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### A SCANDALOUS WIFE

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Second Wind Publishing **A Regency Historical Novel - Book One of the Scandalous Series** As the head of his family, Robert Beckford, the Earl of Masten, was accustomed to dealing with various problems his siblings had caused of one sort or another. However he wasn't prepared when his cad of brother ruined and then abandoned a young lady. To right the wrong, Robert married the girl himself; but his chivalry only went so far. He didn't want a wife, and most certainly not a scandalous one. So after repeating his vows, he sent her packing, off to a secluded estate and expected her to stay put. After years of mistreatment at the hands of her family, Lydia was prepared to be an accommodating wife; but her rigid and unforgiving husband asked too much of her. After languishing for years in her opulent prison, Lydia leaves her country estate for the glamour and excitement of London-and unfortunately her husband's path.

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### A SCANDALOUS CHARADE

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Second Wind Publishing **A Regency Historical Novel - Book Two of the Scandalous Series...** Handsome ladies' man Lucas Beckford has agreed to help his friend, an impoverished baron, win the affections of an icy heiress. It should be a simple task, especially for a seducer of his reputation. However when Luke catches sight of the enchanting lady, he is captivated with her pretty brown eyes, quick wit, and sharp tongue; and his desire to see his friend marry the girl quickly evaporates. Now he just has to find a way to convince the penniless lord to turn his attentions elsewhere-leaving the Ice Princess to him. Lady Juliet St. Claire has always believed that her fortune would protect her from ever having to relinquish her freedom in marriage. Though fortune hunters endlessly hound her, Juliet's outwardly

cold demeanor keeps most of them at bay, licking their wounds or patching up their pride. However when Luke charms his way into her life, he easily melts more than just her heart. Unfortunately, the rogue is of the love 'em and leave 'em variety, and leaves Juliet's tender heart in pieces. But when her fortune lands her in danger from an unscrupulous foe, Luke returns to her side, offering his help and protection. Now Juliet has to decide if her heart is strong enough to trust the rogue a second time. Plus! Bonus Novella - A Scandalous Secret Chester Peyton, the Marquess of Astwick, has never forgotten his first love. Nor has he ever gotten over her. But now thirteen years later, time has come for him to finally settle down and do his duty as far as both his title and his dragon of a mother are concerned. Everything would be so much easier if Chet's heart didn't still belong to the enchanting Scot he gave it to once upon a time. After following her late-husband's regiment from one end of the continent to the other, Lady Hannah Campbell returns to London a very different woman than the naive lass she once was. With her two sons in tow, she now has to navigate the waters of the ton, which seem more foreign than the lands she has traversed the last dozen years. And all the while, she has to keep hidden the scandalous secret that made her flee England so very ago."

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## **A SCANDALOUS SECRET**

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## **A SCANDALOUS DECEPTION**

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Ava Stone Inc Everyone knows Lady Felicity Pierce has been widowed the last three years, except she hasn't been. Lissy escaped the clutches of her dangerous husband but lost any chance for a happy-ever-after in the process. No one can ever know the secret she keeps hidden, the secret she wishes she could forget. Her harrowing escape would be for naught should anyone ever learn the truth. If only her husband had been the man she thought he was. If only he'd been more like Fin... Phineas Granard, Viscount Carraway, might still be nursing a broken heart, but he has responsibilities that require his attention. Responsibilities to England and to his late-fiance's family which never seem to end. But looking after Lissy

is an exercise in futility. She's flightily. She's impetuous. She can drive the sanest man mad. And she's keeping something from him. If only she trusted him enough to love her, to keep her safe, to share the secret that haunts her.

