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Marie Niehoff

LUCIFER ASCENDING (Vol. 1). One Sinful Secret

May 2026 · 528 pages

- **English sample translation available.**
- 335,000 copies sold across the author's previous series *Vampire Royals* and *Dragonbound*.
- Perfect for readers longing to lose themselves in an intoxicating Romantasy duology of dark desires and lethal stakes: *Lucifer Ascending* offers a bargain crueler than hell, a conspiracy more powerful than the devil, and a love stronger than death.
- Volume 2 will be published in November '26.

- **Topics:** Romantasy (slightly dark), Morally Grey Characters, Forced Proximity, Why Choose (when they're in the same body), Friends to Lovers, Enemies to Lovers, The Devil in Disguise, Sacrifice, Hidden Identity, ADHD Representation, Forbidden Love

Marie Niehoff, born in 1996, has been captivated by fantastical stories since she was a child, with a particular fondness for tales that include romance. Beyond her writing, she enjoys painting, creating mood boards, tending to her many houseplants, and reading tarot cards.
Her debut fantasy novel, "When The King Falls," quickly became a *Spiegel* bestseller upon its release. The success continued with her second book, "The Queen Will Rise," which reached the number 1 spot on the list. "Burning Crown," the first book in her new Dragonbound trilogy, has also achieved the status of a *Spiegel* No.1 bestseller. To date, her books have been translated into seven languages.

"You can escape death. But the Devil will never let you go."

Modern-day Edinburgh. As the daughter of a demon, Lilian is considered a threat. She has spent her entire life in the custody of an Order of demon hunters, fighting every single day to prove her loyalty. Even the slightest slip-up could have cost her everything, as plenty of people want her dead.

But now, Lilian has finally succeeded: The Council has recognised her as a full-fledged member of the Order. She plans to celebrate her newfound freedom with her training partner, Jupiter - and perhaps finally give in to the long-suppressed feelings between them. But then they are called to a mission - and Lilian dies.

Devastated, Jupiter is willing to pay any price to bring her back. Even if it means making a pact with the Devil himself. In exchange for her life, he grants Lucifer temporary control over his body. He has no idea of the cruel plans the Devil is harbouring. Or that Lucifer is about to ensnare Lilian in a dangerous game of deception and seduction ...

Further Titles

Franka Neubauer

LOKI. His Dark Soul (Vol. 2)

- **English sample translation of Vol. 1 available.**
- In this heart-wrenching final Harlow must prove herself and fight against the love of her life: the seductive trickster god Loki.

- **Topics:** Norse Mythology Inspired, Outcast God, Enemies to Lovers to Enemies, Dagger to the Throat, Female Rage, Morally Grey Anti-Hero, Betrayal and Deception, Fate of the World, Broken Hero, Who Did This to You (She Says), Forbidden Love, Soulmates

July 2026 · 416 pages

"If I see you again, I will kill you. That is a promise."

Betrayed by the man for whom she sacrificed everything, Harlow has been banished from her home. Now, she attempts to regain her honour in a deadly competition. And her adversary is none other than the man - the god - she was desperate to escape. Loki!

He is the love of her life … and a murderer.

She sees her chance for vengeance, but there is still that tension between them that, despite his actions, has never completely faded. But when another murder occurs, Harlow realises that she is far from knowing the whole truth.

True evil is much closer than she believes. It is observing her. And it is ready to see her world burn.

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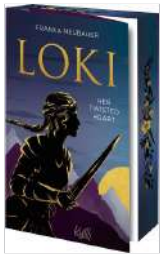

Laura Willud

BLUE SPARROW GIRLS. The Melody of You and Me (Vol. 1)

- **English sample translation available.**
- Laura Willud's heart-wrenching new duology is an emotional rollercoaster for readers who want to laugh, cry, and fall in love.
- For readers who loved *Maybe Someday* by Colleen Hoover and *Begin Again* by Mona Kasten.
- Two feuding apartments and one secret love story full of music and heartbreak in Nashville.

March 2026 · 400 pages

- **Topics:** Nashville, Music, Songwriting, Coping with Loss, He Falls First, Slow Burn, Secret Dating, Found Family, Emotional Scars and Healing, Forbidden Love

Laura Willud, born in 1997, grew up in Lower Saxony and now lives in Zurich. Besides writing and reading, she prefers to spend her leisure time doing sports or mountain hiking. She also runs a book blogger account on Instagram with a friend. You can follow her on instagram (@laurawillud.autorin) and on TikTok (@laurawillud).

"Don't fall in love with your neighbour. He will break your heart."

After the sudden death of her mother, Olive moves to Nashville to chase her dream of becoming a songwriter. Her new living situation seems perfect: a stunning rooftop terrace overlooking lively downtown, and flatmates she gets along with brilliantly.

There is just one catch: Her flatmates are locked in a bitter feud with the guys the hall. Not a day goes by without heated arguments or prank wars. That's why the golden rule Olive has to follow makes perfect sense: Don't fall in love with your neighbour.

But Drew lives next door. Drew, with whom she spent the most exciting night of her life. Drew, who is secretly helping her write better songs. Songs that allow her to say the things she is absolutely forbidden to speak out loud.

Further Titles

Laura Willud

BLUE SPARROW GIRLS. The Secrets Between You and Me (Vol. 2)

- **English sample translation of Vol. 1 available.**
- Nashville, bars, and plenty of tensions. This workplace romance is funny, dramatic, and seductively good.

- **Topics:** Nashville, Haters to Lovers, Opposites Attract, Grumpy x Sunshine, Workplace Romance (and the workplace is a law firm)

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"Don't fall for your colleague. He will reveal your secret."

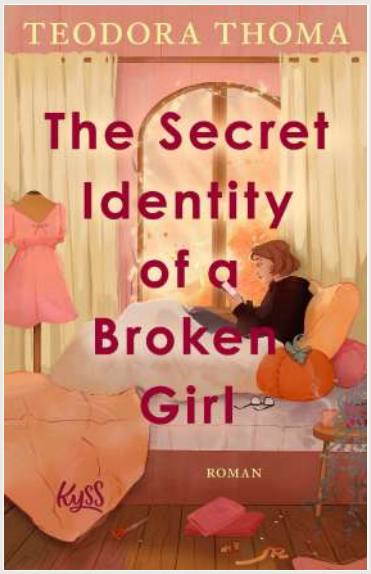
Caleb is fed up with the two shared flats living in his building. Excessive parties, loud arguments in the hallways, and ridiculous pranks that frequently result in the laundry room being flooded. Eventually, Caleb has had enough and retaliates. What he doesn't know is that he has just destroyed the newly declared truce in the apartment block.

Jules has finally found the perfect job. However, her new colleague is none other than the handsome grump from the flat downstairs – Caleb. And he could make her work life a living hell. Because he knows Jules' secret. A secret that could cost her everything she has built.

Further Titles

Teodora Thoma

THE SECRET IDENTITY OF A BROKEN GIRL. Willowbury University (Vol. 1)



· 448 pages

- **English sample translation available.**
- To be published in August '26, complete manuscript available.
- Like the comic book heroes she adores, Branwyn has a secret identity. But superheroes usually don't use theirs to seduce their arch-enemy ...

- **Topics:** College Romance, RomCom, Cosy Romance, Enemies to Lovers, Secret Identity, Emotional Scars, Forced Proximity, Slow-Burn

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Teodora Thoma (born in 1997) holds a degree in Literary Studies from the University of Bielefeld and previously worked as an editor. A lifelong book lover, she has always enjoyed dreaming up her own stories and simply cannot imagine a world without books. Her writing focuses on complex characters, surprising twists, and sweeping emotions. Teodora currently lives and works in the picturesque Münsterland region. Find her on Instagram: @teodorathoma.

"I have a knack for doing things I really shouldn't."

When Branwyn tries on a Barbie costume for the annual Halloween contest, her arch-nemesis Dale fails to recognise her. Seeing an opportunity for revenge, Branwyn – a notorious prankster – invents a new persona: "Bonnie". Her goal? To make Dale fall in love with her, only to crush him the way he once humiliated her.

The scheme offers a welcome escape from her personal life, where her adoptive parents' secret pregnancy is triggering her fear of abandonment. But things get complicated when Branwyn needs Dale's academic help to stay on the football team and finds herself relying on her "Bonnie" disguise once again.

Suddenly, the lines between hate and love begin to blur. As she gets closer to Dale, the game becomes all too real. Branwyn set out to break his heart, but she might just be the one in danger of losing hers.

Kelly Moran

BOOKISH BELLES. More Than Just Three Words (Vol. 3)

March 2026 · 256 pages

- **Original English manuscript available.**
- Can Rebecca, Scarlett, and Dorothy complete the library in time? And will the last Belle finally find the courage to write her own happy ending?
- A must-read for fans of Lilly Lucas and Lucy Score looking for the perfect blend of humour, heart, and bookish magic.

