

A Chance Of A Lifetime A Tallgrass Novel

Sometimes love finds you when you least expect it . . .
. To Benita Ford, Tallgrass, Oklahoma, will always be home. It's where her beloved grandmother raised her and where she rode bikes with her two best friends-the man who became her husband and Calvin. And Tallgrass is where she stayed, even after her husband died while serving his country. Now Calvin is home from that same war, and the sensitive, mischievous boy she once knew is today a man scarred by wounds no one else can see. Falling in love with him is something Bennie never imagined. Tallgrass still haunts Captain Calvin Sweet. Yet it's where he must go to see Bennie-the one woman he always loved but could never have. Calvin regrets so much about what happened years ago. Still he can't deny being with Bennie makes his future feel bright, like anything is possible. But the demons of his past won't be quieted that easily. As old hurts linger, threatening to pull them apart, Calvin and Bennie must take the ultimate risk for the love of a lifetime . . .

Een jonge, gescheiden vrouw krijgt de erfenis van haar vader pas nadat ze een jaar in New York heeft gewoond en daar haar grootmoeder heeft gezocht. The purpose of this Paperback is to start a debate about the real problem of how we should educate

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our young people. It is based on the book *Chance of a Lifetime: How the other half loses* by Jonathan Langdale and John Harrison. To be winners today, young people have to be good at school (or very lucky). Clearly, a great many of them aren't good at school, but we believe they are all good at something. Because the Great and the Good became the Great and the Good because they were good at school, the received wisdom is that their kind of academic schooling is good for everyone it must be! Look how successful they are! Thus the best schools must be facsimiles of their schools and schoolchildren must all be judged by their standards the gold standards of GCSE A*-C and A Levels followed by university. If only everyone was as academically clever as they are, wouldn't the world be a better place? And the children who fail at their kind of schooling are just that failures. Over the years we have blamed the failure of secondary education on: The governors The head teachers The teachers and above all The pupils. *Chance of a Lifetime* shows that: It isn't the governors It isn't the head teachers It isn't the teachers and It certainly isn't the pupils It's the academically focussed secondary school itself.

This report describes the effects of poor housing on children's development and life chances. It explains the impact of poor housing conditions, overcrowding, and homelessness on children's health, safety, and

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learning, as well as the longer term effects on their economic well-being and behaviour. The report concludes with policy recommendations for the British government.

An electrifying tale of love and adventure in the Wild West from a writer who “can always be counted on to deliver a moving, tender romance” (*Affaire de Coeur*). Fort Davis, Department of Texas, 1868. Sabrina Bolton’s life is marked by terrible guilt: her twin sister’s death when they were five left their mother in a perpetual state of melancholy. Now she barely speaks to Sabrina except to admonish her. Fourteen years later, Sabrina wants more. She wants romance. And she cannot summon one tender feeling for the suitor her mother has chosen for her. Then Tremayne rides onto Fort Davis. Reared by Apaches after his parents were murdered, he considers himself an outcast in both worlds. To him, all white-eyes women are witless. As if to prove the point, he almost runs down a fiery-haired woman who has wandered into the street and tripped on her skirts. He helps her stand, and from that moment he finds no peace unless he is with Sabrina. Tremayne knows he must eventually leave her, before she becomes an outcast, too. But once the heart has found its true desire, can it ever let go? “Vaughan possesses a remarkable command of place and sensation. Readers will feel the whalebone stays digging into Sabrina’s sides as her mother laces her

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to fit a too-tight gown.” —Crescent Blues Book Views A Chance of a Lifetime details Singapore's history of urban planning, and Lee Kuan Yew's role in the development of the modern city-state.

Danni finds that she must give up things (like boys) to be a champion ice-skater, so she wonders if that's the life she really wants.

Learn how to Create Luck in Your Life. Opportunities are Everywhere if You Look, it's All Around You, You just have to Take a Chance and Put Yourself Out There. People who are Lucky, it's because they Tried their Luck and Took a Risk or a Chance that Most People are Afraid to Take. Find out the Easy Things You Can Do to Attract Easy Luck in Your life, whether it be Your work Life, Career, or Love, Wealth or Something Else. Learn how to Create Luck Today !!!

A new life down under? It's not as perfect as you'd think. Katie and Tom's marriage is in trouble. As is their bank account. So, when Tom tells Katie that they need to talk, she knows it must be about one of two things, and neither are good. But when he blindsides her saying that his boss is sending him to Australia – permanently – Katie realises it might just be what they need to save their marriage. Trouble is, she doesn't like the heat, can't swim and hates spiders. Not to mention the bouts of homesickness – and Tom's endless business trips. Katie is finding the hope of saving their marriage slowly slipping through

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her fingers. But Katie is determined to take the bull by the horns – and her Speedos by the strap – and tackles her new life. When all is said and done which side of the globe will she decide to call home? 'An entertaining, fast-moving, page-turner for anyone dreaming of a new life' Jane Corry, best-selling author of *Her Dead Ex*. Previously published as *Jacaranda Wife*.

