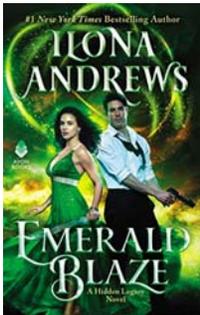
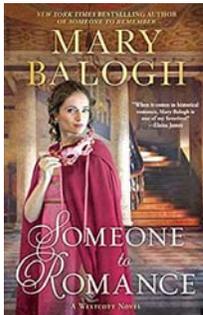
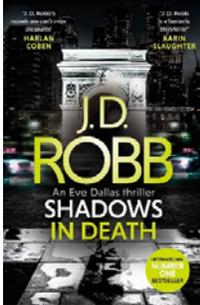
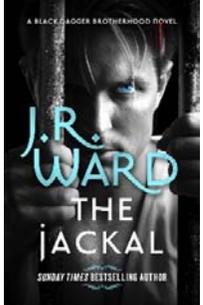


Eagerly anticipated mass market paperbacks include Ilona Andrews' *EMERALD BLAZE*, Mary Balogh's *SOMEONE TO ROMANCE*, Mary Jo Putney's *ONCE DISHONORED* and Lynsay Sands *IMMORTAL ANGEL*; popular trade paperbacks include Robert Galbraith's *TROUBLED BLOOD*, J.D. Robb's *SHADOWS IN DEATH* and J.R. Ward's *THE JACKAL*. It's time to make a big pot of tea and curl up with a great book. Enjoy!

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Top Books September		Top Books October	
Ilona Andrews	<i>Emerald Blaze</i>	Kerrigan Byrne	<i>All Scot and Bothered</i>
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Sandra Brown	<i>Thick as Thieves*</i>	Lorraine Heath	<i>Beauty Tempts the Beast</i>
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Laura Griffin	<i>Hidden</i>	Sheila Roberts	<i>One Charmed Christmas*</i>
Sabrina Jeffries	<i>Who Wants to Marry a Duke</i>	Lynsay Sands	<i>Immortal Angel</i>
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J.R. Ward	<i>The Jackal*</i>	Jessica Townsend	<i>Hollowpox*</i>

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	<p>Title: Emerald Blaze Author: Ilona Andrews Classification: Fantasy & Paranormal Book Type: Mass Market Paperback Price: \$18 Annotation: <i>Hidden Legacy Series.</i> As Prime magic users, Catalina Baylor and her sisters have extraordinary powers – powers their ruthless grandmother would love to control. Catalina can earn her family some protection working as deputy to the Warden of Texas, overseeing breaches of magic law in the state, but that has risks as well. When House Baylor is under attack and monsters haunt her every step, Catalina is forced to rely on handsome, dangerous Alessandro Sagredo, the Prime who crushed her heart ...</p>		<p>Title: Someone to Romance Author: Mary Balogh Classification: Historical Book Type: Mass Market Paperback Price: \$18 Annotation: <i>Westcott Series.</i> Lady Jessica Archer lost interest in romance after her cousin and dearest friend Abigail Westcott was rejected by the ton when her father was revealed to be a bigamist. Ever practical, however, once she's twenty-five, she decides it's time to wed. When she meets the mysterious Gabriel Thorne, Jessica considers him completely unsuitable. But when Jessica guesses who Gabriel really is, and watches the lengths to which he will go in order to protect those who rely upon him, she is drawn to his cause – and to the man.</p>
	<p>Title: Shadows in Death Author: J.D. Robb Classification: Crime/Mystery/Thriller Book Type: Trade Paperback Price: \$30 Annotation: <i>Eve Dallas Series.</i> When a night out at the theatre is interrupted by the murder of a young woman in Washington Square Park, it seems like an ordinary case for Detective Eve Dallas and her team. But when Roarke spots a shadow from his past in the crowd, Eve realises that this case is far from business as usual ... Eve has two complex cases on her hands – the shocking murder of this wealthy young mother and tracking down the shadow before he can strike again, this time much closer to home. Eve is well used to being the hunter, but how will she cope when the tables are turned?</p>		<p>Title: The Jackal Author: J.R. Ward Classification: Fantasy & Paranormal Book Type: Mass Market Paperback Price: \$30 Annotation: <i>Black Dagger Brotherhood: Prison Camp Series.</i> The location of the glymera's notorious prison camp was lost after the raids. When a freak accident provides Nyx clues to where her sister may still be doing time, she is determined to find the secret subterranean labyrinth. Embarking on a journey under the earth, she learns a terrible truth – and meets a male who changes everything ... The Jackal has been in the camp for so long, he cannot recall the freedom he once knew. Trapped by circumstances out of his control, he helps Nyx because he cannot help himself. Getting her sister out becomes a deadly mission for them both.</p>

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Other Books Available in This Catalogue

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Bayou Baby by **Lexi Blake** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Butterfly Bayou Series*. Seraphina Guidry loves Butterfly Bayou. A young, single mom, she's trying to find a place for herself in the town she cherishes, but past mistakes have made her wary. She adores her son but has sworn off men. She's dedicated herself to restoring an historic house and building her own business ... Harrison Jefferys never expected to find himself in small-town Louisiana, but he has a job to do and a family to reconnect with. After years in the Army, he's happy to spend time with his Aunt Celeste and his cousins in such an idyllic spot. When he meets Seraphina, he starts to think Papillion might be a great place to call home. But a secret from Sera's past rears its head and threatens to tear the community apart ... Caught between the woman he's coming to love and the only family he has left, Harry knows he has to follow his heart and with the help of the meddling locals find a way to keep them both.

Thick as Thieves by **Sandra Brown** (Trade Paperback – \$30). Twenty years ago, four men attempted to pull off the ultimate heist, almost walking away with half a million dollars. By daybreak, their plan had been shot to hell. One was in hospital. One was in jail. One was dead. And one got away with it ... Arden Maxwell is the daughter of the man who disappeared years ago, presumed with the money in his pocket and blood on his hands. After years of running from her past, she is returning to her family home in Caddo Lake, Texas. Little does she know, two of her father's co-conspirators are still there. And they are watching her every move ... With Arden's arrival, the two old accomplices are on red alert. One of these three knows more about the money, the murder and the betrayal than they are letting on. The truth rarely stays buried, and many would kill to uncover it.

