

Pdf free The heiresss deception sinful brides 4 (Download Only)

in the final installment of usa today bestselling author christi caldwell s sinful brides series a runaway heiress entrusts her fate to the man she betrayed lady eve pruit has never forgotten her childhood friend the young pickpocket calum who she feared had been condemned to the gallows now years later eve is the one in danger her brother made desperate by gambling debts threatens to steal her inheritance and eve has no choice but to run under an assumed name she takes a job as a bookkeeper at the notorious hell and sin club nothing in this bawdy den shocks her more than discovering that her employer is none other than calum keeping her identity a secret is one thing but hiding her feelings for him is another as calum becomes increasingly taken with the strangely haunting beauty he looks forward to exposing her mysteries but when her masquerade is revealed it s left to eve to prove that her desire for him is no deception when her husband dies suddenly a widow is accused of fraud in this regency romance by the bestselling author of every bit a rogue diana rutledge countess of harrowby was shocked by the unexpected death of her husband but a trip to london to settle his affairs brings only more unpleasant surprises for derek the new earl of harrowby is arrogant brooding and far too handsome for diana s peace of mind worse he insists that diana is a bold impostor now determined to stand her ground despite derek s rudeness and her unsettling attraction to him diana will risk her reputation her heart and her very life to prove she is not part of a notorious deception praise for adrienne basso the sensuously detailed love scenes undercurrent of danger and polished writing fuel basso s latest historical regency which will draw fans of amanda quick and nicole jordan booklist an entertaining and deeply emotional story that will hook readers with its refreshing plot and hold them to the very end with her fascinating details and engaging characters the romance reviews for fans of julia quinn eloisa james and sarah maclean comes isabella bradford s enthralling new trilogy of london s most scandalous rakes the breconridge brothers who are about to lose their hearts lord geoffrey fitzroy leads a charmed existence the second son of the duke of breconridge and an infamous incorrigible and inconceivably handsome rake he ruthlessly leaves hearts fluttering all over london that s until he locks eyes with the mysterious miss serena carew a noble born heiress raised in india impossibly beautiful and dripping in diamonds serena is the most sought after belle of the ball but her exotic past masks a perilous secret and in the hope of saving herself she deftly deflects geoffrey s curiosity soon her plan is thwarted by her hungry heart and lord geoffrey s passionate seduction reveals her dark secret will deception destroy her one chance at happiness before the breconridge brothers came the wylder sisters don t miss a moment of the romantic and captivating debut trilogy from isabella bradford when you wish upon a duke when the duchess said yes and when the duke found love murder shakes up london and drives a mismatched couple closer together in this regency romance by the bestselling author of the ultimate lover blessed with beauty fortune and noble birth lady meredith barrington puzzles the ton by choosing to remain single then a roguish bet placed by her younger brothers leads meredith to impulsively flirt with and boldly kiss the handsome brooding marquess of dardington a threatened scandal results in a hasty wedding theirs is a marriage of convenience and meredith is determined to maintain her usual independent ways but when an apparent accident nearly takes her life meredith finds herself turning to her husband for comfort for reassurance and more trevor morley marquess of dardington is less than pleased when he s forced to wed and vows to avoid his lovely wife no matter how tempting that soul stirring kiss in the garden but when the ton is rocked by a string of savage murders trevor comes to realize that the killer has targeted meredith he ensures that he s always at her side day and night their intimacy ignites a fiery passion between them and both are stunned to

discover that what began in rueful obedience to society's dictates has become a love match but can trevor protect the woman he cherishes from deadly harm praise for to protect an heiress the sensuously detailed love scenes undercurrent of danger and polished writing fuel basso's latest historical regency which will draw fans of amanda quick and nicole jordan booklist sensual and rather gently paced this light story will appeal to readers who enjoy their love stories laced with a dash of suspense library journal the author of how to seduce a sinner delivers an impeccably crafted regency setting and a revenge fueled plot deftly laced with danger and desire booklist a little bit unexpected eleanor collins knows that her beautiful younger sister will have wealthy powerful men falling at her feet in her first london season but eleanor is surprised to discover that one man's attentions are utterly focused on her a little bit forbidden as delicious as sebastian dodd viscount benton finds the eldest collins daughter his true motive is darker than mere seduction until he has avenged his mother's death he will be unable to think of anything else or so he believes until he takes his first taste of eleanor's inviting lips and finds his mind and his body utterly consumed praise for adrienne basso's novels sinfully sensual booklist basso has a gift for creating madness and mayhem in stories tinged with simmering passion and poignancy romantic times delightful this rousing romance will enchant series fans and win over new readers publishers weekly a gem of the finest type such a great holiday read from the bestselling author of every bit a rogue smexy books the season for surprises juliet wentworth knew what she was getting into a marriage of convenience that will save her estate and protect her family long into the future but she wasn't expecting to find the passion of a lifetime in her new husband's arms after just one night juliet knows a marriage in name only will never be enough the season for seduction richard harper's beautiful new bride has him reeling with desire and running for cover after all falling in love was never part of the bargain yet when christmastime celebrations bring him back to their country manor and back into juliet's arms richard finds his wife is determined and all too able to win over his heart one kiss at a time a fan of historical romance will find plot and characters as comfortingly familiar as a childhood dinner the novel is plum pudding rich with details of home furnishing and fashion and sauced well with the customs and traditions of a mid victorian english christmas nj com a winning romance to win over your heart and give you that warm fuzzy feeling you look for in every romance purely sensual to the core addicted to romance christi caldwell's brand new regency book a lady's guide to a gentleman's heart is sure to fill your heart with cheer and warmth this winter season don't miss out on the long awaited second book in the heart of a scandal series honor demands he give her up heath whitworth marquess of mulgrave and heir to a dukedom is honorable to his handsome bones when his mother insists he spend the holidays dancing attendance on lady emilia aberdeen he has no choice but to do the gentlemanly thing for years heath has harbored feelings for the lady but he knows exactly why his best friend jilted emilia years ago and that secret makes a happily ever after for heath and emilia an impossibility love demands she follow her heart heartbroken after the man she loved ended their betrothal lady emilia aberdeen is quite content to live a spinster's life penning an anonymous column that offers guidance to young ladies except the more she is thrown into lord mulgrave's company the more she sees that the proper always aloof gentleman is also charming clever and inconveniently attractive emilia discovers maybe it is possible to love again but with secrets between them heath will face his greatest challenge yet loving emilia aberdeen or letting her go other books in the heart of a scandal series prequel novella in need of a knight book 1 schooling the duke book 2 a lady's guide to a gentleman's heart be prepared to smile swoon and sigh in christi caldwell's latest heart of a scandal installment where a matchmaker firmly on the shelf is about to fall head over heels for her best friend's younger brother she lived by a strict set of rules meredith durant believes those who won't marry matchmake and she's made a notable career for herself helping young women find the perfect mate having suffered a broken heart years before she's quite content in her work and determined to never fall prey to love again her most recent job finds her working for the unlikeliest of households never expecting her assignment would be her best friend's younger brother barry who's