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## **A SCANDALOUS VOW**

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## **A SCANDALOUS PAST**

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[Second Wind Publishing](#) **A Regency Historical Novel - Book Four of the Scandalous Series...** After years of abuse at the hands of her mother, Cordelia Avery knows the only way out is marriage to the perfect man. A man who will allow her all the freedom she has ever craved. And she has the perfect man picked out. The scandalous Marquess of Haversham might not be perfect to anyone else, but taking the man's black reputation under consideration, Cordie believes she'll enjoy all the freedom she's always wished for in his disreputable arms. If only she could get her heart to go along with the plan and to stop leaping whenever Lord Adonis...er...the Earl of Clayworth is nearby. But the very proper earl is most assuredly the wrong sort for her purposes. Brendan Reese, the Earl of Clayworth, has no intention of ever marrying again. He's still trying to clean up the mess his first wife left him, even years after her death. To all the world, Clayworth is the epitome of the perfect English gentleman, and he so wishes that image was the truth. But the truth, as it often can be, is ugly. After all, a perfect English gentleman would never have a traitor for a mother. And unless Clayworth can find the evidence his late wife hid, he could face the gallows himself. But a chance encounter with the reckless Cordelia Avery gives him the best lead he's had in years to finally putting his family's past to rest. Unfortunately, focusing on anything other than Miss Avery seems a nearly impossible task.

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## **A SCANDALOUS RUSE**

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## **A SCANDALOUS PURSUIT**

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[Second Wind Publishing](#) **A Regency Historical Novel - Book Three of the Scandalous Series...** Even the most ruthless of rogues live by their own code of honor, and for Alexander Everett, the wicked Duke of Kelfield, his includes not seducing the ward of his oldest and dearest friend. However for a man who is accustomed to getting what he wants, the lure of the forbidden fruit is enough to drive him wild. When he finds himself under the same roof as the enchanting Olivia Danbury at a summer house party, he discovers the temptation of the lady is more than he can resist. Olivia, on the other hand, has the rest of her life all mapped out. When her fiance returns from the Peninsular Wars, they'll get married, settle down in the

country, start a family, and live happily ever after. The sinfully sexy Duke of Kelfield was not in her plans. But when she stumbles headlong into a compromising position with the passionate duke, her carefully constructed life quickly begins to unravel. In no time, Olivia must choose between the life she's always planned and everything she never knew she wanted."

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## **A SCANDALOUS DESTINY**

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## **ONCE UPON A MIDSUMMER DREAM**

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[Ava Stone Inc](#) **\*\*Previously found in Dazzled at the Wedding\*\*** Garrett Hillyard, the widowed Duke of Markham, is in desperate need to tame his unruly daughters, especially when the pair hurls a stone and accidentally knocks a wedding guest in the head. After Miss Frances Dallimore regains consciousness, she finds herself with a giant welt on her face and missing the mystical pouch that was supposed to keep her safe from the ghosts of Castle Keyvnor. When the duke offers to help her find what she's lost, is it possible that love was always just a stone's throw away?

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## **CASTELLANO'S MISTRESS OF REVENGE**

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## **HARLEQUIN COMICS**

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[Harlequin / SB Creative](#) **Now widowed, Ava faces a cruel reality?her late husband left her with crippling debt. To make matters worse, the creditor is Marc Castellano, her former lover. Five years ago Ava had no choice but to leave Marc and marry his business rival. Determined to take revenge, Marc has now invited Ava to his suite to give her two options: become his mistress or pay off her debts. Without the resources to do the latter, Ava has only one choice left...**

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## **THE BEAST OF AROS CASTLE**

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[Entangled: Scandalous](#) **Ava Sutton is on the run from a dangerous man and makes her way safely to Scotland. Masquerading as a titled, English lady, she must convince the darkly handsome chief of the Macleans of Aros to wed her before she is tracked down. Tor Maclean, the new chief of Aros Castle, has sworn off marriage. Despite his efforts to scare away the Englishwoman his father arranged for him to wed, Tor is nonetheless drawn to her passion and beauty. But he doesn't know if he can forgive the untruths that have come to light for a chance at a once-in-a-lifetime love... Each book in the Highland Isles series is STANDALONE: \* The Beast of Aros Castle \* The Rogue of Islay Isle \* The Wolf of Kisimul Castle \* The Devil of Dunakin Castle**