Chance of a Lifetime by **Jude Deveraux** and **Tara Sheets** (Trade Paperback – \$33). *Providence Falls Series*. In 1844 Ireland, Liam O'Connor, a rogue and a thief, fell madly in love with a squire's daughter and unwittingly altered the future. Shy and naive Cora McLeod thought Liam was the answer to her prayers. But the angels disagreed and they've been waiting for the right moment in time to step in ... Now Liam finds himself reunited with his beloved Cora in Providence Falls, North Carolina. The angels have given Liam a task. He must make sure Cora falls in love with another man – the one she was supposed to marry before Liam interfered. But this Cora is different from the innocent girl who fell for Liam in the past. She's a cop and has a confidence and independence he wasn't expecting. She doesn't remember Liam or their past lives, nor is she impressed with his attempts to guide her in any way ... Liam wants Cora for himself, but with his soul hanging in the balance, he must choose between a stolen moment in time or an eternity of damnation.

Hidden by **Laura Griffin** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Texas Murder Files Series*. When a woman is found brutally murdered on Austin's lakeside hike-and-bike trail, investigative reporter Bailey Rhoads turns up on the scene demanding access and answers of lead detective, Jacob Merritt. But this

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case is unlike any Jacob has ever seen, and nothing adds up ... Bailey has a hunch that the victim wasn't who she claimed to be and believes this mugging-turned-murder could have been a targeted hit. When she digs deeper, the trail leads her to a high-tech fortress on the outskirts of Austin, where researchers are pushing the boundaries of a cutting-edge technology that could be deadly in the wrong hands ... As a hitman's mission becomes clear, Bailey and Jacob join together in a desperate search to locate the next target before the clock ticks down in this lethal game of hide-and-seek.

Hindsight by **Iris Johansen** and **Roy Johansen** (Mass Market Paperback Release – \$20). *Kendra Michaels Series*. Dr. Kendra Michaels, blind for the first twenty years of her life before gaining her sight via a revolutionary surgical procedure, is a renowned investigator known for her razor-sharp senses – honed during her years in the dark – and keen deductive abilities ... Now her skills are needed uncomfortably close to home. Two staff members have been murdered at a school for the blind where Kendra spent her formative years. But the murders are puzzlingly dissimilar: one victim was brutally stabbed, while the other was killed by a bullet to the head. Are the crimes related? Or is Kendra on the hunt for more than one dangerous killer? ... With the killer (or killers) on the loose, Kendra puts her life on the line to unravel a terrifying conspiracy. But Kendra soon discovers that she herself may hold the key to the deadliest secret of all.

Smokescreen by **Iris Johansen** (Mass Market Paperback Release – \$20). *Eve Duncan Series*. A journalist shows up on Eve Duncan's doorstep with a plea for help. Jill Cassidy has just come from a small African village with a heart wrenching story: half the villagers – many of them children – have been killed in a horrific attack by guerilla soldiers, the bodies burned beyond recognition. Now, the families desperately need Eve's help to get closure and begin to heal ... But when Eve arrives in the remote jungle, she begins to suspect that Jill's plea may have been a cover story for a deeper, more sinister plot. Isolated and unsure who she can trust, Eve finds herself stranded in an unstable country where violence threatens to break out again at any moment and with only her own instincts to rely on if she hopes to get home to her family alive.

Flash by **Jayne Ann Krentz** (Mass Market Paperback Reissue – \$18). Olivia Chantry may leave her desk in disarray, but she's a business dynamo – and the success of her company, Light Fantastic, keeps her from dwelling on her crumbled marriage. When Olivia inherits 49 percent of Glow, Inc., her uncle's high-tech lighting firm, she butts heads with the interloper who bagged the other 51 percent: Jasper Sloan, a venture capitalist known as an orderly man with his ducks in a row ... The so-called partners nearly crash and burn – and can barely contain the sexual energy crackling between them. But when they discover a blackmailer inside Glow, Olivia and Jasper's steamy joint venture faces the acid test of truth ... and a need for trust. When extortion turns to murder, a union of their minds and hearts might be their only chance to stay alive.

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Christmas on Reindeer Road by **Debbie Mason** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Highland Falls Series*. Mallory Maitland knows all too well what it's like to feel abandoned, which is why she's sworn never to give up on her two stepsons – her late husband's children. But when the teens land in hot water, she's got a whole new problem: how to resist the caring and incredibly hot Chief of Police Gabriel Buchanan. All Mallory wants is to give the boys a magical holiday. She doesn't need the distraction of wondering what it would be like to kiss Gabriel under the mistletoe ... After his wife died, Gabriel left his job as an adrenaline-chasing New York City homicide detective to focus on raising his three sons. But back in Highland Falls, he doesn't have to go looking for trouble. It finds him – in the form of a beautiful neighbor and her troublemaking step-children. With Gabriel's mother-in-law looking for any excuse to gain custody of his sons, Gabriel can't risk getting involved with Mallory, even though she's the only woman capable of making this Christmas – and all the rest to come – his best ever.

Temptation on Ocean Drive by **Jennifer Probst** (Trade Paperback – \$25). *Sunshine Sisters Series*. Young widow Bella Sunshine-Caldwell is focused only on raising her daughter and running the family business, Sunshine Bridal. There's no time for romance – especially with her fellow wedding planner, Gabe, whom she's growing increasingly attracted to. He's too enterprising to stay in Cape May for long, anyway. And too tall, dark, and handsome to be anything but a heartbreaker ... Every woman in town has her sights on Gabe Garcia. The only woman he has eyes for doesn't seem interested. All he wants is to fall in love, be a father, and settle down. As he and Bella work together on a magical winter wedding, the distance between them closes, the nights grow warmer, and Bella might see Gabe for who he really is: a man worth the effort ... But all it takes is a single rumor for these two hearts' fragile love story to shatter. And now the happy ending Bella and Gabe hoped for is something they're going to have to fight for.

One Charmed Christmas by **Sheila Roberts** (Trade Paperback – \$30). Catherine Pine is hoping her Christmas is a bit more jolly than last year's. That one was her first without her husband, and with her kids and their families absent this year, she's worried. But things change when her good friend invites her on a Christmas cruise to lift her spirits. Suddenly every day is an adventure and she's making new friends, including the lovable Sophie Miles ... It's like a gift from Santa when Sophie and Catherine meet the charming Dr. Rudy Nichols, a perfect match for hypochondriac Sophie. But he comes with a two-legged lump of coal, his guard-dog daughter. And then there's chocolatier Trevor March, who's also interested in the scrumptious Sophie. Can he convince her that chocolate is the perfect cure for what ails her? Who knows what Santa has in store for these holiday travelers? Anything could happen this charmed Christmas!