not so little anymore he s a grown man who leaves her breathless and wishing just maybe this time she could have a happy ending but how can that happen when once her job is done she must watch him wed another he s decided to break her rules barry aberdeen the future duke of gayle knew his days of freedom were numbered with his sister recently married his mother turned her marital aspirations to him she s even gone as far as to hire a matchmaker worse the matchmaker is a childhood friend meredith durant only the rigid serious creature is not the carefree girl he remembered if he s going to be saddled with a matchmaker he s going to have fun loosening meredith s too tight chignon what he doesn t expect is how entranced he ll be when those strands come falling down around her shoulders the heart of a scandal series includes prequel novella in need of a knight schooling the duke a lady s guide to a gentleman s heart a matchmaker for a marquess praise for christi caldwell christi caldwell is a must read new york times bestselling author mary balogh a christi caldwell book never fails to touch the heart new york times bestselling author tessa dare christi caldwell is a master of words and the hellion is so descriptive and vibrant that she redefines high definition readers will be left panting craving and rooting for their favorite characters as unexpected lovers find their happy ending rt book reviews on the hellion the 3rd book in the bestselling series the brethren by usa today bestseller christi caldwell martha donaldson went from being a nobleman s wife and respected young mother to the scandal of her village after learning the dark lie perpetuated against her by her husband she knows better than to ever trust a man her children are her life and she ll protect them at all costs when a stranger arrives seeking the post of stable master everything says to turn him out so why does she let him stay lord sheldon graham whitworth has lived with the constant reminders of his many failings the third son of a duke he s long been underestimated that however proves a valuable asset as he serves the brethren an illustrious division in the home office when graham s first mission sees him assigned the role of guard to a young widow and her son he wants nothing more than to finish quickly and then move on to another more meaningful assignment except as the secrets between them begin to unravel martha s trust is shattered and graham is left with the most vital mission he ll ever face winning martha s heart length full length book this is the third book in the brethren series but can be read as a standalone lady gillian farendale is in trouble her titled father has dragged her through one london season after another until the sheer monotony of the marriage mart and the last vestige of gillian s once independent spirit conspire to lead her into a single night of folly when her adventure goes so very wrong she has only one old friend to whom she can turn for help colin lockhart s youthful friendship with lady gillian cost him everything and a duke s by blow had little enough to start with he s survived years on london s roughest streets to become a highly successful bow street runner and his dream of his own inquiry agency is almost within his grasp then gillian begs him to once again risk angering her powerful father the ruthless logic of the street tells colin that he dare not help gillian while his tender heart tempts him to once again risk everything for the only woman he ll ever love coming to the heart of the duke world the romance between lady faith brookfield and rex dumond the marquess of rutherford readers haven t met a heart of a duke scoundrel like this since edmund the marquess of rutland graced the pages a dastardly villain rex dumond the marquess of rutherford rules over london s most wicked gaming hell forbidden pleasures his black hearted peers might spend their evenings in polite society but they spend their nights gambling their wealth land and secrets away at his tables no man can turn him from his chosen life of decadence and debauchery not even his domineering and disapproving father a daring young woman lady faith brookfield hasn t forgotten the night she entered forbidden pleasures and crossed paths with the dark seductive gaming hell owner that night however she discovered more than a dangerous attraction she also uncovered dangerous secrets ones that can avenge past wrongs against her aunt and save other young women from suffering a similar fate a dangerous gamble in order to save his gaming empire rex has no choice but to pursue the innocent debutante for the secrets she holds can true love ever be born in treachery and deceit accustomed to a world where the house always wins rex must wager all he owns on the greatest gamble of all love heart of a duke books for

love of the duke more than a duke the love of a rogue loved by a duke to love a lord the heart of a scoundrel to wed his christmas lady to trust a rogue the lure of a rake to woo a widow to redeem a rake one winter with a baron to enchant a wicked duke beguiled by a baron to tempt a scoundrel to hold a lady s secret to catch a viscount february 2022 defying the duke july 2022 to marry her marquess august 2022 the devil and the debutante september 2022 devil by daylight november 2022 miss marcia gray s cameo perfect life is destroyed when scandal leaves her standing alone at the altar on her wedding day her heart shattered she decides to embrace her ruined reputation and explore every forbidden pleasure all she needs is a little help from her long time friend and society s most wicked rogue andrew barrett viscount waters andrew tried his hand at love and lost badly and has no interest in marriage or respectability nonetheless even he knows he should avoid marcia and her harebrained attempts to embark on a life of impropriety andrew however has never done what he s supposed to do nor can he stand about twirling his sword cane while marcia dabbles in forbidden pleasures without him when they push the boundaries too far marcia and andrew must determine whether old secrets will keep them apart or newfound love can forge a path back to a respectable shared future defying the duke bookish and spirited lady lettie brookfield is firmly on the shelf the last thing she wants however is to spend the rest of her days as an unmarried sister dependent upon her family s charity accepting she won t have a love match she finds herself coming around to the idea of marrying the only suitor she s ever had that is until she s suddenly reunited with her brother s former best friend the brooding formally charming anthony duke of granville years earlier in an unselfish act intended to save his friend anthony committed an unforgivable betrayal one that severed his friendship now he s a duke and must fulfill his obligations the last woman he has any right to long for is his former best friend s younger sister lettie all grown up lettie is passionate quick witted and desirable and it isn t long before anthony falls for her the very last woman he should consider marrying will past betrayals keep them apart or is there a path to a new beginning with anthony and the only woman he truly loves heart of a duke books for love of the duke more than a duke the love of a rogue loved by a duke to love a lord the heart of a scoundrel to wed his christmas lady to trust a rogue the lure of a rake to woo a widow to redeem a rake one winter with a baron to enchant a wicked duke beguiled by a baron to tempt a scoundrel to hold a lady s secret to catch a viscount february 2022 defying the duke july 2022 to marry her marquess august 2022 the devil and the debutante september 2022 devil by daylight november 2022 usa today bestselling author christi caldwell revisits the dark gritty side of regency england in her brethren of the lords series death was preferable since his wife was killed in an accident that stole his happiness and left him injured william helling the duke of aubrey is a broken man neither strong drink and loose women nor the power he wields as leader of the brethren of lords can free him from the nightmares that haunt him he prefers to be left alone and has no desire to heal the wound his life has become then one day miss elsie allenby rumored to be a skilled healer enters his household he should send her away and yet he s enthralled by the mysterious stranger healing was her life but not a day passes when elsie allenby doesn t miss her father nor remind herself where the blame for his death lies the brethren of lords since that betrayal she s made a life for herself on the fringe of society caring for wounded animals her peaceful life is turned upside down when her help is requested by the brethren and she finds herself in the presence last person she ever thought she would aide william helling the leader of the brethren with every exchange passion grows between elsie and william soon the protective walls they ve built begin to crumble but when danger threatens them both they ll need to overcome the treachery around them will the past steal their passion or will love find a way brethren of the lords series book 1 my lady of deception book 2 her duke of secrets from four beloved regency romance writers eloisa james christi caldwell janna macgregor and erica ridley comes the hilarious tale of a christmas house party serving up love and scandal in equal measure the duke of greystoke s christmas revelry is famous throughout the british isles for its plays dancing magical grotto and the scandals leading to the marriage licenses he hands out like confetti but not everyone welcomes a visit

