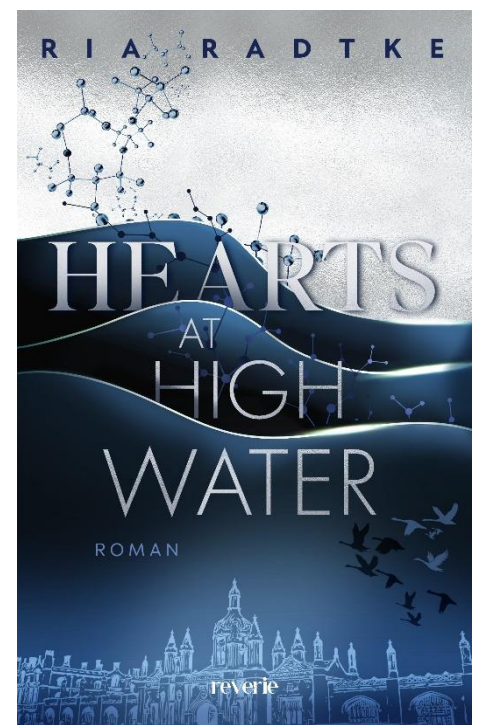
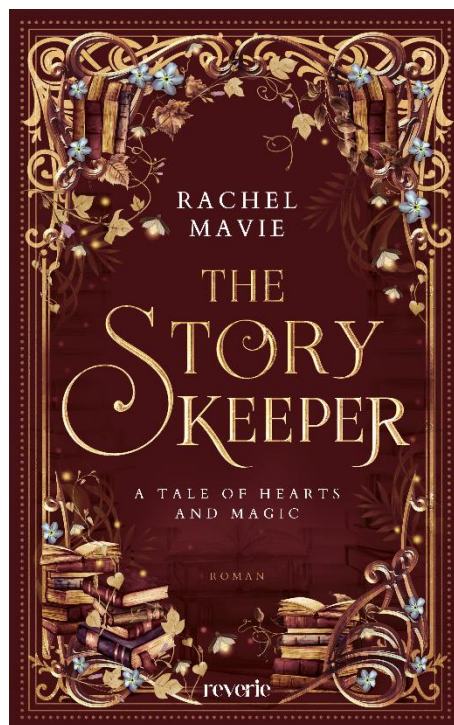
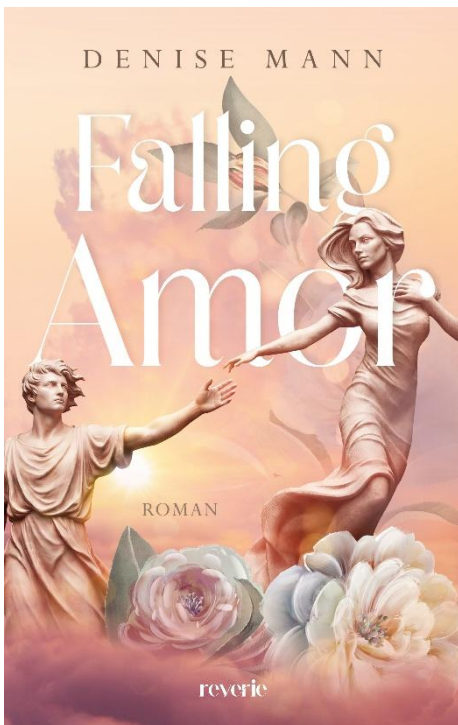


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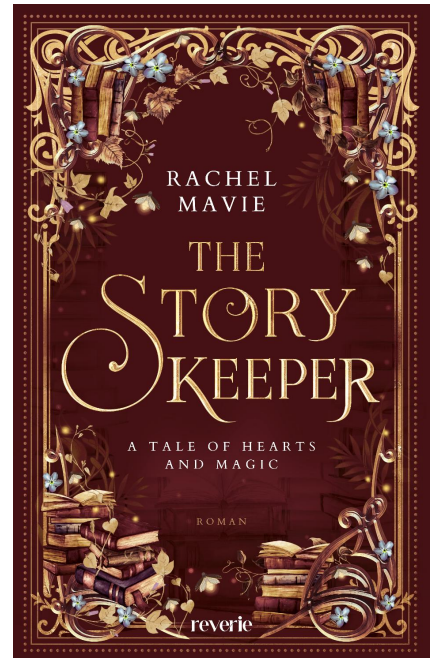
## The Story Keeper: A Tale of Hearts and Magic

A tribute to the stories that stay with us forever

### About the book

Lumina Emberlain has a gift others can only dream of: as a Story Keeper, she travels through books to keep the magic of the kingdom of Avalora alive. But while she always plays the protagonist in the stories she visits, she feels like a side character in her own life. When Avalora's magic suddenly begins to fade, Lumina is paired with the aloof yet irresistibly charming Gatekeeper, Reed Tuskwood. Between witty banter in magical book worlds and an unsolvable mystery, the two find their feelings for each other growing—intense, unexpected, and impossible to ignore. Lumina and Reed must decide whether they want to save stories or finally write their own.

