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Avenging Angel

From the New York Times bestselling author comes a breathtaking fantasy of a cursed kingdom, warring clans, and unexpected salvation. Bayr of Saylok, bastard son of a powerful and jealous chieftain, is haunted by the curse once leveled by his dying mother. Bartered, abandoned, and rarely loved, she plagued the land with her words: From this day forward, there will be no daughters in Saylok. Raised among the Keepers at Temple Hill, Bayr is gifted with inhuman strength. But he's also blessed with an all-too-human heart that beats with one purpose: to protect Alba, the first girl child born in nearly two decades and the salvation for a country at risk. Now the fate of Saylok lies with Alba and Bayr, whose bond grows deeper with every whisper of coming chaos. Charged with battling the enemies of their people, both within and without, Bayr is fueled further by the love of a girl who has defied the scourge of Saylok. What Bayr and Alba don't know is that they each threaten the king, a greedy man who built his throne on lies, murder, and betrayal. There is only one way to defend their land from the corruption that has overtaken it. By breaking the curse, they could defeat the king but they could also destroy themselves.

Jacobite Songs and Ballads (selected).

An Unlikely Partnership and an Uncontrollable Desire . . . Naval Captain Hugh McAlden is accustomed to taking on deadly, high-stakes assignments--and being rewarded handsomely for his success at them. But to accomplish his latest mission, he'll need someone more inconspicuous among his own ranks. Someone like the larcenous beauty who just relieved him of his pocket watch under his very nose . . . Meggs Tanner's livelihood--as one of London's stealthiest thieves--depends on her remaining un-tethered and unnoticed. But when she is caught by an icy-eyed Scottish officer with an unusual proposition, she sees a chance to escape her life of crime forever. Ever wary, she accepts the job even as she plots her exit strategy, ready to cut and run at a moment's notice. But as Meggs and Hugh come nearer to the danger of their shared mission, thoughts of betrayal and distrust begin to dissolve--overshadowed by a passion worth any risk . . . Praise for *The Pursuit of Pleasure* 'Intrigue, sensuality and romance collide.' -- Jenna Petersen 'Elegant, evocative, and absolutely dangerous to a good night's

sleep.' -- Courtney Milan

The Danger of Desire

The Mindhunters, Book Two She's an inspiration—for murder. Detective Noah Crandall is used to hunting killers, but this time it's personal. When his best friend's niece is murdered, Noah returns to his roots in New York City. But he's out of his depth when it comes to questioning one of the victim's coworkers, Vanessa Knight. His chemistry with Vanessa is off the charts, but the gritty world he dwells in is miles apart from her uptown upbringing. A relationship between them would never work. Vanessa Knight might have come from money, but she's also an expert in the New York City art scene, which has become the obsession of a serial killer. She's eager to help solve the murder of a young woman she considered a friend. When sexy outsider Noah comes to her for assistance in navigating the unfamiliar waters of her world, she's inexplicably drawn to him. What neither of them realize is the killer needs Vanessa—to be his next “angel.” If Noah can't stop him, she'll become the killer's next gruesome masterpiece. 91,000 words Author's Note: This title was originally published by a different publisher, with a different cover. The story has not changed from the original 2012 edition.