from cupid lady cressida the duke s daughter is too busy managing the entertainments and besides her own father has called her dowdy lady isabelle wilkshire is directing cinderella and has no interest in marriage lady caroline whitmore is already unhappily married the fact that she and her estranged husband have to pretend to be together just makes her dread the party all the more but not as much as miss louisa harcourt whose mother bluntly tells her that this is her last chance to escape the horrors of being an old maid a house party so large that mothers lose track of their charges leads to a delightful quartet of stories that is the perfect christmas treat for fans of bridgerton and reputation coming to the world of heart of the duke the romance between lady caroline brookfield and wynn masterson the marquess of exmoor formerly the earl of astor with ruin bearing down on his sisters wynn masterson marquess of exmoor must find a respectable wife posthaste lovely and formidable brides to be accost him from one end of mayfair to the other but it s the retiring lady caroline brookfield who catches his eye lady caroline has a scandalous past and worse yet she s the sister of wynn s former fiancée one of his former fiancées that is caroline is all wrong for the marquessate and exactly right for the man but how can wynn choose between the woman he adores and the future his siblings are depending on him to secure a case of mistaken identity leads to true love in this steamy regency romance of loyalty regret and revenge richard cameron earl of mulgrave makes a fateful mistake when he confuses anne paget for her sister nicole the beautiful artist is not in fact the adventuress who stole his nephew s heart but she is everything richard has ever wanted from the moment she sees the darkly handsome earl anne paget longs to paint him but anne doesn t realize that richard believes she is her younger sister until he unwittingly leads her into a compromising situation that threatens her reputation with her own ideas of honor and dreams for the future which do not include marriage anne refuses richard s proposals yet as each day passes she finds herself drawn to his gentle persistence tempted by nights of reckless abandon and enticed by the promise of a love that will last forever sugar and spice lauren stuart hasn t spent years perfecting her craft as a pastry chef only to let a stranger steal one of her prized recipes writing the definitive dessert cookbook is more than enough to keep lauren busy without investigating the wealthy hunk who claims her cheesecake as his own in a magazine article but when she enters jonathan windsor in a cooking contest she s judging to expose his culinary fraud she s surprised to find that the handsome businessman is a delicious temptation of another kind and everything nice jonathan isn t sure how the profile detailing his return to his family s maryland seafood business included a cheesecake recipe the only thing he knows how to make is reservations his entry in the bake off is even more mystifying but after one look at lauren s lovely face the only puzzle he wants to solve is her curious resentment towards him he asks the petite blonde with the sharp tongue for cooking lessons and soon dessert isn t the only thing on the menu as lauren and jonathan heat things up in the kitchen and the bedroom 62 586 words a fun escapist tale of discovery and second chance love between an endangered widow and an honorable and extremely likable warrior hero smexy books a union born of duty newly knighted sir ewan gilroy needs a dowry and a wife in that order that the widowed lady grace plans to enter a convent squandering so much lush beauty and such a fortune would surely be its own sin but grace will not be easily wooed despite her family s urging and ewan s famed charm she challenges him as no woman ever dared proving his equal in spirit and in passions forged by desire to atone for her past grace vows to never remarry least of all a brash and reckless warrior yet whether defending her honor or stoking desires she hardly knew she possessed ewan is a man beyond compare and as their fragile trust is threatened by treachery grace must decide whether to reach for the happiness within her grasp and fight for the love of her bold highlander well developed characters and a strong sense of time and place are just a few of the pluses readers will encounter in basso s latest smartly written medieval romance booklist an impossible to put down read rt book reviews reasons why joshua barton could never be interested in eleanor graham he is brilliant gorgeous wealthy sophisticated and managing partner at the financial firm of hamilton barton and jones eleanor a mere cog at hb j is none of the above however she is sensible logical and knows better than to

indulge in romantic dreams she's also pretty sure joshua doesn't even know her name reasons why eleanor is totally wrong except for the part about her name she is unlike any woman joshua has ever met in a good way she has a great laugh and intriguingly she happens to know a lot more about joshua's new stepmother than he does as for the rest all will be revealed when she agrees to be something sort of like joshua's date for a long weekend at the barton family estate and joshua finds himself doing his very best to persuade the very skeptical eleanor to believe in happily ever after 105 000 words an amazon best of the month selection when a young lady sacrifices her reputation to save a viscount it's the beginning of an extraordinary adventure in adrienne basso's captivating regency tale jon burwell viscount kendall knows what the gossips say about him they claim he's been a dejected half mad recluse ever since he was jilted at the altar the simple truth is that jon has thrown all the passion he once had for his fiancée into his latest mechanical invention but his single minded existence has lately been shattered by repeated encounters with miss emma ellingham his neighbor's intriguing sister in law painting and sketching have been emma's consolation since her own secret heartbreak when she stumbles upon the viscount's workshop his machine revives her artistic imagination the gentleman himself is even more fascinating and deeply seductive when jon is accused of a crime emma risks her good name for his sake but though the threat of scandal compels them to wed only courage can overcome their pasts and allow desire to transform into love praise for adrienne basso's the bride chooses a highlander basso keeps the action moving and the attraction building between the compassionate appealing protagonists making their journey to the altar both entertaining and satisfying publishers weekly a stimulating and emotionally driven romance of mistrust anger pain and we see the healing power of love and redemption a sexy page turner addicted to romance a highlander is always worth waiting for scottish highlands 1329 sir james mckenna second son of the powerful mckenna chief knows he has found his destiny when he falls in love with sweet lady davina armstrong niece of the armstrong chief orphaned in childhood davina has always felt like an outsider and with james finally feels that she belongs but their plans for a happy future are shattered after a brutal attack by a band of rogues horrified davina's overprotective family quickly shelters her from everyone including james five years later james is a changed man his fighting skills sharpened to perfection he is hardened by the war and destruction he's endured as a scottish knight and by the loss of davina weary he returns home and is shocked to find davina there is it too late for them to start anew or will the past dare to lay claim to their future once more praise for adrienne basso's bride of a scottish warrior well developed characters and a strong sense of time and place are just a few of the pluses readers will encounter in basso's latest smartly written medieval romance booklist an impossible to put down read it book reviews a medieval scottish lady gets to choose her husband but getting married won't be easy in this romance by the bestselling author of no other highlander the unconventional lady katherine mckenna has been granted a rare privilege the right to choose her own husband it's a more difficult task than she expected when at last she agrees to a betrothal it quickly goes awry leaving katherine alone in the wilds and rescued by laird lachlan mactavish she's captivated by the proud brooding chief who shows her such tender care but with their clans on the brink of war the honorable lachlan resists his attraction until katherine proclaims to her family that they will wed though stunned by her boldness lachlan is intrigued by katherine's beauty and spirit and the mactavishes will benefit from an alliance with the powerful mckennas but with family discord treachery and deceit in their midst can they save a marriage that is destined to blossom into incomparable love praise for the bride chooses a highlander rousing basso keeps the action moving and the attraction building between the compassionate appealing protagonists entertaining and satisfying publishers weekly brilliant a fun filled story that i had a blast reading a tale packed with action intrigue deception and fighting for what is right addicted to romance a medieval scottish earl schools a british widow in the art of seduction in this romance by the bestselling author of every bit a rogue she's his in every way when newly widowed lady fiona libourg flees to scotland in need of protection lord gavin mclendon is powerless to refuse the british beauty