Say No More by **Karen Rose** (Trade Paperback – \$30). *Sacramento Series*. Mercy Callahan never thought she'd be able to talk about her past. When she arrives in Sacramento to make peace with her brother Gideon, and to help find the brutal cult that

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 took away her childhood, she is finally ready to talk. But when Ephraim Burton – the man who made her life a living hell – follows her there, she realizes she might never be safe ... Rafe Sokolov would do anything to have Mercy back in his life and would go to any length to protect her. But when it becomes apparent that Ephraim is more determined than ever to get Mercy back, even Rafe might not be able to stop the trail of destruction he leaves in his wake. As Ephraim draws near, it's clear it's not just Mercy who is in danger; those closest to her are firmly in his sights ... Will Mercy sacrifice herself to help bring Ephraim down? Or will he finally get what he's always wanted.

Waiting On a Cowboy by **Jennifer Ryan** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *McGrath Series*. Tate McGrath didn't get it. Why was Liz Scott, his best friend – and the person he relied on and trusted – suddenly avoiding him! When he finally tracks her down, he finds her with a man he knows nothing about and she's been dating for weeks. Suddenly, he can't make himself ignore her tempting curves and green eyes, and all he wants to do is keep her to himself. What was going on? Could he possibly be ... jealous? Liz had made the decision: stop carrying a torch for Tate and find a guy who wants to be her everything. Tate had always seen her as honest, dependable, smart, kind ... Best friend, not girlfriend! And she needed to give up the dream of marrying the man she'd loved since preschool ... But when Liz's boyfriend turns dangerous, Tate steps up to help and soon realizes he's the cowboy hero she's been waiting for him to be all along.

A Highlander is Coming to Town by **Laura Trentham** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Highland, Georgia Series*. Holt Pierson is dreading Christmas. His parents absconded to Florida for the season and left him to handle the family farm which will be his one day – whether he wants it or not. Driven by duty, Holt has always followed the path expected of him. But lately, he's been questioning what he wants and where he belongs. Will assuming the responsibility of the Pierson farm make him happy or is there something – or someone – else out in the wider world calling to him? ... To Claire Smythe, the Scottish lead singer of a touring band, Highland, Georgia, is the perfect place to hide ... until a very handsome and deeply curious Holt begins to ask all the questions Claire doesn't want to answer. As Holt draws Claire out from under and into the fabric of small-town life, can Claire put the past behind her and embrace the unexpected gifts of the season – including the new and lasting love?

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The Girl in the Mirror by **Rose Carlyle** (Trade Paperback – \$30). Twin sisters Iris and Summer are startlingly alike, but beyond what the eye can see lies a darkness that sets them apart. Cynical and insecure, Iris has long been envious of Summer's seemingly never-ending good fortune, including her perfect husband Adam ... Called to Thailand to help her sister sail the family yacht to the Seychelles, Iris nurtures her own secret hopes for what might happen on the journey. But when she unexpectedly finds herself alone in the middle of the Indian Ocean, everything changes. When she makes it to land, Iris allows herself to be swept up by Adam,

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who assumes that she is Summer ... Iris recklessly goes along with his mistake. Not only does she finally have the golden life she's always envied, with her sister gone, she's one step closer to the hundred-million-dollar inheritance left by her manipulative father. All Iris has to do is be the first of his seven children to produce an heir ... Iris's "new" life lurches between glamorous dream and paranoid nightmare. On the edge of being exposed, how far will she go to ensure no one discovers the truth? And just what did happen to Summer on the yacht? Only Iris knows ...

For Letter Or Worse by **Vivian Conroy** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Stationery Shop Mystery Series*. The scissors are sharpened and the cardstock stacked for Delta Douglas' workshop: a 3D card-making event at socialite Lena Laroy's birthday extravaganza. As co-owner of Wanted, the local stationery shop, Delta is ready to wow her guests with her one of a kind crafts. But, at this party, paper isn't the only thing bent out of shape. When a threatening present is unwrapped and the guest of honor's sister-in-law is discovered dead by the trees, Delta realizes another killer is loose in her small town ... Delta and her Paper Posse must analyze the evidence to track the culprit down. But, with Lena's list of enemies a mile long, Delta soon discovers this case has more dimensions than she bargained for.

Twisted Twenty-Six by **Janet Evanovich** (Mass Market Paperback Release – \$20). *Stephanie Plum Series*. Grandma Mazur, Stephanie Plum's favourite family member and occasional partner in crime, has decided to get married again to local gangster Jimmy Rosolli. If Stephanie has her doubts about this marriage, she doesn't have to worry for long, because the groom drops dead of a heart attack 45 minutes after saying "I do" ... A sad day for Grandma Mazur turns into something far more dangerous when Jimmy's former "business partners" are convinced that his new widow is keeping the keys to a financial windfall all to herself. But the one thing these guys didn't count on was the widow's bounty hunter granddaughter, who'll do anything to save her.

Troubled Blood by **Robert Galbraith** (Trade Paperback – \$30). *Cormoran Strike Series*. Private Detective Cormoran Strike is visiting his family in Cornwall when he is approached by a woman asking for help finding her mother, Margot Bamborough – who went missing in mysterious circumstances in 1974 ... Strike has never tackled a cold case before, let alone one forty years old. But despite the slim chance of success, he is intrigued and takes it on; adding to the long list of cases that he and his partner in the agency, Robin Ellacott, are currently working on. And Robin herself is also juggling a messy divorce and unwanted male attention, as well as battling her feelings about Strike ... As Strike and Robin investigate Margot's disappearance, they come up against a fiendishly complex case with leads that include tarot cards, a psychopathic serial killer and witnesses who cannot all be trusted. And they learn that even cases decades old can prove to be deadly.

