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*The Throwaway Children* - Diney Costeloe 2015-04-10  
Gritty, heartrending and unputdownable - the story of two sisters sent first to an English, then an Australian orphanage in the aftermath of World War II. Rita and Rosie Stevens are only nine and five years old when their widowed mother marries a violent bully called Jimmy Randall and has a baby boy by him. Under pressure from her new husband, she is persuaded to send the girls to an orphanage - not knowing that the papers

she has signed will entitle them to do what they like with the children. And it is not long before the powers that be decide to send a consignment of orphans to their sister institution in Australia. Among them - without their family's consent or knowledge - are Rita and Rosie, the throwaway children. What readers are saying about THE THROWAWAY CHILDREN: 'I haven't felt so immersed in a book in a very long time and have recommended to just about everyone' 'Heart

wrenching' 'A truly powerful book'

Thirty-Six and a Half Motives -

Denise Grover Swank

2016-05-17

A New York Times, Wall Street Journal, and USA Today bestseller! The final book in the Rose Gardner Mystery series. Rose Gardner should be celebrating the arrest of her fiercest enemy, J.R. Simmons. But problems are like weeds—pluck one and five more spring up. Rose's boyfriend is on the verge of leaving her for good, her best friend, Neely Kate, is grappling with marriage problems, and her sister has a devastating secret. To make matters worse, she discovers J.R. Simmons has not been neutralized. His network of allies and henchman extends further than she suspected, and J.R.'s so intent on revenge, his lackeys might just destroy Fenton County to get it for him. But the girl who once spent her days alone and afraid is now a strong, independent woman with a network of her own, including Neely Kate, Skeeter

Malcolm—the reigning king of the Fenton County underworld—and other loyal friends on both sides of the law. Racing against time, they must dig up J.R.'s empire by the roots, unmasking his allies and unearthing his secrets, both the behind-the-scenes manipulation he's been orchestrating in Fenton County for decades and the dark stains of his personal life. If Rose succeeds, she tells herself the quiet and peaceful life she once dreamed of will be at the end of the tunnel. But her quest to destroy J.R. will require her to explore the person she has become, what she wants, and what that means for her future.

**Bad Luck Club** - Denise

Grover Swank 2021-04-05

A grumpy man. A recovering people-pleaser. And the secret club that brings them together. Lee Buchanan is a hot mess. Turning one's father in to the feds can do that to a man. He had nothing to do with his father's Ponzi scheme, but he's blacklisted from commercial real estate all the same. Which is how he ends up in Asheville,

working at the brewery he inherited with his siblings. He's salty as hell, and he doesn't care who knows it. Until the gorgeous, intriguing Blue Combs issues the most peculiar invitation he's ever received: Come to the Bad Luck Club. We can help you. It sounds like a cult or, worse, a group of Mary Sues, but Blue is different from any woman he's ever met. For better or worse, he's drawn to her. Just like she's drawn to him, even if she has no intention of going all in with another man. She's been there, done that, twice, and the life she's built for herself is too important to risk. What starts as one person's desire to help another turns into a connection too powerful to be denied—but can two broken people grow together, or will they tear each other apart?

**Redesigned** - Denise Grover Swank 2014-12-06

\*\*Intended for mature readers due to sexual content and language\*\* While fashion design major Caroline Hunter may have been born economically unlucky, in

college, she's been lucky in love. Until her senior year at Southern University. She's gone from a serious long term boyfriend to a string of crappy dates. Then she meets mathematics grad student Reed Pendergraft. Reed is everything she's not looking for. Serious. Headed for a low paying university job. Boring. Caroline spent the first eighteen years of her life wondering where her next meal was coming from. She sure wasn't getting trapped in that life again with a man living on a professor's salary. An encounter with Reed in a club proves she might have pegged him wrong. He brings out a lusty side she never knew she had. But just when she's about to give in to her hormones, Reed makes a fool out of her. When she shows up for the first committee meeting for Southern University's Fall fashion show, a fundraiser for underprivileged kids, Caroline's horrified to discover the insufferable Reed is the committee chairman. While she refuses to tolerate his

totalitarian rule of the committee, she's not sure she'll survive the month with her heart—and her pride—intact. Just when she thinks she has everything figured out, she finds that her entire life has been redesigned, thanks to Reed Pendergraft. \*\*\*\*\*  
Redesigned is a lovely surprise in all the best ways - how quickly you'll fall for the characters, their unstoppable chemistry, and the ability of their story to take you from laughing to crying and back again. Denise has hit the New Adult nail on the head with this one, and I loved every single page! Lyla Payne, author of Broken at Love, USA Today bestseller The title of this book is apropos on several levels; not only does it fit the story, but it serves to express the way in this book is major leap forward for the author. She didn't merely write the next book in the series, she pushed forward and took risks, redesigned her approach to the story she was telling. Bravo, and I can't wait for more. Jasinda Wilder, author of