- **Clever dialogues and romantic tension**
- **Lumina and Reed embody the beloved Grumpy x Sunshine trope**
- **A magical setting where books come to life in the secret Story Keeper's Sanctuary**



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Tina Köpke

## Royal Rumors: How (Not) to Fall in Love

Humor, high society, and delightful chaos – an irresistible college romance to fall in love with

### About the book

Studying at the legendary elite university Everleigh—who wouldn't dream of that? To provide a decent standard of living for her mother and herself, Natalie does what any pragmatic student would do: she starts a fake girlfriend service. She plays the perfect girlfriend for anyone in need of a convincing companion—with two crystal-clear rules: no sex and absolutely no real feelings.

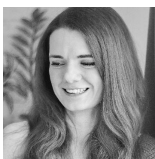
But when none other than the scandalous Lord Benjamin Ashford, son of a well-known Duke, requires her services to avoid having his accounts frozen, chaos is inevitable. The youngest Ashford heir isn't just handsome but also far too charming and bold for Natalie to remain unaffected. And after all, aren't rules made to be broken?

- **The perfect blend of English high society, fake dating, and slow burn**
- **Popular elite university setting: At the legendary Everleigh University, academic ambitions collide with passion, glamour, and intrigue**



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Ria Radtke

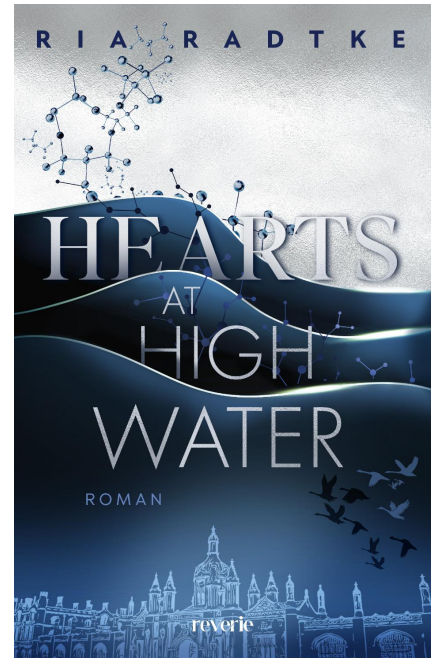
## Hearts at High Water

A scientist, an athlete, a deal—and a flood of unexpected feelings

### About the book

Chemist Carlie has dedicated her life to science: at the Oxford Rare Disease Centre, she's searching for a cure for her brother's illness. But her family wishes she'd put the same passion into enjoying life and letting love in. When professional rower Asher shows up half-naked in her kitchen after a party night—and her mother arrives unannounced—the chaos is complete. Perfect for a deal: Campus playboy Asher needs to pass his next exam, or he won't be allowed to compete in the university's legendary Boat Race. Carlie agrees to tutor him, and in return, he'll play her boyfriend. As sparks fly during late nights in the library, the two grow closer, but a relationship seems impossible—they're just too different. Then again, opposites do attract.

- **A perfect mix of Fake Dating, Women in STEM, and Sports Romance set against the dreamy backdrop of Oxford's elite university**
- **Sexy, heartfelt, and intense**
- **Authentically told by an author who studied at Oxford herself**



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Ria Radtke  
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Ria Radtke loves bittersweet love stories set in breathtakingly beautiful locations. After studying literature in Southern Germany and the United Kingdom, Ria now resides in the Hanseatic city of Lübeck. When she's not traveling for research, you'll likely find her in a café, where she enjoys writing her books the most.

Denise Mann

## Falling Amor

When the God of Love loses his heart

### About the book

After being banished from the Pantheon, Cupid dedicates his immortal life to sabotaging love. In 21st-century London, he runs a blog where he takes delight in exposing the fragility of human relationships. However, his mission takes an unexpected turn when he meets Hannah Summers, the ghostwriter behind the world's most beloved romance column, Letters to the Loving.

