the No.1 Sunday Times bestselling author of *The Ashes of London* comes the next book in the phenomenally successful series following James Marwood and Cat Lovett.

Mind Game - Christine Feehan 2004-07-27

#1 New York Times bestselling author Christine Feehan returns to a world of terrifying power and forbidden passion in the second novel in her breathtaking GhostWalker series. Possessed of an extraordinary telekinetic gift, Dahlia LeBlanc has spent her life isolated from other people. And just when she thinks she's finally achieved some semblance of peace, her well-orchestrated world comes crashing down... For a reason she cannot guess, she has become the target of deadly assassins. Suddenly no place is safe-not even the secret refuge she'd established long ago. Now she must rely on Nicolas Trevane-a dangerous warrior sent to track her down and protect her. Together, they generate a scorching heat Dahlia never imagined was possible. But can she trust this man with her secrets-especially when some people would kill to get their hands on them?

My Strongest Weakness - Brighton Walsh 2016-10-10

She's the last thing he needs, but she's the only thing he wants...as long as it's behind closed doors. It was supposed to be a one-time thing. No one would find out; no one would have to know. And then once turned into twice, and twice turned into several times a week, and now pierced, punk-loving, rebellious Tia Lanning is banging Mason Brooks, the big man on campus and Mr. All American. But banging him isn't the problem. Falling for him is. Especially when he's content to let her remain his dirty little secret.

A History of Electric Telegraphy, to the Year 1837 - John Joseph Fahie 1884

Main Street Dealmaker - Brighton Walsh 2021-10-28

There's no doubt opposites attract for these enemies, but there's no way there could be any kind of a future for a wedding planner and a divorce attorney...right? All Sadie Rollins wants for Christmas is a break. Three years ago, she stumbled into her dream job as a wedding planner, but she's been so bogged down with the minutiae of inn ownership that she can't even enjoy it. She and her twin sister might have been bequeathed the Starlight Haven Inn, but

the bed and breakfast didn't come with much more than extra-long hours and piles of debt. Cole Donovan was looking for a fresh start when he moved to Havenbrook following the worst kind of betrayal. Instead, his reputation as a cutthroat divorce attorney preceded him--and tainted his introduction to the only woman he's had eyes for since his own divorce. Too bad she can't stand him. When Sadie's cousin offers her an opportunity to have the inn featured in the country's leading wedding magazine in exchange for a bit of modeling, she jumps at the chance for some exposure. All she has to do is wear a wedding dress and pretend to be smitten with a stranger for a couple hours. The only trouble is the fake groom is no stranger, and as much as she loathes Cole, her body hasn't gotten the message. Neither, it seems, has his... For fans of: Adriana Locke, Amy Daws, Anna Todd, Audrey Carlan, Aurora Rose Reynolds, Avery Flynn, Bella Andre, Beth Ehemann, Brenda Rothert, Carly Phillips, Carrie Aarons, Carrie Ann Ryan, Catherine Cowles, Charity Ferrell, Chelle Bliss, Claire Kingsley, Claudia Burgoa, Colleen Hoover, Corinne Michaels, Devney Perry, Elise Faber, Elle Kennedy, Emily Henry, Erika Wilde, Erin Nicholas, Geneva Lee, H Hunting, Helen Hoang, Helena Hunting, Ilsa Madden-Mills, Ivy Smoak, Jaci Burton, Jami Davenport, Jana Aston, Jay Crownover, Jennifer Probst, Jill Sanders, Jill Shalvis, K. Bromberg, K.A. Linde, Karina Halle, Karla Sorensen, Kat Mizera, Kate Canterbary, Kate Meader, Kaylee Ryan, Kelly Jamieson, Kendall Ryan, Kennedy Fox, Kennedy Ryan, Kristen Callihan, Kylie Scott, Lani Lynn Vale, Laura Kaye, Lauren Blakely, Lauren Landish, Lexi Ryan, LJ Shen, Lili Valente, Lucy Score, Maria Luis, Meghan March, Melanie Harlow, Melissa Foster, Mira Lyn Kelly, Monica Murphy, Nana Malone, Natasha Madison, Nicole Snow, Penelope Ward, Penny Reid, Pippa Grant, R.S. Grey, Rachel Gibson, Rachel Van Dyken, Sally Thorne, Sara Ney, Sarina Bowen, Sawyer Bennett, Stacey Lynn, Talia Hibbert, Tessa Bailey, Toni Aleo, Vi Keeland, Zoe York