Falling Into You, New York Times and USA Today bestseller  
After Math - Denise Grover Swank 2014-12-06  
USA TODAY Bestseller!  
Scarlett Goodwin's world is divided into Before and After. Before she agreed to tutor Tucker Price, college junior Scarlett was introvert, struggling with her social anxiety and determined to not end up living in a trailer park like her mother and her younger sister. A mathematics major, she goes to her classes, to her job in the tutoring lab, and then hides in the apartment she shares with her friend, Caroline. After junior Tucker Price, Southern University's star soccer player enters the equation, her carefully plotted life is thrown off its axis. Tucker's failing his required College Algebra class. With his eligibility is at risk, the university chancellor dangles an expensive piece of computer software for the math department if Scarlett agrees to privately tutor him. Tucker's bad boy, womanizer

reputation makes Scarlett wary of any contact, let alone spending several hours a week in close proximity. But from her first encounter, she realizes Tucker isn't the person everyone else sees. He carries a mountain of secrets which she suspects hold the reason to his self-destructive behavior. But the deeper she delves into the cause of his pain, the deeper she gets sucked into his chaos. Will Scarlett find the happiness she's looking for, or will she be caught in Tucker's aftermath?

Wicked Devil - Daniela Romero  
2020-08-03

Roman Valdez is the Devil. He sneers at me. He hates me. He wants to hurt me. Let him try. He thinks he's untouchable. The self-appointed Devil of Sun Valley High. But I've already lost everything and everyone I care about. It's me he should be afraid of. Not the other way around. Because I have nothing left to lose, and he can't break what's already broken. At least, that's what I thought. But when the Devil begins picking up the pieces, I realize while he might

not break me. He can absolutely shatter me, heart and soul. And I just might let him.

*All the Luck You Need* - A.R. Casella  
2021-07-12

She thinks her days of romance are over. The universe has other plans. Dottie Hendrickson has always believed in signs—until pink crystal beads fall on her head, doves gather by her window, and heart shapes form in her tea leaves. They're telltale signs she's about to meet a man, but she's newly divorced and over sixty, and love is something she'd prefer to find for other people. Her sweet neighbor comes to mind. Dottie's focus is where it should be—on her art and her beloved great-nephew, River. But the universe is nothing if not stubborn. Dottie's offered a job hosting beer tastings at Buchanan Brewery, and it's immediately obvious the owner is the one she's meant to meet. Beau is surly and confrontational, but beneath his walls is a man of surprising depth. Grudgingly, she realizes

the universe might have a point. When Dottie's niece shows up in town with River, Dottie's budding plans, both for her neighbor and for Beau, go disastrously wrong. A lesser woman might give up, but Dottie has never met a wrong she hasn't schemed to make right. See where it all began in this prequel to the Asheville Brewing series!

Of Ash and Spirit - D.G. Swank  
2018-02-22

**The Assist** - Rebecca Jenshak  
2020-07-25

You know those stories where the smart girl tutors the dumb jock? This isn't it. Blair What's the probability of insulting the one guy on campus I need to help me pass statistics? If I knew, I wouldn't be standing in front of Wes Reynolds begging him to tutor me. Basketball player, sexy, arrogant, always sleeping through class... these are the things I knew about him. What I didn't know is that he is a seriously smart jock. Wes What's the best way to get rid of the peppy and unrelenting girl that keeps

asking me to tutor her? If I knew, I wouldn't be staring at her tan legs and attempting to teach her statistics. Sorority girl, fine as f\*\*k, determined, ball buster... these are the things I knew about her. What I didn't know is that she is all the things I didn't realize I wanted or needed. Or that one semester with her would change everything. For fans of: Helena Hunting, Elle Kennedy, Lauren Asher, Emily Henry, Avon Gale, Toni Aleo, Kristen Callihan, LJ Shen, Jana Aston, Karina Halle, Meghan March, Jay Crownover, Anna Todd, Geneva Lee, Audrey Carlan, Jill Shalvis, Helen Hoang, Christina Lauren, Sally Thorne, Penny Reid, Julia Kent, Kelly Jamieson, Kendall Ryan, Kennedy Ryan, Lauren Blakely, Lexi Ryan, Jen Frederick, Sara Ney, Nana Malone. Keywords: basketball, basketball romance, sports romance, new adult romance, sexy romance, steamy romance, valley u basketball, alpha males, alpha romance, roommates, tutor romance, college romance, smart jock, grumpy / sunshine.

Ramifications - Daniel Saldaña  
París 2020-10-13

Folding and refolding origami frogs, extracting the symmetrical veins from leaves, retreating to an imaginary world in his closet: after Teresa walked out the door one July afternoon in 1994, her son filled the void she left with a series of unusual rituals.