Grumman Jf/J2f Duck

"Kismet's Kiss is a magical, exhilarating, sensual delight. Lush exotic world-building, riveting storyline, and strong personable characters set the stage for a rich and captivating story" --Smexy Books "A must-read for all fantasy romance lovers." --The Romance Reviews "So much sexual tension that the pages are likely to burn your fingers as you eagerly beg for more." --Coffee Time Romance "A harem fantasy brimming with desire, enchantment and betrayal I highly recommend Kismet's Kiss to all readers who enjoy a touch of magic with their romance." --The Romance Studio "Envelops the reader in a lush, exotic world of silk and sherbet, scimitars and precious stones Kismet's Kiss delivers an exhilarating reading experience." --SciFiGuy.ca A magically romantic fantasy. In the desert realm of Kad, a deadly epidemic strikes the palace of Sultan Kuramos. Only a magical healer from an enemy land may have the skill to save his household. He never imagined that healer would be a woman. Varene finds her own surprises in Kad. She expects the sultan's arrogance, but not his courage or his selfless care of the ill--or the possibility that the epidemic is the curse of a vengeful goddess. Kaddite culture condemns Varene's mystical talents and her presence triggers a plot to overthrow Kuramos. Yet as he and the healer toil for the cure, he loses his heart to her. She falls for him as well, but how can she relinquish her homeland and her principles for him--especially when he already has a harem and his family may be cursed? Kismet's Kiss is a 106,000-word novel. It was a two-time Romance Writers of America Golden Heart finalist and a 2010 nominee for Best Debut and Best Fantasy Romance from The Romance Reviews. More books in the Alaia Chronicles fantasy romance series: THE SOURCE OF MAGIC When a gorgeous man grabs Jilian and yanks her from Scotland into a mystical battle, she finds herself ensnared in a fantasy otherworld, trapped by treachery and family secrets--and opposing a magical prince, the one man who can make everything right. SWORDS AND SCIMITARS When two women beg for aid against tyranny, a sultan must sacrifice his freedom and his long-scarred heart to help them. SWORD AND LUTE

When a musician stumbles across a dying god, she must sacrifice her precious lute to save him and find her heart's desire. Contemporary tales by Cate Rowan: **FLIRTING WITH THE FIREMAN** A sculptress, a battery-chasing cat, and a studly fireman meet through a supernatural recipe for "Get a Husband" Brunswick stew. **KISS THAT FROG** A cynical Los Angeles artist reluctantly pet-sits for her young niece's frog and discovers magic in the terrarium--in the form of a sexy enchanted prince. Praise for the author: "Fantastic world-building." --The Romance Reviews "A writing force to be reckoned with." --Smexy Books "If you love magic and romance, then you will love Rowan's books." --The Pen & Muse Book Reviews

A Crooked Path

The Devil's Mistress

Is it any wonder that the world's number-one writers of erotic fiction have found a home in the world's number-one magazine of erotic entertainment? Now, from the pages of Penthouse, come thirty torrid tales that give new meaning to the words bedtime stories. From the lingerie dressing room that's all about stripping down to the babysitter who picks up a little extra something from the lady of the house, from the woman who holds an entire room in thrall with a single stick of peppermint candy to the indecent encounter between strangers on a London double-decker bus, these are stories that will ignite your imagination and put the sizzle back

Masonic and Occult Symbols Illustrated

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Snow Treasure

A USA Today bestseller! "Breath of Fire is a heart-pounding and joyous romantic adventure. Amanda Bouchet's talent is striking."—NALINI SINGH, New York Times bestselling author *I AM CATALIA FISA, AND I DO NOT BREAK* Deep breath in. Long breath out. The Gods are telling me I'm some sort of new Origin, which apparently means it's my job to give Thalyria a fresh start. Griffin crowned me with the symbols of the three realms. If I'm supposed to be not just a queen but the Queen, I'd better start acting like it. *The Kingmaker Chronicles: A Promise of Fire (Book 1) Breath of Fire (Book 2) Heart on Fire (Book 3)* More praise for *Breath of Fire*:

"Bouchet sets the bar for high-concept fantasy romance. Simply brilliant."—Kirkus STARRED Review "[Bouchet's] world-building reaches new heights [a] page-turning addition to the series."—Booklist, STARRED Review Readers are raving about the Kingmaker Chronicles "Give this to your Game of Thrones fans."—Booklist STARRED Review "Loved it!"—ELOISA JAMES, New York Times bestselling author "Utterly breathtaking!"—DARYNDA JONES, New York Times bestselling author "Masterful worldbuilding."—Kirkus STARRED Review "Absolutely fabulous."—C.L. WILSON, New York Times bestselling author of The Winter King "Easily my favorite book of 2016!"—Bookriot "I think you all should just go read it now."—Smexy Books "Simply awesome!"—The Romance Reviews