especially when she offers herself in exchange now the brooding scottish warrior can think of nothing else but ravishing his delectable new mistress even though he s dutybound to marry another but one fiona is shocked when gavin accepts her scandalous offer and fretful at the thought that he will discover how little she knows of seduction but when gavin proves to be a skilled and achingly sensuous teacher fiona doesn t want their passionate arrangement to end now she can t help but wonder just what it would take to go from scottish mistress to scottish wife praise for how to be a scottish mistress a heartwarming odd couple romance a sweet delightful progression from attraction to all encompassing love publishers weekly an entertaining and deeply emotional story that will hook readers with its refreshing plot and hold them to the very end with her fascinating details and engaging characters the romance reviews in this regency romance novella a daring lady sets out to lose her maidenhood to the town s most dangerous rogue but she could lose her heart as well to wreck her domineering brother in law s scheme to marry her off spirited widow lady amelia wheatley must irreparably ruin her reputation and what better way than to gamble that she can seduce gareth travers the wild young viscount of longley but amelia never bargained that their one night of passion would make gareth determined to win her forever praise for the writing of adrienne basso basso has a gift for creating stories tinged with simmering passion and poignancy rt book reviews on how to enjoy a scandal sinfully sensual booklist on the christmas countess the author of every bit a rogue delivers a regency romance that builds sexual tension to a satisfying crescendo this book sizzles with desire literary times fiercely independent alyssa carrington deftly ran her father s english estate for years but before his death he auctioned westgate manor to the highest bidder leaving her penniless now there was a new lord of the manor and alyssa found herself at his mercy a charismatic ladies man the duke of gillingham is more than happy to welcome lovely alyssa into rooms that were once hers especially the master bedroom never before has he met a woman who so attracts him body and mind but it is exactly alyssa s mind that concerns her much as she enjoys the duke s attentions she does not enjoy the longing he inspires nor will she become another of his conquests yet the duke has powers of persuasion alyssa never dreamed possible now she must decide whether to risk her sensibly planned future and her sensibly guarded heart praise for the novels of adrienne basso basso has a gift for creating stories tinged with simmering passion and poignancy romantic times sinfully sensual booklist delightful this rousing romance will enchant series fans and win over new readers publishers weekly a widowed medieval scottish warrior is drawn to a troubled woman in this romance by the bestselling author of the highlander who loved me scottish highlands 1334 lady joan armstrong fraser was once the indulged and pampered daughter of a laird but marriage to a brute changed her when he sets her aside she has only her wits and her beauty to protect herself and her child from the chaos of her former home she will have to find another husband a man whose strength is more than a weapon against the weak a man she can trust if such a man even breathes sir malcolm mckenna has known lady joan since her childhood a spoiled princess as dangerous as she is lovely but when she steps forward to protect him against a false accusation he discovers a character stronger than he guessed and an attraction he yearns to explore praise for no other highlander good hearted and perfidious men are at the center of basso s enjoyable second romance featuring the armstrongs and mckennas a lively convincing world this heartwarming satisfying historical lays intriguing groundwork for the series next installment publishers weekly a happily single sea captain is tempted by his late brother s fiancée in this regency romance by the bestselling author of his noble promise her desperate proposal when pampered faith linden s father and her titled fiancé viscount dewhurst die she suddenly finds herself in a desperately precarious position the only way faith can hold on to her beloved family home is to convince her late fiancé s younger brother the new viscount dewhurst to marry her in his stead yet when she finally encounters lord griffin sainthill she is in for a surprise this brooding and ruggedly handsome adventurer is not so easily bent to her will and may be the man who can capture her unsuspecting heart sparked a stormy passion a sea captain and owner of a profitable shipping company griffin sainthill was quite happy with

his life in the american colonies so when the news of his inheritance finally reaches him the sun bronzed seafarer is less than pleased his mood only darkens when he returns to england to discover a brazen beauty intent on becoming his bride but when a twinge of conscience and a stolen kiss give him pause griffin finds himself embarking on the riskiest venture of all marriage to a woman who will tempt him torment him and turn his whole life upside down the sensuously detailed love scenes undercurrent of danger and polished writing fuel basso s latest regency which will draw fans of amanda quick and nicole jordan booklist on to protect an heiress a comprehensive guide that defines the literature and the outlines the best selling genre of all time romance fiction more than 2 000 romances are published annually making it difficult for fans and the librarians who advise them to keep pace with new titles emerging authors and constant evolution of this dynamic genre fortunately romance expert and librarian kristin ramsdell provides a definitive guide to this fiction genre that serves as an indispensable resource for those interested in it including fans searching for reading material as well as for library staff scholars and romance writers themselves this title updates the last edition of romance fiction a guide to the genre published in 1999 while the emphasis is on newer titles many of the important older classics are retained keeping the focus of the book on the entire genre instead of only those titles published during the last decade specific changes include new chapters on linked and continuing romances a new section on chick lit in the contemporary romance chapter an expansion of coverage on the alternative reality subset this is the romance genre guide to have

