

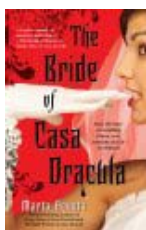


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Modern literature for women that is written about young singles as they search for the perfect partner. It gives fresh insight into relationships and a humorous account into the way women deal with them.

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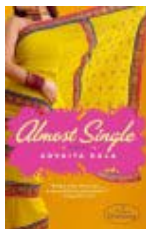
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THE BRIDE OF CASA DRACULA

By Marta Acosta

Call #: F Acosta

In this spicy comedy of manners with fangs, Milagro is having serious problem planning her wedding. Her future in-laws have a genetic anomaly that makes them crave blood, a series of accidents is interfering with the wedding, and a hidden enemy seems to be trying to make sure Milagro doesn't wed the undead.



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ALMOST SINGLE

By Advaita Kala

Call #: F Advaita Kala

Series of misadventures outlines the trials and tribulations of being a single woman on the wrong side of twenty-five in India, as Aisha deals with her mother's presentation of candidates for an arranged marriage, falls in love with a New York investment banker, and is torn between tradition and her yearning to be a modern woman.



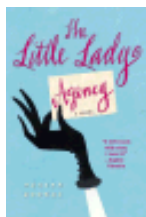
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THE PRETEND WIFE

By Bridget Asher

Call #: Romance F Asher

Feeling safe but unfulfilled in her sterile relationships with her father and husband, Gwen Merchant agrees to pose as the wife of a college boyfriend to fulfill his dying mother's last wish, an arrangement that leads to unexpected feelings and Gwen's reevaluation of everything she thought she believed.



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THE LITTLE LADY AGENCY

By Hester Browne

Call #: Romance F Browne

Unemployed etiquette expert Melissa Romney-Jones dons a blonde wig and becomes "Honey," a no-nonsense bombshell who helps clueless bachelors shop, entertain, and navigate social minefields.





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THE OPPOSITE OF LOVE

By Julie Buxbaum

Call #: F Buxbaum

Successful, twenty-nine-year-old Manhattan attorney Emily Haxby finds her life unraveling after breaking up with her boyfriend and finding out her Grandpa Jack has Alzheimer's.



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QUEEN OF BABBLE IN THE BIG CITY

By Meg Cabot

Call #: Romance F Cabot

When Lizzie Nichols moves to New York City life is good when her boyfriend asks her to move in and she finds a job refurbishing vintage wedding dresses until she babbles a little too much.



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THE BRIGHT SIDE OF DISASTER

By Katherine Center

Call #: F Center

Jenny Harris always expected that she'd fall in love, get married, and have a baby. Now, very pregnant and not quite married, she finds her dream shattered when her fiancé leaves her and must find a new life.



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SUMMER BLOWOUT

By Claire Cook

Call #: F Cook

Leaving her family and friends behind to follow her husband across the country with her three small boys while he attends graduate school, Lanie begins to believe that something is missing from her life and launches a campaign to find herself.



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SCREEN PLAY

By Christopher L. Coppernoll

Call #: F Coppernoll

After struggling for years to make it as an actress, Harper finally gets her big break—but will she have to sacrifice the love of her life to take it? Harper fears her chances for a thriving acting career and finding true love are both fading fast.



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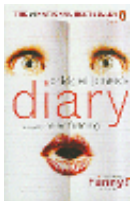
UNDEAD AND UNWED

By Mary Janice Davidson

Call #: F Davidson

Paranormal for the Chicklit lover! After being killed in a car accident, fashion savvy Betsy Taylor becomes one of the undead and, with the help of her new found friends, the lure of designer shoes, and a sexy vampire, must destroy a dark enemy and fulfill her destiny as the prophesied vampire queen.





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BRIDGET JONES'S DIARY

By Helen Fielding

Call #: F Fielding

Bridget Jones is convinced that her life would be perfect if she could lose weight, stop smoking and develop "Inner Poise."



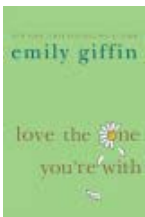
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TO HAVE AND TO HOLD

By Jane Green

Call #: F Green

What happens when your Prince Charming's indiscretions turns out not to be so charming after all?



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LOVE THE ONE YOU'RE WITH

By Emily Griffin

Call #: F Griffin

A chance encounter forces one woman to question her decisions, her marriage, and herself.



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HOPE IN A JAR

By Elizabeth M. Harbison

Call #: F Harbison

Their friendship ruined by a vicious rumor twenty years earlier, Allie and Olivia prepare for a high school reunion while acknowledging disparities between their youth and adult realities, circumstances that cause them to wonder if they can put aside past demons.



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PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT

By Julie James

Call #: Romance F James

When lawyers and rivals Payton Kendall and J. D. Jameson are forced to work together on a major case, an all-out battle of the sexes - both in the boardroom and in the bedroom - ensues when they discover that only one of them will make partner at the firm.



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THE EX-MRS. HEDGEFUND

By Jill Kargman

Call #: F Kargman

Holly Talbott is married to the founder of a hedge fund business. This allows her to live in sheltered luxury, but the old saying that money can't buy happiness certainly applies to her life. She's disenchanted with the lifestyle and with her marriage to a man who is away so much that she often feels like she's single. When she discovers that he is cheating, she's cast out of the world of wealth and discovers that sometimes exes have all the fun, and in the most unexpected places.





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THE DIM SUM OF ALL THINGS

By Kim Wong Keltner

Call #: F Keltner

Bridget Jones meets The Joy Luck Club in this warm and humorous twist on the single-gal-in-the-city novel.