Claimed

Includes the War in North Africa Illustration Pack - 112 photos/illustrations and 21 maps. Few records of war are as lucid, vivid and sensitively written as Keith Douglas' "Alamein to Zem Zem". The author himself was a man of great poetic gifts who had established himself as a leading light in the Oxford literary circles, tutored by no less a person than First World War veteran and acclaimed poet Edmund Blunden. A talent that did not outlast the war, killed in action in Normandy 1944, but his lasting legacy is contained in this exceptional book. Within days of the declaration of the Second World War Douglas had volunteered, chaffing at the bit to get at the Germans. Having passed out of the officer training course at Sandhurst, he was sent to the Middle East in 1941 to join his comrades in the Sherwood Foresters Yeomanry (a tank unit). He was disappointed to be given a staff appointment away from the fighting line; and during the Battle of El Alamein, he snapped and as he put it; "The battle of Alamein began on the 23rd of October, 1942. Six days afterwards I set out in direct disobedience of orders to rejoin my regiment. My batman was delighted with this manoeuvre. 'I like you, sir,' he said. 'You're shit or bust, you are.' This praise gratified me a lot." and so began his odyssey began from the Alamein line to victory at Zem Zem. Critically acclaimed at the time of publication, and now widely regarded as a military classic. "one of the very best prose accounts of fighting the last war."—Philip Toynbee, The Observer.

Master of Crows

To save her family, Allegra must use her skills as an assassin to kill Anne Boleyn before her coronation and frame Anne's illegitimate brother Joscelin for the crime, but her resolve starts to waver when she falls in love with Joscelin.

The First Girl Child

This new edition presents an up-to-date description of differential item functioning. It describes varying procedures for addressing DIF in practical testing contexts. The authors present useful examples and studies of DIF that readers may employ as a guide in their own work. They also cover major statistical packages that can be employed in DIF analysis (e.g., SPSS, SAS, M+, Minitab, and Systat). This text is ideal for the measurement professional or advanced student who deals with educational or psychological assessment. Learn more about "The Little Green Book" - QASS Series! [Click Here](#)

English-Amharic Context Dictionary

Passion and science blend in this remarkable, readable book, as Freeman takes us along on his patient and exciting discovery of a 5000-year-old Temple in the plains of Alberta.--Roald Hoffmann, Nobel Prize winner.

Fated

In an isolated fortress, the Master of Crows battles an ancient god for possession of his soul. Renegade and heretic, he dreams of ways to defeat the god and destroy the priesthood who would execute him. Sent by her masters to betray him, a woman comes who possesses a weapon he can use to triumph over both but only at the ultimate sacrifice. A tale of love and allegiance. ----- This fantasy romance was previously published with a different cover in 2009 by Amber Quill Press. This is the second edition.

Penthouse

It is a new world after the Great Collision, Gryphons fly past skyscrapers, wizards battle it out in coffeehouses and women riding motorcycles with large swords strapped to their backs are normal sights. Human only city dweller, Larissa Miller is attacked by zombies and rescued by the leader of the gargoyles. They find out why Larissa is being targeted by the Necromancers and are running against time to save Larissa and the fate of the new Realm as well.

Heart of Fire

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Sword of Waters

The Phonetics of the Zulu Language

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part of keeping this knowledge alive and relevant.

112 Gripes about the French

Source of Magic

Leading a double life, Boston paramedic Cacy Ferry, who also escorts the dead to the Afterlife, is unable to deny her attraction to her new partner, who is hiding a secret of his own, while trying to secure humanity's future after a rogue element seizes the reins of fate. Original.