Read and Buried by **Eva Gates** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Lighthouse Library Mystery Series*. The Bodie Island Lighthouse Library Classic Novel Book Club is reading Journey to the Center of the Earth by Jules Verne while workers dig into the earth

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to repair the Lighthouse Library's foundations. The digging halts when librarian Lucy Richardson pulls a battered tin box containing a Civil War-era diary from the pit. Tucked inside is a hand-drawn map of the Outer Banks accompanied by a page written in an indecipherable code ... The library is overrun by people clamoring to see the artifact. Later that night, Lucy and Connor McNeil find the body of historical society member Jeremy Hughes inside the library. Clearly Jeremy was not the only one who broke into the library – the map and the coded page are missing ... Lucy's nemesis, Louise Jane McKaughnan, confesses to entering the library after closing to sneak a peek but denies seeing Jeremy – or his killer. When Lucy discovers that fellow-librarian Charlene had a past with Jeremy, she's forced to do what she vowed not to do – get involved in the case. Meanwhile, the entire library staff and community become obsessed with trying to decode the page. But when the library has a second break in, it becomes clear that someone is determined to solve that code.

A Pretty Deceit by **Anna Lee Huber** (Trade Paperback – \$30). *Verity Kent Series*. Peacetime has brought little respite for former Secret Service agent Verity Kent. Intrigue still abounds, even within her own family. As a favor to her father, Verity agrees to visit his sister in Wiltshire. Her once prosperous aunt has fallen on difficult times and is considering selling their estate. But there are strange goings-on at the manor, including missing servants, possible heirloom forgeries, and suspicious rumors – all leading to the discovery of a dead body on the grounds ... While Verity and her husband, Sidney, investigate this new mystery, they are also on the trail of an old adversary – the shadowy and lethal Lord Ardmore. At every turn, the suspected traitor seems to be one step ahead of them. And even when their dear friend Max, the Earl of Ryde, stumbles upon a code hidden among his late father's effects that may reveal the truth about Ardmore, Verity wonders if they are really the hunters – or the hunted ...

A Bad Day for Sunshine by **Darynda Jones** (Trade Paperback – \$23). *Sunshine Vicram Series*. Del Sol, New Mexico is known for three things: its fry-an-egg-on-the-cement summers, strong cups of coffee – and, now, a nationwide manhunt? ... Del Sol native Sunshine Vicram has returned to town as the elected sheriff, expecting nothing more than a quiet ride. But now a teenage girl is missing, a kidnapper is on the loose, and all of this is reminding Sunshine why she left Del Sol in the first place. Add to that the trouble at her daughter's new school, plus a kidnapped rooster named Puff Daddy, and the forecast looks anything but sunny ... But even clouds have their silver linings. This one's got Levi, Sunshine's sexy, almost-old flame, and Quincy Cooper, a fiery-hot US Marshall. With temperatures rising everywhere she turns, Del Sol's normally cool-minded sheriff is finds herself knee-deep in drama and danger ... Can Sunshine face the call of duty – and find the kidnapper who's terrorising her hometown – without falling head over high heels in love ... or worse?

A Madness of Sunshine by **Nalini Singh** (Mass Market Paperback Release – \$20). Welcome to Golden Cove, a remote town on the edge of the world where even the blinding brightness of the sun can't mask the darkness that lies deep within a killer ... On the

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rugged West Coast of New Zealand, Golden Cove is more than just a town where people live. The adults are more than neighbours; the children, more than schoolmates ... That is until one fateful summer – and several vanished bodies – shatters the trust holding Golden Cove together. All that's left are whispers behind closed doors, broken friendships, and a silent agreement not to look back. But they can't run from the past forever ... Eight years later, a beautiful young woman disappears without a trace, and the residents of Golden Cove wonder if their home shelters something far more dangerous than an unforgiving landscape ... It's not long before the dark past collides with the haunting present and deadly secrets come to light.

How to Raise an Elephant by **Alexander McCall Smith** (Trade Paperback – \$30). *No. 1 Ladies' Detective Agency Series*. Precious Ramotswe calls upon all her maternal instincts when she's faced with a two-ton case ... They say it takes a village to raise a child, but can Mma Ramotswe and the rest of the No. 1 Ladies' Detective Agency come together to raise a pipsqueak pachyderm? We may find out in this novel. We may not. Who can say?

Murder on Cold Street by **Sherry Thomas** (Trade Paperback – \$30). *Lady Sherlock Series*. Inspector Treadles, Charlotte Holmes's friend and collaborator, has been found locked in a room with two dead men, both of whom worked with his wife at the great manufacturing enterprise she has recently inherited ... Rumors fly. Had Inspector Treadles killed the men because they had opposed his wife's initiatives at every turn? Had he killed in a fit of jealous rage, because he suspected Mrs. Treadles of harboring deeper feelings for one of the men? To make matters worse, he refuses to speak on his own behalf, despite the overwhelming evidence against him ... Charlotte finds herself in a case strewn with lies and secrets. But which lies are to cover up small sins, and which secrets would flay open a past better left forgotten? Not to mention, how can she concentrate on only murders, when Lord Ingram, her oldest friend and sometime lover, at last dangles before her the one thing she has always wanted?

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Dark Song by **Christine Feehan** (Trade Paperback – \$30). *Dark Carpathian Series*. Stolen from her home at a young age and tormented for centuries, Elisabeta Trigovise is scared to show herself to anyone. Even though she has been rescued and is now safe within the Carpathian compound, she has lived in fear for so long she has no idea how to survive without it. She wants to answer the siren call of her lifemate – but the very thought terrifies her ... Before he found Elisabeta, Ferro Arany was an ancient warrior without emotion. Now that his senses have come alive, he knows it will take more than kind words and soft touches to convince the fractured woman that they are partners, not master and prisoner. For now, he will give her his strength until she finds hers, allowing the steady rhythm of his heart to soothe Elisabeta's fragile soul ... But even as she learns to stand on her own, the vampire who kept her captive is desperate to claim her again, threatening the song Elisabeta and Ferro are writing together.

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Lethal Game by **Christine Feehan** (Mass Market Paperback Release – \$18). *Ghostwalker Series*. When Malichai Fortunes attacks a problem, he does it full force – a habit that earns the GhostWalker a painful injury and a forced vacation in San Diego, California. With nothing but physical therapy on the horizon, Malichai is starting to get restless ... until a striking blue-eyed blonde makes all his senses come alive ... Amaryllis is kind and warm and sees beyond Malichai's rough exterior, but he can tell there's something she's hiding. Her innate healing abilities indicate she might be a GhostWalker – albeit an untrained one. Malichai doesn't think their crossing paths is anything more than coincidence, but he can sense that one wrong word could send Amaryllis running ... When strange events at his temporary retreat put Malichai on high alert, he knows he won't be able to deal with the threat and keep his woman safe in his weakened state. But calling in his brothers means telling Amaryllis what he really is, and revealing that he knows the truth about her too.

