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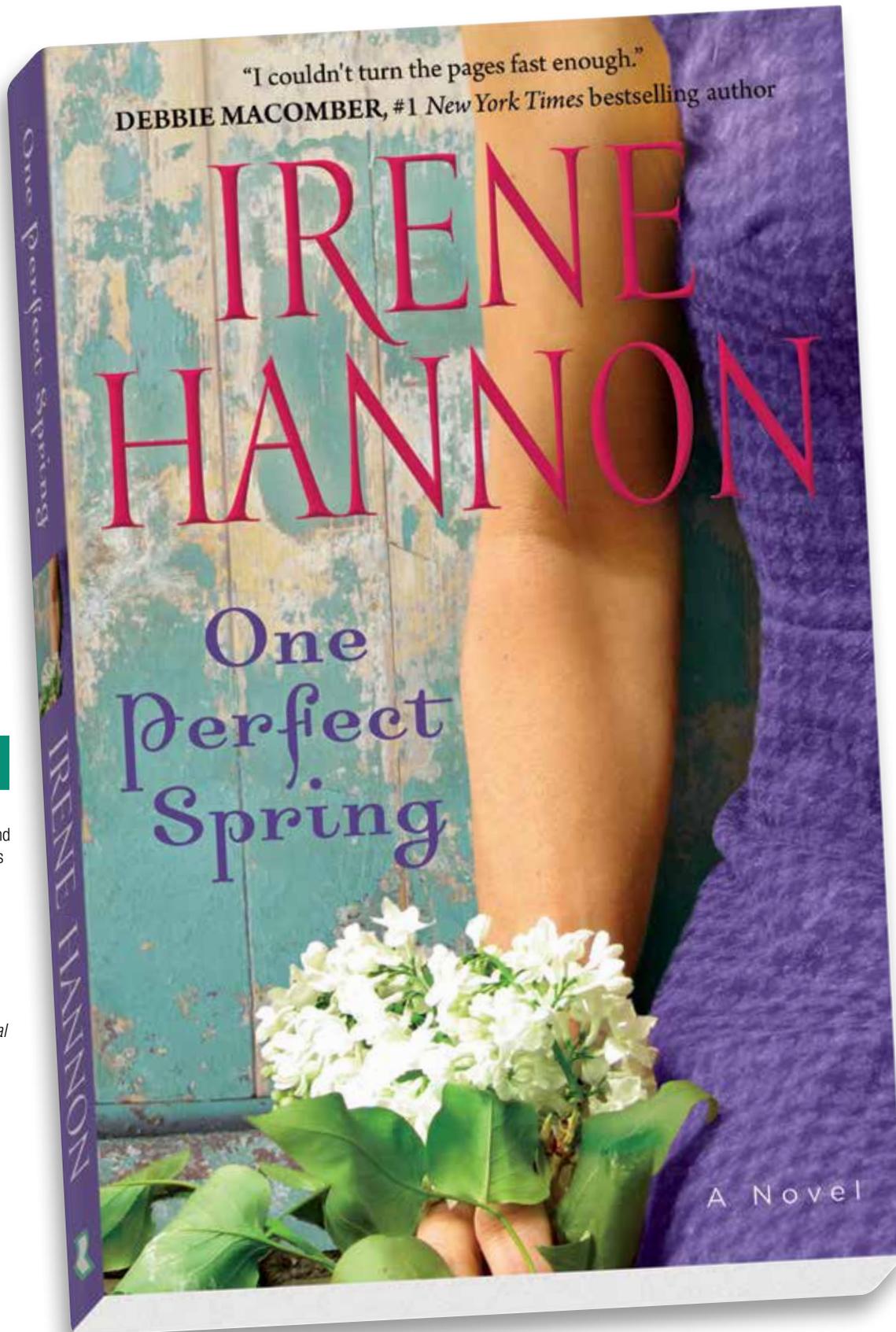
## EXCERPT

Dear Mr. McMillan,  
 My name is Haley Summers.  
 I’m 11 years old.  
 I saw your picture in the paper from when you gave money to the childrens hospital. My mom said you do a lot of nice things for people. So I wanted to ask if you could do something nice for our friend next door.  
 A long time ago, she had a baby. But he got adopted and she never saw him again. Now she’s sad and wishes she could find him. Her name is Doctor Lange and her birthday is in May. She’s going to be sixty and she’s been real sick and this would cheer her up a lot.  
 She’s a very nice lady. She teaches at a college and makes awesome cookies and gave me a present on my birthday last year. This year, I want to give her a present.  
 I hope you can help me. Thank you very much.  
 Haley

## PRAISE FOR THAT CERTAIN SUMMER

“The lives of these endearing characters intertwine over a summer and undergo change as Hannon has readers rooting for each of them in this uplifting story about love and redemption.”  
 —*Publishers Weekly*

“A thoughtful tale that captures the reader from the very first pages. Irene Hannon knows the power of words and the miracle of faith.”—*New York Journal of Books*



enough. Irene Hannon is one great storyteller.”

—Debbie Macomber, #1 *New York Times* Bestselling Author

- A simple letter sets in motion a chain of events that opens the door to unexpected love
- Irene Hannon’s fans are passionate about her emotionally gripping stories that celebrate the healing power of love
- “Beautiful storytelling and genuine, vulnerable, faithful characters. A gem of a read.”  
—*RT Book Reviews* on *That Certain Summer*

Claire Summers is a determined, independent single mother who is doing her best to make lemonade out of the lemons life has handed her. Keith Watson is a results-oriented workaholic with no time for a social life. As the executive assistant to a local philanthropic businessman, he’s used to fielding requests for donations. But when a letter from Claire’s eleven-year-old daughter reaches his desk, everything changes. The girl isn’t asking for money, but for help finding the long-lost son of an elderly neighbor.

As Keith digs reluctantly into this complicated assignment, he has no idea how intertwined his life and Claire’s will become—nor how one little girl’s kindhearted request will touch so many lives and reap so many blessings.

Through compelling characters and surprising plot twists, Irene Hannon offers readers this tenderhearted story of family connections that demonstrates how life is like lilacs—the biggest blooms often come only after the harshest winters.

# One Perfect Spring

Irene Hannon



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### ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Irene Hannon is the bestselling author of over forty books, including *That Certain Summer* and more than two dozen other contemporary romance novels. Her romance fiction has won a coveted RITA Award from Romance Writers of America, a Carol Award, a HOLT Medallion, and an RT Reviewers’ Choice Award from *RT Book Reviews* magazine. Her popular Heroes of Quantico and Guardians of Justice suspense series have also won their share of awards, including the RITA, National Readers’ Choice, Daphne du Maurier, Retailers’ Choice, and *RT’s* Reviewers’ Choice. In addition, she is a Christy Award finalist, and *Booklist* included one of her novels in its “Top 10 Inspirational Fiction” list for 2011. She lives in Missouri. Learn more at [www.irenehannon.com](http://www.irenehannon.com).



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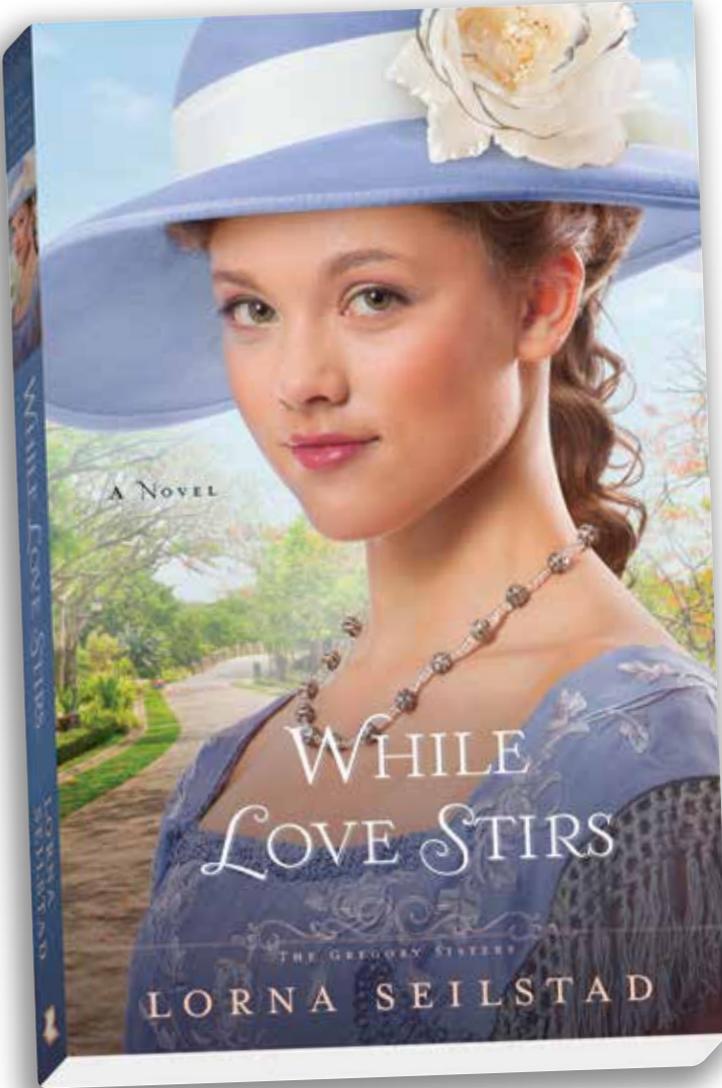
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“[A] sweet, amusing, heartwarming romance.”—*RT Book Reviews*, 4 star review of *When Love Calls*



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After graduating from Fannie Farmer's School of Cookery in 1910, Charlotte Gregory is ready to stir things up. She is thrilled to have the opportunity to travel, lecture, and give cooking demonstrations on the very latest kitchen revolution—the gas stove—and certainly doesn't mind that the gas company has hired the handsome Lewis Mathis to perform at her lectures. Lewis encourages her work, especially her crusade to introduce fresh, appetizing, nutritious food to those convalescing in hospitals. But young hospital superintendent Dr. Joel Brooks is not convinced any changes should be made—especially by this outspoken young woman.

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THE GREGORY SISTERS #2  
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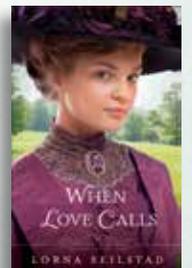
### ABOUT THE AUTHOR

A history buff, antique collector, and freelance graphic designer, **Lorna Seilstad** is the author of *When Love Calls* and the *LAKE MANAWA SUMMERS* series. A former high school English and journalism teacher, she has won several online writing contests and is a member of American Christian Fiction Writers. Lorna lives in **Council Bluffs, Iowa**, with her husband. Learn more at [www.lornaseilstad.com](http://www.lornaseilstad.com).