Seized by Darkness

Eleven thousand years ago, before the seas swallowed the Atlanteans, Poseidon assigned a few chosen warriors to act as sentinels for humans in the new world. There was only one rule—desiring them was forbidden. But rules were made to be broken... Riley Dawson is more than a dedicated Virginia Beach social worker. She's blessed with a mind link that only Atlanteans have been able to access for thousands of years. Being an "empath" may explain her wistful connection to the roiling waves of the ocean, the sanctuary it provides, and the sexual urges that seem to emanate from fathoms below... Conlan, the High Prince of Atlantis, has surfaced on a mission to retrieve Poseidon's stolen trident. Yet something else has possessed Conlan: the intimate emotions—and desires—of a human. Irresistibly drawn to the uncanny beauty, Conlan soon shares more than his mind. But in the midst of a battle to reclaim Poseidon's power, how long can a forbidden love last between two different souls from two different worlds?

Marked

A sex demon and a preacher's kid? Heaven forbid! Technology whiz Bailey Brown is one of two humans alive who knows a very important secret: that humanity has shared their planet with paranormals for millennia. When an obsessed hacker from her past threatens to expose the secret, Bailey and her Sebastiani Security colleagues must use every weapon at their disposal to stop him. The stakes couldn't be higher, and she can't let herself be distracted by her boss's gorgeous brother, even if he is temptation incarnate Incubus sculptor Rafe Sebastiani hasn't produced a decent nude in over a year, since he made the most selfish mistake of his life: sleeping with Bailey Brown. Now, with a deadline looming, his cranky muse has finally allowed him to express his memories of that incendiary night in clay. But when his brother asks him to pose as Bailey's lover to provoke her dangerous ex, he jumps at the chanceto sculpt her, to protect her, and to earn the right to tempt her-and only her-for the rest of their lives Praise for Tamara Hogan and The Underbelly Chronicles: "One of the best debut novels I have read a gripping novel that will have you from the first page." - Sizzling Hot Book Reviews "Characters that rival some of the most prominent paranormal authors today." - Night Owl Reviews - Top Pick! "Edgy and new I hope to read more of this new exciting world Hogan has created." Fang-Tastic Books "Hogan performs the rare feat of delivering both heat and heart." - author Susan Sey "Hogan has written a keeper and I am

definitely looking forward to the next novel in the series." - That's What I'm Talking About "An inventive melding of science and imagination combined with an erotic tale of semi-forbidden love." - Seductive Musings "It's sweet. It's fun. It's downright naughty." - Pure Textuality

Atlantis Rising

"THE SOURCE OF MAGIC is one of those rare treasures you hope will never end. A magical ride. Unforgettable characters and twists and turns that keep us turning the pages. Forget about sleeping, because I wasn't able to put this novel down until the end, and you won't be able to either."--The Romance Reviews "A suspenseful storyline holds your attention as you are drawn to this magical place of wonder and intrigue." --Smexy Books "Rowan brings the exotic, the magic and the passion. Such a heartwarming story that will melt your heart and have you believing in love again."--The Pen and Muse Book Reviews THE MOST POWERFUL MAGIC IS LOVE. Visions of a mysterious and gorgeous stranger plague Jilian Stewart. She's sure they're brought on by the stress of her mother's deadly paralysis. But when the stranger appears, clasps her to his chest and yanks her from Scotland into a magical battle, she finds herself ensnared in a fantasy otherworld--trapped by treachery and family secrets and opposing the one man who can make everything right. Prince Alvarr, her sexy abductor, offers a cure for her dying mother, but won't send Jilian home with it until she helps him destroy the evil mage threatening his people--with mystical powers she never knew she had. The Source of Magic is an 83,000-word novel and has won multiple awards, including The Romance Reviews' Top Pick. More books in the Alaia Chronicles fantasy romance series: KISMET'S KISS When a deadly epidemic strikes a sultan's realm, only a magical healer from an enemy land has the skill to save it. The sultan never imagined the healer would be a woman SWORDS AND SCIMITARS When two women beg for aid against tyranny, a sultan must sacrifice his freedom and his long-scarred heart to help them. SWORD AND LUTE When a musician stumbles across a dying god, she must sacrifice her precious lute to save him and find her heart's desire. Contemporary tales by Cate Rowan: FLIRTING WITH THE FIREMAN A sculptress, a battery-chasing cat, and a studly fireman meet through a supernatural recipe for "Get a Husband" Brunswick stew. KISS THAT FROG A cynical Los Angeles artist reluctantly pet-sits for her young niece's frog and discovers magic in the terrarium--in the form of a sexy enchanted prince. Praise for the author: "Fantastic worldbuilding." --The Romance Reviews "A writing force to be reckoned with." --Smexy Books "If you love magic and romance, then you will love Rowan's books." --The Pen and Muse Book Reviews