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## **A SENSE OF DUTY**

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## **EDITED EDITION**

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When Lieutenant Ben Keegan leaves the Navy after a decade of training and service as a SEAL, he's depressed, suffering from post-traumatic stress and sleep problems. Leaving the Navy is the most painful event in his life, and he isolates himself to plan a future as a private government contactor-code for black-op. When he shows up on the campus of a university in Maine, he meets the captivating Lara Reagan O'Connell. Ben is drawn to her, and for the first time in his life he experiences real love. Finishing her master's degree in architectural restoration, Lara meets the handsome former Navy SEAL on campus when he shows up as a part time professor. She is twenty-four years old and beautiful, but terrified of the strong feelings Lieutenant Ben Keegan stirs in her. Several other potential suitors attempt to capture her time, but it's Ben that she respects and admires. But, there's one big problem: he is legally married and has a young son. This is a love story - between a man and a woman, but it's also a story about the love of country. A romance and a thriller, the story is filled with suspense and some unexpected turns.

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## **FRANK & AVA**

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### **IN LOVE AND WAR**

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Macmillan "If I had to go back in Hollywood history and name two people who were most desperately and passionately in love with each other, I would say Frank Sinatra and Ava Gardner were It" —Liz Smith It began in Hollywood's golden age when Ava was emerging as a movie star. But she fell in (and out of) love too easily. Mickey Rooney married her because he wanted another conquest. Artie Shaw treated her like a dumb brunette, giving her a reading list on their honeymoon. Neither marriage lasted a year. Then, after being courted by Howard Hughes and numerous others, along came Frank Sinatra. His passion for Ava destroyed his marriage and brought him close to ruin. Their wild affair broke all the rules of the prudish era as Frank left his wife and children and pursued Ava on an international stage. They became romantic renegades, with the press following them from location to location. "Oh, God, Frank Sinatra could be the sweetest, most charming man in the world when he was in the mood," said Ava. They married, but then came the quarrels, separations, infidelities, and reconciliations. Eventually, there was a divorce, and they thought it was over. It wasn't. Through all of the tortured years of separation and splintered affairs with others, they maintained a secretive relationship known only to those who recognized that this was the love of a lifetime. Over the years they attempted to reconcile, romanced and nurtured each other, right to the end. The love story of Frank and Ava has never been fully explored or explained - until now. John Brady's *Frank & Ava* delves deeply into the lives of these two iconic stars and their turbulent lifelong relationship. More than anything else, this is the story of

a romance lived out under battlefield conditions.

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## **LOVE AND THE SHAMELESS LADY**

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Disgraced lady Daisy Warren serves ale in a tumbledown inn, sings crude songs for the smugglers, and writes romantic novels in her spare time. Shunned by her own class, she's resigned to her lowly life--until someone tries to kill her. Gentleman spy Sir Julian Kerr noses out seditionists and traitors. When he visits the inn to investigate two suspicious Frenchmen, he meets the lovely but hostile Daisy. He doesn't intend to get involved with her--but then he learns that someone is threatening her life. He wants to find out more--it's part of his investigation. He wants to protect her--he's a chivalrous man. He wants her. But will Daisy's bitter past allow her to risk love again?

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## **A SCANDALOUS DEAL**

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## **THE FOUR HUNDRED SERIES**

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[HarperCollins](#) Joanna Shupe returns with another unforgettable novel set in the glittering world of New York City's Gilded Age... They call her Lady Unlucky... With three dead fiancés, Lady Eva Hyde has positively no luck when it comes to love. She sets sail for New York City, determined that nothing will deter her dream of becoming an architect, certainly not an unexpected passionate shipboard encounter with a mysterious stranger. But Eva's misfortune strikes once more when she discovers the stranger who swept her off her feet is none other than her new employer. Or is it Lady Irresistible? Phillip Mansfield reluctantly agrees to let the fiery Lady Eva oversee his luxury hotel project while vowing to keep their relationship strictly professional. Yet Eva is more capable—and more alluring—than Phillip first thought, and he cannot keep from drawing up a plan of his own to seduce her. When a series of onsite “accidents” make it clear someone wants Lady Unlucky to earn her nickname, Phillip discovers he's willing to do anything to protect her—even if it requires a scandalous deal...