Twenty-three years later, he lies in bed, reconstructing the events surrounding his mother's disappearance. Did she actually join the Zapatistas in the jungles of Chiapas, as he was led to believe? He dissects his memories of that fateful summer until a startling discovery shatters his conception of his family's story.

Daniel Saldaña París (Among Strange Victims) returns with an emotionally rich anti-coming-of-age novel that wrestles with the inherited privileges and crimes of masculinity.

**Goodbye Unicorns** - E. L. George 2018-02

"Goodbye, unicorns." "What?" My heart dropped. "What?" was a stupid question. I knew

exactly what she meant. Still, it was hardly the kind of thing I expected to hear a seven-year-old girl mumble as she headed out her bedroom door for what would probably be the last time. To an onlooker, it might make sense. Her room was, in fact, a pink and purple web of horned horses she'd spent more than half her life believing in. But I knew the rest of the story. And her words told me this was worse than a kid finding out about Santa. 'Goodbye unicorns' wasn't happening. Not on my watch. The true story of a little girl looking to find a new faith in the world after losing her mother to the drug epidemic, Goodbye Unicorns is a story of love, loss, rebuilding, and what it takes to restore magic for a kid has no reason to believe it exists... Could you have faith again?

**Twenty-Eight and a Half Wishes** - Denise Grover Swank 2014-12-06

First book in the New York Times , Wall Street Journal, and USA Today bestselling Rose Gardner Mystery series.

For Rose Gardner, working at the DMV on a Friday afternoon is bad even before she sees a vision of herself dead. She's had plenty of visions, usually boring ones like someone's toilet's overflowed, but she's never seen one of herself before. When her overbearing momma winds up murdered on her sofa instead, two things are certain: There isn't enough hydrogen peroxide in the state of Arkansas to get that stain out, and Rose is the prime suspect. Rose realizes she's wasted twenty-four years of living and makes a list on the back of a Wal-Mart receipt: twenty-eight things she wants to accomplish before her vision comes true. She's well on her way with the help of her next door neighbor Joe, who has no trouble teaching Rose the rules of drinking, but won't help with number fifteen-- do more with a man. Joe's new to town, but it doesn't take a vision for Rose to realize he's got plenty secrets of his own. Somebody thinks Rose has something they want and they'll do anything to get it. Her house is broken

into, someone else she knows is murdered, and suddenly, dying a virgin in the Fenton County jail isn't her biggest worry after all.

**The Leaving** - Tara Altebrando  
2016-06-07

Six were taken. Eleven years later, five come back--with no idea of where they've been. A riveting mystery for fans of *We Were Liars*. Eleven years ago, six kindergartners went missing without a trace. After all that time, the people left behind moved on, or tried to. Until today. Today five of those kids return. They're sixteen, and they are . . . fine. Scarlett comes home and finds a mom she barely recognizes, and doesn't really recognize the person she's supposed to be, either. But she thinks she remembers Lucas. Lucas remembers Scarlett, too, except they're entirely unable to recall where they've been or what happened to them. Neither of them remember the sixth victim, Max--the only one who hasn't come back. Which leaves Max's sister, Avery, wanting answers. She wants to

find her brother--dead or alive-- and isn't buying this whole memory-loss story. But as details of the disappearance begin to unfold, no one is prepared for the truth. This unforgettable novel--with its rich characters, high stakes, and plot twists--will leave readers breathless.

### **Fraudulently Ever After** -

A.R. Casella 2021-11-15

She's cursed to live out romance tropes gone wrong. As a millionaire bad boy looking for a fake girlfriend, he is one. They're a disaster in the making...and each other's last hope. Tina I'm cursed. Yes, really. I broke a boy's heart because he wasn't romance hero material, and his nonna cursed me to live out my favorite plotlines...without the happy ending. Consider my track record: Second-chance romance? Turns out my old flame returned home to cook meth, not take care of his parents. Redeemed bad boy? He writes to me occasionally from prison. Billionaire businessman? Rory was my prince charming...right up until

his ex-girlfriend showed up with a baby bump. My love life is a lost cause, but my friends claim they have a solution.

They're convinced I can rip control from the curse by seeking out a trope situation instead of getting sucked into one. When I find Zachary Littlefield's ad seeking a fake girlfriend, I decide it's go-time. Because I am so immune to hot rich boys. Zach I'm the screw-up spare to my brother, the heir—the Littlefield who can never do anything right. Now my brother's making a huge mistake, and I'm expected to celebrate. Instead, I do what any half-intelligent man would: I hire a date to stir up trouble at his engagement party. Tina's not my type, but there's something about her... Maybe it's that she seems completely immune to my charm. I've never met a challenge I didn't want to screw up...or screw.