Breath of Fire

The JF/J2F "Duck" was one of those military workhorses moving around in the background before and during WWII which did a tremendous job but never got the publicity of its' more glamorous teammates. Some said the Duck could be more aptly named the "Ugly Duckling." Be that as it may; when no other bomber could be found, it carried bombs; when no other transport could be found, it transported; when no other photo plane could be found, it photographed and when no other rescuer could be found, it rescued. When it came to "Utility Craft," the JF/J2F was the definitive.

The Icelander's Sword

When American troops arrived in Paris to help maintain order at the end of the Second World War they were, at first, received by the local population with a sense of euphoria. However, the French soon began to resent the Americans for their display of wealth and brashness, while the US soldiers found the French and their habits irritating and incomprehensible. To bridge the cultural divide, the American generals came up with an innovative solution. They commissioned a surprisingly candid book which collated the GIs' 'gripes' and reproduced them with answers aimed at promoting understanding of the French and their country. The 'gripes' reveal much about American preconceptions: 'The French drink too much', 'French women are immoral', 'The French drive like lunatics!', 'The French don't bathe', 'The French aren't friendly' are just some of the many complaints. Putting the record straight, the answers cover topics as diverse as night-clubs, fashion, agriculture and sanitation. They also offer an unusual insight into the reality of daily life immediately after the war, evoking the shortage of food and supplies, the acute poverty and the scale of the casualties and destruction suffered by France during six years of conflict. Illustrated with delightfully evocative cartoons and written in a direct, colloquial style, this gem from 1945 is by turns amusing, shocking and thought-provoking in its valiant stand against prejudice and stereotype.

Canada's Stonehenge

When danger to the sheep leaves no alternative, a young Navajo boy breaks his promise to his father and is rewarded for his courage and good judgment.

The Travancore State Manual;

Princess Avenger

A love beyond life a danger beyond doubt. In a romantic and suspenseful collection of the New York Times bestselling trilogy, love's unbreakable bonds are put to the test. When her boyfriend, Tristan, died, Ivy thought she'd lost everything, even her faith in angels. But now she's discovered that he's her guardian angel—his presence so strong that she can feel the touch of his hand, the beat of his heart. Ivy needs Tristan now more than ever because he knows she's in terrible danger. Only Ivy's guardian angel can save her now that his killer is after her. But if Tristan rescues Ivy, his mission on earth will be finished, and he must leave her behind forever. Will saving Ivy mean losing her just when he's finally reached her again?

The Scribe

Sometimes love is the most dangerous magic of all Eager to find her place in the world and understand the frightening gifts she's been born with, Jessalyne Brandborn leaves her sheltered life to become apprentice to the most powerful sorceress in Shaldar. She hires Ertemis, the deadliest man in the realm, to get there. With the Legion's bounty on his head, dark elf Ertemis is reluctant to escort

Jessalyne but needs the money she offers - especially if he's ever to find out who his father is. On the way, he discovers benefits to Jessalyne's naiveté; she treats him like an equal, not an outlaw. Swayed by Ertemis' gruff charm, Jessalyne starts to trust him and her emotional walls begin to crumble. Little do they know that within them lies the hope of the dying elven race, the renewal of Shaldar's beleaguered kingdom and an incredible chance at love. If they don't kill each other first.