- **Topics:** Cosy Romance, Small Town Setting, Slow Burn, Bookish Heroine, Second Chance, Childhood Friends, Forced Proximity, Old Library, Renovation Works

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Kelly Moran won the RONE-Award and the Catherine Award, she is a Readers Choice Finalist, a Holt Medallion Finalist, and got onto the *Must Read & 10 Best Reads* lists at *USA TODAY*'s Lifestyle blog. Her *Redwood* series was a real success and inspired readers and critics in Germany, the Netherlands, the Czech Republic and the USA. Kelly Moran lives with her three sons in South Carolina, in the southern states of the USA.

Back to Vallantine, Georgia, where dreams come to life ...

Dorothy Wilson has always been known as the sensible one, the strong one, the reliable member of the "Bookish Belles." Right now, however, she feels anything but strong.

The renovation of the old library into a bookshop is nearing completion, making a long-held dream a reality. She ought to be enjoying this; she should be excited and happy. But that is difficult when the work keeps throwing her into the path of Forest Truman, her secret high school crush.

Every encounter with him reminds her of the naive, overweight, unhappy girl she was back then. Worse still, it brings her old insecurities bubbling back to the surface - especially when he starts flirting with her. Is it just harmless banter, or is he serious? And even if he is sincere: Can she open her heart to someone to whom she was previously invisible?

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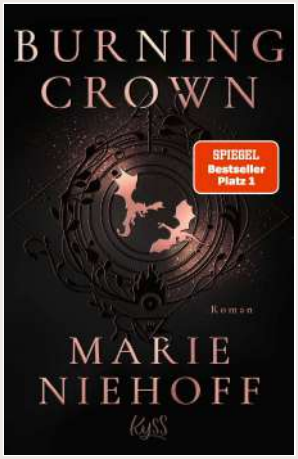
BURNING CROWN



October 2024 · 448 pages

- **English sample translation available.**
- #1 on *Spiegel* bestseller list
- 170,000 copies were sold (Volume 1–3).
- **Topics:** Dragon Shifters, Forbidden Love, Secret Identity, Enemies to Lovers, Fated Mates, Betrayal, Fighting Tyranny, Slow-Burn Romance

In Eldeya's army, three crimes are punishable by death: betrayal, desertion, and relationships between rider and dragon shifter. When Yessa is assigned to Cassim – a shifter who knows her biggest secret – their hatred turns into a forbidden attraction. But while Yessa struggles with the third rule, she remains unaware that Cassim has already broken the first.

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Marie Niehoff

ASHEN THRONE

April 2025 · 416 pages

- The breathtaking second Volume for readers who love (slightly) dark, sensual and exciting Fantasy Romance.
- **Topics:** Dragon Shifters, Love x Duty, Forbidden Love, Anti-Hero, Secret Identity, Enemies to Lovers, Fated Mates, High Stakes Fantasy, Secrets and Lies, Forced Proximity, Fighting Tyranny, Sacrifice

Cassim is labeled a traitor, dedicated to liberating his kind from the tyranny of Eldeya's king. But his plans stumble: Initially seeing Yessa merely as a means to an end, his animosity has evolved into something far more profound. With the army growing suspicious and Yessa unraveling his secrets, Cassim must put his objectives above his emotions – and commits an act beyond forgiveness.

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Marie Niehoff

EMBER KING

October 2025 · 496 pages

- Dragons, magic, and a love against all odds.
- **Topics:** Slightly Dark Fantasy Romance, Hidden Identity, Tortured Hero, Forbidden Love, Enemies to Lovers, Fated Mates, Dragons Using Magic, Rebellion, Epic Choices, Love and Sacrifice, Ruin and Devotion

Cassim and Yessa's attempt to rescue her parents has failed, leading to their own capture. Now they're at the mercy of the king of Eldeya, a man whose cruelty knows no bounds. They gambled with their own lives, only to realize too late they were betting with the fate of thousands. For Cassim is no ordinary dragonshifter. He is a living weapon. And in the hands of a tyrant, he holds the power to burn entire kingdoms to the ground ...

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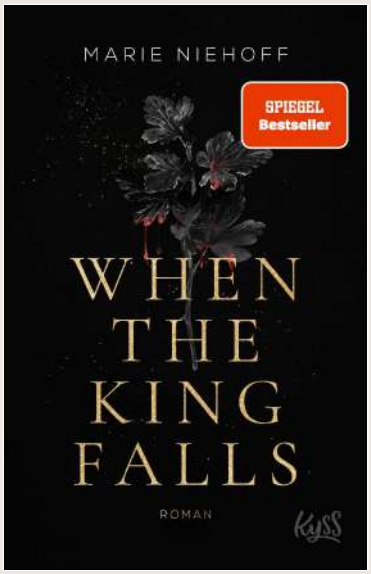
Marie Niehoff

WHEN THE KING FALLS. Vampire Royals (Vol. 1)



- **English sample translation available.**
- 165,000 copies were sold of Volume 1 and 2.
- **Topics:** Vampire King, Contemporary London, Forbidden Love, Assassin Heroine, Enemies to Lovers, Forced Proximity, Political Intrigue, Love x Duty, Hidden Identity, Honey Trap, Betrayal

Dark, seductive, epic: the Vampire Royals.

October 2023 · 416 pages

Every year at the winter solstice, the vampire king chooses himself a bride. A credulous human girl, too blinded to realise what kind of monster she feeds with her blood. For with every drop, his power grows. And with every day he lives, he further seals the humans' oppression. But this year everything will be different. This year he will choose Florence – the perfect little victim, innocence personified, his new elixir of life. He will desire her, he will trust her, he will love her. And she will use all of that against him and kill him. Unless her own heart betrays her ...

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Marie Niehoff

THE QUEEN WILL RISE. Vampire Royals (Vol. 2)

- #1 on *Spiegel* bestseller list!
- **Topics:** Vampire King, Enemies to Lovers, Forbidden Love, Slightly Dark Romance, Assassin Heroine, Betrayal, Impending War, Second Chance

She has betrayed him, and yet she is his only hope.

January 2024 · 432 pages

The Crimson Heart, the palace of the vampire king is a place of intrigue, power and blood. Florence knew from the start that her stay in the castle could seal her fate. She knew that as a rebel, spy and assassin she might be exposed and sentenced to death. But never, not in a thousand lifetimes, did she expect to fall in love with King Benedict. With a hated vampire. Now she is torn between loyalty to her family and her feelings for Benedict. And while Florence - branded a traitor by both sides - desperately tries to mediate, the conflict between humans and vampires threatens to turn into open warfare ...

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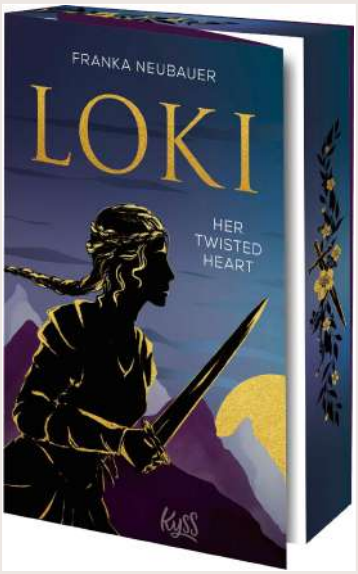
Franka Neubauer

LOKI. Her Twisted Heart (Vol. 1)



January 2026 · 432 pages

- **English sample translation available.**
- Franka Neubauer's electrifying Romantasy duology is a tale of divine bargains, lethal curses, and a forbidden attraction to Loki, the most fascinating trickster god of all.
- Perfect for readers craving high-stakes adventure and a Slow-Burn Romance with a truly irresistible Anti-Hero.

- **Topics:** Norse Mythology Inspired, Outcast God, Extreme Forced Proximity, Enemies to Lovers, Dagger to the Throat, Female Rage, Morally Grey Anti-Hero, Betrayal and Deception, Fate of the World

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Franka Neubauer was born in Aachen in 2001, where she still lives and spends most of her time in cafés. Since her childhood, she has lived for unique stories, whether from her books or the world of film. The Marvel Cinematic Universe, in particular, awakened her fascination for the fantastical world of myths and legends. She loves walks with her dog, playlists for every mood, and Pinterest boards for all her ideas. More information about the author on Instagram under @franka.neubauer and on TikTok under @frankaneubauer.

If they're not side by side, their hearts will tear apart - literally.

Harlow's hatred for the gods runs deep. But when beasts attack her village and mortally wound her best friend, she's driven to forge a pact with the one being she should never trust: Loki, the silver-tongued master of mischief and lies, an outcast among his own kind. Loki offers his aid for a steep price – three sacred relics.

Their quest takes a dangerous turn when, attempting to steal a love god's arrow, they are struck by a devastating curse: they cannot move away from each other without suffering excruciating, life-threatening pain.

The more time Harlow is forced to spend with the seductive god, the more she questions everything she thought she knew about him – and herself. But she has no idea that Loki is pursuing his own hidden agenda, one that could plunge her world into chaos if he succeeds ...