Inferno by **Donna Grant** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Dark Kings Series*. King of Dragon Kings. Driven, ruthless, shrewd. The weight of survival for Constantine and his brethren has pushed him to set aside his yearnings. He's the most powerful Dragon King, and Con will stop at nothing to destroy anyone who dares to threaten his existence ... For years, Con has hidden his pain – his desperation – for there is one smoldering beauty that he craves above all else, even if he feels he doesn't deserve her. However, his enemies are at every corner. There is no one left to trust. But none of that matters anymore: There is only one thing that Con wants. With this one woman by his side, he can fight for the freedom of his fellow men-in-arms. All Con has to do is get her to surrender her heart ... and be his for all time.

Sucker Punch by **Laurell K. Hamilton** (Trade Paperback – \$30). *Anita Blake, Vampire Hunter Series*. When a fellow U.S. Marshal asks Anita Blake to fly to a tiny community in Michigan's Upper Peninsula on an emergency consult, she knows time is running short. When she arrives, there is plenty of proof that a young wereleopard killed his uncle in the most gruesome and bloody way possible. As the mounting evidence points to him, a warrant of execution is already under way ... But something seems off about the murder, and Anita has been asked for her expert opinion on the crime scene. Despite escalating pressure from local cops and the family's cries for justice for their dead patriarch, Anita quickly realizes that the evidence doesn't quite add up ... Time is against Anita, as the tight-knit community is up in arms and its fear of supernaturals is growing. She races to uncover the truth and determine whether the Marshals have caught the killer or are about to execute an innocent man – all in the name of justice.

American Witch by **Kim Harrison** (Print-On-Demand Paperback – \$36). *American Witch Series*. For months Molly Sullivan endures the inexplicable: electrical surges, car breakdowns, visions. She even wonders if she might be the cause ... and wonders if she might be crazy. Then she discovers her husband has cheated on her. Again. Now Molly realizes she is a newly awakening witch and a woman pushed over

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the edge ... Josiah Mason is a Powerful witch and the leader of a secret coven with a shared goal: to destroy an ancient enemy who has ruined many lives. Josiah lost years to this man, and his sole focus is revenge. He's prepared for every contingency – except encountering a beautiful new witch who understands nothing of the immense Power building within her or the attraction she wields over him ... When divorcing her husband, Molly uncovers a dangerous secret he's willing to kill to protect. She turns to Josiah for help, and they discover a connection between Molly's husband and Josiah's enemy ... As they work together, a spark ignites between them that threatens to become an inferno. But Molly is done compromising herself for any man, and Josiah's mission is his top priority. And the enemy is cunning, cruel, and drawing ever closer ... As the danger escalates, so does the tension between them. Is a lasting relationship possible? Will either of them live long enough to try?

The Ruin of Kings by **Jenn Lyons** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Chorus of Dragons Series*. Kihrin grew up in the slums of Quur, a thief and a minstrel's son raised on tales of long-lost princes and magnificent quests. When he is claimed against his will as the missing son of a treasonous prince, Kihrin finds himself at the mercy of his new family's ruthless power plays and political ambitions ... Practically a prisoner, Kihrin discovers that being a long-lost prince is nothing like what the storybooks promised. The storybooks have lied about a lot of other things, too: dragons, demons, gods, prophecies, and how the hero always wins ... Then again, maybe he isn't the hero after all. For Kihrin is not destined to save the world. He's destined to destroy it.

The Blood King by **Abigail Owen** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Inferno Rising Series*. Ruthless dragon king Ladon Ormarr must keep his throne at all costs. And now, with war on the horizon, he'll need a miracle. Luckily, the fates have dropped Skylar Amon right into his lap ... Except he may have met his match ... The feisty Amon sister has no fear – of him or any other dragon shifter – is brash, doesn't stick to protocols, and regularly offends his warriors and advisers ... Skylar also has no intention of sticking around. She doesn't believe in the whole destined mates thing and believes all dragon kings to be dangerous. But if it means taking out the High King who murdered her parents, she'll put up with Ladon ... temporarily ... But the fates have other plans. And when Skylar disappears in the middle of a battle, Ladon will burn down the world to find her.

Immortal Angel by **Lynsay Sands** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Argeneau Series*. For almost two centuries, Ildaria Garcia has been on the run, a trouble magnet with a knack for taking down bad guys. Lately, her vigilante tendencies have drawn unwelcome attention to her fellow Immortals. Forced to relocate, Ildaria is supposed to lay low in a new town. Instead, she quickly entangles herself with six and a half feet of muscular, tattooed trouble ... Joshua James Simpson Guiscard, aka G.G., knows a lot about Immortals – enough to make him wary. Yet from the moment Ildaria walks

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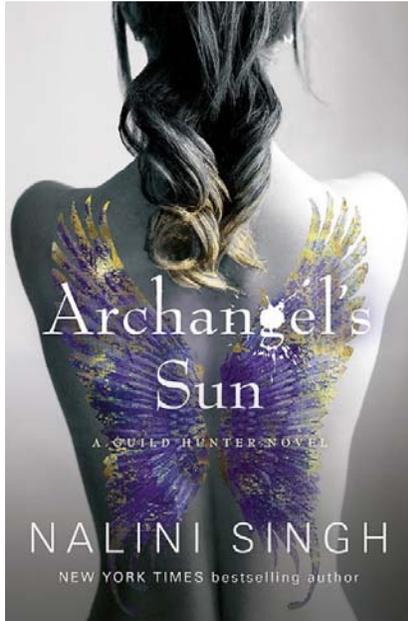
into his club, he feels desire stronger than anything he's known. Accepting the fact that they might be life mates is disconcerting. But when her past catches up to them, G.G. faces a choice – confront his demons, or lose a passion that's hot as hell.

The Siren and the Deep Blue Sea by **Kerrellyn Sparks** (Trade Paperback – \$30). *Embraced by Magic Series*. Raised on the magic-seeped Isle of Moon, Maeve is used to unusual powers – and the way they fuel the politics of her world. But when she discovers an ability to shape-shift at will, she knows who she wants to share it with first. Brody, the enigmatic, infuriating shifter-spy has always made time for Maeve. But it's been almost two months since she's seen him. And though no one else believes Brody is in danger, Maeve is more than ready to rescue him herself ... The rumors Brody's investigating are terrifying: a secret army of magic-users, in the service of the cruel Circle of Five. But when he uncovers the identity of one of the Five, the mission becomes personal. Cursed as a boy by the Sea Witch, Brody can spend only two hours a day in his human form, a restriction that limits his future and muzzles his heart. Plus Maeve teases him for being such a pretty doggy instead of appreciating his manly charms. To win his freedom, he must take on a terrible disguise. And when Maeve finds out, she'll unleash a tempest like no other ...