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Notorious Deception 2013-03-01 when her husband dies suddenly a widow is accused of fraud in this regency romance by the bestselling author of every bit a rogue diana rutledge countess of harrowby was shocked by the unexpected death of her husband but a trip to london to settle his affairs brings only more unpleasant surprises for derek the new earl of harrowby is arrogant brooding and far too handsome for diana s peace of mind worse he insists that diana is a bold impostor now determined to stand her ground despite derek s rudeness and her unsettling attraction to him diana will risk her reputation her heart and her very life to prove she is not part of a notorious deception praise for adrienne basso the sensuously detailed love scenes undercurrent of danger and polished writing fuel basso s latest historical regency which will draw fans of amanda quick and nicole jordan booklist an entertaining and deeply emotional story that will hook readers with its refreshing plot and hold them to the very end with her fascinating details and engaging characters the romance reviews

A Sinful Deception: Breconridge Brothers Book 2 2015-02-24 for fans of julia quinn eloisa james and sarah maclean comes isabella bradford s enthralling new trilogy of london s most scandalous rakes the breconridge brothers who are about to lose their hearts lord geoffrey fitzroy leads a charmed existence the second son of the duke of breconridge and an infamous incorrigible and inconceivably handsome rake he ruthlessly leaves hearts fluttering all over london that s until he locks eyes with the mysterious miss serena carew a noble born heiress raised in india impossibly beautiful and dripping in diamonds serena is the most sought after belle of the ball but her exotic past masks a perilous secret and in the hope of saving herself she deftly deflects geoffrey s curiosity soon her plan is thwarted by her hungry heart and lord geoffrey s passionate seduction reveals her dark secret will deception destroy her one chance at happiness before the breconridge brothers came the wylder sisters don t miss a moment of the romantic and captivating debut trilogy from isabella bradford when you wish upon a duke when the duchess said yes and when the duke found love

To Protect An Heiress 2012-12-01 murder shakes up london and drives a mismatched couple closer together in this regency romance by the bestselling author of the ultimate lover blessed with beauty fortune and noble birth lady meredith barrington puzzles the ton by choosing to remain single then a roguish bet placed by her younger brothers leads meredith to impulsively flirt with and boldly kiss the handsome brooding marquess of dardington a threatened scandal results in a hasty wedding theirs is a marriage of convenience and meredith is determined to maintain her usual independent ways but when an apparent accident nearly takes her life meredith finds herself turning to her husband for comfort for reassurance and more trevor morley marquess of dardington is less than pleased when he s forced to wed and vows to avoid his lovely wife no matter how tempting that soul stirring kiss in the garden but when the ton is rocked by a string of savage murders trevor comes to realize that the killer has targeted meredith he ensures that he s always at her side day and night their intimacy ignites a fiery passion between them and both are stunned to discover that what began in rueful obedience to society s dictates has become a love match but can trevor protect the woman he cherishes from deadly harm praise for to protect an heiress the sensuously detailed love scenes undercurrent of danger

and polished writing fuel basso s latest historical regency which will draw fans of amanda quick and nicole jordan booklist sensual and rather gently paced this light story will appeal to readers who enjoy their love stories laced with a dash of suspense library journal

A Little Bit Sinful 2011-01-01 the author of how to seduce a sinner delivers an impeccably crafted regency setting and a revenge fueled plot deftly laced with danger and desire booklist a little bit unexpected eleanor collins knows that her beautiful younger sister will have wealthy powerful men falling at her feet in her first london season but eleanor is surprised to discover that one man s attentions are utterly focused on her a little bit forbidden as delicious as sebastian dodd viscount benton finds the eldest collins daughter his true motive is darker than mere seduction until he has avenged his mother s death he will be unable to think of anything else or so he believes until he takes his first taste of eleanor s inviting lips and finds his mind and his body utterly consumed praise for adrienne basso s novels sinfully sensual booklist basso has a gift for creating madness and mayhem in stories tinged with simmering passion and poignancy romantic times delightful this rousing romance will enchant series fans and win over new readers publishers weekly

Tis the Season to Be Sinful 2011-05-26 a gem of the finest type such a great holiday read from the bestselling author of every bit a rogue smexy books the season for surprises juliet wentworth knew what she was getting into a marriage of convenience that will save her estate and protect her family long into the future but she wasn t expecting to find the passion of a lifetime in her new husband s arms after just one night juliet knows a marriage in name only will never be enough the season for seduction richard harper s beautiful new bride has him reeling with desire and running for cover after all falling in love was never part of the bargain yet when christmastime celebrations bring him back to their country manor and back into juliet s arms richard finds his wife is determined and all too able to win over his heart one kiss at a time a fan of historical romance will find plot and characters as comfortingly familiar as a childhood dinner the novel is plum pudding rich with details of home furnishing and fashion and sauced well with the customs and traditions of a mid victorian english christmas nj com a winning romance to win over your heart and give you that warm fuzzy feeling you look for in every romance purely sensual to the core addicted to romance

A Lady's Guide to a Gentleman's Heart 2018-12-07 christi caldwell s brand new regency book a lady s guide to a gentleman s heart is sure to fill your heart with cheer and warmth this winter season don t miss out on the long awaited second book in the heart of a scandal series honor demands he give her up heath whitworth marquess of mulgrave and heir to a dukedom is honorable to his handsome bones when his mother insists he spend the holidays dancing attendance on lady emilia aberdeen he has no choice but to do the gentlemanly thing for years heath has harbored feelings for the lady but he knows exactly why his best friend jilted emilia years ago and that secret makes a happily ever after for heath and emilia an impossibility love demands she follow her heart heartbroken after the man she loved ended their betrothal lady emilia aberdeen is quite content to live a spinster s life penning an anonymous column that offers guidance to young ladies except the more she is thrown into lord mulgrave s company the more she sees that the proper always aloof gentleman is also charming clever and inconveniently attractive emilia discovers maybe it is possible to love again but with secrets between them heath will face his greatest challenge yet loving emilia aberdeen or letting her go other books in the heart of a scandal series prequel novella in need of a knight book 1 schooling the duke book 2 a lady s guide to a gentleman s heart

A Matchmaker for a Marquess 2019-06-25 be prepared to smile swoon and sigh in christi caldwell s latest heart of a scandal installment where a matchmaker firmly on the shelf is about to fall head over

heels for her best friend's younger brother she lived by a strict set of rules meredith durant believes those who won't marry matchmake and she's made a notable career for herself helping young women find the perfect mate having suffered a broken heart years before she's quite content in her work and determined to never fall prey to love again her most recent job finds her working for the unlikeliest of households never expecting her assignment would be her best friend's younger brother barry who's not so little anymore he's a grown man who leaves her breathless and wishing just maybe this time she could have a happy ending but how can that happen when once her job is done she must watch him wed another he's decided to break her rules barry aberdeen the future duke of gayle knew his days of freedom were numbered with his sister recently married his mother turned her marital aspirations to him she's even gone as far as to hire a matchmaker worse the matchmaker is a childhood friend meredith durant only the rigid serious creature is not the carefree girl he remembered if he's going to be saddled with a matchmaker he's going to have fun loosening meredith's too tight chignon what he doesn't expect is how entranced he'll be when those strands come falling down around her shoulders the heart of a scandal series includes prequel novella in need of a knight schooling the duke a lady's guide to a gentleman's heart a matchmaker for a marquess praise for christi caldwell christi caldwell is a must read new york times bestselling author mary balogh a christi caldwell book never fails to touch the heart new york times bestselling author tessa dare christi caldwell is a master of words and the hellion is so descriptive and vibrant that she redefines high definition readers will be left panting craving and rooting for their favorite characters as unexpected lovers find their happy ending rt book reviews on the hellion