Dominik Gaida

YESTERDAY WE WERE INFINITE.
Death Duet (Vol. 1)

May 2025 · 432 pages

- **English sample translation available.**
- For fans of Adam Silvera, Dustin Thao and Matt Haig.
- A heartbreaking, high-concept duology exploring the ultimate "What if?": When time is running out, who would you want by your side, and how far would you go for a love that defies death?
- **Topics:** San Francisco, Queer Romance, Afterlife, Love After Death, High-Concept Romance, Ugly Cry, Coping with Loss, Finding Happiness, Emotional Scars and Healing, Plot Twists

What if you had to relive the day your great love died over and over again?

Henry is everything Louis has ever dreamed of: his partner, his best friend, the love of his life. However, fate doesn't seem to care. When they are both involved in a terrible car accident, Henry dies in Louis's arms. For Louis, time stands still – literally. The next morning, when he wakes up, he finds Henry alive again as the day repeats itself. Louis cannot believe it; he now has a chance to save Henry's life. But what if, despite his efforts, he fails over and over?

Dominik Gaida

TODAY WE ARE IMMORTAL.
Death Duet (Vol. 2)

November 2025 · 416 pages

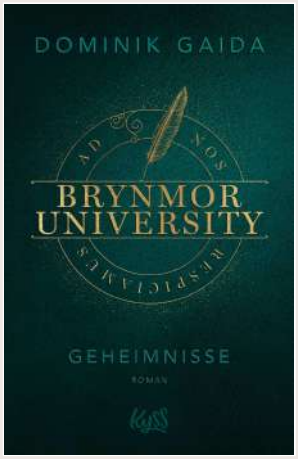
- What happens when the end of your life is the beginning of your greatest love story?
- **Topics:** Impossible Love, Death Is a Person, Ugly Cry, Magic Realism, High Concept, Slow-Burn Romance, Live-for-the-Moment Hero

What if you fell in love with Death himself?

Tick. Tock. Tick. Tock. There's hardly a moment Dylan doesn't hear the nerve-wracking ticking in his head. It drives him, making him rush through life, terrified of missing out. But he shouldn't have to – not anymore. After a chronic illness overshadowed nearly his entire life, he's finally received a donor heart. And yet, he still acts as if his hours are numbered. *Tick. Tock.* It's only when he meets a mysterious stranger that Dylan finally pauses. He has no idea that the shy, vulnerable-looking man is hiding a secret. That he isn't even human ...

Dominik Gaida

BRYNMOR UNIVERSITY – Secrets (Vol. 1)



September 2023 · 384 pages

- **English sample translation available.**
- Three captivating queer romance novels – ideal for fans of gripping campus secrets and emotional drama.
- **Topics:** Own Voice Romance, Queer Romance, Dark Academia, Elite University, Secret Fraternity, Uncovering Dark Secrets, Loss, Guilt, High Tension

Samuel wants to find out what happened to his brother, who has been in a coma since an alleged accident at the elite Brynmor University. Is the handsome athlete Connor, who makes Sam's heart beat faster from the moment he meets him, involved? When Sam gets on the trail of a secret fraternity whose members complete dangerous challenges, he not only puts himself in mortal danger - and has to realise that some secrets are better never revealed ...

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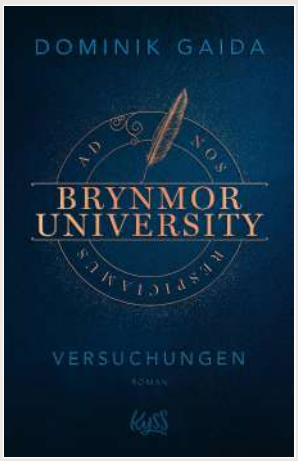
BRYNMOR UNIVERSITY – Temptations (Vol. 2)



February 2024 · 416 pages

- **Topics:** Queer Romance, Own Voices Author, Cornish Coast, Elite University, Dark Academia, Teacher–Student Couple, Forbidden Love, Family Secret

As the new term commences at Brynmor, Nate could never anticipate the twist of fate awaiting him. The moment he crosses paths with Lucas Harrison, he finds himself wishing he were anywhere but his university. He knows Lucas – all too well, in fact. Just a few months prior, they were entangled in a passionate affair, abruptly ending when Lucas vanished without a trace. Now, Lucas stands before him not as a fellow student, but shockingly, as his lecturer. Nate resolves to keep his distance initially. However, he finds himself needing Lucas' help to unravel a deep-seated family secret ...

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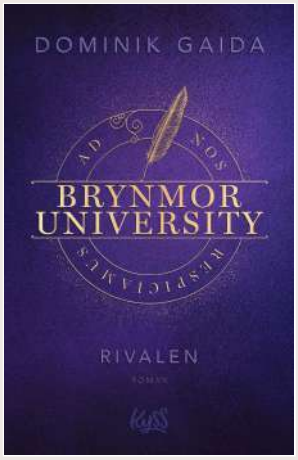
BRYNMOR UNIVERSITY – Rivals (Vol. 3)



September 2024 · 400 pages

- **Topics:** Queer Romance, Own Voices Author, Cornish Coast, Elite University, Dark Academia, Rivals to Lovers

Josh hoped to start fresh at Brynmore University, a chance to leave the past behind, but after a conflict with a fellow student, he finds himself excluded once again. To make matters more complicated, he runs into Finn Godwins, his old rival from a family feud spanning decades. The animosity between Josh and Finn lights up again, yet destiny throws them together in a joint project. Surprisingly, this collaboration kindles unexpected feelings between them. However, Finn's older brother disapproves of this growing bond and is relentless in his efforts to pull them apart.

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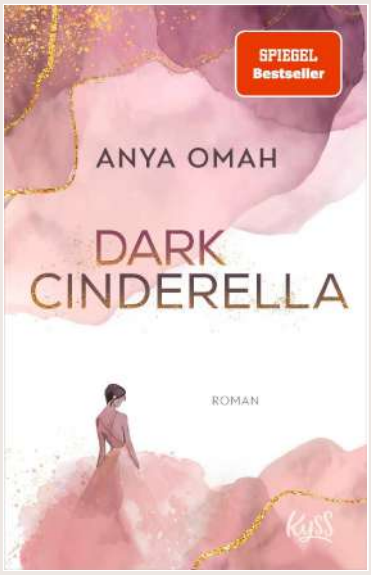
Anya Omah

DARK CINDERELLA. Northern Royals (Vol. 1)



- **English sample translation available.**
- Over 100,000 copies of Volume 1 and 2 were sold.
- Luxurious, mysterious, sexy – the perfect blend of Dark Academia, New Adult Suspense and Royal Romance.
- **Topics:** Seductive Prince, Royal Family with a Dark Secret, Royal x Middle-Class, Workplace Romance, Rich x Poor, Secret Affair, He Falls First and Harder

January 2025 · 448 pages

An old castle on the Baltic Coast, a seductive crown prince and a young woman searching for the truth ...

After Sofia's best friend met a real prince and disappeared without a trace, Sofia knows she is the only one willing to risk everything to find her. To find her, Sofia infiltrates the royal library, determined to get close to Crown Prince Maximilian and uncover the truth hidden behind palace walls. But Maximilian is kinder and more seductive than expected. As he breaks down her defenses, she realizes it's not just her dangerous plan at risk – it's her heart.

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Anya Omah

BROKEN PRINCE. Northern Royals (Vol. 2)

- Luxurious, mysterious, sexy – the new series by *Spiegel* bestselling author Anya Omah.
- **Topics:** Royal x Middle-Class, Workplace Romance (and the workplace is a palace), Forbidden Love, Dark Secret, Second Chance, Secret Affair, He Falls First and Harder, New Adult Suspense, Fictional Scandinavian Royal Dynasty

August 2025 · 512 pages

Some secrets are exciting. Some secrets are dangerous. And some secrets destroy everything ...

My secret affair with Crown Prince Maximilian is over. I knew it would happen. I knew we didn't have a chance, that too much stood between us. So why does it hurt so much? And the worst part is, I still haven't found out what happened to my best friend. But my investigation into her disappearance has set the ball rolling. And it can't be stopped, even if it buries me, Maximilian, and the entire royal family beneath it ...

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Anya Omah

SHINING RAIN. Tempest Trilogy (Vol.1)

October 2021 · 512 pages

- **English sample translation available.**
- Three women, three unique love stories: modern, authentic, approachable.
- 130,000 copies were sold of the trilogy, Vol. 1 and 2 entered the *Spiegel* best-seller list Top 10.
- **Topics:** Hamburg, St. Pauli, Tattoos, Female Friendship, Forbidden Love

Art student Alissa works as a tattoo artist alongside her studies. She is very good at her job, but her latest client apparently doesn't want to get a tattoo from a woman. Sexist idiot. When sports student Simon sees Alissa for the first time, he is immediately attracted to her – and on no account wants to show her the extremely embarrassing tattoo that is supposed to be poked over. But now she thinks he's an asshole. And that's even worse.