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## **HIGHLAND FIRE**

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Offered in marriage by David of Scotland as a guise for peace and cursed by Aidan's people for the sins of her father, Lìleas MacLaren is the one woman Aidan believes he is immune to. Alas, she is also the one woman who might bring the fierce chieftain to his knees.

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## **THE DRIFTWOOD DIARIES**

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Three women's stories through long lost diaries found by bookstore owner, Rosalie Evans. Marie is a young woman who has been thrust into a remote Alaskan archaeological site and discovers love and bravery in the face of seemingly overwhelming obstacles. Susan Lee's story begins with the American Civil War, follows her to Colorado, and describes her life as a

mother and rancher on the tall grass prairie of Texas, all the while hiding a scandalous secret. The last memoir is written by Rosalie's own mother, who describes her life as a child in the Great Depression of the Texas Panhandle, on a particular Valentine's Day. These stories come alive through Rosalie's quest to place these memories back with the rightful families.

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## **BY ANY OTHER NAME**

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Ava Stone Inc **Lady Philippa Casemore** caused quite a scene at her very first ball of her very first season. She even landed herself, somehow, on the pages of the infamous betting book at White's gentleman's club. Unfortunately, she doesn't remember one moment of the night in question. Not the music. Not the notorious rake she'd dragged into the middle of the dance floor. Not the flask of opium-laced brandy she'd downed without realizing it's contents... Jason York, the wicked Earl of St. Austell, can't quite forget the lady who stole his breath away the previous night. Of course, his broken nose, courtesy of the girl's brother, did have a way of making an impression. When he stumbles into Lady Philippa the next day, his ego is more than bruised when she doesn't seem to recall him at all and a scheme to make certain she never forgets him again quickly forms in Jason's mind. \* Previously found in **THE BETTING SEASON**

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## **THE OPEN WORK**

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Harvard University Press **Essays discuss poetry, communication, television, form, aesthetics, bad taste, and art**

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## **NOTHING BUT DECEPTION**

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Kensington Publishing Corp. **Some risks simply beg to be taken... Beatrice, Lady Pullingham, knows the type of captivating beauty who inspires great art--or at least, she thinks she does, until Paris' most exciting young painter invites her to pose for him. Incredulous, Bea nonetheless has the sense to accept Philippe's invitation, and in so doing, signs on for lessons in seduction that give her the courage to embark on the adventure of a lifetime... Secrets. Jean-Philippe Durand has had enough of them. First, his mother's deathbed revelation--the one that brought him to England in search of his true father. And now, the secrets kept by the Englishwoman who has become his muse. Philippe wants more than just to paint Beatrice, he wants to show her every pleasure society has denied her--and she's denied herself. But there's something Beatrice isn't telling him, and his art only allows for truth...**

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## **THE LETTERS OF COLE PORTER**

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Yale University Press **The first comprehensive collection of the letters of one of the most successful American songwriters of the twentieth century From**

Anything Goes to Kiss Me, Kate, Cole Porter left a lasting legacy of iconic songs including "You're the Top," "Love For Sale," and "Night and Day." Yet, alongside his professional success, Porter led an eclectic personal life which featured exuberant parties, scandalous affairs, and chronic health problems. This extensive collection of letters (most of which are published here for the first time) dates from the first decade of the twentieth century to the early 1960s and features correspondence with stars such as Irving Berlin, Ethel Merman, and Orson Welles, as well as his friends and lovers. Cliff Eisen and Dominic McHugh complement these letters with lively commentaries that draw together the loose threads of Porter's life and highlight the distinctions between Porter's public and private existence. This book reveals surprising insights into his attitudes toward Hollywood and Broadway, and toward money, love, and dazzling success.