The Rogue Who Rescued Her 2018-10-02 the 3rd book in the bestselling series the brethren by usa today bestseller christi caldwell martha donaldson went from being a nobleman's wife and respected young mother to the scandal of her village after learning the dark lie perpetuated against her by her husband she knows better than to ever trust a man her children are her life and she'll protect them at all costs when a stranger arrives seeking the post of stable master everything says to turn him out so why does she let him stay lord sheldon graham whitworth has lived with the constant reminders of his many failings the third son of a duke he's long been underestimated that however proves a valuable asset as he serves the brethren an illustrious division in the home office when graham's first mission sees him assigned the role of guard to a young widow and her son he wants nothing more than to finish quickly and then move on to another more meaningful assignment except as the secrets between them begin to unravel martha's trust is shattered and graham is left with the most vital mission he'll ever face winning martha's heart length full length book this is the third book in the brethren series but can be read as a standalone

To Hold a Lady's Secret 2020-05-15 lady gillian farendale is in trouble her titled father has dragged her through one london season after another until the sheer monotony of the marriage mart and the last vestige of gillian's once independent spirit conspire to lead her into a single night of folly when her adventure goes so very wrong she has only one old friend to whom she can turn for help colin lockhart's youthful friendship with lady gillian cost him everything and a duke's by blow had little enough to start with he's survived years on london's roughest streets to become a highly successful bow street runner and his dream of his own inquiry agency is almost within his grasp then gillian begs him to once again risk angering her powerful father the ruthless logic of the street tells colin that he dare not help gillian while his tender heart tempts him to once again risk everything for the only woman he'll ever love

The Devil and the Debutante 2022-09-20 coming to the heart of the duke world the romance between lady faith brookfield and rex dumond the marquess of rutherford readers haven't met a heart of a duke scoundrel like this since edmund the marquess of rutland graced the pages a dastardly villain rex dumond the marquess of rutherford rules over london's most wicked gaming hell forbidden pleasures his

black hearted peers might spend their evenings in polite society but they spend their nights gambling their wealth land and secrets away at his tables no man can turn him from his chosen life of decadence and debauchery not even his domineering and disapproving father a daring young woman lady faith brookfield hasn't forgotten the night she entered forbidden pleasures and crossed paths with the dark seductive gaming hell owner that night however she discovered more than a dangerous attraction she also uncovered dangerous secrets ones that can avenge past wrongs against her aunt and save other young women from suffering a similar fate a dangerous gamble in order to save his gaming empire rex has no choice but to pursue the innocent debutante for the secrets she holds can true love ever be born in treachery and deceit accustomed to a world where the house always wins rex must wager all he owns on the greatest gamble of all love heart of a duke books for love of the duke more than a duke the love of a rogue loved by a duke to love a lord the heart of a scoundrel to wed his christmas lady to trust a rogue the lure of a rake to woo a widow to redeem a rake one winter with a baron to enchant a wicked duke beguiled by a baron to tempt a scoundrel to hold a lady's secret to catch a viscount february 2022 defying the duke july 2022 to marry her marquess august 2022 the devil and the debutante september 2022 devil by daylight november 2022

To Catch a Viscount 2022-02-22 miss marcia gray's cameo perfect life is destroyed when scandal leaves her standing alone at the altar on her wedding day her heart shattered she decides to embrace her ruined reputation and explore every forbidden pleasure all she needs is a little help from her long time friend and society's most wicked rogue andrew barrett viscount waters andrew tried his hand at love and lost badly and has no interest in marriage or respectability nonetheless even he knows he should avoid marcia and her harebrained attempts to embark on a life of impropriety andrew however has never done what he's supposed to do nor can he stand about twirling his sword cane while marcia dabbles in forbidden pleasures without him when they push the boundaries too far marcia and andrew must determine whether old secrets will keep them apart or newfound love can forge a path back to a respectable shared future

Defying the Duke 2022-07-26 defying the duke bookish and spirited lady lettie brookfield is firmly on the shelf the last thing she wants however is to spend the rest of her days as an unmarried sister dependent upon her family's charity accepting she won't have a love match she finds herself coming around to the idea of marrying the only suitor she's ever had that is until she's suddenly reunited with her brother's former best friend the brooding formally charming anthony duke of granville years earlier in an unselfish act intended to save his friend anthony committed an unforgivable betrayal one that severed his friendship now he's a duke and must fulfill his obligations the last woman he has any right to long for is his former best friend's younger sister lettie all grown up lettie is passionate quick witted and desirable and it isn't long before anthony falls for her the very last woman he should consider marrying will past betrayals keep them apart or is there a path to a new beginning with anthony and the only woman he truly loves heart of a duke books for love of the duke more than a duke the love of a rogue loved by a duke to love a lord the heart of a scoundrel to wed his christmas lady to trust a rogue the lure of a rake to woo a widow to redeem a rake one winter with a baron to enchant a wicked duke beguiled by a baron to tempt a scoundrel to hold a lady's secret to catch a viscount february 2022 defying the duke july 2022 to marry her marquess august 2022 the devil and the debutante september 2022 devil by daylight november 2022

Her Duke of Secrets 2018-06-27 usa today bestselling author christi caldwell revisits the dark gritty side of regency england in her brethren of the lords series death was preferable since his wife was killed in an accident that stole his happiness and left him injured william helling the duke of aubrey is a broken man neither strong drink and loose women nor the power he wields as leader of the brethren of lords can free him from the nightmares that haunt him he prefers to be left alone and has no desire to heal the wound his life has become then one day miss elsie allenby rumored to be a skilled healer

enters his household he should send her away and yet he is enthralled by the mysterious stranger healing was her life but not a day passes when elsie allenby doesn't miss her father nor remind herself where the blame for his death lies the brethren of lords since that betrayal she has made a life for herself on the fringe of society caring for wounded animals her peaceful life is turned upside down when her help is requested by the brethren and she finds herself in the presence last person she ever thought she would aid william helling the leader of the brethren with every exchange passion grows between elsie and william soon the protective walls they've built begin to crumble but when danger threatens them both they'll need to overcome the treachery around them will the past steal their passion or will love find a way brethren of the lords series book 1 my lady of deception book 2 her duke of secrets