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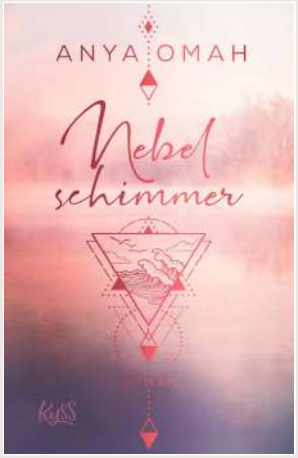
GLOWING MIST. Tempest Trilogy (Vol. 2)



July 2022 · 432 pages

- **Topics:** Northern Germany, Baltic Sea, Lübeck, Friendship Trilogy, Own Voices, Adoption, Experiences of Discrimination, Second Chance

They were the perfect couple, but sometimes life has other plans ... After more than a year abroad, Calla is back in Germany, studying in a small student town along the Baltic Sea. She is glad to be back home, in the company of her girlfriends Alissa and Leo, which she missed terribly. Seeing her ex-boyfriend Jasper again, however, triggers a whole slew of contradictory feelings. Anger. Hurt. And yearning. Dammit. Breaking up with him was the right choice. But unfortunately, her heart won't listen to her head.

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Anya Omah

LIGHTING STORMS. Tempest Trilogy (Vol.3)

January 2023 · 432 pages

- **Topics:** Northern Germany, Lüneburg, Garage, Accident, Found Family, Enemies to Lovers, He Falls First

Leona is stressed out by her university studies when fate forces her to return to her small home town in northern Germany. After a serious accident at work, her foster father will never be able to work again, and so he makes over his garage to her and his biological son, Aaron. Despite the sad circumstances, this is a dream come true for Leo, who's been fixing broken cars with Aaron's father since she was a kid. Aaron, on the other hand, has no itention of keeping the garage. Heated discussions between the two are inevitable, but it gets much harder: soon they have to fight their growing attraction, too ...

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Nikola Hotel

LOST GIRLS. Breathing for the First Time (Vol. 1)

September 2025 · 480 pages

- **English sample translation available.**
- 430,000 copies sold across the author's previous duologies *Dark Ivy*, *Paper Love* and *Blakely Brothers*.
- An intense, captivating and painful story of healing and empowerment: this is a sensitively told story about overcoming trauma, the courage to start over, and the incredible strength it takes to reclaim one's own life.

- **Topics:** Emotional Scars, Leaving Toxic Relationships, Reclaiming Her Life, Women's College, Found Family, Safe Haven, Healing Journey, Empowerment, Resilience, Scared to Love, Slow-Burn Romance

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Nikola Hotel has a great weakness for dark characters and suppressed emotions, which is why her heart is especially attached to the New Adult genre. And this is evident in her emotional yet compelling love stories. Since 2020, each of her books has immediately entered the Spiegel bestseller list upon release. In addition, all her novels have special features, whether it's hand lettering in "It was always you" and "It was always love," a flip book and origami folding instructions in "Ever" and "Blue," or blackout poetry in "Dark Ivy." Nikola lives with her family near Bonn and provides a variety of insights into her writing routine on Instagram. To date, her books have been translated into six languages.

"I'm lost. And I don't ever want to be found ..."

A luxurious beach house, a successful NFL football star as a husband. From the outside, 21-year-old Darcy's life appears perfect. In reality, it's a nightmare. Every move is watched by her husband, every perceived mistake is punished. She can't continue like this. She doesn't want to continue like this.

While planning her escape, she meets Ellis, who immediately sees what she desperately tries to hide from everyone else. Darcy has no idea that it is precisely this encounter that will change her life forever. Because Jason will not let her go just like that ...

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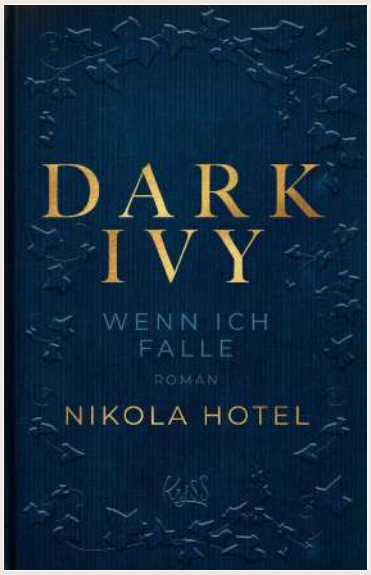
DARK IVY – If I Fall (Vol. 1)



November 2022 · 416 pages

- **English sample translation available.**
- 10 weeks on the *Spiegel* bestseller list!
- More than 150,000 copies sold of the duology.
- Special feature: blackout poetry pages.
- **Topics:** Dark Academia, Elitist College, Island Campus, New Hampshire, Leaving Behind the Past, Golden Boy, Broken Heroine, Opposites Attract, Mind Games, She Has a Secret, Old Library, Secret Spot, Breaking Rules

"Will you catch me, if I fall?"

Making friends. That's all Eden Collins wants when she arrives at the prestigious Woodford Academy on a scholarship. After a tragic death made her last year of high school hell – the whispers, the accusing glances, the loneliness – she just wants to fit in and start over. But it's not that easy. In her very first class, a social experiment forces Eden to confront the secrets she's desperate to forget, nearly causing her to break down. And of all people, it's William Grantham III who notices. The same fascinating, aloof millionaire heir she's already clashed with …

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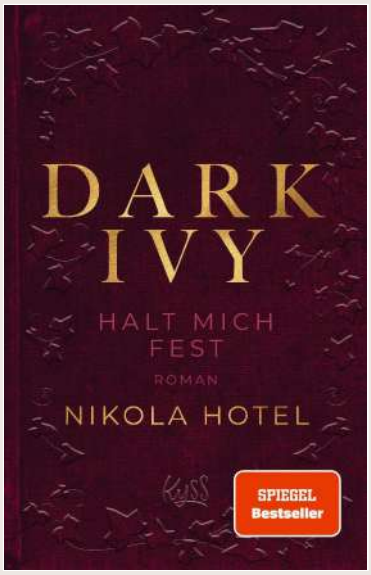
DARK IVY – Hold Me Close (Vol. 2)



July 2024 · 416 pages

- The heart-wrenching final part of the Dark Academia duet.
- **Topics:** Dark Academia, Island Campus, New Hampshire, Library, Coping with Loss, Grief, Spice, Guilt, Irresistible Attraction, Impossible Love, Second Chance, Character Growth

He can't forgive himself. She can't let him go.

After a tragic accident has shaken Woodford Academy, Eden tries to return to normalcy. But nothing is normal for her anymore -nor for William. He struggles with the decisions he made that night and falls into a downward spiral of regret and guilt. Eden desperately tries to help him. Sometimes it seems she is his only support, on other days he can barely stand to look at her. She longs for him so much. But how can you continue to live – continue to love – when drowning in guilt?

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EVER – Whenever You Touch Me. Paper Love (Vol. 1)

- **English sample translation available.**
- 95,000 copies sold of the duology.
- With flip book and origami folding instructions.
- **Topics:** Contemporary Romance, Hurt/Comfort Romance, Medical Romance, Slow-Burn, Forced Proximity, Wounded Heroine, Road to Recovery, Attractive Physiotherapist, Dark Secret, Trust Fall, Forgiveness

June 2021 · 432 pages

Love is made of courage!

Hurt. Frightened. Lost. That's how Abbi feels at the moment. She just wants to go home, away from the rehabilitation clinic where she is supposed to learn to walk again after a bad car accident. But she is making no progress. None at all. Since the accident, Abbi has had a panic fear of pain, and the therapy is not going well – until she gets a new physiotherapist. David Rivers is still a student, but with his patient, gentle manner he gets through to her. Whenever he touches her, her fear vanishes. She feels safe. But she is not. Because David knows a secret that could tear her whole world apart ...

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Nikola Hotel

BLUE – Wherever You Find Me. Paper Love (Vol. 2)

- With flip book and origami folding instructions.
- **Topics:** Contemporary Romance, Workplace Romance (and the workplace is a diner), Grieving Heroine, Family Secrets, Hidden Identity

December 2021 · 432 pages

Love doesn't have to be perfect. It just has to be true.

Jane is alone. Because her mother died suddenly. Because her brother lied to her. And because there's a secret no one can ever know. Unwilling to go home right now, she's secretly sleeping in the diner where she works. At least the job is a distraction. Especially when Alex is there. Alex, who is arrogant, sarcastic, and short-tempered. And yet, he fascinates her.

Slowly, she begins to notice that the handsome political science student's caustic attitude only surfaces in certain situations. He seems to intentionally keep people at a distance. And when Jane learns the reason why, it breaks her heart ...