Dear Killer - Katherine Ewell  
2014-04-01

Full of "can't look away" moments, Dear Killer is a psychological thriller perfect for fans of gritty realistic

fiction such as Dan Wells's *I Am Not a Serial Killer* and Jay Asher's *Thirteen Reasons Why*, as well as television's *Dexter*. Rule One—Nothing is right, nothing is wrong. Kit looks like your average seventeen-year-old high school student, but she has a secret—she's London's notorious "Perfect Killer." She chooses who to murder based on letters left in a secret mailbox, and she's good—no, perfect—at what she does. Her moral nihilism—the fact that she doesn't believe in right and wrong—makes being a serial killer a whole lot easier . . . until she breaks her own rules by befriending someone she's supposed to murder, as well as the detective in charge of the Perfect Killer case. As New York Times bestselling author of the *Gone* series Michael Grant says, *Dear Killer* is "shocking, mesmerizing, and very smart."

*Shame Off You* - Denise Pass  
2018-08-21

"There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus." — Romans 8:1 Shame is an assault on the

core of who we are. It assassinates our character, minimizes our worth, and dashes our hope. Like Adam and Eve, we often hide shame, but hiding never heals it. Left unattended, shame can develop into a crippling reality that paralyzes us. Like an infectious disease, shame impacts everyone . . . but not all shame is bad. Shame can either be an oppressive and powerful tool of worldly condemnation or a source of conviction that God uses to bring his people back to himself. Having the discernment to know the difference and recognize shame in its many forms can change the course of one's life. In a transparently honest style, Pass shares of her experience dealing with shame after learning that her former husband was a sexual offender. Having lived through the aftermath, she leads you into God's Word where you will see for yourself that God is bigger than your pain, shame, mistakes, and limitations. *Shame Off You* shares how freedom can be found in

choosing to break the cycle of shame by learning from the past, developing healthy thinking patterns, silencing lies, and overcoming the traps of vanity and other people's opinions.

*Let It All Burn* - Denise Grover Swank 2020-02-05

Darcie Weatherby has a full plate--a preteen and sixteen-year-old twins, a wayward grandmother, a nightmare boss, and a manipulative ex-husband. The last thing she needs are hot flashes. Especially ones that start fires. But like most single mothers, Darcie sucks it up and deals with it, because what else can she do? The kids need to be fed, her grandmother needs supervising, and her demanding boss needs placating. Burning her boss's house down was a total accident. Honest. It doesn't take long before Darcie realizes she's running on borrowed time. Unless she figures out a way to get these hot flashes under control, there's a very good chance she'll spontaneously combust at the

Founder's Day Masquerade Ball and leave her children motherless. There's no way in hell--or Perry's Fall, Ohio--Darcie will let that happen. Never underestimate the determination of a mother. Especially a smokin' hot one. Looking for more books in this HOT FLASH of a new genre? Check out these books available February 18/2020: KF Breene "Magical Midlife Madness" Eve Langlais "Halfway There" Robyn Peterman "It's a Wonderful Midlife Crisis" Shannon Mayer "Grave Magic Bounty" Jana DeLeon "Wrong Side of Forty" Deanna Chase "Witching For Grace" Kristen Painter "Sucks to be Me" Elizabeth Hunter "Suddenly Psychic" Michelle M Pillow "Second Chance Magic" Mandy M Roth "Cloudy With a Chance of Witchcraft" Darynda Jones "Betwixt" Christine Gael "Writing Wrongs"  
The Lies She Told - Denise Grover Swank 2021-06-08  
The fifth book in the Wall Street Journal bestselling Carly Moore series.

*The Last Children of Tokyo* -  
Yoko Tawada 2018-06

In a near-future when the old live almost-forever and the young are swept away by strange new ailments, an elderly man fights to keep his beloved great-grandson alive.

**Don't Say a Word** - Amber  
Lynn Natusch 2019-09-17

Pretty Little Liars meets Riverdale in *Don't Say a Word*, a standout YA mystery from indie-pub favorite Amber Lynn Natusch. Kyleene Danners's ex-FBI agent father is in prison for murder and she's hell-bent on getting him out. But trying to investigate in the small town where a defensive lineman is a hero no matter who he tries to kill and the girl who gets him locked up is public enemy number one is dangerous. Dark secrets are everywhere in Jasperville—the kind Ky can't walk away from. When rookie FBI agent Cedric Dawson returns to town to finish an open investigation, he goes undercover at her high school—as her ex. Determined to keep her from interfering, Dawson's plan backfires after

Ky gets an anonymous call about missing girls officially labeled as runaways—runaways that didn't really run away at all. Because dead girls can't run. And they don't say a word. At the Publisher's request, this title is being sold without Digital Rights Management Software (DRM) applied.

*Any Luck at All* - Denise Grover Swank 2020-09-22

She might be wishing for the wrong kind of luck.