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## **OUTRAGEOUS**

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### **A GRIPPING HISTORICAL REGENCY ROMANCE BOOK**

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[Kensington Books](#) **Bridgerton fans and readers of Grace Burrowes, Sophie Jordan, and Alexa Aston won't want to miss this clever and exciting new love story from the acclaimed author of Notorious. "This daring, emotional page-turner is a delight." —Publishers Weekly** When Eva de Courtney kidnaps Godric Fleming, her only plan is to stop the irritating earl from persecuting her beloved brother. But once she has the intriguing rogue in the confines of her carriage, she longs to taste the passion she senses simmering beneath his rugged exterior. Her forbidden plan is foiled, however, when Godric turns the tables, taking her hostage instead—and demanding they marry at once... The last thing Godric wants to do is make the fiery, impulsive Eva his wife, despite her delectable mouth and alluring innocence. He knows from experience that nothing is forever, not even love. But honor demands he do right by the lady, no matter how stubbornly Eva tries to hold on to her independence. And while the road to the Scottish border is beset with danger, Godric's greatest challenge is to keep his hands—and his heart—from his captivating bride-to-be... "Spencer is once again perfectly on point with her fetching brand of historical romance... a plot rich in action and danger and spiced with just the right amount of tart wit." —Booklist "A fun and adventurous enemies-to-lovers romance." —One Book More "If you enjoy reading historical romance with some action...This is the book for you." —Smitten by Books, Top Pick

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## **TORRID**

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### **HEARTS OF STONE BOOK 1**

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Two lovers forced apart - What will they do to be together forever? When Tinsley Whittaker finds herself on the eve of an arranged marriage to the son of a Manhattan scion, she thinks she will be able to fake it, before romance comes into play. That's when Noah Stone, scourge of the Financial

Markets of Wall Street and playboy billionaire, steals her heart! Tinsley I've always imagined finding my one true love. I've always been a big believer in soul mates. But I never expected to fall for the one man I'm not supposed to be with. Noah Stone is intriguing, honest, incredibly sexy and the only man I've been warned to avoid. But, the path to true love isn't easy. Mostly, it's complicated, messy and, best of all, HOT! I'll do whatever it takes to be the woman in Noah's arms. He could hurt me over and over again, as long as all that's standing in the end is us. I'd burn my entire world to the ground before I lose him. Noah I've got Manhattan at my feet, and the world in the palm of my hand. Never did I think there was anything missing from my life. Women were just accessories to me, things to use for slaking my thirst for lust. That is, until the one woman I can't have changes my mind about everything to do with love. Of course this won't be easy; Tinsley's parents are determined to force her into a marriage of convenience to consolidate their wealth. But I'm determined to prove that I'm the only man she needs. No matter what happens, I'm not giving up on my last chance for true love. **TORRID The FIRST** book in Hearts of Stone, formerly the Stone Billionaire Series.

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## **THE WRETCHED OF THE EARTH**

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Grove Press

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## **RUSSIAN FUTURISM: A HISTORY**

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Univ of California Press

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## **MICK**

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## **THE WILD LIFE AND MAD GENIUS OF JAGGER**

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Simon and Schuster "He's a smart little mother\*\*\*\*\*, I'll give him that."  
 —KEITH RICHARDS on MICK JAGGER IS he Jumpin' Jack Flash? A Street Fighting Man? A Man of Wealth and Taste? All this, it turns out, and far more. By any definition, Mick Jagger is a force of nature, a complete original—and undeniably one of the dominant cultural figures of our time. Swaggering, strutting, sometimes elusive, always spellbinding, he grabbed us by our collective throat a half-century ago and—unlike so many of his gifted peers—never let go. For decades, Mick has jealously guarded his many shocking secrets—until now. As the Rolling Stones mark their 50th anniversary, journalist and #1 New York Times bestselling author Christopher Andersen tears the mask from rock's most complex and enigmatic icon in a no-holds-barred biography as impossible to ignore as Jagger himself. Based on interviews with friends, family members, fellow music legends, and industry insiders—as well as wives and legions of lovers—MICK sheds new light on a man whose very name defines an era and candidly reveals: —New details about Jagger's jaw-dropping sexual exploits with more than four thousand women (including Madonna,