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Trashy Foreplay - Gemma James 2017-08-03

Never flirt with temptation. Never lust after what I can't have. And never, under any circumstances, screw a married man again. By the time this story is

told, I'll have failed at all three... With my heart and reputation in ruins, I can't afford to make another mistake. Boarding a flight to Seattle is supposed to give me a clean slate, but from the moment Cash Montgomery slides into the seat next to mine, I'm captivated by his steel eyes that see too much. I ache for this stranger in a way I've never ached for anyone. But I didn't know he was married, and I sure as hell didn't see the curveball fate had in store. My clean slate in Seattle isn't so clean after all because my new boss is the man forbidden to me. And the only man I want. The only man I'll do anything for, even if it means breaking the promise I made to myself when I fled my old life in shame. I wasn't supposed to fall for a married man, but I did. NOTE FROM THE AUTHOR: Trashy Foreplay is a steamy romance suitable for mature audiences only. Though the subject matter deals with adultery, there are no innocent parties here. Book 1 in the Trashy Affair series.

The Expected One - Kathleen McGowan 2008-12-09

A deadly political rivalry that ended in two brutal executions...An intricate love triangle that altered the course of history...A religious revolution that changed the world... THE TREASURE... For two thousand years, an undiscovered treasure rested in the rocky wilds of the French Pyrenees. A series of scrolls written in the first century by Mary Magdalene, these startling documents hold the power to redefine the events and characters of the New Testament. Protected by supernatural forces, the priceless cache can only be uncovered by a special seeker, one who has been chosen for the task by divine providence - The Expected One. THE CHOSEN ONE... When journalist Maureen Paschal begins the research for a new book, she has no idea that she is stepping into an ancient mystery so complex and dangerous that thousands of people have killed and died for it. As a long buried family scandal comes to light, she can no longer deny her own role in a deadly drama of epic international consequences.

Endymion Spring - Matthew Skelton 2006-08-22

"You've stumbled on to something much larger than you can possibly imagine." In the dead of night, a cloaked figure drags a heavy box through snow-covered streets. The chest, covered in images of mythical beasts, can only be opened when the fangs of its serpent's-head clasp taste blood. Centuries later, in an Oxford library, a boy touches a strange book and feels something pierce his finger. The volume is blank, wordless, but its paper has fine veins running through it and seems to quiver, as if it's alive. Words begin to appear on the page--words no one but the boy can see. And so unfolds a timeless secret . . .

So Twisted - Melissa Marino 2016-11-01

"I was totally blown away!" --Tara Sue Me, New York Times bestselling author of the Submissive series Sometimes it feels good to be a little bad. Callie has found the perfect job. As nanny for a single dad and his adorable daughter, she can pay off her student loans and live in a nice house in the heart of Chicago. There's just one problem-her new boss. Definitely no dad bod here. Just six-plus feet of raw, sexual energy. Whoever heard of a dad being so hot? From the sparkle in his daughter's eyes, Aaron can see that hiring Callie was a good decision. But Callie's breathtaking smile and long legs have him thinking about his own needs. Aaron knows it's a bad idea to get involved with the nanny, but it's been years since anyone has captivated him like Callie. When living under the same roof proves too tempting to resist, Callie and Aaron discover a mind-blowing passion unlike anything either has experienced. But with a curious child and a nosy family in the mix, their secret, no-strings fling soon turns into a twisted, tangled knot . . . The Bad Behavior Series: So Twisted So Screwed So Wicked