The Source of Magic

A concise Amharic-English, English-Amharic dictionary provides definitions along with phonetic transcriptions of Amharic script.

Oromo Dictionary

Galena Margolis, a brilliant scientist with a tragic past, is determined to fulfill her destiny and develop the vaccine that could save millions. Yet when Galena's test subjects meet with foul play, it's clear that someone is still determined to stop her, and that Galena herself is a target. As the Ferry empire forges a plan to keep her safe, Declan Ferry, the politics-hating black sheep of the family, steps forward to protect her--but the emotional cost may be more than either of them is willing to pay. As unknown enemies close in, it becomes terrifyingly clear that they threaten to destroy not only Galena's lifesaving work but also the very fabric of fate. As Galena and Declan race to uncover the traitor, they also forge a special bond that could save both Galena and those she's sworn to help. Torn apart by the past and hunted by those she trusted, can Galena find room amidst her fears for a passion that could make her stronger than ever? And even if she and Declan can find their way together, will it be enough to keep the future from coming apart at the seams?

An Elementary Palaung Grammar

"Ava Matheson came to Istanbul looking for answers, but others came looking for her. A reckless warrior guards her steps, but will Malachi's own past blind him to the truth of who Ava might be?"--Page 4 of cover.

Concise Amharic Dictionary

Aislin Ferry and Jason Moros have only days until they will be called to account before the Keepers of the Afterlife. Yet as they race to restore order and make their case, their worlds fall into total disarray. Mutiny within the fractured Ferry family threatens Aislin's hold on power and role as Charon. Meanwhile, the fearsome Lord of the Kere has family trouble of his own. Someone is unraveling the fabric of fate, and Moros suspects one of his supernatural siblings is behind the terrible bid to unleash Chaos. Now unlikely allies, Aislin and Moros each need the other to escape the wrath of the Keepers. As the stakes rise, it becomes clear that protecting their respective empires is not the endgame. With the fate of all humanity dangling by a thread, Aislin and Moros must surrender completely to one another if they are to fight their common enemy. And as time runs out, someone must make the ultimate sacrifice.

Kismet's Kiss

"I'D LIKE YOU TO FIND THE SWORD FOR ME. DO YOU THINK YOU COULD HANDLE THAT?" Arisa isn't certain how to respond when her mother, the Falcon, formerly a dangerous bandit but now lord commander of the army and navy of Deorthas, entrusts her with this extremely special mission. Everything changed for Arisa when she and her friend Weasel stumbled upon the ancient shield rumored to bestow power upon whoever holds it. With the shield, the Falcon was able to gain her new station, bringing Arisa into a world of royalty Arisa isn't even sure she enjoys. Now the Falcon wants Arisa to get close to young Prince Edoran, and join with Edoran and Weasel to search for the legendary sword that matches the shield. As Arisa's search progresses, however, she realizes she may be in danger from a deadly stranger. Worse -- she and her friends may be in even graver danger from someone they know all too well! Critically acclaimed fantasy author Hilari Bell continues the captivating trilogy begun in *Shield of Stars* with another thrilling, surprising, and wholly satisfying novel.

Tempt Me

Eight long years hostage Nicole Carson has lived a nightmare as the mistress of a mafia lord. When her captor brings home another kidnapped victim, she seizes the opportunity to save herself, her son and the young girl, leaving the Russian for dead. In order to stay alive and save the family she hasn't seen in years from the mafia family's wrath, she must disappear as if she's never existed. A sting to bring down the largest human trafficking ring in the country goes south for U.S. Marshal William Haus and his C.U.F.F. team. C.U.F.F. catches a break when the mistress of the Russian kingpin is captured with a kidnapped victim. Will bargains with the beautiful mistress. If she helps secure evidence against the mafia, she'll earn a new life for her and her son. But when Will learns Nicole's true identity, he wants to call the operation off. Nicole begs the handsome marshal to keep her secret and allow her to put her life on the line for her family. A game of cat and mouse plays out between the U.S. Marshal and the ruthless Russian. The prize neither man wants to give up is Nicole.