Hollowpox by **Jessica Townsend** (Trade Paperback – \$20). *Nevermoor Series*. Morrigan Crow and her friends have survived their first year as proud scholars of the elite Wondrous Society, helped bring down the nefarious Ghastly Market, and proven themselves loyal to Unit 919. Now Morrigan faces a new, exciting challenge: to master the mysterious Wretched Arts of the Accomplished Wundersmith, and control the power that threatens to consume her ... But a strange illness has taken hold of Nevermoor, turning its peaceable Wunimals into mindless, vicious unimals on the hunt. As victims of the Hollowpox multiply, panic spreads. And with the city she loves in a state of fear, Morrigan quickly realises it is up to her to find a cure for the Hollowpox, even if it will put her – and the rest of Nevermoor – in more danger than ever before ...

The Sinner by **J.R. Ward** (Mass Market Paperback Release – \$18). *Black Dagger Brotherhood Series*. Syn has kept his side hustle as a mercenary a secret from the Black Dagger Brotherhood. When he takes another hit job, he not only crosses the path of the vampire race's new enemy, but also that of a half-breed in danger of dying during her transition. Jo Early has no idea what her true nature is, and when a mysterious man appears out of the darkness, she is torn between their erotic connection and the sense that something is very wrong ... Fate anointed Butch O'Neal as the Dhestroyer, the fulfiller of the prophecy that foresees the end of the Omega. As the war with the Lessening Society comes to a head, Butch gets an unexpected ally in Syn. But can he trust the male – or is the warrior with the bad past a deadly complication? ... With time running out, Jo gets swept up in the fighting and must join with Syn and the Brotherhood against true evil. In the end, will love true prevail ... or was the prophecy wrong all along?

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How to Catch a Sinful Marquis by **Amy Rose Bennett** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18).

Disreputable Debutantes Series. Orphaned heiress Olivia de Vere should have the world – or at least the men of the ton – at her feet. But when she's thrown out of a young ladies' academy, Olivia doubts she'll ever find someone who will love her, rather than her bank account. To make matters worse, her dissolute cousin Felix is determined to marry her against her wishes. A virtual prisoner in her guardians' London townhouse, Olivia can't help but develop a tendre for her neighbor, a handsome Scottish marquess ... Battle-scarred in more ways than one, Hamish MacQueen, Lord Sleat, has braved many dangers in life. But nothing has quite prepared him for the shock of having a young child dumped on his doorstep, with a note claiming she's his daughter. Just in the nick of time his pretty neighbor appears, offering to act as a nursemaid for the young girl on their journey to his estate in Scotland. He suspects she has her own reasons for wanting to flee the country ... The close traveling quarters leads to a fierce attraction between Olivia and Hamish that seems impossible to resist. But when ghosts from the past and monsters from the present threaten to tear them apart, will their unlikely love survive?

Any Rogue Will Do by **Bethany Bennett** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Misfits of Mayfair Series.* For one season, Lady Charlotte Wentworth played the biddable female the ton expected – and all it got her was society's derision. Now she's determined to be in charge of her own future. When an unwanted suitor tries to manipulate her into an engagement, she has a plan. He can't claim to be her fiancé if she's engaged to someone else. Even if it means asking for help from the last man she would ever marry ... Ethan, Viscount Amesbury, made a lot of mistakes, but the one he regrets the most is ruining Lady Charlotte's reputation. Going along with her charade is the least he can do to clean the slate and perhaps earn her forgiveness. Pretending to be in love with the woman he's never forgotten is easy. What isn't easy is convincing her to give him a second chance.

All Scot and Bothered by **Kerrigan Byrne** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Devil You Know Series.* He is first and foremost – at everything. A man who's made his own way through ruthless cunning and force of will. A strong and imposing Scot who can turn on the charm but does not suffer fools. His title: Lord Chief Justice of the High Court. His name: Cassius Gerard Ramsay. His mission: To investigate the goings-on at London's most notorious gaming hell, owned and operated by one of the most intriguing women he's ever met ... Cecelia Teague was an orphan facing a dire future – until a secret benefactor from her mother's scandalous past swept into her life. Sent to a prestigious boarding school and later to university, Cecelia believed high society was at her fingertips ... Then, from nowhere, she inherits a gambling establishment. Now Cecelia must live two lives: one as a proper lady who finds herself undeniably drawn to Lord Ramsay and the other as a savvy gaming hell owner trying to save her business from the very same man. He has no idea she is both women ... and Cecelia would like to keep it that way. But what happens when consuming passion and escalating danger threaten to reveal the truth?

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Where the Light Enters by **Sara Donati** (Trade Paperback – \$32). *Gilded Hour Series.* Obstetrician Dr. Sophie Savard returns home to the achingly familiar rhythms of Manhattan in the early spring of 1884 to rebuild her life after the death of her husband. With the help of Dr. Anna Savard, her dearest friend, cousin, and fellow physician, she plans to continue her work aiding the disadvantaged women society would rather forget ... As Sophie sets out to construct a new life for herself, Anna's husband, Detective-Sergeant Jack Mezzanotte calls on them both to consult on two new cases: the wife of a prominent banker has disappeared into thin air, and the corpse of a young woman is found with baffling wounds that suggest a killer is on the loose. In New York it seems that the advancement of women has brought out the worst in some men. Unable to ignore the plight of New York's less fortunate, these intrepid cousins draw on all resources to protect their patients.

A Rogue of One's Own by **Evie Dunmore** (Trade Paperback – \$30). *League of Extraordinary Women Series.* A lady must have money and an army of her own if she is to win a revolution – but first, she must pit her wits against the wiles of an irresistible rogue bent on wrecking her plans ... and her heart ... Lady Lucie and her band of Oxford suffragists are finally prepared for a coup against Parliament. But who could have predicted that the one person standing between her and success is her old nemesis and London's undisputed lord of sin, Lord Ballentine? Or that he would be willing to hand over the reins for an outrageous price – a night in her bed ... Lucie tempts Tristan like no other woman, burning him up with her fierceness and determination every time they clash. But as their battle of wills and words fans the flames of long-smouldering devotion, the silver-tongued seducer runs the risk of becoming caught in his own snare ... As Lucie tries to outmanoeuvre Tristan in the boardroom and the bedchamber, she soon discovers there's truth in what the poets say: all is fair in love and war ...