Angelina Jolie, Carly Simon, Linda Ronstadt, Uma Thurman, and France's First Lady Carla Bruni)—as well as his encounters with several of rock's biggest male stars. Also, the day Mick's wife Jerry Hall and Keith Richards pleaded with Jagger to seek treatment for sex addiction. —The backstage drama surrounding Mick's knighthood, and Jagger's little-known ties to Britain's Royal Family, including Prince William and Kate Middleton. —What he really thinks of today's superstars—including Lady Gaga, Britney Spears, Beyoncé, Justin Timberlake, Kanye West, and Justin Bieber. —Never-before-revealed, behind-the-scenes accounts of his often turbulent relationships—from his band-mates, ravenous groupies, and rabid fans to such intimates as Andy Warhol, John Lennon, Jackie Onassis, Bill Clinton, and others. —Cocaine, LSD, hashish, and speed—the flabbergasting truth about the extent of Jagger's substance abuse, and how long it really went on. —A rare glimpse into Mick's business dealings and the killer instinct that has enabled him to amass a personal fortune well in excess of \$400 million. —The stormy “marriage” between Mick and Keith that nearly ran aground over Keith's searing comments—and all the scandal, mayhem, excess, madness, and genius that went into making the Rolling Stones “the world's greatest rock-and-roll band.” Like its subject, this book is explosive and riveting—the definitive biography of a living legend who has kept us thrilled, confounded, and astounded. **THIS IS MICK.**

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### **THE MURDER CODE (A REMI LAURENT FBI SUSPENSE THRILLER—BOOK 2)**

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[Ava Strong](#) **THE MURDER CODE (A Remi Laurent FBI Suspense Thriller)** is book #2 in a new series by mystery and suspense author Ava Strong, which begins with **THE DEATH CODE (Book #1)**. FBI Special Agent Daniel Walker, 40, known for his ability to hunt killers, his street-smarts, and his disobedience, is singled out from the Behavioral Analysis Unit and assigned to the FBI's new Antiquities unit. The unit, formed to hunt down priceless relics in the global world of antiquities, has no idea how to enter the mind of a murderer. Remi Laurent, 34, brilliant history professor at Georgetown, is the world's leading expert in obscure historic artifacts. Shocked when the FBI asks for her help to find a killer, she finds herself reluctantly partnered with this rude American FBI agent. Special Agent Walker and Remi Laurent are an unlikely duo, with his ability to enter killers' minds and her unparalleled scholarship, the only thing they have in common, their determination to decode the clues and stop a killer. A priceless, historic painting is stolen from a museum in Washington, D.C., and a dead body is found along with it. When the trail leads back to Paris and demands a historian's expertise, FBI Special Agent Walker realizes he has no choice but to ask Remi Laurent for her help again. Together, they need to travel to the Louvre, visit the scene of the first murder, decode the message in the stolen paintings, and stop the killer before he strikes again. A global manhunt ensues in a race against time, as Remi races to understand the

clues, and quickly learns that this killer is more diabolical than anything she could have ever imagined. An unputdownable crime thriller featuring an unlikely partnership between a jaded FBI agent and a brilliant historian, the REMI LAURENT series is a riveting mystery, grounded in history, and packed with suspense and revelations that will leave you continuously in shock, and flipping pages late into the night. Books #3-#6 in the series—THE MALICE CODE, THE VENGEANCE CODE, THE DECEPTION CODE, and THE SEDUCTION CODE—are also available.

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### **THE HEALING TREE**

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Second Wind Publishing Lady Lilian Bliant appears to be a serene earl's daughter, but under her exotic facade she has a spine of steel. She is determined to thwart her manipulative father's plan to shackle her to a weak-willed man of the ton and is successful until Lord Maxwell Warrick becomes a suitor. Lord Max is anything but weak-willed. He is happy with his life until Lady Lilian wreaks havoc on his heart. Despite her continued rejection, Max wants Lily to trust him, trust in his love, and have faith in the Lord. With the Lord's guidance, and through prayer, he begins to hope that one day their differences will be put aside and Lily will accept his faith as her own and Max as her husband.