Disguised as an intern, Cupid infiltrates Hannah's world, determined to shatter her unwavering belief in love. Yet her warmth, passion, and resilience ignite a spark within him that he thought had long been extinguished. As they work together on a Valentine's Day event, the chemistry between them becomes undeniable. But betrayal and misunderstandings threaten to tear them apart, leaving Cupid to decide whether to follow his divine destiny or his heart.

- **A captivating urban fantasy about second chances and the courage to defy fate**
- **The story of Cupid, the God of Love, reimagined: modern and bittersweet**
- **A book that perfectly blends 21st-century London with Roman mythology**



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Living by the motto "Nothing is a must, many things are possible, and everything is allowed," Denise Mann resides with her family in the heart of the Rhein-Sieg district. Since she doesn't possess magical abilities, she writes stories instead—which, essentially, is the same thing. Whether romantic, fantastical, or shocking, if a plot bunny hops across her imaginary writing meadow, it gets caught and written down. That's the law.

Melina Ray

## Midnight Ink

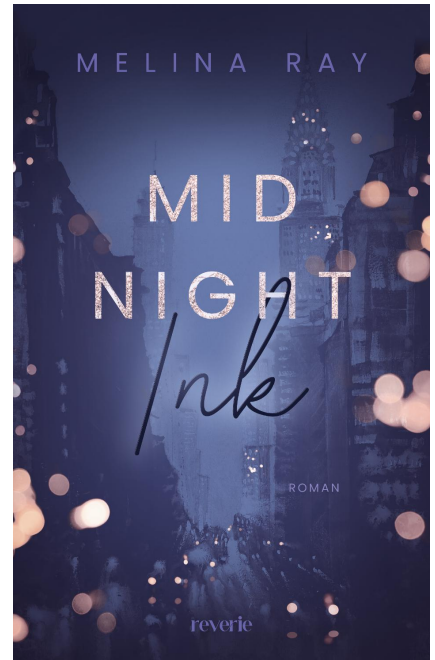
Some stories stay with you forever – like a tattoo

### About the book

Abby feels it's time to take a leap in her sheltered life. So, she quits her job and starts fresh as a journalist at New York's largest publishing house—armed with a list of things she's never had the courage to do. First on the list: getting a tattoo. What she doesn't expect is that the tattoo artist will not only leave a mark on her skin but also change her future forever.

After a tragic incident shatters his life, Chase leaves his hometown behind. Seeking refuge in the shadows of New York's skyline, he takes a job at the tattoo studio "Midnight Ink." The last thing he needs is Abby, who suddenly appears and pushes him back into life. Because Abby isn't just conquering the Big Apple—she's also capturing his heart, something Chase thought was no longer possible.

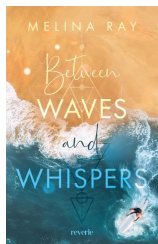
- **A broken bad boy who steals hearts**
- **The Bold Type vibes: A publishing house setting in New York – modern, mature New Adult Romance**
- **Soulmates: Two parallel fresh starts – emotional, romantic, and thrilling**



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Nasanin Kamani

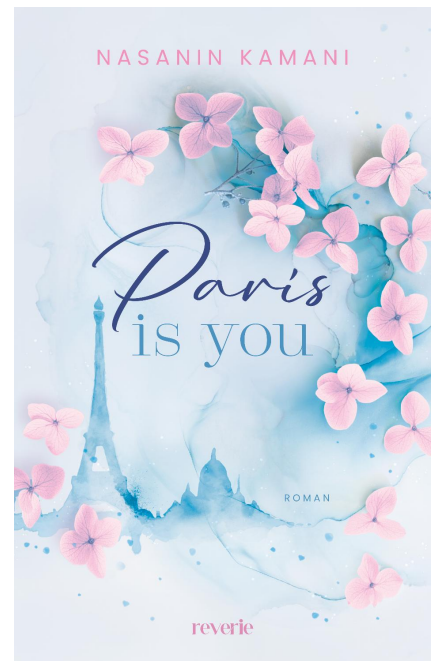
## Paris is you

In Paris, life is loved more – but does love stand a chance?

### About the book

Charming, responsible, and sometimes overly analytical – that's Jules. He learned early on how to be there for others. But his orderly life is thrown into chaos when he meets Solène at a university party. She's new to Paris, quiet, different, and immediately captivates him. Yet, the closer they get, the more the scars of Solène's past come to light. She's afraid of being hurt again, while Jules desperately tries to do everything right. When he fails, he's forced to confront his own deep-seated insecurities. Their feelings grow, but so do their problems – how can they break this vicious cycle?