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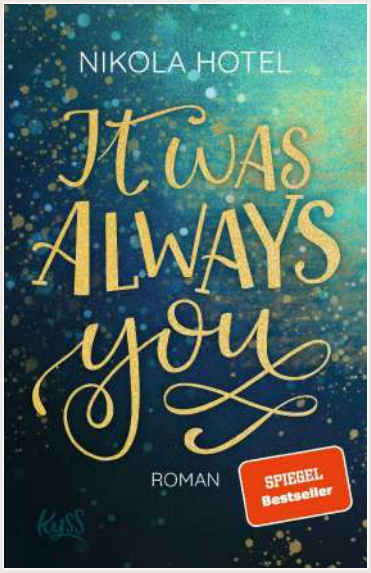
IT WAS ALWAYS YOU. Blakely Brothers (Vol. 1)



- **English sample translation available.**
- More than 180,000 copies sold of the duology.
- 20 illustrated hand-lettered pages.
- **Topics:** Private Island, New Hampshire, Stepbrother, Hate to Love, Forced Proximity, Slow Burn, Forbidden Love, Coming Home, Family Secrets, Second Chance

June 2020 · 448 pages

She never wanted to come back. He never wanted to let her go ...

It was four years ago that Ivy lost everything. Shortly after her mother died, her stepfather packed her off to boarding school because she was constantly arguing with her older stepbrother, Asher. But suddenly her stepfather wants to see her again this summer and calls her back home to an island on the New Hampshire coast, where she meets Asher once more. He's still just as unbearable as ever, still just as difficult. And still much too good looking. Damn. Seeing him again bothers her far much more than she had expected. But, when Ivy discovers why she was called back to the island, her world threatens to fall apart completely ...

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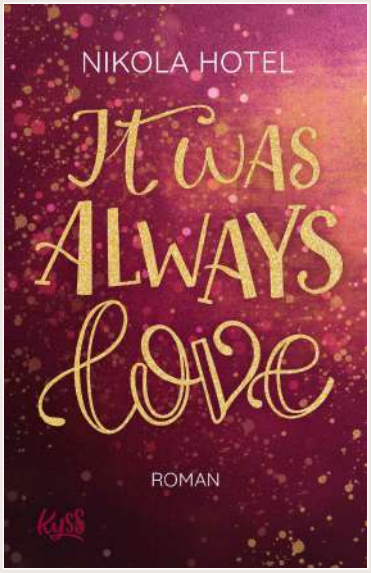
IT WAS ALWAYS LOVE. Blakely Brothers (Vol. 2)



- Perfect for fans of Mona Kasten and Bianca Losivoni.
- **Topics:** Contemporary Romance, College Scandal, Social Media Shaming, Broken Heroine, Best Friend's Stepbrother, Healing Romance, Learning to Trust Again, Reclaiming Her Own Life

September 2020 · 464 pages

At the edge of the abyss, sometimes you just have to jump ...

Get away. Just get away. It's the only thought on Aubree's mind after a college party gets her kicked out of university. She buys a beat-up car, throws her few belongings in the trunk, and escapes to her best friend Ivy's place in New Hampshire. All she wants is to hide under the covers and forget. Forget that night. Forget the party. And above all, forget the photo of her that's been circulating online ever since. But her plan fails. Because instead of her friend, she runs right into Noah – Ivy's stepbrother. With his impulsive yet surprisingly sensitive nature, Noah stirs feelings in her that she can't afford to have right now …

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Laura Willud

MISMATCH. Hopeville Dragons (Vol. 1)

- **English sample translation available.**
- A story between loss and emancipation, between deep friendship and great love.
- **Topics:** College Setting, Sports Romance, Basketball, Dual POV, He Has a Secret, Opposites Attract, Bad Boy, Slow Burn, He Falls First

A feel-good sports romance: A small town, a matchmaking grandmother, and a grumpy basketball player with a secret.

February 2025 · 400 pages

Austin Fields has only his scholarship and his role as the new shooting guard for the college team of Hopeville, Georgia on his mind. He has no time for distractions, especially not from the attractive sports journalist who can't seem to stop asking questions. Joyce Reed is a determined sports journalist striving to be taken seriously despite the challenges she faces as a woman in the field. The fact that Hopeville Dragons' new star player seems to have secrets is a perfect opportunity for her to prove her talent and demonstrate that she can't be easily fooled. Unfortunately, those endlessly sad eyes draw her in, and when she discovers what really drove him to leave his place in Chicago she's already fallen for him.

Laura Willud

FOUL PLAY. Hopeville Dragons (Vol. 2)

- Emotional, charming and passionate: She desperately tries not to fall for her best friend's brother, but breaking the rules has never been more difficult (and exciting).
- **Topics:** College Romance, Sports Romance, Basketball, Dual POV, Forbidden Love, Best Friend's Brother, She Falls First He Falls Harder, Forced Proximity, Second Chance

She has sworn to follow the rules. He could change everything.

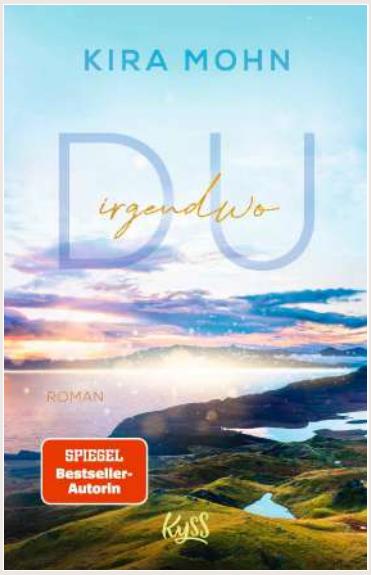
June 2025 · 432 pages

It's been two years since Lori shared a single, unforgettable kiss with her best friend's brother, Joshua. They've pretended it never happened – after all, the captain of the Hopeville Dragons basketball team is strictly off-limits.

But when they're forced to organize their university's youth sports days together, the silence between them becomes impossible to ignore. With every stolen glance, the discipline that makes Joshua a star player begins to fray, and Lori's carefully guarded heart is on the line. They both know crossing that line is a foul play, but will this summer change the rules of the game forever?

Kira Mohn

YOU, SOMEWHERE. Scotland Dilogy (Vol. 1)



- **English sample translation available.**
- A unique concept: the first book tells the love story of a young woman who finds out that she was adopted, the second tells the love story of her biological mother.
- **Topics:** Scotland, Mother–Daughter Relationship, Identity, Belonging, The Meaning of Family, First Love, Adoption, New Adult Romance

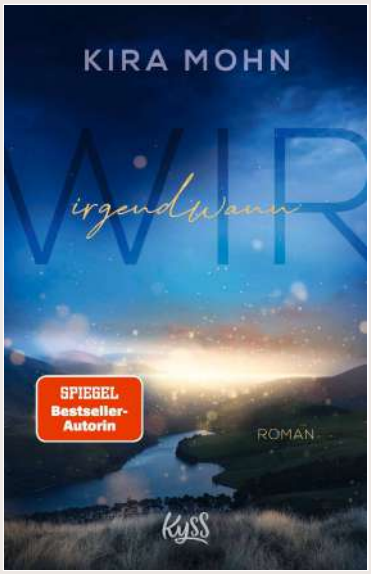
February 2023 · 320 pages

A story of love, family, friendship and courage.

Victoria is shocked to learn, at nineteen, that she was adopted. Against her parents' wishes, she sets off on a journey to find her biological mother. Accompanying her on this journey is Jack, her best friend, the one person who is always there for her, safe and stable. But her world is becoming unstable, and Vic soon finds herself developing feelings one isn't supposed to have for one's best friend. Could she – and, more importantly, would she want to – risk this friendship? Particularly now, when she needs him by her side more than ever? Given that her journey has led her to a woman whose reaction is not at all what she had expected.

Kira Mohn

YOU AND I, SOMETIME. Scotland Dilogy (Vol. 2)



- A story of love, old secrets, and second chances.
- **Topics:** Scotland, Mother–Daughter Relationship, Roots, Past Relationship, Emotionally Charged Mystery, Amnesia, Found Family, Cosy Romance, Second Chance

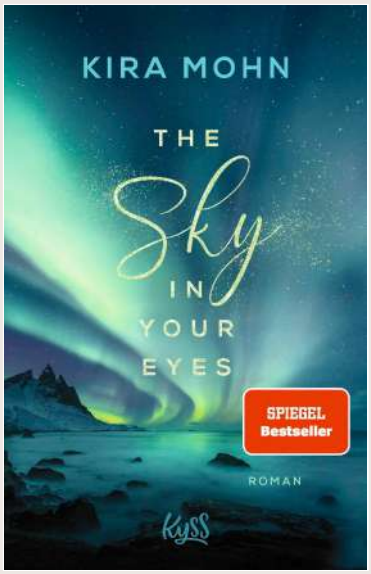
December 2023 · 320 pages

"You weren't just a star, to me. You were my whole sky."