Plus One - Brighton Walsh 2022-03-09

Who better to fake-date than your best friend's brother? After one disastrous

date too many, Olivia Winters has made a vow: no more men. She has an amazing condo in the city, great friends, and a successful bakery she built from the ground up...what more does she need? Ian Donnelly has been in love with his older sister's best friend, Olivia, for years. He even moved away after college to get some distance from her and the intense feelings she stoked in him. But when Olivia swears off men just in time for wedding season, he impulsively volunteers to be her stand-in wedding date. The sparks that fly between them take Olivia by surprise. Ian is nothing like she remembered, and when they fall into bed, he's everything she could ever want. What's the harm of a no-strings summer fling? Strictly physical, of course—her track record in relationships isn't exactly glowing. Nine wedding dates. That's all that Ian has to show Olivia he wants more than just a summer of fun. He wants to be her plus one forever. For fans of: Adriana Locke, Amy Daws, Anna Todd, Audrey Carlan, Aurora Rose Reynolds, Avery Flynn, Bella Andre, Beth Ehemann, Brenda Rothert, Carly Phillips, Carrie Aarons, Carrie Ann Ryan, Catherine Cowles, Charity Ferrell, Chelle Bliss, Claire Kingsley, Claudia Burgoa, Colleen Hoover, Corinne Michaels, Devney Perry, Elise Faber, Elle Kennedy, Emily Henry, Erika Wilde, Erin Nicholas, Geneva Lee, H Hunting, Helen Hoang, Helena Hunting, Ilsa Madden-Mills, Ivy Smoak, Jaci Burton, Jami Davenport, Jana Aston, Jay Crownover, Jennifer Probst, Jill Sanders, Jill Shalvis, K. Bromberg, K.A. Linde, Karina Halle, Karla Sorensen, Kat Mizera, Kate Canterbury, Kate Meader, Kaylee Ryan, Kelly Jamieson, Kendall Ryan, Kennedy Fox, Kennedy Ryan, Kristen Callihan, Kylie Scott, Lani Lynn Vale, Laura Kaye, Lauren Blakely, Lauren Landish, Lexi Ryan, LJ Shen, Lili Valente, Lucy Score, Maria Luis, Meghan March, Melanie Harlow, Melissa Foster, Mira Lyn Kelly, Monica Murphy, Nana Malone, Natasha Madison, Nicole Snow, Penelope Ward, Penny Reid, Pippa Grant, R.S. Grey, Rachel Gibson, Rachel Van Dyken, Sally Thorne, Sara Ney, Sarina Bowen, Sawyer Bennett, Stacey Lynn, Talia Hibbert, Tessa Bailey, Toni Aleo, Vi Keeland, Zoe York

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Exposed - Brighton Walsh 2015-07-21

In this sexy, suspenseful New Adult novel, a young woman escaping her criminal past is snatched away and taken into hiding by her ex-boyfriend, the ultimate bad boy. Evie is about to embark on the perfect life. Beautiful, poised, and engaged to the son of a Senator and a rising lawyer, she fits the part of

trophy wife perfectly, except for one thing: her entire identity is a lie. Five years ago she created a new identity for herself, but it all crashes back when something she witnessed years ago comes back to haunt her. Now she's in danger of losing more than her social status. Determined to protect the careful life she's built for herself, Evie doesn't want anything to do with Riley, the criminal for hire who stole her heart years ago. But Riley has other ideas. He's never forgotten Evie, and to protect her, he steals her away. Hidden from the world, sparks begin to fly as old memories resurface and their passion reignites.

Caged in Winter - Brighton Walsh 2014

In this emotional and sexy New Adult debut from Brighton Walsh, the only thing more frightening than commitment is hope... Aspiring chef Cade Maxwell is immediately, viscerally attracted to Winter Jacobson. But it's not her mouthwatering curves he's drawn to--it's the strange emptiness in her eyes. When Cade saves her from a drunken customer with grabby hands, he's shocked at her response... Winter doesn't need Cade's help. After a lifetime of getting by on her own, she's happy to rely on herself. She's exactly seventy-six days away from graduating college, and if she can hold it together that long, she'll finally be able to rise above the crappy hand she was dealt. But now, every time she turns around, Cade is there, ready to push her, smile at her, distract her from her plans. Winter knows she can't afford to open up--especially to a man she's terrified to actually want...