- **Healthy romance with psychological depth – authentically told by an author who, as a psychiatrist, truly understands the interplay of closeness and fear**
- **Dreamy Paris setting**



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Natalie Erlach

## We Fall And Rise

Spring Mountain Sisters, Vol. 2

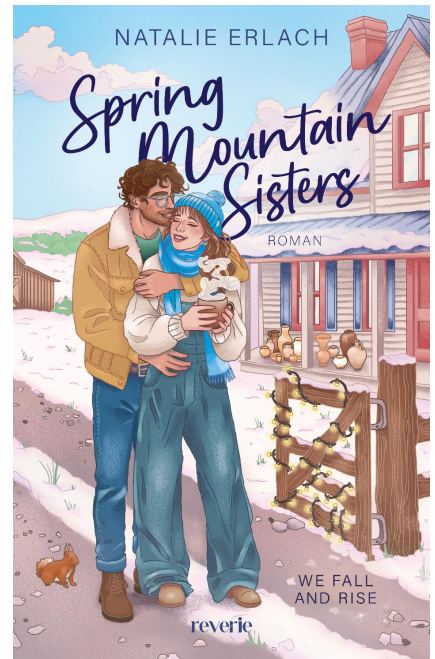
Welcome back to Spring Mountains – a winter in Tennessee full of love, secrets, and new beginnings

### About the book

Inheriting the family estate seems to make Juliet's secret dream of owning her own ceramics studio come true. At last, she can step out of the shadows of her older sisters. But her hometown of Spring Mountains holds more than just career opportunities—it also hides a long-buried family secret. Suddenly, an unexpected guest arrives, bringing with them a challenge none of the sisters could have anticipated. Could the inheritance—and with it, Juliet's dreams and hopes—be at risk?

Amid the chaos, Juliet reconnects with Miles, her old best friend, and it feels almost as if the years apart haven't changed their bond. But why does it feel to her like there could be something more between them? Juliet resists her feelings, but a devastating turn of events forces her to realize what truly matters.

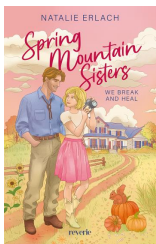
- **Second Chance Romance**
- **Small Town**
- **Slow Burn Romance**



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### Further Titles



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Natalie Erlach was born in Berlin, where she still lives with her family today. She spent time living in Ireland, is an event technology engineer, but much prefers dedicating herself to writing. Her debut, *My Favorite Color in Our Ocean*, immediately landed in the Top 10 of the SPIEGEL bestseller list.

Ali Kassemmyar

## Ashdown. Let me go

Ashdown, Vol. 2

Sometimes love burns brightest when everything around you is falling apart

### About the book

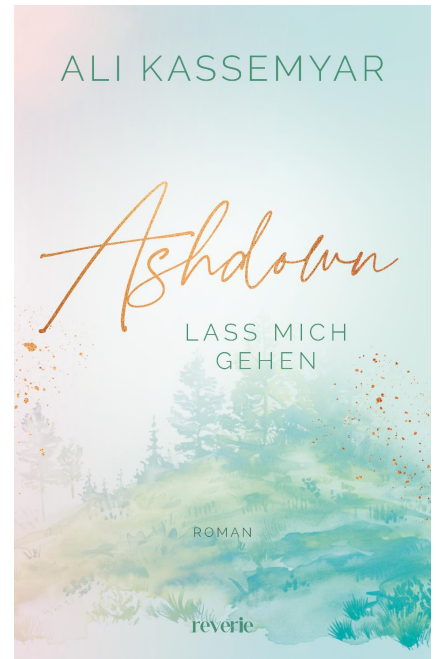
By some miracle, Freya survives the devastating arson attack—but the scars of that night run deep.

Since then, she has wrapped herself in silence, withdrawn from the world, and pushed away even those closest to her—including Milo, to whom she had only just begun to open up.

Desperate, Milo fights for her—more than anything, he wants to see Freya smile again. But what he doesn't know is that it was his own father who orchestrated the fire that nearly destroyed Freya's life and ruined her family. Determined to keep his dark secret hidden, Milo's father will stop at nothing to silence Freya, using threats that force her to end her relationship with Milo once and for all.

But how can she let him go when her heart still beats only for him?

- Ali Kassemmyar writes stories that get under your skin and stay in your heart
- The breathtaking conclusion to the heartfelt duology



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Ashdown. Stay with me.

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