Mistletoe Christmas 2021-11-25 from four beloved regency romance writers eloisia james christi caldwell janna macgregor and erica ridley comes the hilarious tale of a christmas house party serving up love and scandal in equal measure the duke of greystoke's christmas revelry is famous throughout the british isles for its plays dancing magical grotto and the scandals leading to the marriage licenses he hands out like confetti but not everyone welcomes a visit from cupid lady cressida the duke's daughter is too busy managing the entertainments and besides her own father has called her dowdy lady isabelle wilkshire is directing cinderella and has no interest in marriage lady caroline whitmore is already unhappily married the fact that she and her estranged husband have to pretend to be together just makes her dread the party all the more but not as much as miss louisa harcourt whose mother bluntly tells her that this is her last chance to escape the horrors of being an old maid a house party so large that mothers lose track of their charges leads to a delightful quartet of stories that is the perfect christmas treat for fans of bridgerton and reputation

To Marry Her Marquess 2022-08-16 coming to the world of heart of the duke the romance between lady caroline brookfield and wynn masterson the marquess of exmoor formerly the earl of astor with ruin bearing down on his sisters wynn masterson marquess of exmoor must find a respectable wife posthaste lovely and formidable brides to be accost him from one end of mayfair to the other but it's the retiring lady caroline brookfield who catches his eye lady caroline has a scandalous past and worse yet she's the sister of wynn's former fiancée one of his former fiancées that is caroline is all wrong for the marquessate and exactly right for the man but how can wynn choose between the woman he adores and the future his siblings are depending on him to secure

His Noble Promise 2014-10-13 a case of mistaken identity leads to true love in this steamy regency romance of loyalty regret and revenge richard cameron earl of mulgrave makes a fateful mistake when he confuses anne paget for her sister nicole the beautiful artist is not in fact the adventuress who stole his nephew's heart but she is everything richard has ever wanted from the moment she sees the darkly handsome earl anne paget longs to paint him but anne doesn't realize that richard believes she is her younger sister until he unwittingly leads her into a compromising situation that threatens her reputation with her own ideas of honor and dreams for the future which do not include marriage anne refuses richard's proposals yet as each day passes she finds herself drawn to his gentle persistence tempted by nights of reckless abandon and enticed by the promise of a love that will last forever

Sweet Sensations 2013-06-01 sugar and spice lauren stuart hasn't spent years perfecting her craft as a pastry chef only to let a stranger steal one of her prized recipes writing the definitive dessert cookbook is more than enough to keep lauren busy without investigating the wealthy hunk who claims her cheesecake as his own in a magazine article but when she enters jonathan windsor in a cooking contest she's judging to expose his culinary fraud she's surprised to find that the handsome businessman is a delicious temptation of another kind and everything nice jonathan isn't sure how the profile detailing his return to his family's maryland seafood business included a cheesecake recipe the only thing he knows how to make is reservations his entry in the bake off is even more mystifying but after

one look at lauren s lovely face the only puzzle he wants to solve is her curious resentment towards him he asks the petite blonde with the sharp tongue for cooking lessons and soon dessert isn t the only thing on the menu as lauren and jonathan heat things up in the kitchen and the bedroom 62 586 words

Bride of a Scottish Warrior 2014-07-01 a fun escapist tale of discovery and second chance love between an endangered widow and an honorable and extremely likable warrior hero smexy books a union born of duty newly knighted sir ewan gilroy needs a dowry and a wife in that order that the widowed lady grace plans to enter a convent squandering so much lush beauty and such a fortune would surely be its own sin but grace will not be easily wooed despite her family s urging and ewan s famed charm she challenges him as no woman ever dared proving his equal in spirit and in passions forged by desire to atone for her past grace vows to never remarry least of all a brash and reckless warrior yet whether defending her honor or stoking desires she hardly knew she possessed ewan is a man beyond compare and as their fragile trust is threatened by treachery grace must decide whether to reach for the happiness within her grasp and fight for the love of her bold highlander well developed characters and a strong sense of time and place are just a few of the pluses readers will encounter in basso s latest smartly written medieval romance booklist an impossible to put down read rt book reviews

A Night to Remember 2013-09-01 reasons why joshua barton could never be interested in eleanor graham he is brilliant gorgeous wealthy sophisticated and managing partner at the financial firm of hamilton barton and jones eleanor a mere cog at hb j is none of the above however she is sensible logical and knows better than to indulge in romantic dreams she s also pretty sure joshua doesn t even know her name reasons why eleanor is totally wrong except for the part about her name she is unlike any woman joshua has ever met in a good way she has a great laugh and intriguingly she happens to know a lot more about joshua s new stepmother than he does as for the rest all will be revealed when she agrees to be something sort of like joshua s date for a long weekend at the barton family estate and joshua finds himself doing his very best to persuade the very skeptical eleanor to believe in happily ever afters 105 000 words

Every Bit a Rogue 2020-02-25 an amazon best of the month selection when a young lady sacrifices her reputation to save a viscount it s the beginning of an extraordinary adventure in adrienne basso s captivating regency tale jon burwell viscount kendall knows what the gossips say about him they claim he s been a dejected half mad recluse ever since he was jilted at the altar the simple truth is that jon has thrown all the passion he once had for his fiancée into his latest mechanical invention but his single minded existence has lately been shattered by repeated encounters with miss emma ellingham his neighbor s intriguing sister in law painting and sketching have been emma s consolation since her own secret heartbreak when she stumbles upon the viscount s workshop his machine revives her artistic imagination the gentleman himself is even more fascinating and deeply seductive when jon is accused of a crime emma risks her good name for his sake but though the threat of scandal compels them to wed only courage can overcome their pasts and allow desire to transform into love praise for adrienne basso s the bride chooses a highlander basso keeps the action moving and the attraction building between the compassionate appealing protagonists making their journey to the altar both entertaining and satisfying publishers weekly

The Highlander Who Loved Me 2016-01-01 a stimulating and emotionally driven romance of mistrust anger pain and we see the healing power of love and redemption a sexy page turner addicted to romance a highlander is always worth waiting for scottish highlands 1329 sir james mckenna second son of the powerful mckenna chief knows he has found his destiny when he falls in love with sweet lady davina armstrong niece of the armstrong chief orphaned in childhood davina has always felt like an outsider and with james finally feels that she belongs but their plans for a happy future are shattered after a brutal attack by a band of rogues horrified davina s overprotective family quickly shelters her from everyone including james five years later james is a changed man his fighting skills

sharpened to perfection he is hardened by the war and destruction he s endured as a scottish knight and by the loss of davina weary he returns home and is shocked to find davina there is it too late for them to start anew or will the past dare to lay claim to their future once more praise for adrienne basso s bride of a scottish warrior well developed characters and a strong sense of time and place are just a few of the pluses readers will encounter in basso s latest smartly written medieval romance booklist an impossible to put down read rt book reviews