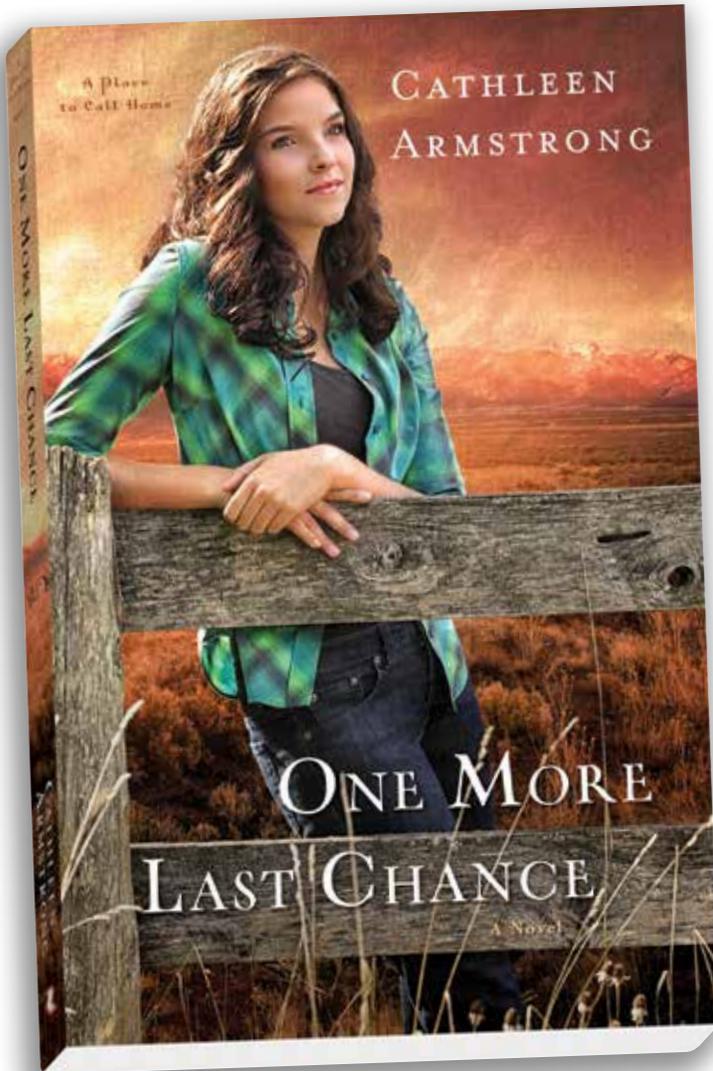


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“Exit from the fast lane and visit Last Chance. It’s a place you won’t soon forget.”  
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Chris Reed, on the other hand, wants nothing more than to spark some change in the little town. As the new owner of the Dip ‘n’ Dine, he’s shaking things up to draw folks from all over the Southwest into his restaurant.

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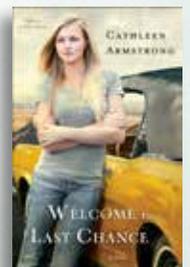
### ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Cathleen Armstrong lives in the San Francisco Bay Area with her husband, Ed, and their corgi. Though she has been in California for many years now, her roots remain deep in New Mexico where she grew up and where much of her family still lives. After she and Ed raised three children, she returned to college and earned a BA in English. Her debut novel *Welcome to Last Chance* won the 2009 American Christian Fiction Writers Genesis Award for Women’s Fiction. Learn more at [www.cathleenarmstrong.com](http://www.cathleenarmstrong.com)

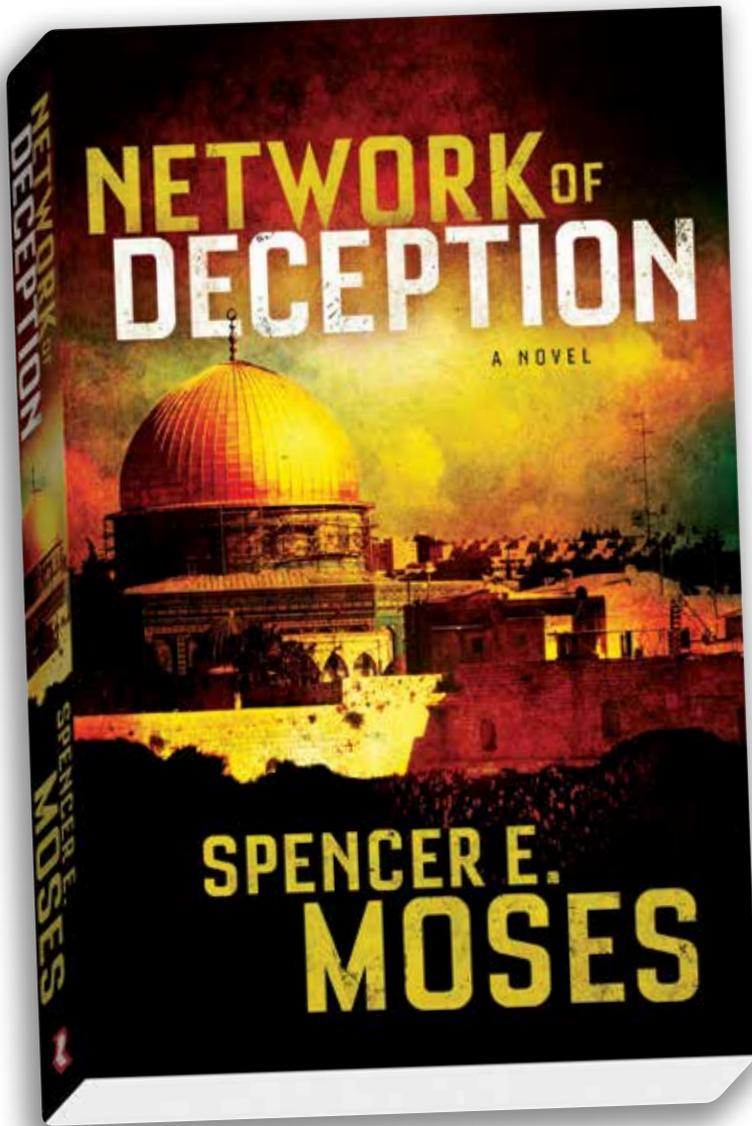


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# Heart-Stopping Suspense for Fans of Davis Bunn and Steven James



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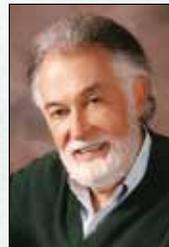
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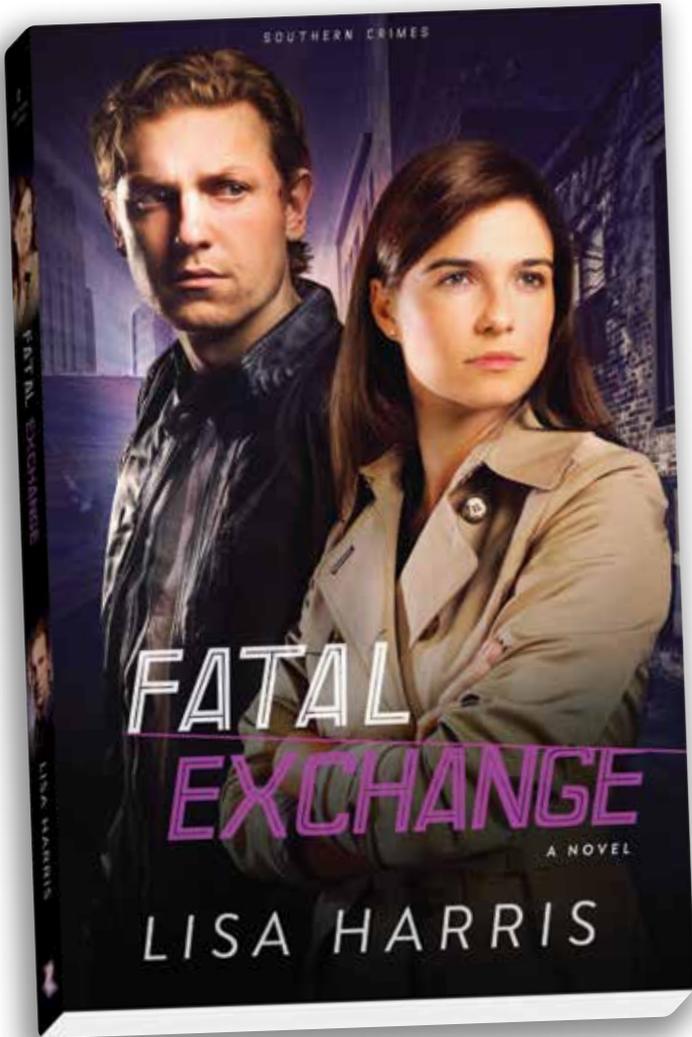


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“Harris takes you on a trail that leads straight into the worst kind of evil—and to those determined to stop it.”— Lynette Eason, bestselling author on *Dangerous Passage*



- A schoolteacher risks her life in a dangerous clash between a drug cartel and a desperate student
- Harris is the winner of Family Fiction’s Create Romance contest in 2012 and RT Book Review’s Best Inspirational Suspense in 2011
- “Readers will find much to admire in Harris’s work.”  
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Emily Hunt might come from a family of cops, but she never goes looking for an adrenaline rush. She lives the quiet—well, relatively quiet—life of a teacher and thrives on making a difference in the lives of her students. But she’ll have to draw on a well of strength and savvy she didn’t know she had as student Rafael Cerda takes her class hostage for ransom money to save his brother’s life.

Undercover cop Mason Taylor has been working with Rafael to find his brother and bring the cartel thugs who hold him to justice. Can he talk Rafael down from his impulsive actions? And is there something more sinister at work here than he realizes?

*Fatal Exchange* draws readers into a complex matrix of intertwining lives and unraveling secrets, where every answer creates more questions. Romantic suspense fans will hardly want to come up for air.

## Fatal Exchange

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Lisa Harris



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# “Gilbert’s writing is smooth and

## EXCERPT

Like most people, Claire Massey had a long list of things she'd never done.

Claire travelled the world, but somehow had missed seeing the aurora borealis and its pretty colors, except in photographs. For years, she'd planned on taking French cooking lessons, but time ticked by and her hands never slipped a tray of homemade croissants into her fancy Thermador oven.

Her feet had never run a marathon. She'd never written a novel.

And until today, she'd never been inside the walls of a prison.

Claire fingered the fine-grain leather bag in her lap as the car slowly moved through heavy metal gates and past the guard tower that strangely resembled a childhood fort.

“You okay, Mom?”

Claire startled at her son's voice. “What? Uh . . . yes, I'm fine.” Her hand plunged inside her purse for her Dolce & Gabbanas. The sunglasses were a gift from Tuck. He'd slipped the gold-foiled package across the table to her at Riatas, his favorite steakhouse. *A little something for his darlin'*, he'd said.

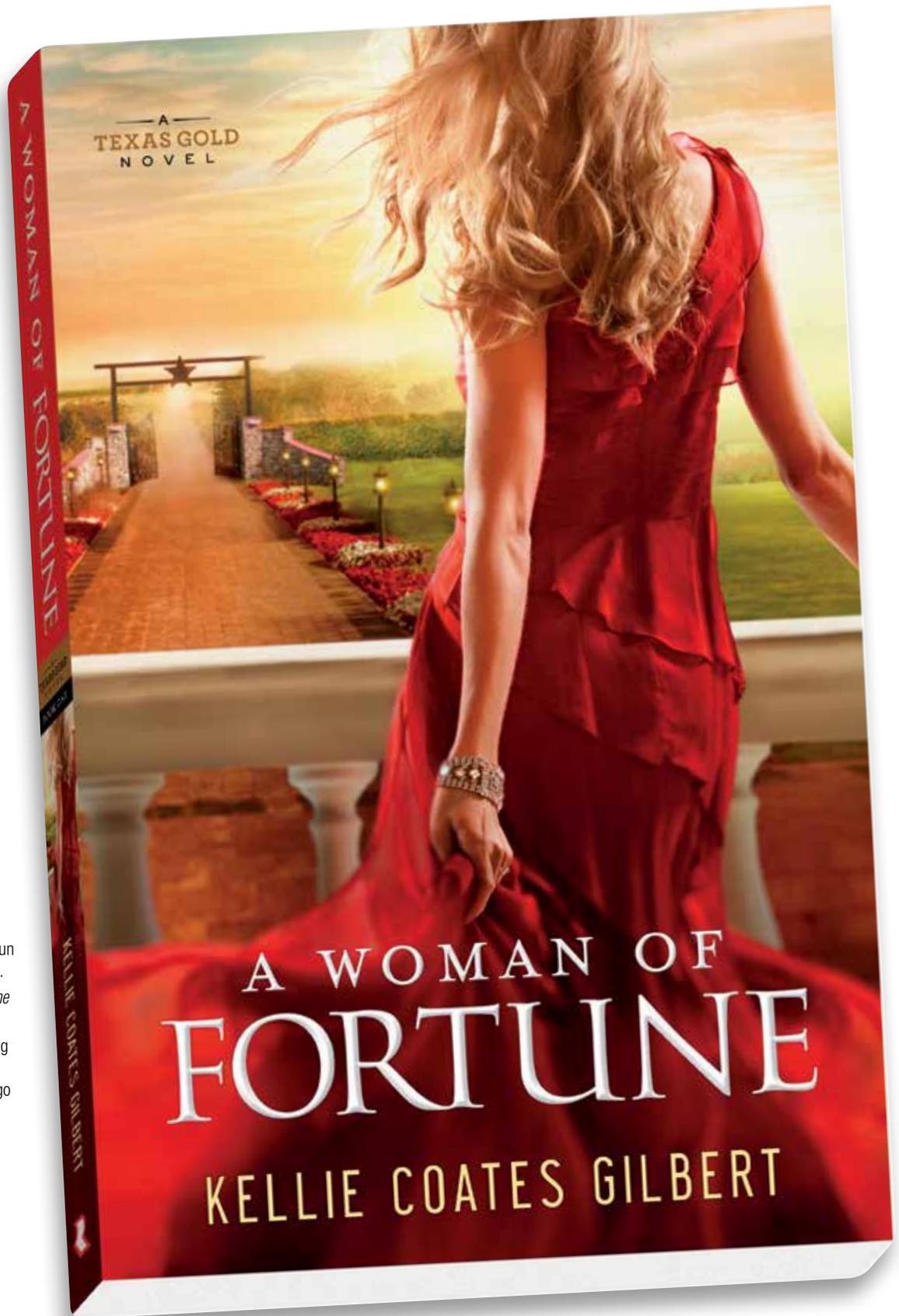
Max took a deep breath. “You don't have to do this, you know.”