\*\*\*Standalone romance with a HEA\*\*\* Georgie Buchanan doesn't know the first thing about running a brewery—she doesn't even like beer—so she's out of her element when she and her siblings inherit their grandfather's money pit. Her one hope for success lies with River Reeves, the handsome brewmaster who learned at her grandfather's feet...if she can avoid falling for him. River Reeves is having a rough week. Not only did he lose his friend and mentor, Beau Buchanan, but he's just been betrayed by his former best friend and business

partner. Still, things seem to improve when Georgie offers him his dream job—turning around Buchanan Brewery. Great right? There's one problem: his new boss is his dream woman, and she's not the type to mix business and pleasure.

The Curse Breakers - Denise Grover Swank 2014-04-29

For more than four hundred years, the Curse Keepers guarded the barrier between the human and spirit realms. All that changed the day Ellie Lancaster met Collin Dailey. Prophecy demanded they defend the world from evil...even as it ignited a passion that threatened to consume them both. Now Ellie faces a frightening new life, abandoned by the man she loves and tormented by malevolent spirits unleashing their vengeance upon the earth. Her only shot at protecting humanity--and herself--from the demon scourge is to claim the mark of the god Ahone as her own. Finding it means trusting Dr. David Preston, a handsome

professor of Native American studies whose skepticism is surpassed only by his attraction to Ellie. Together they must finish what the Curse Keepers began, defying the forces of darkness to face hell on earth--and unlock the truth of Ellie's destiny.

*Spinning Out* - Lexi Ryan 2016-05-03

A STANDALONE sexy, emotional sports romance set in the world of the Blackhawk Boys from New York Times Bestseller Lexi Ryan. "Sexy and twisty, *Spinning Out* will hook you fast and keep you flipping pages until the very end." -New York Times bestselling author Meghan March ~ ~ ~ Once, the only thing that mattered to me was football—training, playing, and earning my place on the best team at every level. I had it all, and I threw it away with a semester of drugs, alcohol, and pissing off anyone who tried to stop me. Now I'm suspended from the team, on house arrest, and forced to spend six months at home to get my shit together. The cherry on top of my fuckup

sundae? Sleeping in the room next to mine is my best friend's girl, Mia Mendez—the only woman I've ever loved and a reminder of everything I regret. I'm not sure if having Mia so close will be heaven or hell. She's off-limits—and not just because she's working for my dad. Her heart belongs to someone else. But since the accident that killed her brother and changed everything, she walks around like a zombie, shutting out her friends and ignoring her dreams. We're both broken, numb, and stuck in limbo. Until I break my own rules and touch her. Until she saves me from my nightmares by climbing into my bed. Until the only thing I want more than having Mia for myself is to protect her from the truth. I can't rewrite the past, but I refuse to leave her heart in the hands of fate. For this girl, I'd climb into the sky and rearrange the stars. Series information: THE BLACKHAWK BOYS, an edgy, sexy sports romance series from New York Times bestseller Lexi Ryan. Football. Secrets. Lies. Passion.

These boys don't play fair. Which Blackhawk Boy will steal your heart? Book 1 - SPINNING OUT (Arrow's story) Book 2 - RUSHING IN (Christopher's story) Book 3 - GOING UNDER (Sebastian's story) Book 4 - FALLING HARD (Keegan's story) Book 5 - IN TOO DEEP (Mason's story) **Losng Brave** - Bailee Madison 2018-01-30 Payton Brave's twin sister, Dylan, has been missing for more than a year. So has Payton's memory. Amid the turmoil of her sister's disappearance, Payton feels lost as the one left behind. Her mental state wrought and reckless, she tumbles from the graces of popularity to the outskirts of high school society, where she attracts a rag-tag group of friends—and a troubling romance with her sister's boyfriend, Cole. Though Payton remembers nothing of the day Dylan disappeared, she must pry into her own mind when another missing girl's body is recovered from a nearby lake, the victim's features eerily similar to

Dylan's. The further Payton presses into the recesses of her memory, the more danger surrounds her. The darkness around her sister's disappearance grows and the truth becomes more and more unbearable. What she finds might just cost Payton her life. *Losing Brave*: Is written by award-winning actress Bailee Madison (Once Upon a Time, Bridge to Terabithia) and Reader's Choice Award Finalist Stefne Miller Features forbidden romance, intense action, and high-stakes sacrifice

*After Math* - Denise Grover Swank 2013-03-01

Before she agreed to tutor Tucker Price, college junior Scarlett was an introvert, struggling with her social anxiety and determined not to end up like her mother. A math major, she goes to her classes, to her job as a tutor, and then hides in the apartment she shares with Caroline. From her first encounter, she realizes Tucker isn't the person everyone else sees. He carries many secrets which, she

suspects, hold the key to his self-destructive behavior. Will Scarlett find the happiness she's looking for, or will she be caught in Tucker's aftermath? [Of Blood and Monsters](#) - D.G. Swank 2019-03-26