[The Bride Chooses a Highlander](#) 2018-12-18 a medieval scottish lady gets to choose her husband but getting married won t be easy in this romance by the bestselling author of no other highlander the unconventional lady katherine mckenna has been granted a rare privilege the right to choose her own husband it s a more difficult task than she expected when at last she agrees to a betrothal it quickly goes awry leaving katherine alone in the wilds and rescued by laird lachlan mactavish she s captivated by the proud brooding chief who shows her such tender care but with their clans on the brink of war the honorable lachlan resists his attraction until katherine proclaims to her family that they will wed though stunned by her boldness lachlan is intrigued by katherine s beauty and spirit and the mactavishes will benefit from an alliance with the powerful mckennas but with family discord treachery and deceit in their midst can they save a marriage that is destined to blossom into incomparable love praise for the bride chooses a highlander rousing basso keeps the action moving and the attraction building between the compassionate appealing protagonists entertaining and satisfying publishers weekly brilliant a fun filled story that i had a blast reading a tale packed with action intrigue deception and fighting for what is right addicted to romance

How to Be a Scottish Mistress 2013-07-01 a medieval scottish earl schools a british widow in the art of seduction in this romance by the bestselling author of every bit a rogue she s his in every way when newly widowed lady fiona libourg flees to scotland in need of protection lord gavin mclendon is powerless to refuse the british beauty especially when she offers herself in exchange now the brooding scottish warrior can think of nothing else but ravishing his delectable new mistress even though he s dutybound to marry another but one fiona is shocked when gavin accepts her scandalous offer and fretful at the thought that he will discover how little she knows of seduction but when gavin proves to be a skilled and achingly sensuous teacher fiona doesn t want their passionate arrangement to end now she can t help but wonder just what it would take to go from scottish mistress to scottish wife praise for how to be a scottish mistress a heartwarming odd couple romance a sweet delightful progression from attraction to all encompassing love publishers weekly an entertaining and deeply emotional story that will hook readers with its refreshing plot and hold them to the very end with her fascinating details and engaging characters the romance reviews

The Ultimate Lover 2013-04-01 in this regency romance novella a daring lady sets out to lose her maidenhood to the town s most dangerous rogue but she could lose her heart as well to wreck her domineering brother in law s scheme to marry her off spirited widow lady amelia wheatley must irreparably ruin her reputation and what better way than to gamble that she can seduce gareth travers the wild young viscount of longley but amelia never bargained that their one night of passion would make gareth determined to win her forever praise for the writing of adrienne basso basso has a gift for creating stories tinged with simmering passion and poignancy rt book reviews on how to enjoy a scandal sinfully sensual booklist on the christmas countess

Intimate Betrayal 2013-01-01 the author of every bit a rogue delivers a regency romance that builds sexual tension to a satisfying crescendo this book sizzles with desire literary times fiercely independent alyssa carrington deftly ran her father s english estate for years but before his death he auctioned westgate manor to the highest bidder leaving her penniless now there was a new lord of the manor and alyssa found herself at his mercy a charismatic ladies man the duke of gillingham is more than happy to welcome lovely alyssa into rooms that were once hers especially the master bedroom never before

has he met a woman who so attracts him body and mind but it is exactly alyssa s mind that concerns her much as she enjoys the duke s attentions she does not enjoy the longing he inspires nor will she become another of his conquests yet the duke has powers of persuasion alyssa never dreamed possible now she must decide whether to risk her sensibly planned future and her sensibly guarded heart praise for the novels of adrienne basso basso has a gift for creating stories tinged with simmering passion and poignancy romantic times sinfully sensual booklist delightful this rousing romance will enchant series fans and win over new readers publishers weekly

No Other Highlander 2017-02-28 a widowed medieval scottish warrior is drawn to a troubled woman in this romance by the bestselling author of the highlander who loved me scottish highlands 1334 lady joan armstrong fraser was once the indulged and pampered daughter of a laird but marriage to a brute changed her when he sets her aside she has only her wits and her beauty to protect herself and her child from the chaos of her former home she will have to find another husband a man whose strength is more than a weapon against the weak a man she can trust if such a man even breathes sir malcolm mckenna has known lady joan since her childhood a spoiled princess as dangerous as she is lovely but when she steps forward to protect him against a false accusation he discovers a character stronger than he guessed and an attraction he yearns to explore praise for no other highlander good hearted and perfidious men are at the center of basso s enjoyable second romance featuring the armstrongs and mckennas a lively convincing world this heartwarming satisfying historical lays intriguing groundwork for the series next installment publishers weekly

To Wed A Viscount 2014-12-22 a happily single sea captain is tempted by his late brother s fiancée in this regency romance by the bestselling author of his noble promise her desperate proposal when pampered faith linden s father and her titled fiancé viscount dewhurst die she suddenly finds herself in a desperately precarious position the only way faith can hold on to her beloved family home is to convince her late fiancé s younger brother the new viscount dewhurst to marry her in his stead yet when she finally encounters lord griffin sainthill she is in for a surprise this brooding and ruggedly handsome adventurer is not so easily bent to her will and may be the man who can capture her unsuspecting heart sparked a stormy passion a sea captain and owner of a profitable shipping company griffin sainthill was quite happy with his life in the american colonies so when the news of his inheritance finally reaches him the sun bronzed seafarer is less than pleased his mood only darkens when he returns to england to discover a brazen beauty intent on becoming his bride but when a twinge of conscience and a stolen kiss give him pause griffin finds himself embarking on the riskiest venture of all marriage to a woman who will tempt him torment him and turn his whole life upside down the sensuously detailed love scenes undercurrent of danger and polished writing fuel basso s latest regency which will draw fans of amanda quick and nicole jordan booklist on to protect an heiress

A Modern Atalanta. Passages in the Life of a Young Heiress 1908 a comprehensive guide that defines the literature and the outlines the best selling genre of all time romance fiction more than 2 000 romances are published annually making it difficult for fans and the librarians who advise them to keep pace with new titles emerging authors and constant evolution of this dynamic genre fortunately romance expert and librarian kristin ramsdell provides a definitive guide to this fiction genre that serves as an indispensable resource for those interested in it including fans searching for reading material as well as for library staff scholars and romance writers themselves this title updates the last edition of romance fiction a guide to the genre published in 1999 while the emphasis is on newer titles many of the important older classics are retained keeping the focus of the book on the entire genre instead of only those titles published during the last decade specific changes include new chapters on linked and continuing romances a new section on chick lit in the contemporary romance chapter an expansion of coverage on the alternative reality subset this is the romance genre guide to have

Romance Fiction 2012-03-02

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