The Harmony novels are “Jodi Thomas all the way—super characters [and] lots of riveting subplots.”* Now the New York Times bestselling author takes us back to Harmony, Texas, where big dreams are brewing—and anything and everything is possible... Emily, the local librarian, has started a writing group, but as the group stumbles through both the fiction and reality of their lives, they're learning much more than how to write. But Emily suddenly has other things on her mind when a friend from her past shows up in Harmony's library. Now she must deal with a secret she's kept for fifteen years—a secret that changed her life and threatens to shatter her future. Meanwhile, new lawyer Rick Matheson thinks he's in charge of his world until accidents start happening all around him. Just when he realizes someone is trying to kill him, he meets a beautiful U.S. Marshal named Trace Adam. Now that the marshal has given him an even stronger reason to go on living, he must learn to take a chance on life to dream bigger—and love better—than he ever has

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before... *Romance Reviews Today

The opportunity to swap bodies with those outworld aliens and to see the other planet as its natives saw it was too good to pass up. It would be a unique experience ... the chance of a lifetime!

Did you see that? I didn't. But Charlie Holiday did. Are there more than the five senses? What if there were and the key to unlocking them was hidden in undercooked scrambled eggs on a Thai night train? Very unlikely. Wait. Which part? The eggs on the night train? Or unlocking a sixth sense? Charlie Holiday is about to find out.

No risk. No reward. Erik O'Neill has finally stopped looking for trouble. Now, trouble's come looking for him. After years of cage fighting, Erik is ready to step away from the Nova Club's fight ring and into a new role – security for the club he calls home. All his plans change when a lovely loner starts visiting the club, and he finds himself caught between the need to safeguard his home and his friends, and his desire to protect the woman laying claim to his heart. Chance is a cyborg with a secret. If the wrong people find her, she'll lose her shot at having the life she dreams of – or any life at all. She's come to the Drift looking for allies, but when she meets Erik, she discovers he can offer her more than safety. He's her chance at happiness, too. When time runs out, she'll have to make a choice that will change her life forever - keep running, or turn to the one man her heart tells her she can trust. Publishers Note: This story was previously released as part of the Loved In Space Anthology. This edition has been revised and expanded. Keywords: Cyborg Romance, romantic, alpha male, genes, protector, disguise
Sherrill and Alan grew up together and have been friends

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ever since. Sherrill gets invited to visit her wealthy relatives in New York and Alan is offered to take part in an important archaeological mission in Egypt at the same time. What seems as a chance of a lifetime for both soon turns out to be the complete opposite. Sherrill and Alan realize that the only true happiness is when they are together.

Virgin River 3 – Weerzien in Virgin River De bekende Virgin River-boeken nu verfilmd voor Netflix In het plaatsje Virgin River, idyllisch gelegen in de Californische natuur, spelen de verhalen van Robyn Carr zich af. De tijd lijkt er soms stil te staan; het leven is er goed, en de mensen hebben nog tijd voor elkaar. Maar wat gebeurt er als een buitenstaander zich in dit verborgen paradijs begeeft? Politieagent Mike Valenzuela kiest ervoor om in Virgin River te revalideren van de zware verwondingen die hij heeft opgelopen tijdens zijn werk in LA. Een beetje vissen, eten in het café van zijn vriend Jack en genieten van de mooie omgeving - zo hoopt hij weer de oude te worden. Eén ding wil hij echter voorgoed veranderen: na vele avontuurtjes is hij klaar voor een serieuze relatie. Brie Sheridan weet wat er in de wereld te koop is. Ze is gescheiden, en ook in haar werk als hulpofficier van justitie komt ze regelmatig met de harde werkelijkheid in aanraking. Ze besluit dan ook de kat uit de boom te kijken als blijkt dat Mike, die ze kent als een versierder, graag een relatie met haar wil. Dan overkomt Brie iets vreselijks, en is het juist Mike die haar als enige kan helpen. Langzaam maar zeker komen ze steeds nader tot elkaar en ontdekken beiden wat het betekent om echt van iemand te houden.

When Joshua Blake travels to New Orleans to recruit two dozen mail order brides to travel back to the booming town of Last Chance in the Washington Territory, he never intends to marry one of them himself. He doesn't believe in marriage and doesn't believe he'd make a good husband. Hannah McLean is a former Civil War nurse who is determined to

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leave the war-torn South behind and excited to start over in a place that's fresh and new. However, the first time she sets eyes on the handsome logging magnate, she knows no one else will do. She comes up with a foolproof way to make sure he's the groom she ends up with. But will her unwillingness to settle for anyone else ensure that she ends up alone?