This feels like a terrible joke. That's Emmeline's first thought when a young woman appears at her doorstep claiming to be her daughter. Emmeline doesn't have children; in fact, she cannot have children since she was involved in a car accident as a teenager. Therefore, this must be a cruel prank, and it's far from funny. Yet, the young woman is earnest and fully convinced of their connection. When Emmeline's own mother confirms this startling revelation by confessing that Emmeline was pregnant when the accident happened, Emmeline is forced to delve into a past she barely remembers. She discovers that her parents not only hid Victoria from her but also severed ties with her closest friends and her first love, Liam, who appears to be Victoria's biological father. She must now revisit a relationship with a man she hasn't seen in two decades, yet who still holds a piece of her heart ...

Kira Mohn

THE SKY IN YOUR EYES. Iceland Dilogy (Vol. 1)



- **English sample translation available.**
- Volume 1 and 2 sold more than 45,000 copies.
- Kira Mohn crafts characters that leave a deep impression through their realism and emotional intensity.
- **Topics:** Body Positivity, Self-Perception, Leaving Behind a Toxic Relationship, Taking Chances, Cooking Course, He Falls First and Harder

November 2021 · 336 pages

Where northern lights are dancing, these two hearts skip a beat.

Elìn and Jon's paths cross in a cooking class, where Jon, a charming graphic designer, is drawn to Elìn's introverted nature. Although the attraction seems mutual, Elìn maintains her distance. During a fleeting moment, she lets go when Jon kisses her, but soon her insecurities resurface. Her ex's words, her reflection, and her body's appearance fill her mind, and she pulls away. For Jon, who has never been one to take things seriously, meeting Elìn changes everything, especially as he learns about the fears that keep her guarded.

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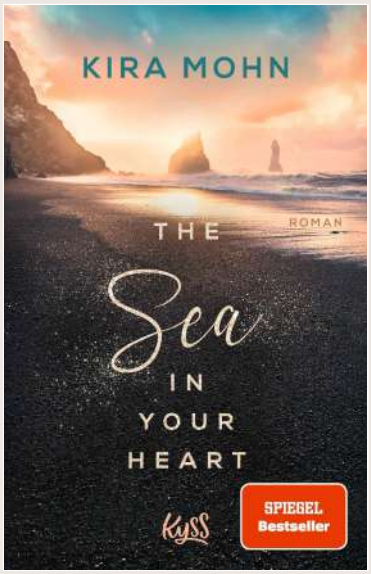
Kira Mohn

THE SEA IN YOUR HEART. Iceland Dilogy (Vol. 2)



- Kira Mohn's Iceland duology takes her readers to an awe-inspiring and majestic landscape.
- **Topics:** Environmental Protection, Whaling Industry, Voluntary Work, Court Case, One-Night Stand, Attractive Lawyer, Irony of Fate, Strangers to Lovers

April 2022 · 320 pages

A heart like the sea: stormy, wild and free.

Lilja's world is all about whales and the mesmerizing tours she conducts in the icy landscapes of Iceland. She's in awe of these majestic creatures and passionately opposes the whaling industry, specifically the Icelandic one. But, her passionate protests have now stirred up a court case. To shake off the stress, she heads for a night out and meets Jules in a local bar. The atmosphere is electric, and she ends up agreeing to a one-night stand. But Jules isn't ready to let it go at just one night; he wants to see her again, and, to her own surprise, Lilja finds herself looking forward to date number two. But they don't get around to it. When she sees Jules again, it is in court: he is her opponent's lawyer!

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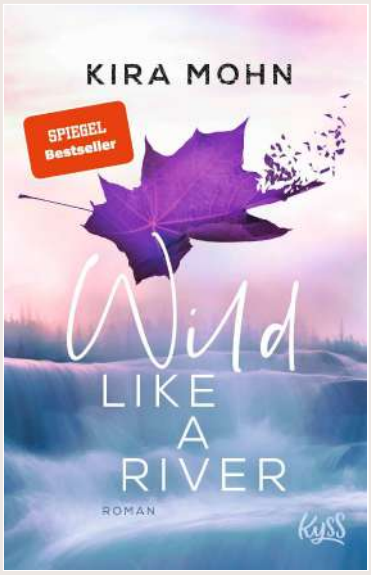
Kira Mohn

WILD LIKE A RIVER. Canada Dilogy (Vol. 1)



- **English sample translation available.**
- Set against the breathtaking backdrop of Canada's national parks.
- Volume 1 and 2 sold more than 50,000 copies.
- **Topics**: Canadian Wildlife, Friendship, Overcoming Pain, Mental Health, Healing in Nature, New Adult Romance

October 2020 · 400 pages

A young romance in the wilderness of the Canadian nature.

Haven lives in one of Canada's national parks as the daughter of a ranger. Nowhere does she feel as at home as in the wilds, far from other human beings. She prefers to avoid tourists, especially when they behave as stupidly as Jackson. He wants to go hiking with a friend, but the reckless city boys land themselves in a dangerous situation on the very first evening. She helps them on the understanding that they will then leave, but instead, Jackson convinces Haven to show him her world. And suddenly there is someone who shares everything that she previously experienced alone. A confusingly nice, but also painful, feeling. For Jackson must soon return to his city life …

Kira Mohn

FREE LIKE THE WIND. Canada Dilogy (Vol. 2)

- Bittersweet and full of emotion – the finale of Kira Mohn's Canada duology.
- **Topics:** Canadian Wildlife, Friendship, Recovering from a Loss, Mental Health, Healing in Nature, Cosy Romance, New Adult Romance

January 2021 · 368 pages

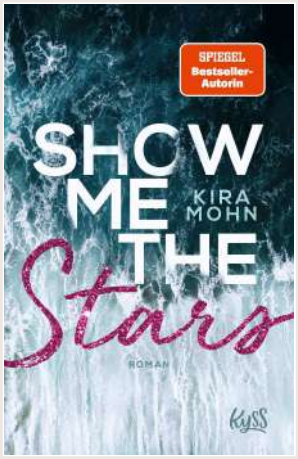
When seeking solitude leads to unexpected company ...

Rae is a typical city kid. She enjoys the anonymity, the fast pace, the rapid change of the city. Nowhere else is better for being able to forget yourself. If someone had told her a year ago that she would set off on month-long hikes through the Canadian wilderness with a backpack, she would have laughed. But that's exactly what she is doing now.

Because she can't go on this way and she needs to learn to be alone. Because she needs to free herself from painful memories. Only now she is not quite as alone on her hikes as she planned, because Cayden has decided to join her, against her will. Cayden of all people. He is a womaniser, takes nothing seriously and really gets on her nerves –- until he lets her see behind his mask …

Kira Mohn

SHOW ME THE STARS. Lighthouse Trilogy (Vol. 1)



July 2019 · 416 pages

- **English sample translation available.**
- Three women, one lighthouse, and the search for true love. Over 100,000 copies of the *Lighthouse Trilogy* sold.
- **Topics:** Solitary Lighthouse, Irish Island, Retreat, Journalist, Cosy Romance, Slow-Burn

Although Liv is only 22 and just starting out in journalism, a recent disastrous interview cost her a new job. This ad sounds like a dream come true: someone needs a house-sitter to mind a lighthouse on the Irish coast for six months!A few weeks later finds herself standing in front of her new home. Next to a good-looking Irishman who makes her heart beat faster. She doesn't know it yet, but he'll break her heart, too …

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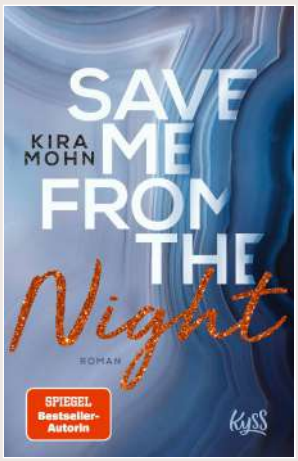
Kira Mohn

SAVE ME FROM THE NIGHT. Lighthouse Trilogy (Vol. 2)



September 2019 · 384 pages

- **Topics:** Blow of Fate, Domestic Violence, Finding Trust and Love, Start Anew

Seanna has come to the village of Castledunn in the hope of getting her life back in order. The wild countryside of Ireland's west coast and the slow pace of rural life give her new energy. Her job behind the bar in the village's only pub provides a comforting sense of routine. Then the pub changes hands, bought by the attractive Neall Kennan, who throws Seanna's feelings into turmoil. Not only is she attracted to him, she's also reminded of her own past. It's more than Seanna can bear.

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Kira Mohn

FIND ME IN THE STORM. Lighthouse Trilogy (Vol. 3)

December 2019 · 384 pages

- **Topics:** Cosy Romance, Love Bet, TV Star Meddling in Love Affairs

The lighthouse has been converted into a cosy living space available for rent, and 24-year-old Airin has to look after the property while at the same time running her own bed and breakfast. It's a lot of work for one person, but normally everything runs smoothly. Until Joshua, the nephew of the lighthouse owner, moves in. Arrogant and priggish, he complains ceaselessly about everything. Airin feels like strangling him. Or kissing him. Who cares, just as long as he stops talking!