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### **THE NOTORIOUS ELIZABETH TUTTLE**

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#### **MARRIAGE, MURDER, AND MADNESS IN THE FAMILY OF JONATHAN EDWARDS**

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NYU Press Who was Elizabeth Tuttle? In most histories, she is a footnote, a blip. At best, she is a minor villain in the story of Jonathan Edwards, perhaps the greatest American theologian of the colonial era. Many historians consider Jonathan Edwards a theological genius, wildly ahead of his time, a Puritan hero. Elizabeth Tuttle was Edwards's "crazy grandmother," the one whose madness and adultery drove his despairing grandfather to divorce. In this compelling and meticulously researched work of micro-history, Ava Chamberlain unearths a fuller history of Elizabeth Tuttle. It is a violent and tragic story in which anxious patriarchs struggle to govern their households, unruly women disobey their husbands, mental illness tears families apart, and loved ones die sudden deaths. Through the lens of Elizabeth Tuttle, Chamberlain re-examines the common narrative of Jonathan Edwards's ancestry, giving his long-ignored paternal grandmother a voice. Tracing this story into the 19th century, she creates a new way of looking at both ordinary families of colonial New England and how Jonathan Edwards's family has been remembered by his descendants, contemporary historians, and, significantly, eugenicists. For as Chamberlain uncovers, it was during the eugenics movement, which employed the Edwards family as an ideal, that the crazy grandmother story took shape. The Notorious Elizabeth Tuttle not only brings to light the

tragic story of an ordinary woman living in early New England, it also explores the deeper tension between the ideal of Puritan family life and its messy reality, complicating the way America has thought about its Puritan past.

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## THE LIFE OF SLANG

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OUP Oxford **Bad-ass, bee's knees, and bomb-diffity - slang rules** Teachers, politicians, broadcasters, and parents complain of the slang-infested language of today's teenagers. But slang has been around for centuries, always troubling those who take a purist line on the English language. In this entertaining book, Julie Coleman traces the development of slang across the English-speaking world and explores why and how it flourishes. She makes use of a marvellous array of sources, including newly available online records of the Old Bailey, machine-searchable historical newspaper collections, slang users themselves, scholarly works, and the latest tweets. It is a book guaranteed to teach you some new words that you should never use in polite company.

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## ILLUMINATING LEVITICUS

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### A STUDY OF ITS LAWS AND INSTITUTIONS IN THE LIGHT OF BIBLICAL NARRATIVES

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JHU Press **Publisher description**

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## THE SECRET DIARIES OF MISS MIRANDA CHEEVER

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Harper Collins **2 March 1810 . . . Today, I fell in love. At the age of ten, Miranda Cheever showed no signs of Great Beauty. And even at ten, Miranda learned to accept the expectations society held for her—until the afternoon when Nigel Bevelstoke, the handsome and dashing Viscount Turner, solemnly kissed her hand and promised her that one day she would grow into herself, that one day she would be as beautiful as she already was smart. And even at ten, Miranda knew she would love him forever. But the years that followed were as cruel to Turner as they were kind to Miranda. She is as intriguing as the viscount boldly predicted on that memorable day—while he is a lonely, bitter man, crushed by a devastating loss. But Miranda has never forgotten the truth she set down on paper all those years earlier—and she will not allow the love that is her destiny to slip lightly through her fingers . . .**

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## THE ENGLISH LIEUTENANT'S LADY

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Ava Stone Inc **Phoebe Greywood has waited quite a while for her betrothed to return home from the Peninsular Wars, but when he finally does, she's heartbroken to discover he's changed in more ways than one. Most alarmingly, he doesn't seem to care one whit about her anymore. But one man who hasn't changed a bit after his time on the continent is her**

betrothed's boorish brother... Lieutenant Tristan Avery would like to pound some sense, or perhaps honor, into his older brother. Why the cad treats Phoebe so callously, Tristan can't understand. But what he truly can't understand is why he suddenly seems drawn to the chit as they've never been fond of each other. When the truth of Tristan's feelings for Phoebe become clear, his own honor is put to the test and all of his plans for the future are turned upside down.

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## **TEMPTING THE MARQUESS**

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### **A WESTON NOVEL**

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Penguin After his wife's death, Jason Traherne, Marquess of Sheldon, shut his heart to everyone but his son. But there's something about Olivia Weston's unique blend of sweetness and sensuality which tempts him beyond all reason. Though there's nothing suitable about the feelings he inspires in her, Livvy can't help falling for the marquess...but can she persuade him to let go of the past and risk his heart again?