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SECOND TIME AROUND

By Beth Kendrick

Call #: F Kendrick

When a woman dies, she leaves \$1,000,000 to four of her college friends, with the stipulation that they must use the money to pursue their dream careers. Now a B&B owner, a pastry chef, a novelist, and an event planner, the four women return to their college town in upstate New York to embark on new paths, all discovering that doing everything over can have unexpected results.



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THE MANOLO MATRIX

By Julie Kenner

Call #: F Kenner

Aspiring actress Jennifer Crane knows all the games, but she never expected to be playing a game with life-or-death consequences.



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THE BRIGHTEST STAR IN THE SKY

By Marian Keyes

Call #: F Keyes

Seven neighbors in a Dublin townhouse find their lives entangled by the visitation of a sassy and prescient spirit that causes them to rethink their relationships, careers and values.



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TWENTIES GIRL

By Sophie Kinsella

Call #: F Kinsella

Entreated by the bossy ghost of her great aunt to track down a missing necklace, Lara Lington finds her search challenged by her floundering start-up business, her best friend's defection, and her unfaithful boyfriend.



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CONFESSIONS OF A SHOPAHOLIC

By Sophie Kinsella

Call #: F Kinsella

Kinsella chronicles one woman's efforts to overcome her expensive--if stylish--addiction to shopping.





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OUTTAKES FROM A MARRIAGE

By Ann Leary

Call #: F Leary

Twice-married and unlucky in love, Clio tries to find a stable relationship for herself and her son Alex and tries to resist temptation after she meets a handsome Canadian named Joe.



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SLIGHTLY SUBURBAN

By Wendy Markham

Call #: F Markham

A New York copywriter takes the plunge and moves to suburbia with her husband--only to find that being "slightly suburban" may not be what she really wants.



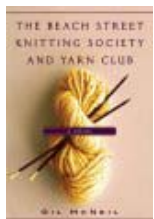
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PLAYING JAMES

By Sarah Mason

Call #: Romance F Mason

As part of a crime byline, reporter Holly Colshannon is assigned to shadow detective James Sabine. Sparks fly between her and James in this romantic comedy.



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THE BEACH STREET KNITTING SOCIETY AND YARN CLUB

By Gil McNeil

Call #: F McNeil

Suddenly widowed by a car crash that ended the life of her unfaithful husband, Jo moves to a small seaside community and takes over her grandmother's knitting shop, where she is introduced to a dessert-addicted knitting club.



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SWEET HOME CAROLINA

By T. Lynn Ocean

Call #: F Ocean

Sophisticated executive, Jaxie has been sent to Rumton to develop an advertising campaign to promote the small town but finds that things aren't always as they seem.



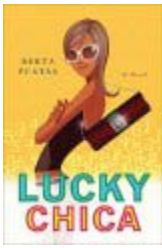
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WHISTLIN' DIXIE IN A NOR'THEASTER

By Lisa Patton

Call #: F Patton

Leaving her beloved Memphis to help her husband's pipe dream of running a Vermont inn, southern belle Leelee Satterfield discovers numerous unanticipated challenges and is forced to apply her southern-style wits in the wake of a cruel swindle.



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LUCKY CHICA

By Berta Platas

Call #: Romance F Platas

After winning the largest lottery jackpot ever, Rosie Caballero parties like a celebrity and meets the hottest actor on the planet, Brad Merritt, who sweeps her off her feet and seems too good to be true. But he's not the only one in her dizzying world. Former boyfriends, larcenous advisors, and paparazzi all swarm around her, vying for her attention (and money).



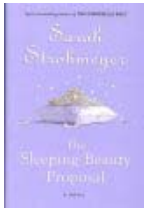
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ODD MOM OUT

By Jane Porter

Call #: F Porter

After the death of her mother, Renata DeChavannes returns home to Alabama and her eccentric family, to find out her mother's secrets and come to terms with her distant relationship with her father.



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THE SLEEPING BEAUTY PROPOSAL

By Sarah Strohmeier

Call #: F Strohmeier

After Genie Michaels "commitment-phobic" boyfriend proposes on national television to an anonymous other woman, Genie pretends to be his fiancé until she realizes she doesn't need a man to have a life.



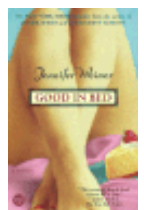
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THE BRONTË PROJECT

By Jennifer Vandever

Call #: F Vandever

Young scholar Sara Frost's unsuccessful search for the lost love letters of Charlotte Brontë hasn't won her any favors at her university. Sara's fiancé leaves and she begins to question her life and her ideas of romance with the reality of modern love.



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GOOD IN BED

By Jennifer Weiner

Call #: F Weiner

Cannie Shapiro discovers that her boyfriend has chronicled their sex life in a national magazine.



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THE DEVIL WEARS PRADA

By Lauren Weisberger

Call #: F Weisberger

A small town girl fresh out of college lands a job at a prestigious fashion magazine with the boss from hell.





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MERMAIDS IN THE BASEMENT

By Michael Lee West

Call #: F West

After the death of her mother, Renata DeChavannes returns home to Alabama and her eccentric family to find out her mother's secrets and to come to terms with her distant relationship with her father.



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A DESIRABLE RESIDENCE

By Madeleine Wickham

Call #: F Wickham

In mortgage trouble, Liz and Jonathan Chambers are relieved when real-estate agent Marcus Witherspoon appears with the perfect people to rent their second home, but the couple soon finds themselves in the midst of an adulterous tryst.



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HOUSTON, WE HAVE A PROBLEM

By Gwendolyn Zepeda

Call #: Romance F Zepeda

A plastic Virgin Mary and a fortune teller are a girl's best friends in this laugh-out-loud novel about a superstitious young woman who doubts herself when it comes to finding love and living her life.