Claire nodded, keeping her eyes averted from the razor wire that cut a line across the horizon. She slipped the glasses on, glad for the barrier between her budding tears and the harsh Texas sun reflecting off the building looming ahead.

She swallowed. Hard. *This was no time to lose it.*

Max pulled one hand from the steering wheel and slipped his palm over her trembling fingers. “Please Mom, let me go in with you.”

Claire shook her head. “No, this is something I need to do. Alone.”



# engaging.”—Julie Kibler, author of *Calling Me Home*

- Claire Massey’s high society world is turned upside down when her cattle broker husband is arrested for fraud
- Author’s richly layered characters reveal how family relationships often fracture in hard times
- Emotionally compelling novel will appeal to readers of Kristin Hannah

Texas socialite Claire Massey is living the dream. Her world is filled with designer clothes, luxury cars, and stunning homes. But her Neiman-Marcus lifestyle comes crashing down when her charming cattle broker husband is arrested for fraud. Suddenly, she finds herself facing attorneys, a media frenzy, and a trail of broken hearts. Betrayed and humiliated, Claire must start over against incredible odds to save her family—and discover a life worth living.

Poignant and emotionally gripping, *A Woman of Fortune* reveals the many ways we deceive ourselves and how resilience of the heart is essential to authentic living. Drawing on her experiences as a legal investigator, author Kellie Coates Gilbert delivers emotionally gripping plots and authentic characters. Readers will love Claire’s unbending determination as she strives to keep her family from falling apart and learns to embrace the kind of fortune that lasts.

## A Woman of Fortune

TEXAS GOLD COLLECTION

Kellie Coates Gilbert



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# “A satisfying and compelling

**EXCERPT**

As the two sisters walked toward home, Lizzie was the first to break the silence. “Mr. Horton surprised me, to say the least.”

“Why so?”

“He has been so somber, so much in grief. I wondered if he would ever recover. I have not heard him speak two words to anybody since his wife died. But look, I thought we would have to beg for a ginger cake and he gave us a sack full.”

“I am so glad he feels better, then. I meant to give him my condolences, but truly, I did not want to see the sadness in his eyes.”

“I think that best. At this juncture, if he may be happy for a moment or two 'tis a good thing for him.” She glanced quickly at her shoes and looked away. “I have worried that you could never find a suitor in Mowsley, and look at you! You managed to catch the eye of the most eligible man here. I think most people assumed Mr. Horton might not be looking so quickly.”

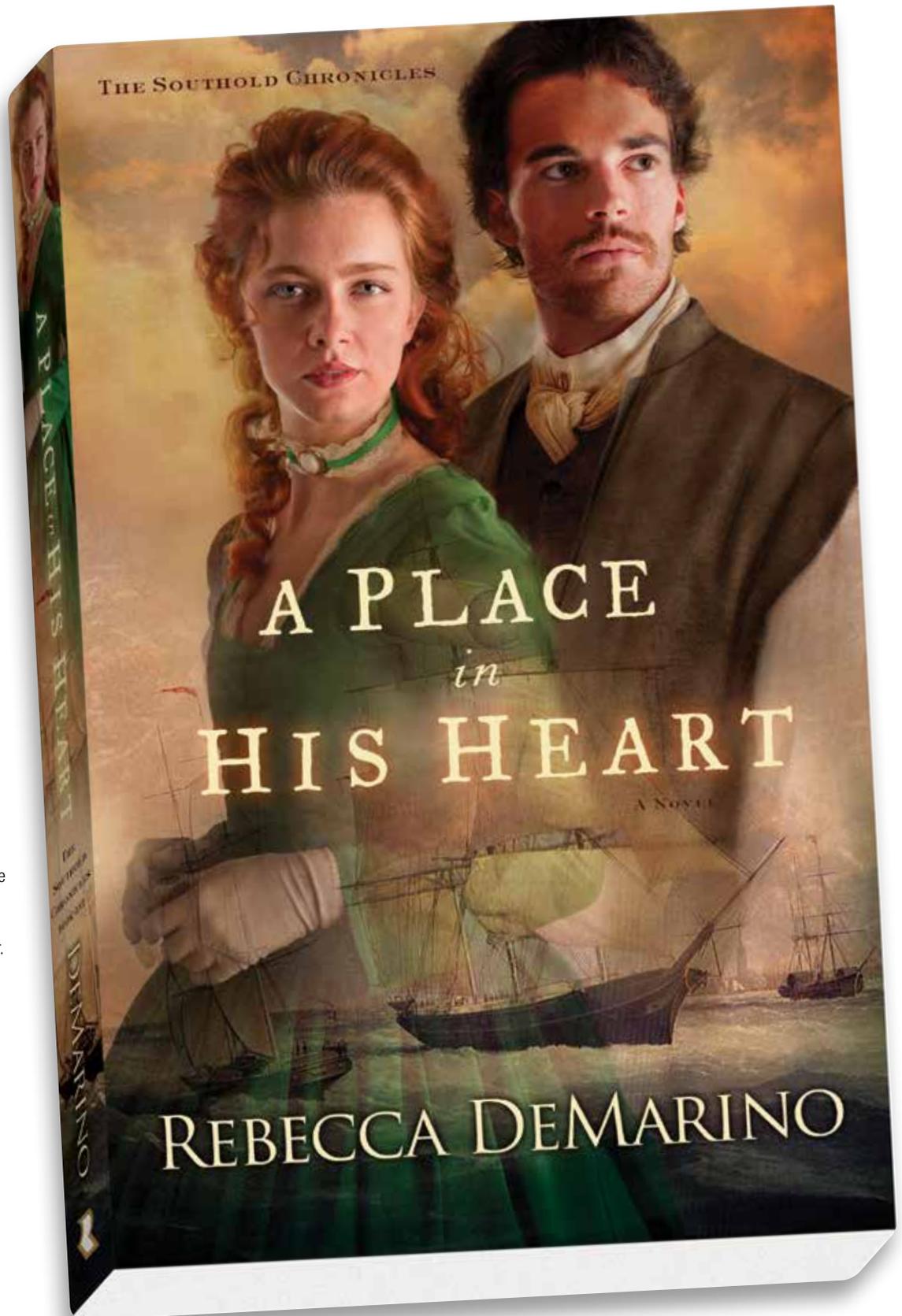
Mary darted a glance at her sister, her face warm. “Whatever do you mean?”

“Do not tell me you did not notice he could not take his eyes off of you.”

“Nay, sister, I did not notice. Truly.”

“If that be so, 'tis only because you could not take your eyes off of his kitchen.” A giggle erupted. “To be sure, he noticed you, little sister.”

Mary’s heart did a timid flutter. Could that be true? Would it be possible that Mr. Horton might fall in love with her?



# historical romance sure to win fans early for the entire series.”—Jane Kirkpatrick, bestselling author

- Debut novelist writes romance inspired by a true story
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- This story was a semi-finalist for the 2011 Genesis Award

Anglican Mary Langton longs to marry for love. Puritan Barnabas Horton is still in love with his deceased wife and needs only a mother for his two young sons. And yet these two very different people with very different expectations will take a leap of faith, wed, and then embark on a life-changing journey across the ocean to the Colonies. Along the way, each must learn to live in harmony, to wait on God, and to recognize true love where they least expect to find it.

This heartfelt tale of love and devotion is based on debut author Rebecca DeMarino's own ancestors, who came to Long Island in the mid-1600s to establish a life—and a legacy—in the New World.

## A Place in His Heart

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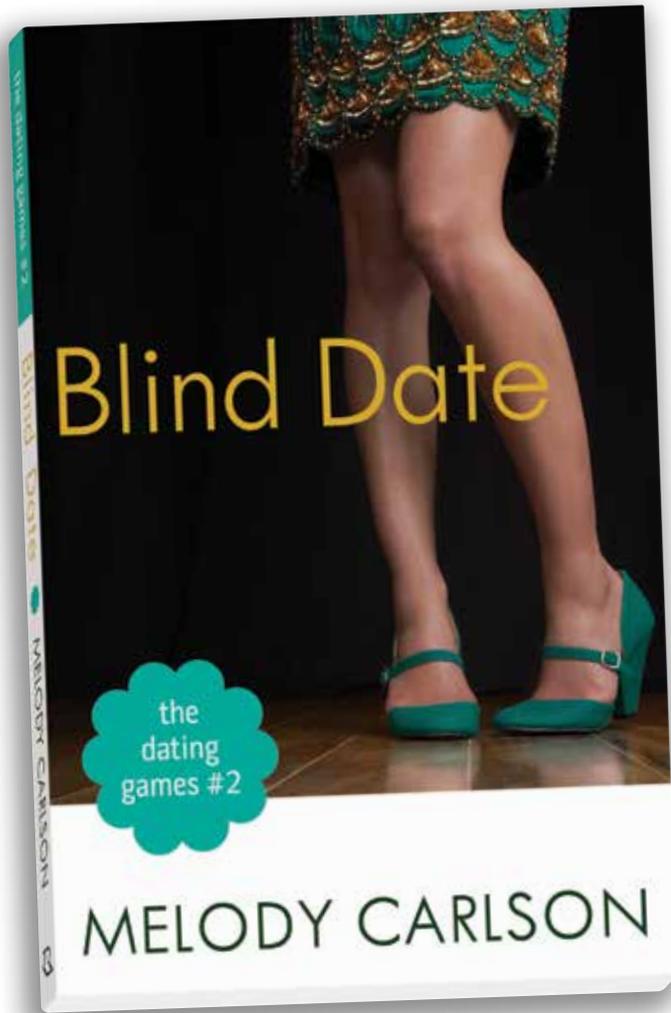
### ABOUT THE AUTHOR

**Rebecca DeMarino** is a member of American Christian Fiction Writers, Romance Writers of America, and The Southold Long Island Historical Society. She was a 2011 Genesis Award semi-finalist. Rebecca is retired from a major airline and lives in the **Pacific Northwest** with her husband, Tom. Learn more at [www.rebeccademarino.com](http://www.rebeccademarino.com).