Rights sold to: Russia – Eksmo

Franzi Kopka

COSY SECRETS – The Copper Key (Vol. 1)

- **English sample translation available.**
- *Spiegel* bestseller author Franzi Kopka's romance debut: Cosy Crime meets Romance in Scotland.
- A small place. A big secret. And a second chance at love.

- **Topics:** Cosy Romance, Crime, New Adult Suspense, Small Town, Scotland, Kidnapping, Grandmother's Secret Life, Hidden Tea Chamber, Clues, Second Chance, Slow-Burn

June 2024 · 480 pages

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Franzi Kopka was born in 1990, as the daughter of a bookseller, she grew up with good novels and made up her own stories for her three younger siblings from an early age. Today, she lives with her husband and three cats and devotes herself entirely to writing. Her debut book for young adults, "Gameshow", made it onto the Spiegel bestseller list straight away, and with the "Cosy Secrets" series she is now writing books in the romance genre for the first time. You can follow her on Instagram and TikTok (@franzikopka).

Rae's to-do list: 1. find Grandma. / 2. avoid Archer. / 3. ignore point two. / 4. not lose my heart to Archer again while he's helping me search. / 5. ignore point four. / 6. shit.

"Your grandmother has been kidnapped."
When crime writer Rae receives this news, she initially rolls her eyes. Her grandma's friends are certainly exaggerating shamelessly. It's not unusual for her grandmother to go travelling without prior notice. And besides, who would kidnap a harmless old lady like Fenella? Nevertheless, Rae sets off for her home town in the north of Scotland to find out what has happened. There she realises that the circumstances of Fenella's disappearance are indeed suspicious - and that her grandma had more secrets than Rae ever suspected. One of these secrets leads her straight to Archer Warwick, the man she once wanted to elope with. And annoyingly, Rae's heart still beats just as fast in his presence as it used to ...

Kelly Moran

LOVE HAS A THOUSAND PAGES.
Bookish Belles (Vol. 1)

February 2025 · 304 pages

- **Original English mansucript available.**
- Kelly Moran's *Redwood*-series sold more than 280,000 copies.
- **Topics:** Books, Old Library, Small Town, Family Bonds, Friendship Bibliophile Protagonists, Enemies to Lovers, Forced Proximity, Cosy Romance

Ten years after leaving her picturesque hometown of Vallantine to pursue journalism, Rebecca Moore returns following her dream's collapse and her beloved grandmother's death. Comfort comes from her two best childhood friends, known as the "Bookish Belles," with whom she inherits the town's historic but dilapidated library. Together, they plan to transform it into a bookstore. Meanwhile, Rebecca lands a job at the local newspaper, clashing with its attractive yet difficult editor-in-chief.

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Kelly Moran

WHAT'S BETWEEN THE LINES.
Bookish Belles (Vol. 2)

August 2025 · 320 pages

- **Original English manuscript available.**
- Perfect for fans of Lucy Score and the witty banter of *Gilmore Girls*.
- **Topics:** Bookish Romance, Small Town Setting, Cosy Romance, Slow-Burn Romance, Frenemies-to-Lovers, Opposites Attract, Southern Charm, Girl Boss

Scarlett Taylor is well aware that the residents of Vallantine think she's every bit the drama queen as her literary namesake. And fine, maybe she is a little eccentric. But honestly, life is too short to be hemmed in by other people's expectations.

Besides, her success speaks for itself: the old library renovation she's tackling with her two best friends is a triumph, and the boutique business she runs from her family's historic estate is flourishing. Her love life? Okay, that's a different story. Love, it turns out, is messy and confusing. Especially when your heart insists on racing at the sight of the one man who consistently drives you absolutely insane …

Rights sold to: The Netherlands – Bruna

Kelly Moran

REDWOOD – It All Begins with a Glance (Vol. 1)

September 2018 · 384 pages

- **Original English manuscript available.**
- 280,000 copies of Volume 1–6 were sold.
- **Topics:** Wholesome Romance, Cosy Romance, USA, Oregon, Small Town, Friends to Lovers, Attractive Veterinarian, Single Mother, Trust, Love Again, Spice

After a passionless marriage, Avery Stowe is taking back her life. All she wants is a little privacy and a quiet place to raise her autistic daughter. Redwood, Oregon, seems to offer all the right ingredients. Except for the problem of the local attractive veterinarian Cade O'Grady. The last thing she needs in her life is to fall for his irresistible allure, but the well-meaning patrons of her new hometown have other ideas, and it appears playing Cupid is one of them.

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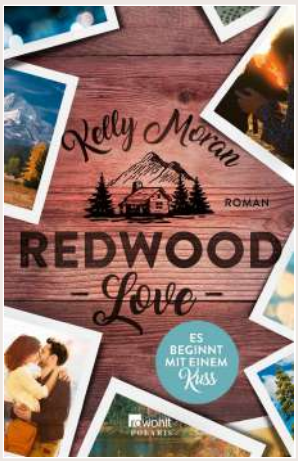
Kelly Moran

REDWOOD – It All Begins with a Kiss (Vol. 2)



September 2018 · 368 pages

- **Original English manuscript available.**
- **Topics:** Cosy Romance, Deaf Veterinarian with Great Sensitivity, Friends to Lovers, Playing Cupid

Flynn O'Grady runs a veterinary practice with his two brothers. Having been born deaf, Flynn has to rely on his other senses to work with the animals. And on Gabby, his vet tech and best friends. Which is exactly why he's keeping his attraction for her a secret. Except his meddling family is trying to play Cupid and ruin the best thing to ever happen to him. Determined to ignore the antics, he's secure in the knowledge she's not interested in him romantically. But then a kiss changes everything …

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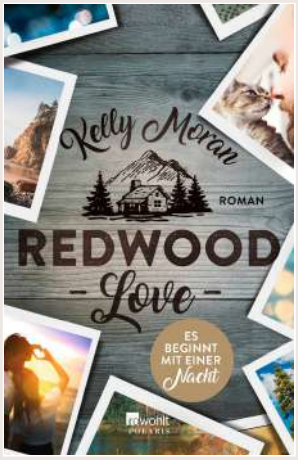
REDWOOD – It All Begins with One Night (Vol. 3)



October 2018 · 384 pages

- **Original English manuscript available.**
- **Topics:** Cosy Romance, Coping with Loss, Start Anew, Friends to Lovers, Small Town Life, Curious Neighbours

For years after his wife's sudden death, vet surgeon Drake O'Grady felt as if he had died with her. It is only thanks to Zoe, his wife's best friend, that he was able to survive that time. But in the last six months something has changed. He has started to participate in life again, to laugh again, to perceive things more consciously again. Things like the sweep of Zoe's lips when she smiles. How sensually she moves when she dances. And how he suddenly looks forward to every argument with her ...

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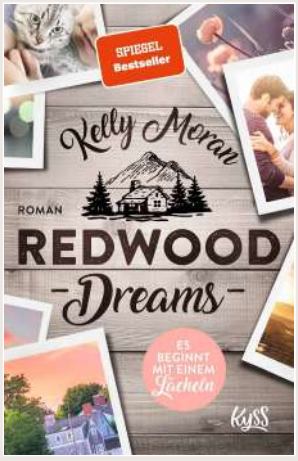
REDWOOD – It All Begins with a Smile (Vol. 4)

- **Original English manuscript available.**
- **Topics:** Cosy Romance, Firefighter, Elementary Teacher, Playing Cupid

No. Ella won't just let herself be set up. She and Jason are not compatible at all. She's shy and extremely insecure, and he's the hottest firefighter on earth. The mere thought is ridiculous. And even if it were different: Of all people, she cannot get involved with Jason. Because her painful past would always stand between them. Jason wouldn't call himself a playboy. But ... he is one. Relationships are just not for him. That's why the shy elementary school teacher Ella Sinclair doesn't fit into his type at all. But he's fascinated with her more and more with every encounter. Perhaps she could use a bit of fun? Perhaps they could be friends? Friends who kiss each other from time to time?



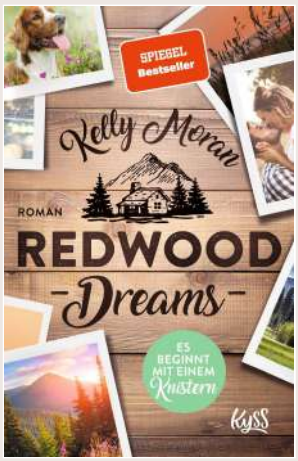
November 2019 · 320 pages

Kelly Moran

REDWOOD – It All Begins with a Crackle (Vol. 5)

- **Original English manuscript available.**
- **Topics:** Cosy Romance, Troublemaker, Repaying Debts, Attractive Sheriff

Apparently, destiny still has a score to settle with Maddie Freemont. Otherwise, she can't explain why she suddenly keeps running into Parker Maloney. It's really ironic. As a teenager, she wished for nothing more than to be noticed by Parker. But he ignored her, no matter what she did. Now, however, his attention is the last thing she wants. Because of her father, who has cheated many of his neighbours out of their money, the whole town already gives her the cold shoulder. If they see her with the attractive sheriff, everyone will surely assume she's up to no good. And that could thwart all her plans ...