A Duke to Die For by **Amelia Grey** (Mass Market Paperback Reissue – \$18). *Rogue's Dynasty Series.* What is a roguish young nobleman supposed to do with a shockingly lovely young ward? The Duke of Blakewell believes he'd better marry her off as soon as possible, before he gives in to temptation himself ... But Henrietta doesn't want a husband – she wants her independence ... Sure that she carries a curse that killed her previous guardians, Henrietta just wants the duke to sign over her inheritance before something terrible befalls him ... In a moment of passion, they become scandalously entangled, and suddenly the duke must take Henrietta's curse seriously, and she must take drastic measures to save the one man she could love ...

Beauty Tempts the Beast by **Lorraine Heath** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Sins for All Seasons Series.* Althea Stanwick was a perfect lady destined to marry a wealthy lord, until betrayal left her family penniless. Though she's lost friends, fortune, and respectability, Althea has gained a scandalous plan. If she can learn to seduce, she can obtain power over men and return to Society on her terms. She even has the perfect teacher in mind, a man whose sense of honor and dark good looks belie his nickname:

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Beast ... Benedict Trewlove may not know his parentage but he knows where he belongs – on the dark side of London, offering protection wherever it's needed. Yet no woman has ever made such an outrageous request as this mysterious beauty. Althea is out of place amongst vice and sin, even if she offers a wicked temptation he can't resist. But as the truth of his origin emerges at last, it will take a fierce, wild love to overcome their pasts.

The Highland Laird by **Amy Jarecki** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Lords of the Highlands Series*. Emma Grant has been sheltered and underestimated her entire life. Her blindness may set her apart, but she's just as fierce and loyal as any of her clansmen. So when she catches word that her brother's best friend is in jail, she doesn't hesitate to race to the brawny Highlander's rescue ... Laird Ciar MacDougall is on a vital mission for Scotland when he witnesses a murder – and then is blamed for the death and thrown into a Redcoat prison to rot. He never thought he'd be broken out by a slip of a lass and her faithful hound. But now they're outlaws on the run. And as their enemies circle ever closer, he will have to choose between saving his country or the woman who's captured his heart.

The Widow's Christmas Surprise by **Jenna Jaxon** (Mass Market Paperback – \$20). *Widow's Club Series*. Lady Maria Kersey just gave birth to her first child, a beautiful daughter – but the event is shrouded in sorrow. A month earlier, Maria's husband, Lord Kersey, was killed in a duel under compromising circumstances. Worse, Maria's failure to provide a male heir has stripped her of any hope of an inheritance. Scorned by the ton, one of her few allies is her late husband's steward, Hugh Granger. Hugh is everything her husband was not – warm, charming – and penniless ... Hugh has fallen desperately in love with Maria, but has little to offer but comfort. As their attraction becomes impossible to resist, Maria flees to London to spend Christmas with her dearest friends, a group of widows who lost their own husbands in the Battle of Waterloo. Little does she know the holidays will reveal a twist of fate she never expected – proving that the greatest Christmas gift is the magic of true love ...

Who Wants to Marry a Duke by **Sabrina Jeffries** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Duke Dynasty Series*. An oft-widowed mother's grown children blaze through society in their quest for the truth about their fathers ... and in the process find that love just might conquer all ... A past kiss with Miss Olivia Norley should be barely a memory for Marlowe Drake, the Duke of Thornstock. After all, there are countless debutantes for a handsome rakehell to charm beyond a young lady whose singular passion is chemistry – of the laboratory type. But Thorn has not forgotten – or forgiven – the shocking blackmail scheme sparked by that single kiss. Now Thorn's half-brother, Grey, has hired the brilliant Miss Norley for her scientific expertise in solving a family mystery. And the once-burned Thorn, suspicious of her motives, vows to follow her every move ... For Olivia, determining whether arsenic poisoning killed Grey's father is the pioneering experiment that could make her career – and Thorn's constant presence is merely a distraction. But someone has explosive plans to derail her search. Soon the most unexpected

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discovery is the caring nature of the reputed scoundrel beside her – and the electricity it ignites between them.

Lady Osbaldestone's Christmas Intrigue by **Stephanie Laurens** (Print-on-Demand Paperback – \$32). *Lady Osbaldestone's Christmas Chronicles*. At Hartington Manor in the village of Little Moseley, Therese, Lady Osbaldestone, and her household are once again enjoying the company of her intrepid grandchildren, Jamie, George, and Lottie, when they are unexpectedly joined by her ladyship's youngest and still-unwed son, also the children's favorite uncle, Christopher ... As the Foreign Office's master intelligencer, Christopher has been ordered into hiding until the department can appropriately deal with the French agent spotted following him in London. Christopher chose to seek refuge in Little Moseley because it's such a tiny village that anyone without a reason to be there stands out. Neither he nor his office-appointed bodyguard expect to encounter any dramas ... Then Christopher spots a lady from London he believes has been hunting him with matrimonial intent. He can't understand how she tracked him to the village, but determined to avoid her, he enlists the children's help. The children discover their information-gathering skills are in high demand, and while engaging with the villagers as they usually do and taking part in the village's traditional events, they do their best to learn what Miss Marion Sewell is up to ... But upon reflection, Christopher realizes it's unlikely the Marion he was so attracted to years before has changed all that much, and he starts to wonder if what she wants to tell him is actually something he might want to hear. Unfortunately, he has set wheels in motion that are not easy to redirect. Although Marion tries to approach him several times, he and she fail to make contact ... Then just when it seems they will finally connect, a dangerous stranger lures Marion away. Fearing the worst, Christopher gives chase – trailed by his bodyguard, the children, and a small troop of helpful younger gentlemen ... What they discover at nearby Parteger Hall is not at all what anyone expected, and as the action unfolds, the assembled company band together to protect a secret vital to the resolution of the war against Napoleon.