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“Forget about *The Hunger Games!* *The Dating Games* is the new series to which you should be drawn.”—TheCelebrityCafe.com review of *The Dating Games #1: First Date*



- “Perfect for young Christian readers.”—Kirkus Review, review of *The Dating Games #1: First Date*
- Carlson’s reputation and ability to connect with teens’ lives continues to win her new fans
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The girls of the Dating Games club are at it again, setting each other up on five blind dates for the upcoming masquerade ball. Trouble is, some of the girls are wondering if the others can be trusted to deliver on their promises. In fact, there’s a very real danger that this dating treat could turn out to be nothing but a nasty trick.

Teens will be delighted to spend more time with Cassidy, Devon, Abby, Brynn, and Emma as they navigate the thrilling and awkward world of dating. As always, Melody Carlson subtly delivers great advice wrapped up tight in a package of fun and friendship.

## The Dating Games #2: Blind Date

THE DATING GAMES #2  
Melody Carlson



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Melody Carlson is the award-winning author of more than two hundred books, including the DATING GAMES series, the LIFE AT KINGSTON HIGH series, *Double Take*, *A Simple Song*, and *My Amish Boyfriend*. She has received a *Romantic Times* Career Achievement Award in the inspirational market for her many books, including the DIARY OF A TEENAGE GIRL series and *Finding Alice*. Melody and her husband live in Oregon. Learn more at [www.melodycarlson.com](http://www.melodycarlson.com).



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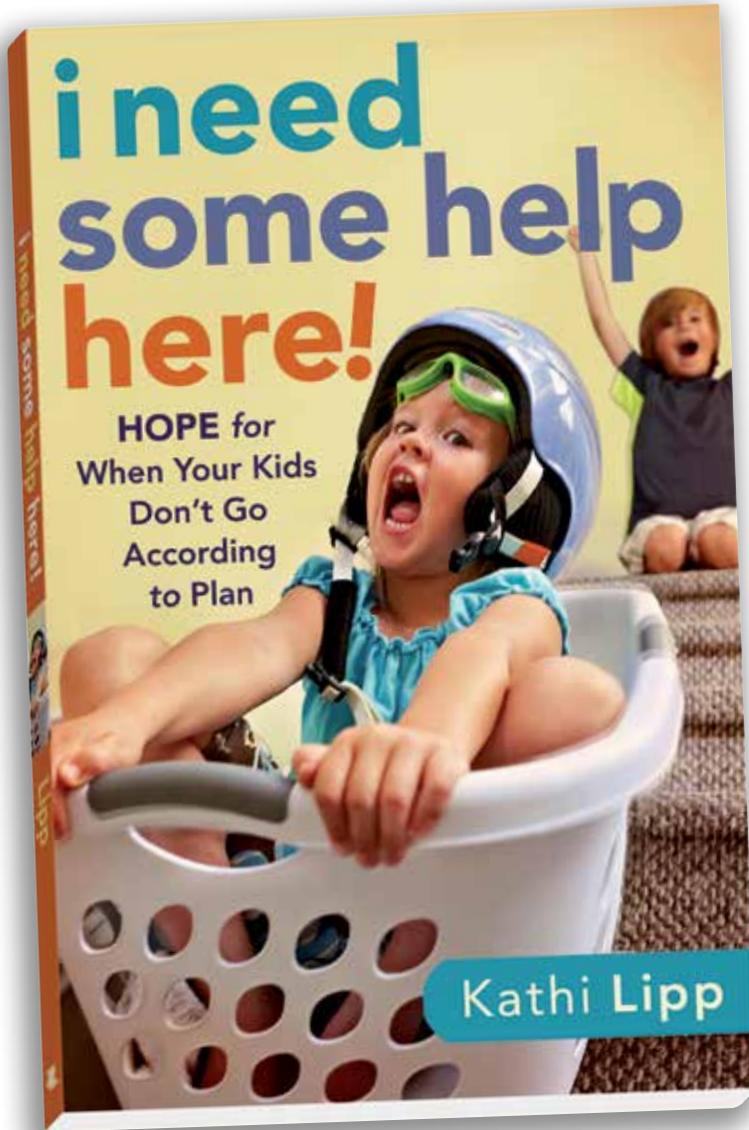
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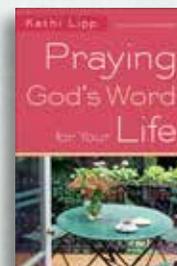
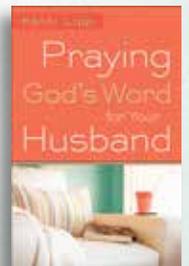


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# Move beyond Coping and

**EXCERPT**

In the coming pages, I will tell you where this journey for whitespace has brought me. To be honest, I don't want to tell you about any of it. Because I don't want anyone to see the memories I've wrapped so tightly to my chest for four decades—so tightly that I have forgotten they were even there.

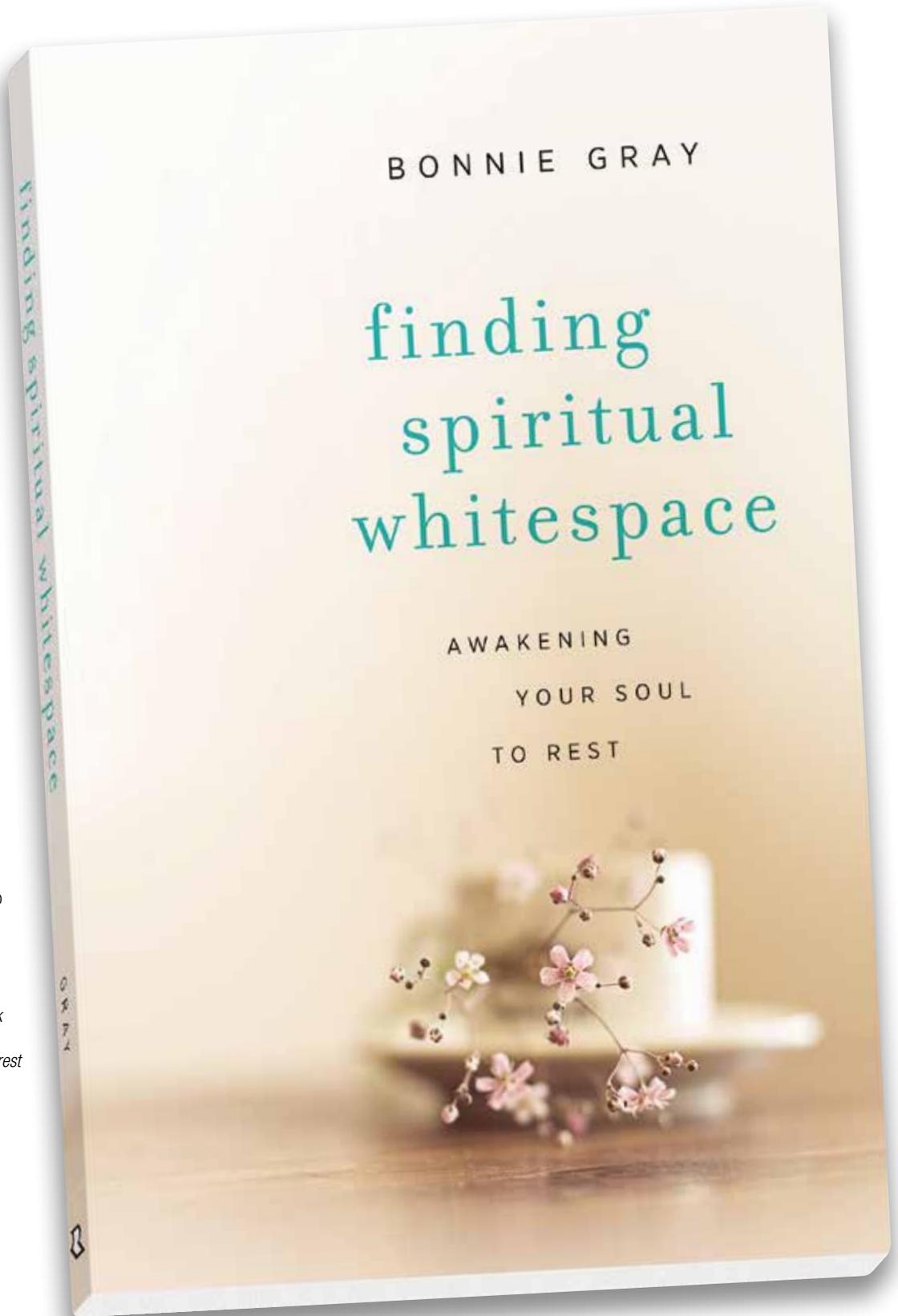
Because it's rather embarrassing. You would think that a woman my age, a wife loved by her soulmate hubby, a mom of two beautiful boys, a high tech professional who has managed a career leading product teams, who has traveled halfway across the world as a missionary to help others find Jesus, would certainly know how to rest.

You'd think someone who has trained others to study the Bible and launched ministries of friendship and faith would know better than allow herself to spiral into a place of uncontrollable anxiety, especially at a point in life when my childhood dream to write a book was coming true.

If there was ever a time to write about the goodness of God and paint you beautiful pictures and tell you the top 10 ways to find rest, it would be now.

But, I don't have such easy words to offer to you.

I only have whispers, etched in pain. *And I speak them with hope and encouragement, to assure you that no matter what is in the past, we can walk forward on this journey of the soul. We can find the white spaces inside us to rest together with Jesus.*



# Surviving to a Rejuvenating Place of Soul Rest

- Introduces the idea of spiritual whitespace as a creative way of spending alone time with God in order to bring rest to your soul
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## Finding Spiritual Whitespace

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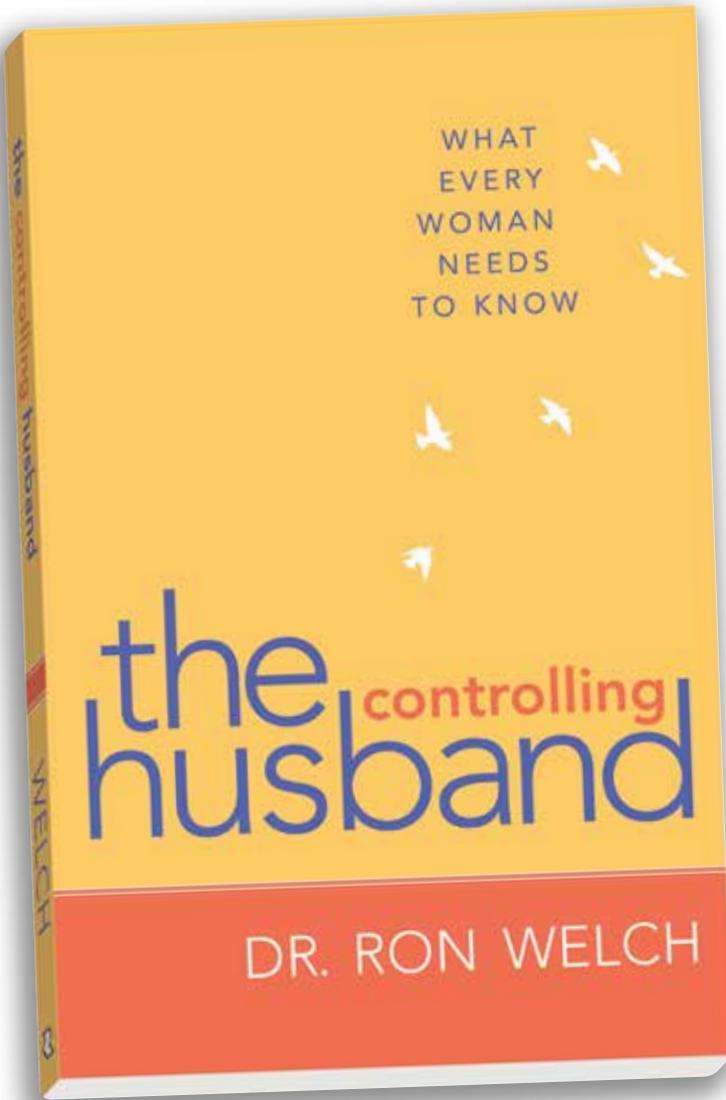
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# Experienced Counselor Offers Wisdom and Direction for Women in Controlling Marriages



- Welch has been a clinical psychologist for 20 years and is overcoming this issue in his own marriage
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- Shows how controlling husbands develop, how wives allow it, and how both can change

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 "I've given up trying to change him."  
 "I can't ever be good enough."  
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For wives of controlling husbands, along with the friends and family members who love and are concerned about them, this is an essential resource. Counselors will also find it helpful as they work with hurting couples.