In her glory days -- the pivotal decades from Prohibition to the Jet Age -- Atlantic City was the nation's center of popular entertainment. Celebrities and tourists flocked to America's Playground while political corruption, illegal gambling, bootlegging, and prostitution were all sanctioned as part of the Atlantic City experience. *Chance of a Lifetime* explores the heyday of this resort -- a time when real-life excesses strain even the wildest imaginations and outrageous characters made it all happen. It is the time and place where American Cool was born, it was the first home of the Rat Pack and a haven where a down-and-out Frank Sinatra was always welcome -- and never forgot it. Beginning with the early attractions of the resort island, then exploring the power base of boss Nucky Johnson and later Skinny D'Amato and his famed 500 Club -- a venue that encapsulated everything good, bad, and fun about the resort town -- we are given a nostalgic tour of the good-bad old days. This intimate and personal account of the city, the club and the famous and infamous people who passed through is told by insider Grace Anselmo D'Amato, whose husband managed the 500 Club for his brother Skinny. The reader can almost imagine sitting in a zebra-print booth at the old Five when she drops by to tell the storied history of this 20th-century playground by the sea. The book includes a foreword by the noted Atlantic City historian Vicki Gold Levi, who recounts her experiences as a teenager at the Five at its height in the '50s. *Chance of a Lifetime* is extensively illustrated with 178 rare pictures of celebrity, 500 Club, and historic Atlantic City images specially

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printed on 96 gallerypages -- with additional images throughout the text. In a place where more people came for sin than sun, *Chance of a Lifetime* details the rise and fall, and rise again, of Atlantic City's glorious glitz and guts. Yvonne Gordon, a construction laborer, becomes friends with Richie Montana, one of her co-workers, but finds herself spending more time with Joe McGann, a foreman who can help her obtain a much desired apprenticeship in the ironworkers' union.

In one century she loved him madly, and in another she wants nothing to do with him. In 1844 Ireland, Liam O'Connor, a rogue and a thief, fell madly in love with a squire's daughter and unwittingly altered the future. Shy and naive Cora McLeod thought Liam was the answer to her prayers. But the angels disagreed and they've been waiting for the right moment in time to step in. Now Liam finds himself reunited with his beloved Cora in Providence Falls, North Carolina. The angels have given Liam a task. He must make sure Cora falls in love with another man—the one she was supposed to marry before Liam interfered. But this Cora is very different from the innocent girl who fell for Liam in the past. She's a cop and has a confidence and independence he wasn't expecting. She doesn't remember Liam or their past lives, nor is she impressed with his attempts to guide her in any way. Liam wants Cora for himself, but with his soul hanging in the balance, he must choose between a stolen moment in time or an eternity of damnation. *Providence Falls Book 1:*

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De zestienjarige Dan Crawford moet voor straf naar een speciale zomerschool om zijn eindexamen te kunnen halen. Eigenlijk heeft Dan er best zin in: op zijn eigen school heeft hij geen vrienden en wie weet wat voor mensen hij nu gaat ontmoeten. Al snel ontdekt hij dat het schoolgebouw een voormalig gesticht is waar gestoorde criminelen werden opgesloten. Terwijl Dan en zijn nieuwe vrienden Abby en Jordan het duistere oude gebouw onderzoeken, komen ze erachter dat het geen toeval is dat ze alle drie naar de school zijn gestuurd. Het gesticht is de sleutel tot een angstaanjagend verleden, en sommige geheimen kunnen niet altijd verborgen blijven. Madeleine Roux is geboren in Minnesota en woont nu in Louisiana. Haar zeer succesvolle blog Allison Hewitt Is Trapped is een unieke vorm van fictie in feuilletonvorm. Het gesticht is haar eerste boek voor jongere lezers.

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The owner of the worst team in professional football decides to have a nationwide "coach contest." The winner will get to coach one pro football game. Out of 6.5 million entries, the contest is won by an out of work, mid-level auto executive from Michigan, who knows nothing about the sport. However...

Daniel and Jaydon have been given the chance of a lifetime to be mentored by Australian rugby union star, Israel Folau--but can they make it count? Daniel

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and Jaydon come from very different backgrounds, but both boys eat, sleep, and breathe rugby union. When they are selected for a junior representative rugby team, Daniel and Jaydon's worlds collide. At first the boys are awestruck meeting Israel Folau, the team's famous mentor, but soon they come to see him as a friend. Unfortunately, things on the field don't go as smoothly. Will Daniel and Jaydon learn how to adapt to their new team? Or will their big break turn into a missed opportunity?

Wat doe je als je weet dat de aarde over twee maanden kan vergaan? Eliza, Peter, Anita en Andy zitten in het laatste jaar van high school en hebben heel verschillende ideeën over het leven, de liefde, vriendschap en de toekomst. Maar al die verschillen doen er opeens niet meer toe als er een komeet ontdekt wordt die de aarde snel nadert. De kans dat de wereld vernietigd zal worden is ongeveer vijftig procent. Iedereen heeft nog twee maanden om wat van het leven te maken. Twee maanden om écht te leven. 'Wallach laat de spanning tussen de personages stijgen en eindigt het verhaal met een schokkende climax.' Publishers Weekly

Helen Davies is sad and lonely when her boyfriend, Tom, goes to Australia without her. But a friend encourages her to take an exciting new job and Helen sets off on an adventurous journey round Europe. This adventurous journey brings her new confidence and the chance of a lifetime A great read for everyone who loves to travel.

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