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## **MY SAVING GRACE**

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### **VESTED INTEREST - ABC CORP**

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Welcome to ABC Corp!It is time for the next generation of BAM. Brand new series of interconnected standalones based on the Vested Interest world. Grace VanRyan has her life mapped out. Law school, a career with ABC, and a bright future ahead of her. Until Jaxson Richards steps into the picture. He's everything she hasn't planned for. Older, sexy, off-limits. And her new boss. When the passion between them explodes, will her life blow up along with it?

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## **FOREVER BETROTHED, NEVER THE BRIDE**

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Hopeless romantic, Lady Emmaline Fitzhugh, is tired of sitting with the wallflowers, waiting for her betrothed to come to his senses and marry her. When Emmaline reads one too many reports of his scandalous liaisons in the gossip rags, she takes matters into her own hands.War-torn veteran, Lord Drake devotes himself to forgetting his days on the Peninsula through an endless round of meaningless associations. He no longer wants to feel anything, but Lady Emmaline is making it hard to maintain a state of numbness. With her zest for life, she awakens his passion and desire for love.The one woman Drake has spent the better part of his life avoiding is now the only woman he needs, but he is no longer a man worthy of his Emmaline. It is up to her to show him the healing power of love.

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## **THE ACADEMY - INTRODUCTIONS**

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### **THE GHOST BIRD SERIES #1**

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Arcato Publishing With an agoraphobic mother and a barely-there father,

Sang abhors the isolation keeping her in the shadows. The only thing Sang craves is a fresh start and to be accepted as ordinary by her peers, because for her being different meant being cast out alone. When her family moves to a new school district, Sang infiltrates a group of boys nearly perfect in every way. Grateful for an influence outside of her parents' negativity, she quickly bonds with the boys, hoping to blend in and learn from them what it means to have a natural relationship with friends. Only the boys have secrets of their own and they'll do anything to keep her safe from the knowledge of the mysterious Academy that they've sworn allegiance to. Bit by bit, Sang discovers that her friends are far from the normalcy she expected. Will her loyalty change when she's forced to remain in the dark, or will she accept that she's traded one house of secrets for another? Meet Kota, Victor, Silas, Nathan, Gabriel, Luke and North in a story about differences and loyalty, truth and mystery, friendships and heart-throbbing intimacy. The Academy, ever vigilant.

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### **MY FAVORITE MAJOR**

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Ava Stone Inc When her longtime fiancé returns home from the victory at Waterloo, Amelia Pritchard suspects he's not the noble, upstanding gentleman she's always believed him to be. After breaking their betrothal, she flees to London with the hope of starting her life over and putting the past firmly behind her. Battle weary Major Philip Moore finds himself intrigued by the lovely Miss Pritchard. Though he's recovering from a broken heart of his own, more than just his honor urges him to protect the lady when her nefarious ex-beau arrives in Town with the most wicked of intentions.

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### **THE KISS OF A VISCOUNT**

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Twisted Teacup Publishing It started with a simple kiss... but it could end with undying love. Viscount George Bennett-Jones has all the wealth he can dream of... but he's missing a bride. Even though he possesses a suave demeanour and charming sweet talk, he's not particularly confident he can swoon any girl - especially the beautiful Lady Elizabeth Carlington. The fair lady will be no easy woman to woo, what with the Earl of Trenton already eyeing her for marriage. George will need more than money and prestige to win her heart. Elizabeth is happy to marry the Earl - even if his kissing reminds her of her best friend's dog - but when a regal ball lands her in the arms of the dashing viscount, she ends up with a kiss that leaves her yearning for more. George has an evening planned to spark the fine Lady's imagination and capture her undying love. But will the passion between them be enough to convince her to accept his hand in marriage? Or will her night of excitement simply leave her with vivid memories of what she'll be missing? Step into a breathtaking regency romance from bestselling author Linda Rae Sandre. With a gorgeous 19th-century setting that beautifully encapsulates the magic and drama of aristocratic life, The Kiss of a

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