The third book in the Piper Lancaster series by D.G. Swank. A demon army is descending on Asheville, prepared to drag Piper and her friends to hell for defying Okeus, the god of war and hell, a threat her band of battered and weary defenders is nowhere near strong enough to hold off. To add to her worries, a crescent moon is destined to appear on her left palm that will compel her to kill Kieran Abel, the demi-god son of Okeus. Now that Okeus has discovered his long coveted human son, he will torture Piper for eons if she follows through. But she can't ignore her new inexplicable craving for demon souls. With every monster she kills, her power grows and she feels herself turning darker. Time is running out and Piper will do anything to protect those she loves, even

if it means risking her own soul.

**High as the Waters Rise** -

Anja Kampmann 2020-09-15

This "gorgeously written"

National Book Award finalist is

a dazzling, heart-rending story

of an oil rig worker whose

closest friend goes missing,

plunging him into isolation and

forcing him to confront his past

(NPR, One of the Best Books of

the Year). One night aboard an

oil drilling platform in the

Atlantic, Waclaw returns to his

cabin to find that his bunkmate

and companion, Mátyás, has

gone missing. A search of the

rig confirms his fear that

Mátyás has fallen into the sea.

Grief-stricken, he embarks on

an epic emotional and physical

journey that takes him to

Morocco, to Budapest and

Mátyás's hometown in

Hungary, to Malta, Italy, and

finally to the mining town of his

childhood in Germany.

Waclaw's encounters along the

way with other lost and

yearning souls—Mátyás's

angry, grieving half-sister;

lonely rig workers on shore

leave; a truck driver who

watches the world change from

his driver's seat—bring us

closer to his origins while also

revealing the problems of a

globalized economy dependent

on waning natural resources.

High as the Waters Rise is a

stirring exploration of male

intimacy, the nature of memory

and grief, and the cost of

freedom—the story of a man

who stands at the margins of a

society from which he has

profited little, though its

functioning depends on his

labor.

*Abuse* - Nikki Sex

**Better Luck Next Time** -

Denise Grover Swank

2020-11-17

The last person she wants

might be the second chance

she needs. \*\*\*Standalone

romance with a HEA!\*\*\* Adalia

Buchanan broke up with art,

but it won't break up with her.

So she paints in secret, then

destroys her work. Her mentor

stole her art months ago, and

she'll never share her work

again. After he sold his

brewery, Finn Hamilton's life

was supposed to be on an

upward trajectory. Instead, he's lost his way. When he stumbles upon Adalia destroying her painting, two thoughts come to mind: one, she looks like a Valkyrie with blonde hair swinging and paint flying from her blade, and two, she's talented. Very talented. Suddenly, she's no longer the sassy sister of his best friend's girlfriend—she's an intriguing, beautiful woman he's dying to get to know better. Too bad Adalia, who's infatuated with *Pride and Prejudice*, thinks he's arrogant and conceited, a modern-day Mr. Darcy. Then again, Elizabeth Bennett changed her mind about Darcy, so there may be hope for them yet...if they can survive an evil cat, a goat-obsessed artist, and their meddling families.

[The Italian](#) - Shukri Mabkouth  
2021-10-21

*Ghost Boy* - Martin Pistorius  
2013-11-19

New York Times bestseller. They all thought he was gone. But he was alive and trapped inside his own body for ten years. In January 1988 Martin

Pistorius, aged twelve, fell inexplicably sick. First, he lost his voice and stopped eating. Then he slept constantly and shunned human contact. Doctors were mystified. Within eighteen months he was mute and wheelchair-bound.

Martin's parents were told an unknown degenerative disease left him with the mind of a baby and less than two years to live. Martin was moved to care centers for severely disabled children. The stress and heartache shook his parents' marriage and their family to the core. Their boy was gone. Or so they thought. *Ghost Boy* is the heart-wrenching story of one boy's return to life through the power of love and faith. In these pages, readers see: A parent's resilience. The consequences of misdiagnosis. Abuse at the hands of cruel caretakers. The unthinkable duration of Martin's mental alertness betrayed by his lifeless body. We also see a life reclaimed—a business created, a new love kindled—all from a wheelchair. Martin's emergence from his own

darkness invites us to celebrate our own lives and fight for a better life for others.

**Cinematic Independence** -

Noah Tsika 2022-02-22

A free open access ebook is available upon publication.

Learn more at

[www.luminosoa.org](http://www.luminosoa.org). Cinematic Independence traces the emergence, demise, and rebirth of big-screen film exhibition in Nigeria. Film companies flocked to Nigeria in the years following independence, beginning a long history of interventions by Hollywood and corporate America. The 1980s and 1990s saw a shuttering of cinemas, which were almost entirely replaced by television and direct-to-video movies. However, after 1999, the exhibition sector was revitalized with the construction of multiplexes. Cinematic Independence is about the periods that straddle this disappearing act: the immediate decades bracketing independence in 1960, and the years after 1999. At stake is the Nigerian postcolony's role

in global debates about the future of the movie theater.