## The Controlling Husband

Dr. Ron Welch



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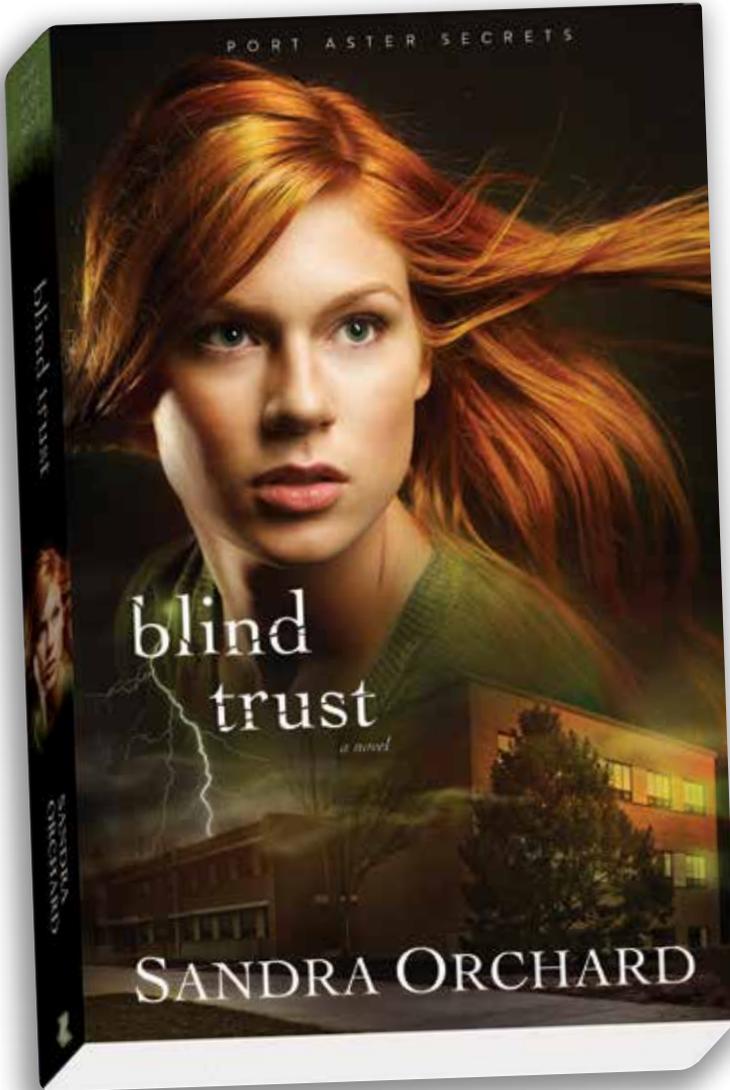
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**Dr. Ron Welch** (PsyD, Central Michigan University) serves on the faculty of Denver Seminary. Welch has over twenty years of experience in clinical psychology and has extensive experience working with couples and with men with narcissistic and antisocial personality styles. He has developed the Transformational Marriage™ approach, which helps couples through counseling, seminars, and publications. He and his wife, Jan, have walked the road of a controlling marriage personally and live in **Littleton, Colorado**.



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- Investigating a small-time counterfeit operation leads amateur sleuth Kate Adams into a far more elaborate web of intrigue
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# Ten Years and Six Million Copies

**EXERPT**

It's been twenty-five years since my fatal accident on a lonely bridge on a cold rainy east Texas morning. Yet some days when the piercing pain revisits me, it seems as if that crash happened yesterday.

Fourteen years following those momentous events on the bridge, I released the chronicle of that ordeal in a book called *90 Minutes in Heaven: A True Story of Death and Life*. . .

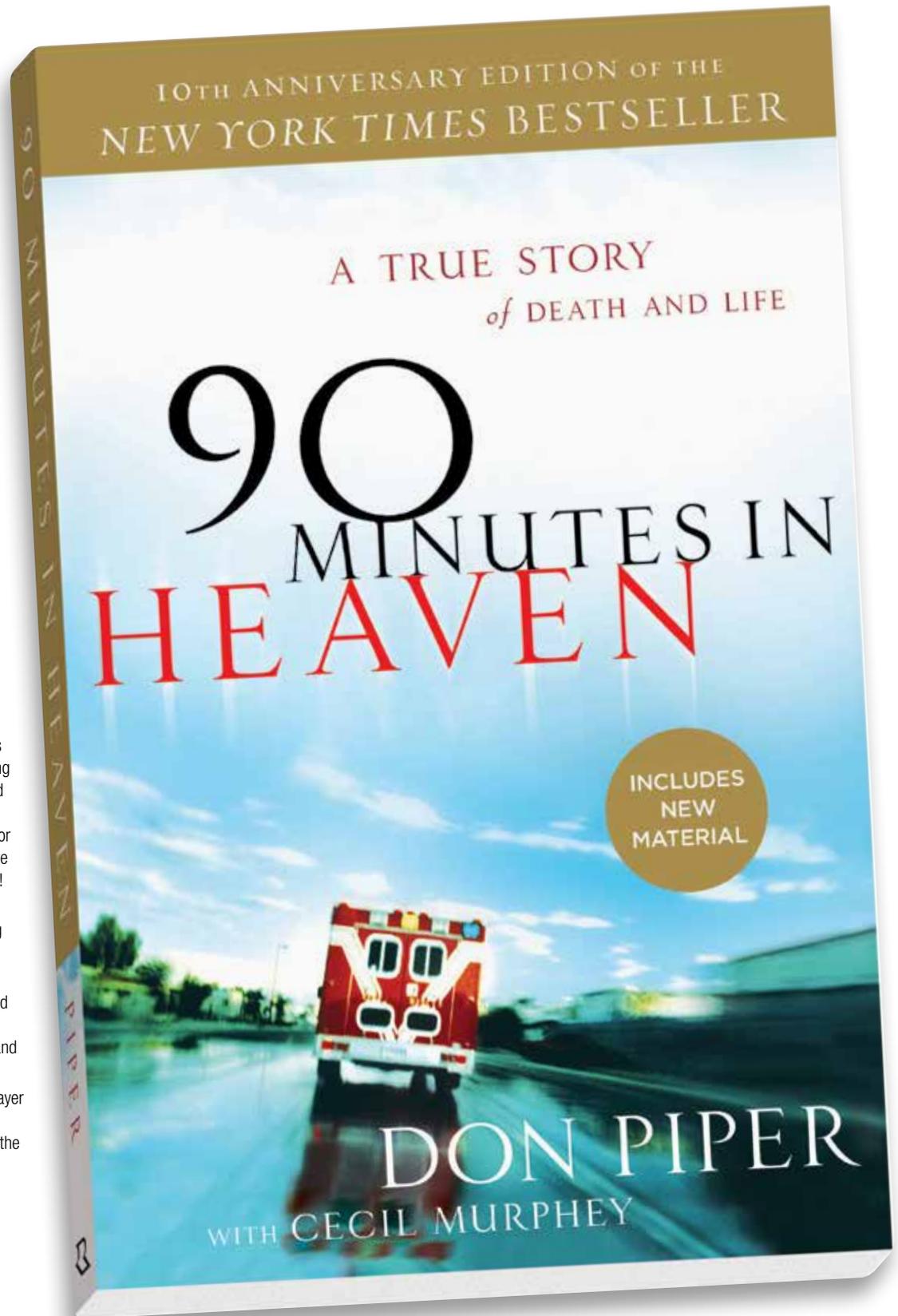
Never among our most ambitious hopes was the prospect that *90 Minutes in Heaven* would achieve the sort of amazing reach and impact that it has had. More books and millions of miles in front of millions of people have followed. As astounding as those facts are, the real joy for me is the thousands of dollars that we have been able to share with those in need worldwide. It's the visits that I've had with those recovering from tragedy and loss, especially those wearing external fixators. It's meeting people that I have prayed for on previous visits that are brought to meet me on subsequent visits. And the words, "see, we prayed and now they can walk on their own."

But above all, it's the thousands of souls that I have seen come to Christ after reading the book or hearing the testimony. Men and women boys and girls who email me, call me, share with me at a book signing table or walk forward during an altar call to say, "I've just trusted the Lord as savior!" Praise God!

In 2004 when I wrote the Acknowledgments I penned words that ring even more true today:

"Lord, I haven't always understood the whys of what happened, but I never stopped trusting you. I pray, Abba Father, that this humble effort to tell my story pleases you and blesses many. Amen.

I can say without reservation that my prayer has been answered! Just as the prayers of those who prayed for me that rainy day on the way to church were answered.



# Later, *90 Minutes in Heaven* Continues to Impact Lives Worldwide

- The book that started the heaven publishing phenomenon celebrates its ten-year anniversary
- New material includes publisher’s note, stories from readers, personal update from the author, favorite Scriptures and quotations on heaven from Don Piper, and a photo insert
- Don Piper continues to speak at events and appear on media nationwide

In the ten years since *90 Minutes in Heaven* was published, millions of people worldwide have read the incredible true story of Don Piper’s experience with death and life—and in reading they have found their own lives changed.

After a semi-truck collided with Don Piper’s car, he was pronounced dead at the scene. For the next ninety minutes, he experienced the glories of heaven. Back on earth, a passing minister felt led to stop and pray for the accident victim even though he was told Piper was dead. Miraculously, Piper came back to life, and the pleasure of heaven was replaced by a long and painful recovery.

With a personal update from Don on the impact the book has had on him, his family, and the millions who have heard his story, even those who have read the original book will want to be part of the continuing story of *90 Minutes in Heaven* with this new edition. Also includes a note from the publisher, stories from readers, favorite Scriptures and quotations on heaven from Don Piper, and a photo insert.

## 90 Minutes in Heaven, 10th anniversary edition

Don Piper with Cecil Murphey



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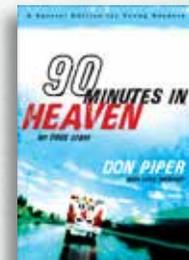
**Don Piper** has been an ordained minister since 1985. He is the author of the *New York Times* bestseller *90 Minutes in Heaven* and other popular books. He has appeared on *Today*, *The 700 Club*, James Robison’s *Life Today*, and other television and radio programs, and teaches across the United States and around the world. He and his wife, Eva, live in **Pasadena, Texas**. Learn more at [www.donpiperministries.com](http://www.donpiperministries.com).



**Cecil Murphey** has written or coauthored more than one hundred books, including the autobiography of Franklin Graham, *Rebel with a Cause*. A collaborator on the bestseller *Gifted Hands* with Dr. Ben Carson, Cecil resides in **Atlanta, Georgia**.

### ALSO AVAILABLE

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# “Fans will cheer at this latest

**EXCERPT**

This secret life was doing her in.