March 2020 · 320 pages

Kelly Moran

REDWOOD – It All Begins with the Smell of Snow (Vol. 6)

- **Original English manuscript available.**
- **Topics:** Christmas Romance, Matchmaking, Second Chance

The residents of Redwood, call Mayor Marie Sedgwick and her two sisters the Battleaxes. The nickname is well deserved, Marie has a habit of meddling in the love lives of her fellow citizens and she has an excellent success rate as a matchmaker. When her old childhood love returns to Redwood, the residents of Redwood turn the tables. And suddenly, Marie experiences firsthand how nerve-wracking and annoying such matchmaking attempts can be.

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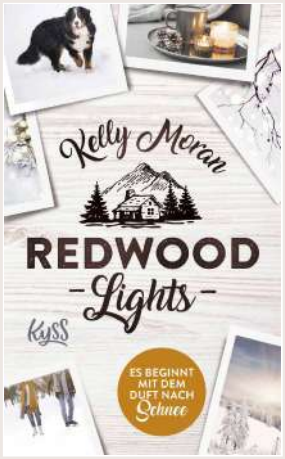

October 2021 · 144 pages

Kelly Moran

WILDFLOWER SUMMER – In Your Arms (Vol. 1)

- Original English manuscript available.
- 40,000 copies of Volume 1 and 2 were sold.
- "Authentic character drawing, realistic emotions and a beautiful love story make it impossible to put this emotional book out of your hands." *Library Journal*
- Topics: Loss, Keeping Promises, Duty, Unexpected Attraction, Forbidden Love

May 2020 · 368 pages

Caught between moral obligation and personal happiness.

A sky that seems endless, mountains whose snow-covered peaks glisten in the sun, wildflowers swaying in the wind. This is the sight Nate Roldan is expecting when he reaches the Wildflower Ranch. Soon he realises that he does not belong in this beautiful place. With his motorbike and his tattoos he stands out like an ugly oil stain, but Olivia Cattenach does not seem to mind. Nate is here because of her. He promised her dying brother to care for Olivia, whatever it may cost. He just never imagined that this price would be his heart ...

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WILDFLOWER SUMMER – In this Moment (Vol. 2)

- Original English manuscript available.
- "Moran has such a way with words that they knock you down and rebuild you. This book is an emotional experience through and through." *The Romance Reviews*
- Topics: Friendship, Protection, Trauma of Domestic Violence, Finding Help, Friends to Lovers

July 2020 · 352 pages

Leaving the dark days behind, kiss for kiss...

Nakos Hunt will never forget this sight. His best friend Amy lies bleeding on the floor, beaten by her own husband. It seems completely impossible. After all, this is Amy. The loud, strong, challenging Amy. Even months later, when her ex is already in prison, Nakos finds it hard not to growl at anyone who gets too close to Amy. He realises that the image of a strong, self-confident woman that Amy paints of herself is all too often a façade. Nakos is determined to tear down this wall between them. Stone by stone. Conversation by conversation. And finally kiss for kiss ...

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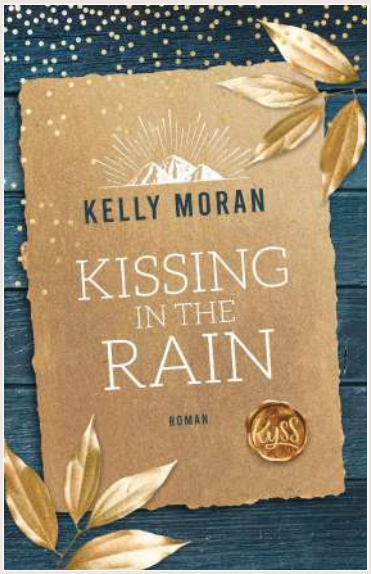
KISSING IN THE RAIN

- **Original English manuscript available.**
- More than 30,000 copies were sold.
- A stand-alone title by *Spiegel* bestselling author Kelly Moran.
- **Topics:** Break Up, Crazy Family, Familial Pressures, Wedding, Fake Boyfriend, Childhood Friends, Friends to Lovers



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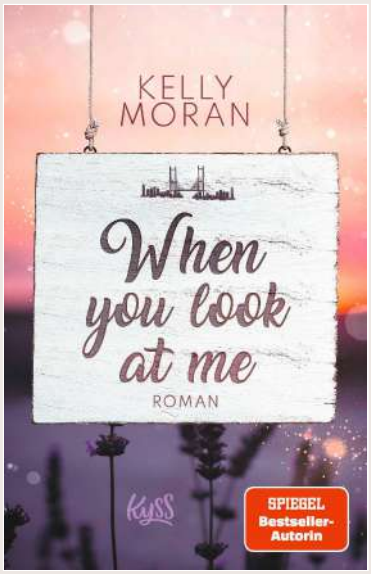
A wedding, a pretend boyfriend and an unplanned kiss - what could possibly come next?

Camryn Kovic has a big, crazy and loud family. And when Camryn's boyfriend breaks up with her a week before her sister's wedding, she knows full well that it will ruin the big party. "Camryn, why aren't you married yet? Camryn, why can't you hold a man? Camryn, why don't you dress up a little nicer? Camryn, the best man's still single!" The fact that her sister suggests that she should come to the wedding with a fake boyfriend is still crazy. Crazy, but understandable. And that's why Camryn gets involved. What could possibly go wrong? Apart from the fact that no one believes her, that she's with Troy, a childhood friend. That's why Troy kisses her in front of the whole family. And this silly kiss does something to her that wasn't planned at all ...

Kelly Moran

WHEN YOU LOOK AT ME

- **Original English manuscript available.**
- A stand-alone title by *Spiegel* bestselling author Kelly Moran.
- **Topics:** Social Anxiety, Societal Expectations, Success and Image, Social Hierarchies of High School, Relationships in Adulthood, Friendship, Friends to Lovers



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A CEO's battle with social anxiety, business development, the media and unexpected love.

The world sees in Xavier Gaines nothing but a freezing cold robot. No one suspects that the successful businessman actually suffers from a social anxiety disorder and hates nothing more than attention. But if he wants to take his company to the next level, he has to learn how to deal with people and especially the press. There is only one person he trusts enough to let her know about his problems. Peyton Smoke. They already know each other from their high school days: he was the lonely nerd and she the popular cheerleader. And yet they were friends. Now Peyton is a successful PR consultant and just the right person to polish up his image. The two agree from the outset to be absolutely honest with each other. Xavier keeps just one thing to himself: that he suddenly can't think of anything else but kissing his most important employee ...

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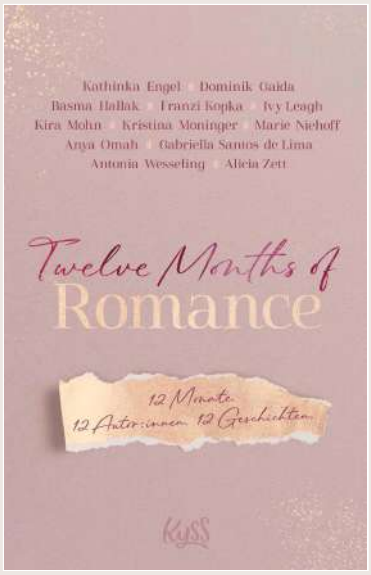
TWELVE MONTHS OF ROMANCE



August 2024 · 352 pages

- Twelve authors and one story for each month of the year, full of captivating romance and heart-wrenching moments.
- These authors together have a quarter of a million followers and nearly a million copies sold. Many of their books have become *Spiegel* bestsellers.

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January: Isla has a fear of flying and wants to get through her trip to New York as quickly as possible to spend New Year's with her sister. But she hadn't counted on her seatmate, Cameron-annoyed-Cooper.

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August: On hot summer days, a couple reminisces about how a chance encounter turned into great love. But something seems to be going very wrong...

September: Sadie and her best friend Jas are supposed to find their dream partners among pumpkin spice lattes and hopeless pumpkin carvings, but the dating site of Edderton, Scotland, delivers surprising results.

October: Sammy didn't really squeeze into her Catwoman latex pants to be set up with a guy in a beer bottle costume at the Halloween party from hell? Luckily, first impressions can be deceiving ...

November: Heather organizes a Friendsgiving dinner at her parents' house, but a dark secret weighs on her. And the letter from her sister, waiting for her in a drawer upstairs, could change everything between her and her boyfriend Judd.

December: For months, Zola has been looking forward to her quasi-blind date (long story!) and then she actually ends up stuck in an elevator - just her, the shattered pieces of her expectations, and Santa Claus …

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