That it was eventually resurrected in the flashy form of the multiplex is not simply an achievement of commercial real estate, but also a testament to cinema's persistence—its capacity to stave off annihilation or, in this case, come back from the dead.

**Bait** - Jade West 2017-09-21

A stranger online. Dark hair and even darker eyes that knew my dirty desires before I did. A fantasy that should never be spoken. But he pulled the confession from me. And now he's coming for me. Rough. Dirty. Dangerous. It's supposed to be one night to get me off and make me forget. He'll make me his and I'll pretend I don't want him to. I'll run and he'll chase. Because I asked him for this. I begged him for this. Tonight, in the darkness, he's the hunter. And I'm the bait.

**Punk 57** - Penelope Douglas 2016-10-18

From New York Times Bestselling Author, Penelope Douglas, comes the latest

standalone love-hate romance... "We were perfect together. Until we met." Misha I can't help but smile at the lyrics in her letter. She misses me. In fifth grade, my teacher set us up with pen pals from a different school. Thinking I was a girl, with a name like Misha, the other teacher paired me up with her student, Ryen. My teacher, believing Ryen was a boy like me, agreed. It didn't take long for us to figure out the mistake. And in no time at all, we were arguing about everything. The best take-out pizza. Android vs. iPhone. Whether or not Eminem is the greatest rapper ever... And that was the start. For the next seven years, it was us. Her letters are always on black paper with silver writing. Sometimes there's one a week or three in a day, but I need them. She's the only one who keeps me on track, talks me down, and accepts everything I am. We only had three rules. No social media, no phone numbers, no pictures. We had a good thing going. Why ruin it? Until I run across a photo of a

girl online. Name's Ryen, loves Gallo's pizza, and worships her iPhone. What are the chances? F\*ck it. I need to meet her. I just don't expect to hate what I find. Ryen He hasn't written in three months. Something's wrong. Did he die? Get arrested? Knowing Misha, neither would be a stretch. Without him around, I'm going crazy. I need to know someone is listening. It's my own fault. I should've gotten his phone number or picture or something. He could be gone forever. Or right under my nose, and I wouldn't even know it. \*Punk 57 is a stand alone New Adult romance. It is suitable for ages 18+.

**Business As Usual** - Denise Grover Swank 2019-01-10

Twenty-Nine and a Half Reasons - Denise Grover Swank 2014-12-06

The second book in the New York Times, Wall Street Journal, and USA Today bestselling Rose Gardner Mystery series. When Rose reports for Fenton County jury duty she figures she's lucky to

get out of a morning working at the DMV. Instead, despite a disastrous encounter with the new assistant district attorney, Mason Deveraux, she's picked as a juror on a murder case. As the case progresses, she realizes an ominous vision she had in the men's restroom proves the defendant is innocent. And there's not a cotton picking thing she can do about it. Or is there? As if things weren't bad enough, Rose's older sister Violet is going through a mid-life crisis. Violet insists that Rose stop seeing her sexy new boyfriend, Arkansas state detective Joe Simmons, and date other men. Rose is done letting people boss her around, but she can't commit to Joe either. Still, Rose isn't about to let the best thing in her life slip away.

**People I Want to Punch in the Throat** - Jen Mann

2014-09-09

NATIONAL BESTSELLER • A debut collection of witty, biting essays laced with a surprising warmth, from Jen Mann, the writer behind the popular blog People I Want to Punch in the

Throat People I want to punch in the throat: • anyone who feels the need to bling her washer and dryer • humblebraggers • people who treat their pets like children Jen Mann doesn't have a filter, which sometimes gets her in trouble with her neighbors, her fellow PTA moms, and that one woman who tried to sell her sex toys at a home shopping party. Known for her hilariously acerbic observations on her blog, People I Want to Punch in the Throat, Mann now brings her sharp wit to bear on suburban life, marriage, and motherhood in this laugh-out-loud collection of essays. From the politics of joining a play group, to the thrill of mothers' night out at the gun range, to the rewards of your most meaningful relationship (the one you have with your cleaning lady), nothing is sacred or off-limits. So the next time you find yourself wearing fuzzy bunny pajamas in the school carpool line or accidentally stuck at a co-worker's swingers party, just think, What would Jen Mann