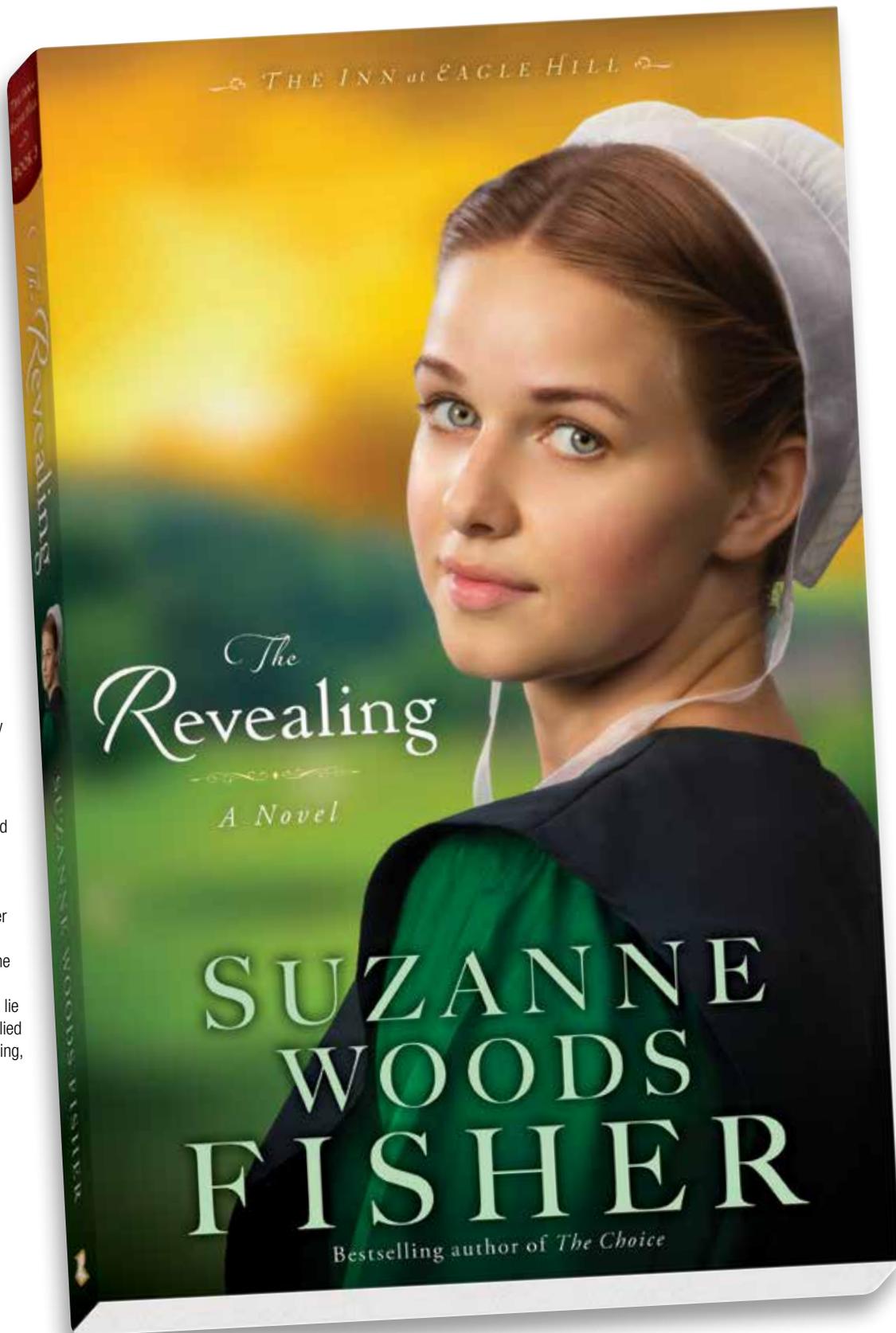
At times, Naomi wondered how in the world she had become so secretive. She used to be the type who would answer any question, talk to anyone about anything. No longer. Maybe she'd become more guarded after years of enduring dreadful migraines that had kept her pinned home so much of the time, waiting for the worst to pass. Maybe it was because she'd never had a reason to keep a secret of this magnitude. Most likely, it was because she didn't realize what she was missing until now. It was as if she had come out of the shadows and into the real world.

And it all had to do with Tobe Schrock.

Tobe was serving out a sentence at FCI Schuylkill in Minersville for withholding evidence about wrongdoings in Schrock Investments, his late father's investment company, from the Securities Exchange Commission. Minersville was a one-hour-and-thirty-one-minute bus ride from Lancaster, plus another twelve-minute bus ride from Lancaster to Stoney Ridge. Naomi had it timed to the second.

Except for today, when the bus to Stoney Ridge had run late.

As she walked down the lane, she tried very hard to do nothing but take deep breaths and think about Tobe. It helped a little, but not enough. She found herself nervously twirling the strings of her prayer cap and forced her hands down by her sides. Stubbornly, she wrestled against the anxiety. If Galen were already home and asked where she had been, she wouldn't lie to him. *I will not lie.* She had never once lied to him, though she didn't tell him everything, either.



# offering from the popular Amish romance specialist.” —*Publishers Weekly* on *The Letters*

- Readers return to the Inn at Eagle Hill where the newest guests are not who they seem to be
- “Fisher’s characters are living the simple life—or trying to, despite the hardships they are facing—and learning how to adjust their way of life without compromising their beliefs.”  
—*RT Book Reviews* on *The Letters*

**N**aomi King, soft spoken, loyal, and easily overlooked, has a gift. She sees what others can’t see. Intuition, she calls it. Others in Stoney Ridge don’t know what to make of it and dismiss her hunches and inklings altogether.

When a young woman arrives at the Inn at Eagle Hill with a shocking secret about Tobe Schrock, Naomi fears the worst. She can’t ignore the feeling that something sinister is at work— something more than a threat to the tenuous love begun between her and Tobe.

As signs mount, they begin to point to Jake Hertzler, the elusive mastermind behind Schrock Investments’ downfall. Soon, events spiral hopelessly out of control and Naomi must decide whether to listen to her head or her heart.

In this riveting conclusion to THE INN AT EAGLE HILL series, bestselling author Suzanne Woods Fisher pulls out all the stops with a fast-paced tale of deception, revelation, and just the right dose of romance.

## The Revealing

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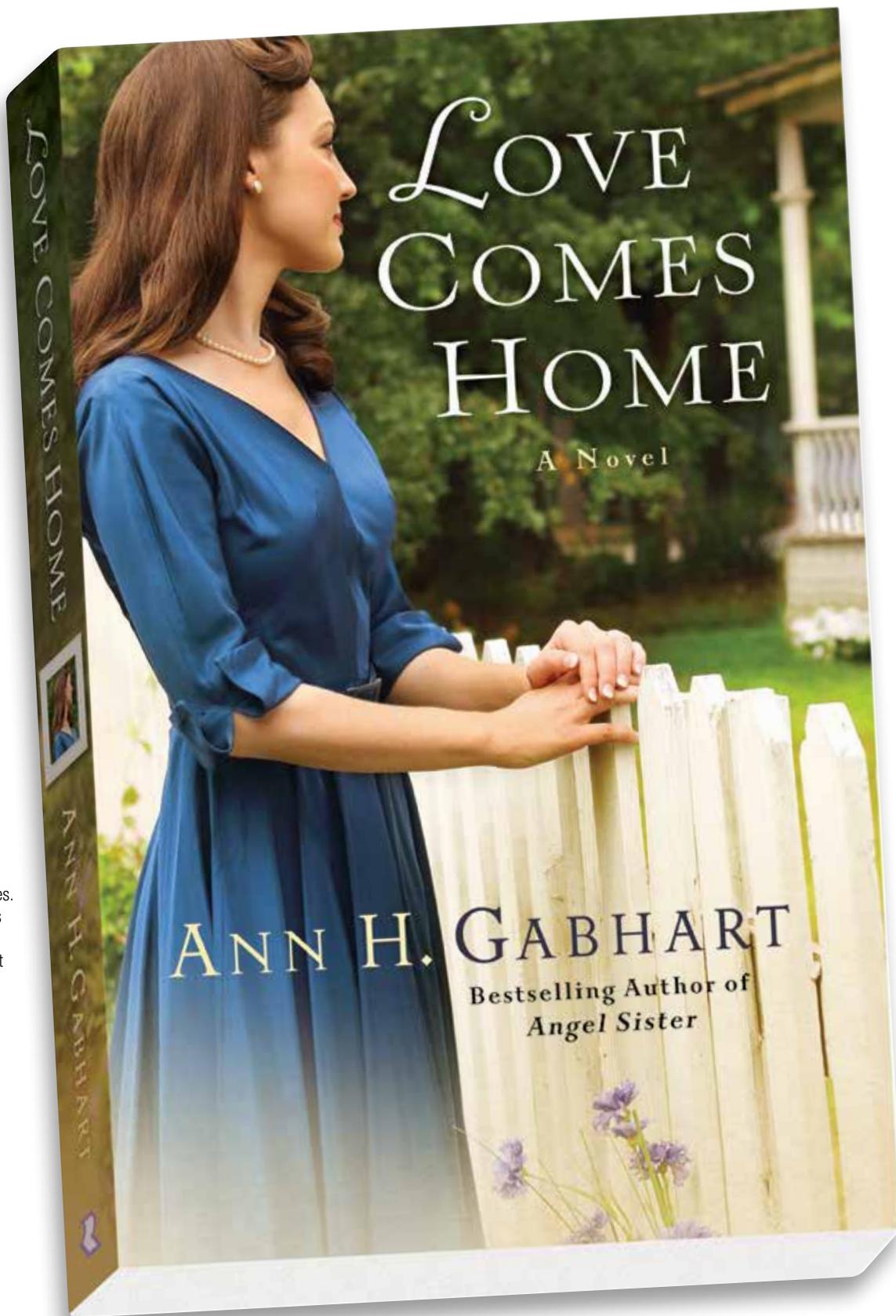
## EXCERPT

The news was good. The news was wonderful. Horns were blaring. People were shouting as they spilled out of the stores and office buildings into the streets. Kate Tanner grabbed her notebook and pencil and headed out of the newspaper building to join the crowd. This wasn't just the chance for another story. Her feet needed to be dancing in the streets too.

The boys were coming home! Japan had surrendered. The bombs, the terrible bombs, had finished the fighting. The war was over.

A man she'd never seen before grabbed her the second she stepped out on the street, lifted her off her feet and spun her around. He was smiling. She was smiling. He said something when he turned her loose, but she had no idea what as the noise around them drowned out his words. He laughed and slung his hat up in the air with no worry of retrieving it before he ran on up the street to lift another woman up in a victory dance.

Everywhere people were waving handkerchiefs and papers in the air. Kate joined in with her notebook. Sal, the guy who ran the restaurant across the street, grabbed her in a bear hug and knocked her notebook out of her hand. It didn't matter. Every second of this scene would be burned in her memory forever. The smiles on the faces. The boys shimmying up the lamp posts who wouldn't have to worry about the draft now. Girls sparkling at the thought of their sweethearts coming home. Sparkling like Kate.



# fast-paced stories.”

—*RT Book Reviews*, 4 star review of *Small Town Girl*

- Gabhart returns readers to the beloved characters in *Angel Sister* and *Small Town Girl*
- Readers will be caught up in the characters’ lives, rooting for them to find love and happiness
- Captures the optimism and can-do spirit of small-town America following WWII

World War II is finally over and the people of Rosey Corner are busy welcoming the boys home. The Merritt sisters in particular are looking toward the future. Kate is eager to start a family and live out her dream of happily ever after with Jay. Evangeline wants a beautiful house and encourages Mike to pastor a big-town church. Victoria wants what can never be—a life with a man who will never come back. And little Lorena is growing up and wondering more and more about her birth family.

Through the heartfelt storytelling of bestselling author Ann Gabhart, readers join these endearing characters as they walk an uncertain road. Each sister must learn to hold her plans with a loose hand, trusting that God will guide and strengthen them as they share the joys and sorrows of life in their little corner of the world.