Kissed by an Angel

Engelsk-amharisk ordbog. De engelske ords betydning forklares ved hjælp af eksempler, hvor de optræder i hele sætninger

Salt Boy

A quest for the source of power threatened to doom the land of Xanth As a ruler of a country steeped in enchantment, King Trent was naturally curious about the source of its magic. It made sense to order Bink, the only one of his subjects immune to supernatural harm, to undertake a quest to discover the wellspring of Xanth's uniqueness. From the beginning, Bink and his companions, Chester the centaur and Crombie, the soldier transformed into a griffin, were harried by an unseen enemy determined to thwart them. Even the power of Good Magician Humfrey, together with Bink's protective talent, scarcely saved their lives. Then

when Humfrey and Crombie turned against him, all seemed lost. But Bink's ingenuity and luck prevailed, and he reached his goal. The King's orders had been carried out . . . But the King had not expected Bink's next act—to destroy utterly the magic of Xanth!

Stone Guardian

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Atlantis Betrayed

When an Atlantean warrior and a British cat burglar both try to steal the same jewel from the Tower of London on the same night, the sparks will fly. When a power-mad vampire gets to the jewel first, they have to team up to save all shapeshifters and the world. A warrior's mission, a woman's desire... What could Christophe, powerful Warrior of Poseidon, have in common with Fiona Campbell, prim and proper Scottish illustrator of fairytales by day and notorious jewel thief known as the Scarlet Ninja by night? Answer: The Siren, a legendary Crown Jewel that Fiona has targeted for her next heist. It's said to be worth millions, but to Christophe it's invaluable. For the Siren also happens to be one of the missing jewels from Poseidon's trident. And the unnatural evil that could destroy them both. But breaking into the Tower of London is a two-person job, so Christophe and Fiona team up to commit the crime of the century. As newfound passions fire their motives--and cloud their judgment--they realize they aren't the only ones after the priceless gem. A dark force is shadowing their every move, and threatening to shatter their trust with revenge, betrayal, and a haunting revelation about the past.

Differential Item Functioning

Discover the most fascinating and in-depth meanings behind the symbols used by the Masons, occultists, witches, New Agers, Satanists, and others. This book uncovers the hidden meanings behind the symbols that we see around us every day. In this well-documented book you will see hundreds of illustrations along with their explanations. You will find many organizational logos, hand signals, tarot cards, zodiac signs, talismans, amulets, and humanist symbols, as well as the meaning of the peace symbol, hexagram, pentagram, yin/yang, circle, all-seeing eye, caduceus, oroborus, ankh, triskele, and the triangle. Also revealed in this book are numerous Masonic and Eastern Star symbols such as the clasped hands, point

within a circle, broken column, gavel, obelisk, pomegranate, and the cornucopia. Jeremiah 10:2-3 warns: "Learn not the way of the heathen, and be not dismayed at the signs of heaven; for the customs of the people are vain."

Alamein to Zem Zem [Illustrated Edition]

Passionate and headstrong, Alecia is no ordinary princess. Angered by the cold-blooded murder of her first love, she sets out to avenge his death. Army Captain Vard Anton, the epitome of masculine strength and grace, is dealing with some dark secrets of his own. When he is appointed Alecia's body-guard, both find it hard to ignore the chemistry between them. With assassination attempts and the threat of an arranged marriage looming over her, Alecia realises her time is running out. But Alecia's biggest battle is the one within as she tries to suppress the raging desire she feels for the powerfully attractive Vard. Can Alecia resist Vard while trying to exact revenge and avoiding the lecherous attentions of her husband-to-be? Will the power of love and desire be enough to unite Alecia and Vard forever? Though separated by class and palace intrigues, Alecia and Vard are entwined by desire in this wonderful fantasy romance.

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