A Princess by Christmas by **Julia London** (Mass Market Paperback – \$20). *Royal Wedding Series*. After three years of mourning – and turning her dear deceased husband's gazette into the ton's sauciest source of fashion and gossip – Hollis Honeycutt feels her life has been strangely bereft of late ... Her sister is living abroad, and her best friend moved to the country. What must a young widow of rank and reputation do? Why, transform her society gossip sheets into serious investigative news, starting with a rumored coup ... and the rather dashing, mysterious gentleman whom Hollis suspects might be the villain of her first real story, and she is the only one who can write it ... Marek Brendan is investigating terrible rumors of treachery and treason that threaten his home country of Wesloria, but he must proceed with caution. No one can discover the truth. After all, who would ever believe he is Wesloria's lost crown prince? Only Hollis Honeycutt's cerulean-blue eyes seem to know more than she's letting on – and worse, Marek can't seem to resist her curious charms. But even as

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betrayal threatens a nation and a throne, nothing is quite so dangerous as the lovely young widow who's determined to find the truth ... and a prince of her own.

My Kind of Earl by **Vivienne Lorret** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Mating Habits of Scoundrels Series*. Jane Pickerington never intended to start a brawl in a brothel. She only wanted to research her book. Yet when her simple study of scoundrels goes awry, she finds herself coming to the rescue of a dark, enigmatic stranger ... who turns out to be far more than an average rake out for a night of pleasure. He's positively wild! ... Only the most feral and cunning could have survived foundling homes and work houses. Orphaned as an infant, Raven never had another name. At least ... not until he meets her. Now he's face-to-face with the one person who recognizes the strange birthmark on his arm and can reinstate him to his blue-blooded birthright ... All at once, Raven's life takes a turn. His knowledge of dark alleys and gaming hells never prepared him for gilded ballrooms. So Jane becomes his tutor. Yet, the more lessons in decorum she offers, the more this untamed scoundrel wants to teach her all the ways to be wicked.

Once Dishonored by **Mary Jo Putney** (Mass Market Paperback – \$20). *Rogues Redeemed Series*. A man who has lost his honor has nothing ... London, 1816. As a Royal Navy officer, Lucas Mandeville, Lord Foxton, has fought his share of battles on the high seas, followed by long years of imprisonment. But on this night, he'd rather be on the burning deck of a ship than in a ballroom, where it is just a matter of time before someone challenges him because of what happened on the Continent ... A woman who has lost her reputation is nothing ... When dark-haired beauty Kendra Douglas arrives, a whisper of scandal ripples through the ton. The disgraced divorcee's entrance is an act of daring. Which is exactly why Lucas asks her to dance ... A couple who stands together has everything ... Unexpectedly, Lucas offers Kendra his aid in finding the evidence to regain her good name – and her beloved young son. Together they investigate the wicked conspiracy that destroyed her life, and in the midst of danger, find a deep love that will redeem them both – if only they can live long enough to build a future together.

Her Night With the Duke by **Diana Quincy** (Mass Market Paperback – \$18). *Clandestine Affairs Series*. When Lady Delilah Chambers finds herself stranded at a country inn on a rain-swept evening, she's forced to fend off a group of ruffians with the help of a handsome gentleman. Irresistibly drawn to each other, Leela and the stranger spend one reckless night in each others' arms – and then go their separate ways. But the very next day Leela receives the shock of her life when she meets the duke who is set on wedding her beloved stepdaughter ... One night isn't enough with a woman as fierce, fiery, and brilliant as Leela. Elliot Townsend, Duke of Huntington, cannot believe his good fortune when their chance encounter leads to an unforgettable evening of passion. Yet Hunt's luck runs out when he is introduced to his prospective mother-in-law. Dowagers aren't supposed to look like this ... Leela and Hunt are determined to keep each other at arm's length, which should be easy enough for two

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intelligent adults with reputations to uphold. The problem is all logic is lost when it comes to a passion that refuses to be ignored.

Mainstream & Chick Lit

Winter in Paradise by **Elin Hilderbrand** (Mass Market Paperback Release – \$20). *Paradise Series*. Irene Steele shares her idyllic life in a beautiful Iowa City Victorian house with a husband who loves her to sky-writing, sentimental extremes. But as she rings in the new year one cold and snowy night, everything she thought she knew falls to pieces with a shocking phone call: her beloved husband, away on business, has been killed in a helicopter crash. Before Irene can even process the news, she must first confront the perplexing details of her husband's death on the distant Caribbean island of St. John ... After Irene and her sons arrive at this faraway paradise, they make yet another shocking discovery: her husband had been living a secret life. As Irene untangles a web of intrigue and deceit, and as she and her sons find themselves drawn into the vibrant island culture, they have to face the truth about their family, and about their own futures.

Beach House for Rent by **Mary Alice Monroe** (Mass Market Paperback Release – \$18). *Beach House Series*. Two women. One summer. One very special beach house ... Cara Rutledge rents her quaint cottage on Isle of Palms to Heather Fordham for the entire summer. As beautiful as the Isle of Palms is, Heather's anxiety keeps her indoors with her caged canaries as she paints birds for postage stamps. Eventually, however, the shore birds – and a man who rescues them – lure her outside ... As the summer progresses and Heather begins to blossom, Cara's life reels with sudden tragedy. She wants only to return home but Heather refuses to budge from her sanctuary. As everything around the ladies is coming apart, they discover they can only rely on each other. Now, the two women who don't really know each other are forced to live together and support each other as they navigate the next chapter of their lives.

Beach House Reunion by **Mary Alice Monroe** (Mass Market Paperback Release – \$18). *Beach House Series*. Cara Rutledge returns to her Southern home on the idyllic Isle of Palms. Comforting in its familiarity, it is still rife with painful memories. Only through reconnecting with family, friends, and the rhythms of the lowcountry can Cara let go of the past and open herself to the possibility of a new career and love ... Meanwhile, her niece Linnea, a recent college graduate with an uncertain future, leaves her historic home in Charleston, with all its entitlement and expectations, and heads to her aunt's beach house. On the island, she is free to join the turtle team, learn to surf, and fall in love. Remembering the lessons of her beloved grandmother, Lovie, the original "turtle lady," Linnea rediscovers a meaningful purpose to her life and finds the courage she needs to break from tradition ... In "this tender and openhearted novel of familial expectations, new boundaries, and the power of forgiveness" (Booklist), three generations of the Rutledge family gather together to find the strength, love, and commitment to break destructive family patterns and to forge new bonds that will endure beyond one summer reunion.

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