## Love Comes Home

Ann H. Gabhart



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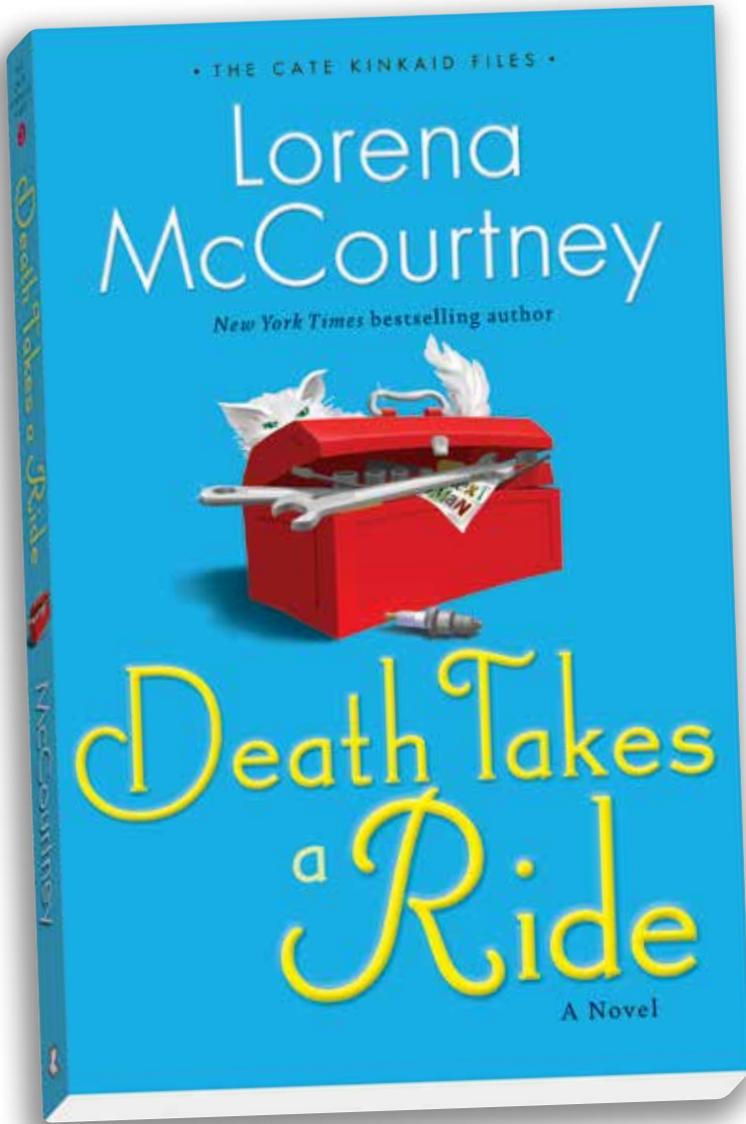
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Cate Kinkaid arrives at H&B Classic Auto Restorations to give a friend a ride. But, as usual, trouble finds Kate even there—this time in the form of one dead man, one wounded man, and what appears to be a pretty obvious case of self-defense. Owner Matt Halliday wants to hire her, but not for this case. Instead, Cate is charged with finding a man who owns a particular motorcycle Matt would like to buy. As her search progresses, she begins to suspect that the shooting in Matt's office may not have been as cut-and-dried as it appeared.

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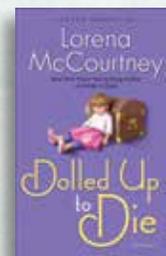
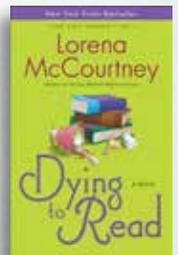
### ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Lorena McCourtney is the *New York Times* bestselling and award-winning author of dozens of novels, including *Invisible* (which won the Daphne du Maurier Award from Romance Writers of America), *Dying to Read*, and *Dolled Up to Die*. She resides in **Oregon**. Learn more at [www.lorenamcCourtney.com](http://www.lorenamcCourtney.com).

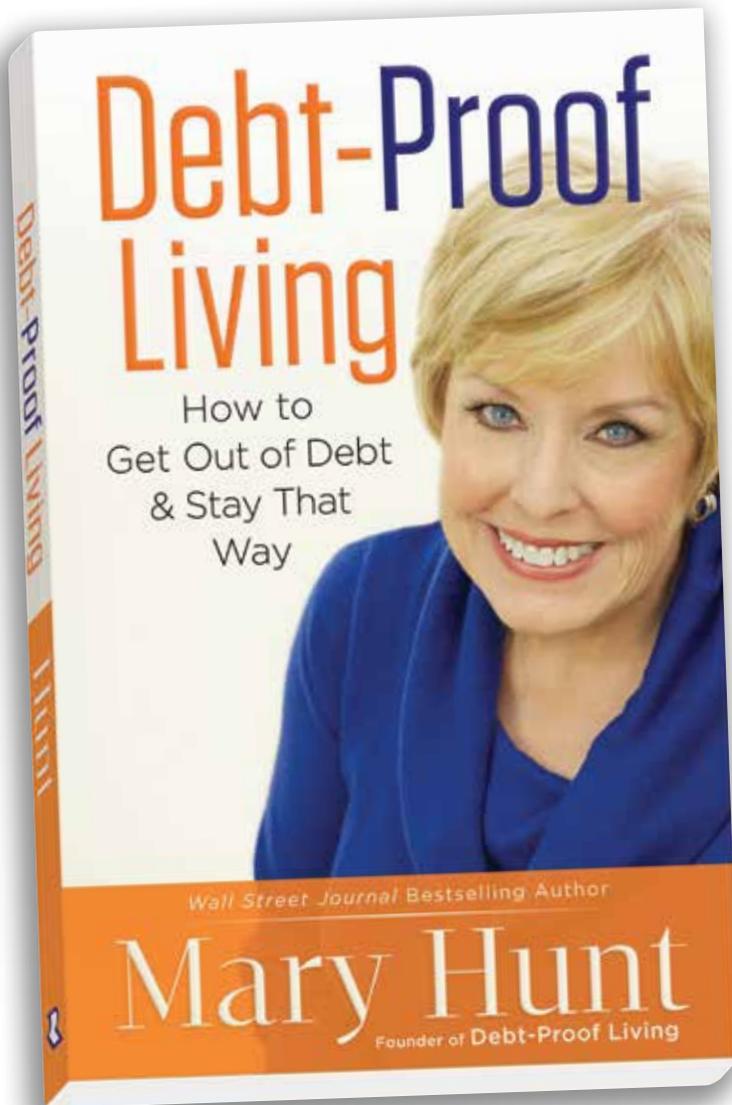


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# Simple Strategies for Getting Out of Debt and Staying Debt-Free



- Hunt is founder of Debt-Proof Living, an organization that helps individuals gain and maintain financial freedom
- Author's personal finance advice has been featured in *Woman's Day*, *Redbook*, *Parenting*, *First for Women*, and *All You*
- Hunt has appeared on *TODAY*, *Fox News*, *Fox Business*, and *Dr. Phil*
- With over 130,000 copies sold, this classic gets a new look

Mortgages, credit card balances, student loans, car loans, and home improvement loans have become a way of life for the majority of us. And debt is putting not only our present at risk as we live paycheck to paycheck, but our futures in jeopardy as shockingly few of us have enough put away for retirement. Personal financial expert Mary Hunt wants readers to embrace the radical but simple truth that they don't need more credit or more stuff—that they can live their lives debt-free.

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Her books have sold more than a million copies, and her daily newspaper column, *Everyday Cheapskate*, is nationally syndicated through Creators Syndicate and is enjoyed by hundreds of thousands of readers. Hunt speaks widely on personal finance and has appeared on shows such as NBC's *TODAY* and *Dr. Phil*. She and her husband live in **California**. Learn more at [www.debtproofliving.com](http://www.debtproofliving.com).

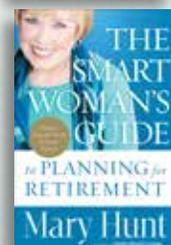
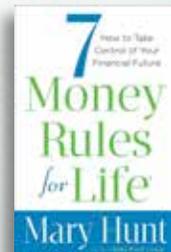
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# True Tale of a Rogue Torpedo

**EXCERPT**

Our dog has special needs, the greatest might be the need for a lobotomy. After that, he could use a good dose of Prozac. Add some Ritalin and he'd approach a vague semblance of a well-adjusted canine. Feels almost doable.

Except for his trail of freakish accidents and half-baked suicide attempts.

Sometimes I think if Henry—that's the dog—had ended up in a different family, we'd all be better off. Some combinations just don't mix. Take Mentos candy and diet cola. Put them together, and you get a carbonated geyser blowing your bottle cap.

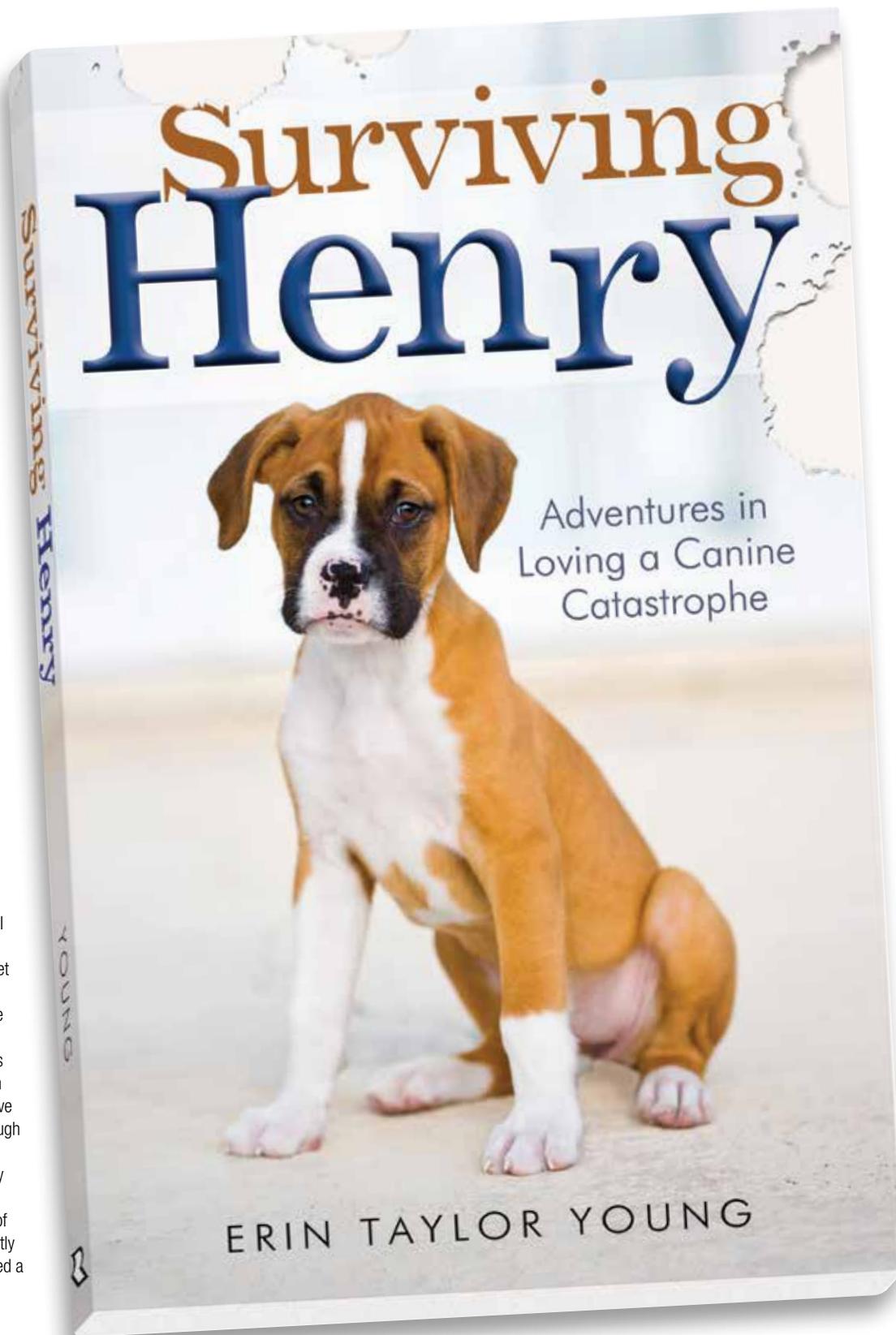
Pets are supposed to be fun. A pleasant enrichment of your life. Dogs especially. Loving, loyal, sleeping by your feet.