do? Or better yet, buy her book. Praise for *People I Want to Punch in the Throat* "People I Want to Punch in the Throat is so good that it'll make you want to adopt all the cats in the world. I'm not sure about the correlation, but it's that good. It should come with a warning."—Jenny Lawson, author of *Let's Pretend This Never Happened* "Jen Mann has an amazing way of telling stories that will make you cringe and burst out laughing at the same time. From swinger parties to racist toddlers, she makes the suburbs unbelievably funny."—Karen Alpert, author of *I Heart My Little A-Holes* "Jen Mann says the things we're all too afraid to say. Her honest and hilarious writing style reminds me of David Sedaris and Tina Fey."—Robin O'Bryant, author of *Ketchup Is a Vegetable: And Other Lies Moms Tell Themselves* "Jen Mann's shrewd and unrelenting assault on the absurdity of suburban life is an honest peek into the occasional nightmare that is part of living

the American dream. I love Jen. I wish she was my neighbor. It's so refreshing to know that I'm not the only one who wants to punch almost everyone in the f\*\*\*ing throat."—Nicole Knepper, author of *Moms Who Drink And Swear*  
[International and Comparative Librarianship](#) - Peter Johan Lor  
2019-06-17

Based on his extensive experience in international librarianship, Peter Johan Lor, South Africa's first National Librarian and a former Secretary General of the IFLA, has written the first comprehensive and systematic overview of international and comparative librarianship. His book provides a conceptual framework and methodological guidelines for the field and covers the full range of international relations among libraries and information services, with particular attention to the international political economy of information, the international diffusion of innovations and policy in library and information services, LIS

development and international aid. It concludes with a discussion of the practical relevance and future of international and comparative studies in LIS.

*Sins of the Father* - Denise Grover Swank 2016-09-11

As the fallout from J.R. Simmons death begins to settle, some of the victims are still dealing with the results of that deadly night. Rose mourns the changes in her life and struggles to move on. Neely Kate is devastated when Joe leaves Henryetta two weeks after his father's death and refuses to speak to her. Joe is left dealing with his father's business and the consequent FBI investigation, while he wonders where he belongs. But when Rose's former neighbor's family dog runs away, Neely Kate convinces Rose to look for the pet and both discover a few things about themselves in the process.

*Dr. Strange Beard* - Penny Reid 2018-07-30

From the NEW YORK TIMES, WALL STREET JOURNAL, & USA TODAY bestselling series

Hunches, horse races, and heartbreak Ten years after Simone Payton broke his heart, all Roscoe Winston wants is a doughnut. He'd also like to forget her entirely, but that's never going to happen. Roscoe Winston remembers everything—every look, every word, every single unrequited second—and the last thing he needs is another memory of Simone. Unfortunately, after one chance encounter, Simone keeps popping up everywhere he happens to be . . . Ten years after Roscoe Winston dropped out of her life, all Simone Payton wants is to exploit him. She'd also like some answers from her former best friend about why he ghosted her, but if she never gets those answers, that's a-okay. Simone let go of the past a long time ago. Seriously, she has. She totally, totally has. She is definitely not still thinking about Roscoe. Nope. She's more than happy to forget he exists. But first, she needs just one teeny-tiny favor . . . *Dr. Strange Beard* is a full-length romantic comedy novel, can be

read as a stand-alone, and is the fifth book in the USA TODAY bestselling Winston Brothers series. \*\*\*\*\* Read the entire Winston Brothers series! Beauty and the Mustache Book #0.5 USA Today Bestseller Truth or Beard Book #1 USA Today Bestseller Grin and Beard It #2 USA Today Bestseller Beard Science #3 USA Today Bestseller Beard in Mind #4 USA Today Bestseller Dr. Strange Beard #5 New York Times Bestseller Beard with Me #5.5 (Coming September 2019) Beard Necessities #6 (Coming October 2019) \*\*\*\*\* Topics: contemporary romance, romantic comedy, southern romance, small town, series, geek romance, nerdy girl romance, nerdy girl, geek girl, romantic comedy series, comedy, comedy series, funny romance, laugh romance, modern romance, urban romance, Tennessee, Tennessee romance, USA today, new york times bestselling author, USA today bestseller, USA Today bestseller, small town romance,

friends to lovers romance, enemies to lovers romance, smart romance, something funny to read, lighthearted romance, light romance, hot romance, Penny Reid, penny reid romance, beard romance, bearded, wanderlust romance, romance novel, romance book, romantic comedy books, romance for adults, romance books, funny romance, funny romance, funny books, comedy books free, rom com, hilarious, romance series, romance books, beach reads, new adult, college, funny, female, stories, sensual, sensual romance, alpha male, hot guy, racy, sexy, heartwarming, heart-warming, family, love, love books, kissing books, emotional journey, contemporary, contemporary romance, romance series, long series, long romance series, bearded hero, sassy, captivating romance, hot, hot romance, mistaken identity romance, sparks, loyalty, swoon, interracial romance, African American heroine, childhood friends to lovers, second chance romance, virgin romance, bearded brothers,

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