Captive - Brighton Walsh 2015-03-24

He's the most dangerous man she's ever met...and she's falling in love with him. Madison Frost is desperate to escape her life. Daughter of a prominent businessman, she has everything a girl could ask for. Except for a family who's present in her life, and anyone to talk to outside the four walls of the prison she calls home. Madison dreams of one day leaving her life behind. She never thought being kidnapped is how it would happen. Now she's being held captive by a man who's as frightening as he is sinfully gorgeous. Enormous, muscular, and filled with secrets, the man they call Ghost is an enigmatic mercenary, and Madison is trapped with him. She doesn't know who hired him or why, but the more time she spends at his mercy, the more she realizes he's not what he seems. Beneath his rough exterior lies an unexpected gentleness and a heart as broken and battered as her own. But as Madison lets down her walls, Ghost holds tight to his, hiding secrets that could destroy everything. "A vulnerable but indomitable heroine and a hero who will haunt your dreams long after the last page. Raw, sexy and unexpectedly tender, *Captive* is a powerful, gripping story." -Kit Rocha, New York Times Bestselling Author "With character so real I feel like I've known them all my life...a pure, sweet, hot romance. It's a must read!"-M. Leighton, New York Times Bestselling Author on *Caged In Winter*

Pact with a Heartbreaker - Brighton Walsh 2019-07-11

Mackenna Haven is desperate to leave Havenbrook, Mississippi behind. After spending her whole life under the thumb of her overbearing father, she's ready for the freedom college will bring. Especially if that freedom means spending more time with her best friend...and unrequited love. Hudson Miller's been the man of the house since his dad died nearly ten years ago. The only escape he has from those responsibilities is the stolen moments when he's with Kenna. As much as he wants to tell her he's been in love with her for years, the red X looming on his calendar could change everything between them. A week before school starts, Hudson proposes a trip away with Mackenna as one last weekend together before college responsibilities creep in. Except it could be one last weekend together, period. Because the secret he's been keeping from her could tear them apart forever.

The Heartbreaker Collection - Brighton Walsh 2021-05-23

Two books in the award-winning Havenbrook series! Pact with a Heartbreaker Hudson's been in love with his best friend, Mackenna, for years. A week before school starts, he proposes a trip away with her as one last weekend together before college responsibilities creep in. Except it could be one last weekend together, period. Because the secret he's been keeping from her could tear them apart forever. Captain Heartbreaker With adventure burning in his soul, Captain Hudson Miller left behind his hometown and the only girl he's ever loved. But now he's back, tackling his most difficult adventure yet—capturing his best friend's heart once again after decimating it ten years ago.

The Secrets We Kept - Lara Prescott 2019-09-03

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER • A thrilling tale of secretaries turned spies, of love and duty, and of sacrifice—inspired by the true story of the CIA plot to infiltrate the hearts and minds of Soviet Russia, not with propaganda, but with the greatest love story of the twentieth century: Doctor Zhivago • A HELLO SUNSHINE x REESE WITHERSPOON BOOK CLUB PICK At the height of the Cold War, Irina, a young Russian-American secretary, is plucked from the CIA typing pool and given the assignment of a lifetime. Her mission: to help smuggle Doctor Zhivago into the USSR, where it is banned, and enable Boris Pasternak's magnum opus to make its way into print around the world. Mentoring Irina is the glamorous Sally Forrester: a seasoned spy who has honed her gift for deceit, using her magnetism and charm to pry secrets out of powerful men. Under Sally's tutelage, Irina learns how to invisibly ferry classified documents—and discovers deeply buried truths about herself. *The Secrets We Kept* combines a legendary literary love story—the decades-long affair between Pasternak and his mistress and muse, Olga Ivinskaya, who inspired Zhivago's heroine, Lara—with a narrative about two women empowered to lead lives of extraordinary intrigue and risk. Told with soaring emotional intensity and captivating historical detail, this is an unforgettable debut: a celebration of the powerful belief that a work of art can change the world.