Henry is the anti-dog.

I don't believe in divine misprints. But life with Henry makes me wonder.

Today, for instance, I find myself careening through my neighborhood at Mach five, clinging to the handlebars of a wobbly, electric scooter tied to a brawny dog whose sole desire—I discover a bit too late—is to tow me pell-mell across the Yukon and back. Lemme tell ya, they don't make brakes strong enough for that.

Contrary to what you might believe, I did not wake up this morning and wish for death. I was simply implementing yet another wear-out-the-dog plan. Henry is a purebred boxer, a bundle of muscle who makes other high-energy dogs look comatose. We try to counteract his spirited enthusiasm—otherwise known as maniacal hyperactivity—with massive doses of exercise. Better behavior through exhaustion, and all that. But we never tire Henry enough to achieve one piddly bit of better behavior. Walks don't do it. I could hike until my feet blistered out of my sneakers, and Henry might be slightly winded. I, on the other hand, would need a skin transplant.



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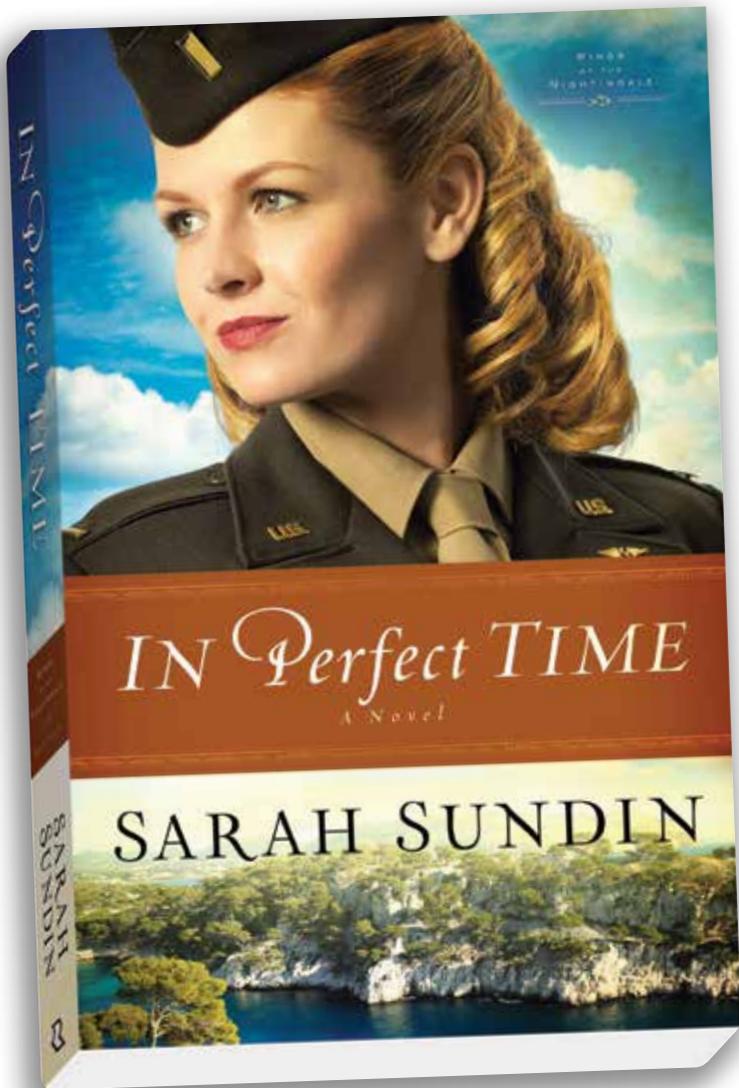
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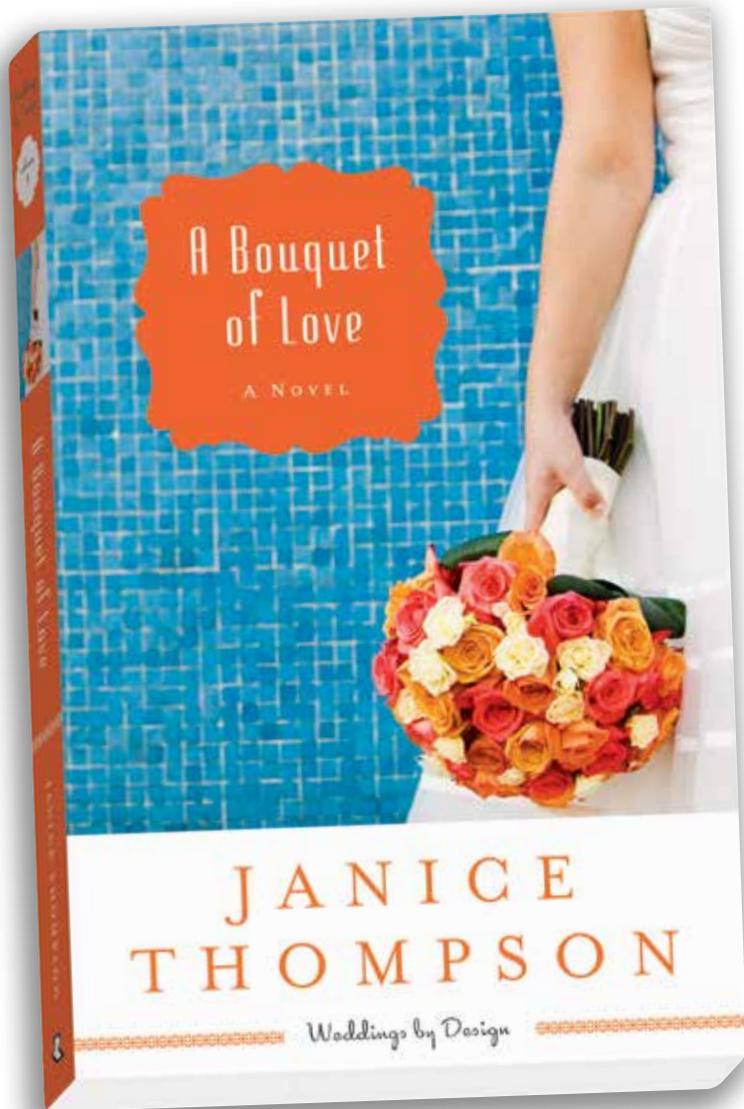


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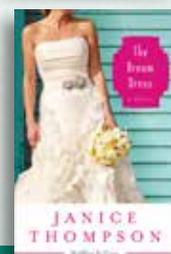
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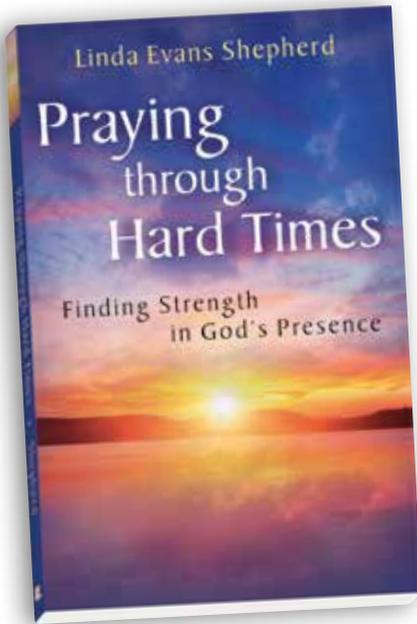
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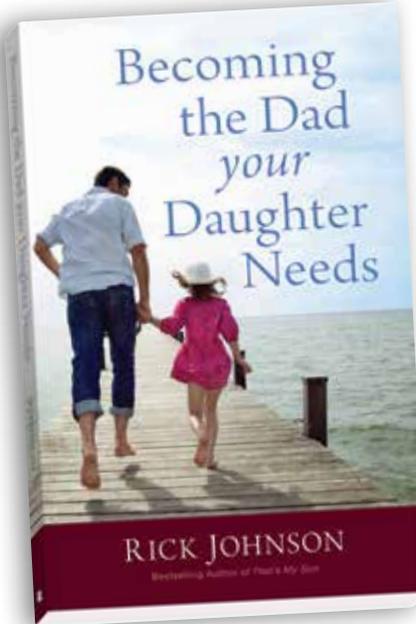
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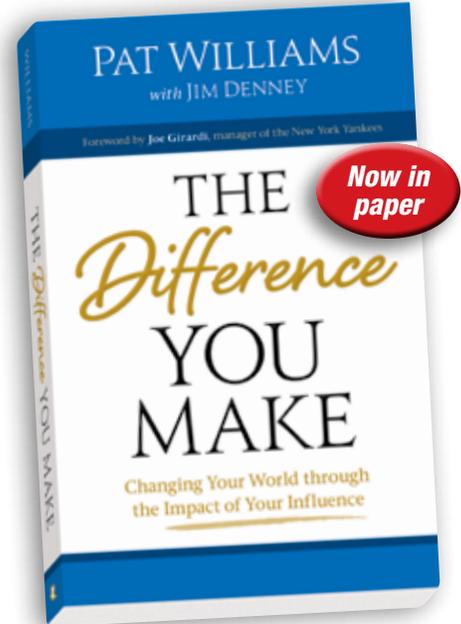
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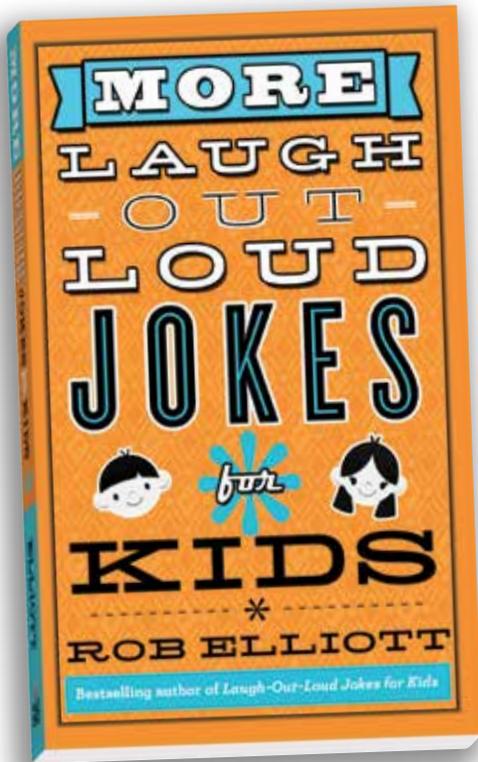
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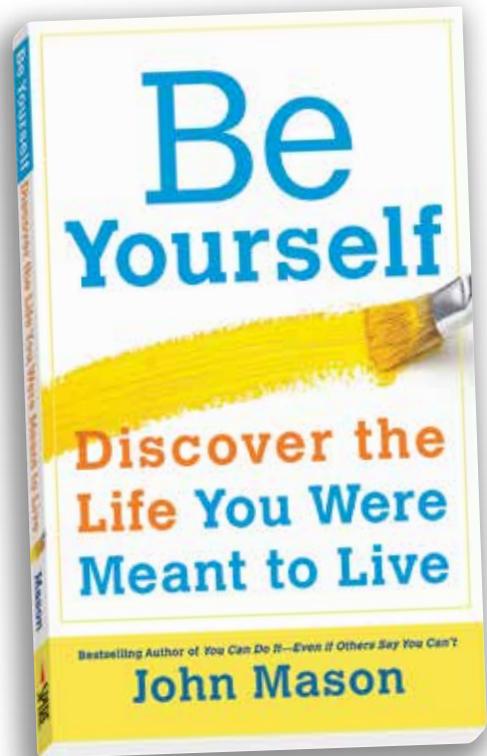
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