The Winemaker's Wife - Kristin Harmel 2020-03-17

The author of the “engrossing” (People) international bestseller *The Room on Rue Amélie* returns with a moving story set amid the champagne vineyards of France during the darkest days of World War II, perfect for fans of Heather Morris's *The Tattooist of Auschwitz*. Champagne, 1940: Inès has just married Michel, the owner of storied champagne house Maison Chauveau, when the Germans invade. As the danger mounts, Michel turns his back on his marriage to begin hiding munitions for the Résistance. Inès fears they'll be exposed, but for Céline, the French-Jewish wife of Chauveau's chef de cave, the risk is even greater—rumors abound of Jews being shipped east to an unspeakable fate. When Céline recklessly follows her heart in one desperate bid for happiness, and Inès makes a dangerous mistake with a Nazi collaborator, they risk the lives of those they love—and the vineyard that ties them together. New York, 2019:

Recently divorced, Liv Kent is at rock bottom when her feisty, eccentric French grandmother shows up unannounced, insisting on a trip to France. But the older woman has an ulterior motive—and a tragic, decades-old story to share. When past and present finally collide, Liv finds herself on a road to salvation that leads right to the caves of the Maison Chauveau.

Ulysses -

Small Town Pretender - Brighton Walsh 2021-06-24

To make a small town believe a fake marriage, it has to look like the real thing. Natalie Haven couldn't get away from the suffocation of her hometown fast enough. Fluttering around the globe as a freelance photographer is far more to her liking. Even better that her unconventional job pisses off her daddy. But when her best friend sends out an SOS, all her running comes to an

end and she returns to the small southern town. Asher McCoy can win over a crowd with a husky note and a strum of his guitar. Wooing a judge and proving he's responsible enough to take custody of his niece and nephew won't be so easy. But marriage makes any man look more respectable, and his best friend will be the perfect bride. Except for the tiny detail that their fake marriage has to look real, which means living in the same house and sleeping in only one bed—not to mention inciting an undeniable attraction between them. But convincing Nat to put down roots in her hometown—and with him—will prove even more impossible than winning over the toughest judge. Small Town Pretender is book five in the Havenbrook series, but it can be read and enjoyed without reading any other Havenbrook books. Each full length book in this series can be read on its own. For fans of: Adriana Locke, Amy Daws, Anna Todd, Audrey Carlan, Aurora Rose Reynolds, Avery Flynn, Bella Andre, Beth Ehemann, Brenda Rothert, Carly Phillips, Carrie Aarons, Carrie Ann Ryan, Catherine Cowles, Charity Ferrell, Chelle Bliss, Claire Kingsley, Claudia Burgoa, Colleen Hoover, Corinne Michaels, Devney Perry, Elise Faber, Elle Kennedy, Emily Henry, Erika Wilde, Erin Nicholas, Geneva Lee, H Hunting, Helen Hoang, Helena Hunting, Ilsa Madden-Mills, Ivy Smoak, Jaci Burton, Jami Davenport, Jana Aston, Jay Crownover, Jennifer Probst, Jill Sanders, Jill Shalvis, K. Bromberg, K.A. Linde, Karina Halle, Karla Sorensen, Kat Mizera, Kate Canterbary, Kate Meader, Kaylee Ryan, Kelly Jamieson, Kendall Ryan, Kennedy Fox, Kennedy Ryan, Kristen Callihan, Kylie Scott, Lani Lynn Vale, Laura Kaye, Lauren Blakely, Lauren Landish, Lexi Ryan, LJ Shen, Lili Valente, Lucy Score, Maria Luis, Meghan March, Melanie Harlow, Melissa Foster, Mira Lyn Kelly, Monica Murphy, Nana Malone, Natasha Madison, Nicole Snow, Penelope Ward, Penny Reid, Pippa Grant, R.S. Grey, Rachel Gibson, Rachel Van Dyken, Sally Thorne, Sara Ney, Sarina Bowen, Sawyer Bennett, Stacey Lynn, Talia Hibbert, Tessa Bailey, Toni Aleo, Vi Keeland, Zoe York

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Forge - Laurie Halse Anderson 2012-04-17

In this compelling sequel to "Chains," National Book Award Finalist Anderson shifts perspective from Isabel to Curzon and brings to life the tale of what it takes for runaway slaves to forge their own paths in a world of obstacles--and in the midst of the American Revolution.