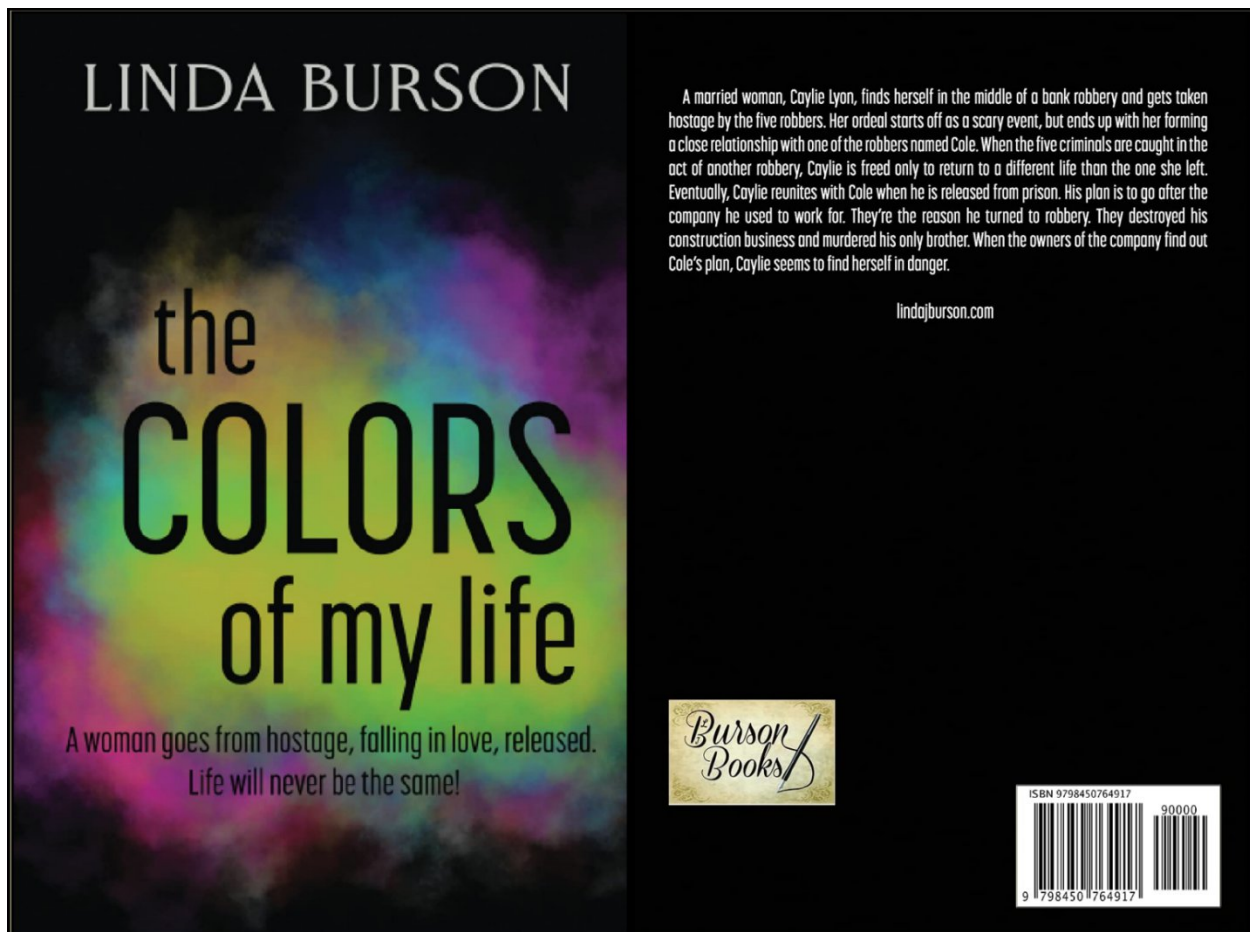




Suspense and Fictional Romance Thrillers by Author Linda Burson.



The Colors Of My Life by Linda Burson.

A married woman, Caylie Lyon, finds herself in the middle of a bank robbery and gets taken hostage by the five robbers. Her ordeal starts off as a scary event but ends up with her forming a close relationship with one of the robbers named Cole.

When the five criminals are caught in the act of another robbery, Caylie is freed only to return to a different life than the one she left. Eventually, Caylie reunites with Cole when he is released from prison. His plan is to go after the company he used to work for. They're the reason he turned to robbery. They destroyed his construction business and murdered his only brother. When the owners of the company find out Cole's plan, Caylie seems to find herself in danger.



5 Stars: Danger Intertwined With Romance.

Who ever said that "Lightening doesn't strike the same place twice" never met Caylie Lyon.

The story opens with Caylie and her husband, Nolan, waiting in the Vanity Falls Savings Bank in Vanity Falls, Maine to close on their new house. Haunted by her frightening ordeal in a grocery store robbery in 2009, Caylie Lyon's increased awareness of her surroundings tells her something just isn't right. What happens next, is surreal.

Survival for fifty-two-year-old Caylie will depend on her instincts, perceptiveness, and strangely enough, her infatuation with actor Landon Cordell, not to mention luck.

Even when justice is in motion, strange situations arise. Romance and new dangers take surprising twists and turns in *The Colors of My Life* by Linda Burson. This is an entertaining read with some strong language.

I enjoyed the story. If you love suspense and fictional romance, you will want to read *The Colors of My Life*. Also, Author Linda Burson has a 13-book suspense, romantic thriller entitled *The Marcy Series*, along with a couple of other single title novels.

Editorial Review and Endorsement by Book Marketing Global Network.



Laura Furuta: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. This is a book that I enjoyed reading. It is a story that details the ... Reviewed in the United States on August 7, 2017. Verified Purchase. The story *The Colors Of My Life* by Linda Burson is a romantic suspense book. This is a book that I enjoyed reading. It is a story that details the relationship between two people who are brought together because of a bank robbery and how a connection between them is formed and maintained. This is the story of Caylie and Cole. Caylie finds herself in the middle of a bank robbery and is taken hostage by the robbers. Although she is scared and unsure of what is going to happen to her, she finds she can talk to one of the robbers, Cole. During her captivity Cole opens up to Caylie about his life and why he turned to robbery. They both begin to feel a deep connection to each other. It is when these men try to commit another robbery and get caught that Caylie is able to return to her previous life. However, it is one that is quite different than the one she had. Still feeling that connection Caylie and Cole stay in touch when he is in prison and when he is released, she is the one he returns to. Now Cole is determined to make the company that he used to work for pay for the harm they have done. They are responsible for both the downturn in his life and the death of his brother. Once his intentions are known strange things begin to happen involving Caylie. Will Cole be able to keep Caylie safe? Are the owners of the company that Cole is going after responsible for the danger Caylie is in?

This is a wonderful story that had me quickly turning pages to find out what happened next. It is an unusual love story and I found myself not able to put it down until I finished. I just had to know what happens. Will Cole and Caylie's story have a happy ending? This is the first book I have read by the author and it is amazing. She weaves a story and creates characters that are unforgettable. I went through so many emotions when reading this story. It ran from being scared and sad for Caylie to that warm feeling that you get when reading of two people who are falling in love and you know that they are right for each other. This is a story that I thought about long after I had finished reading it. This book does include a sensitive subject matter and also adult situations. It would be recommended for those 18 years of age or older.

Review by Beth B: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Beth's Review. Reviewed in the United States on October 15, 2017. Verified Purchase. Linda's writing style is easy to read and her stories always have twists and turns that you didn't expect. Very enjoyable to read!

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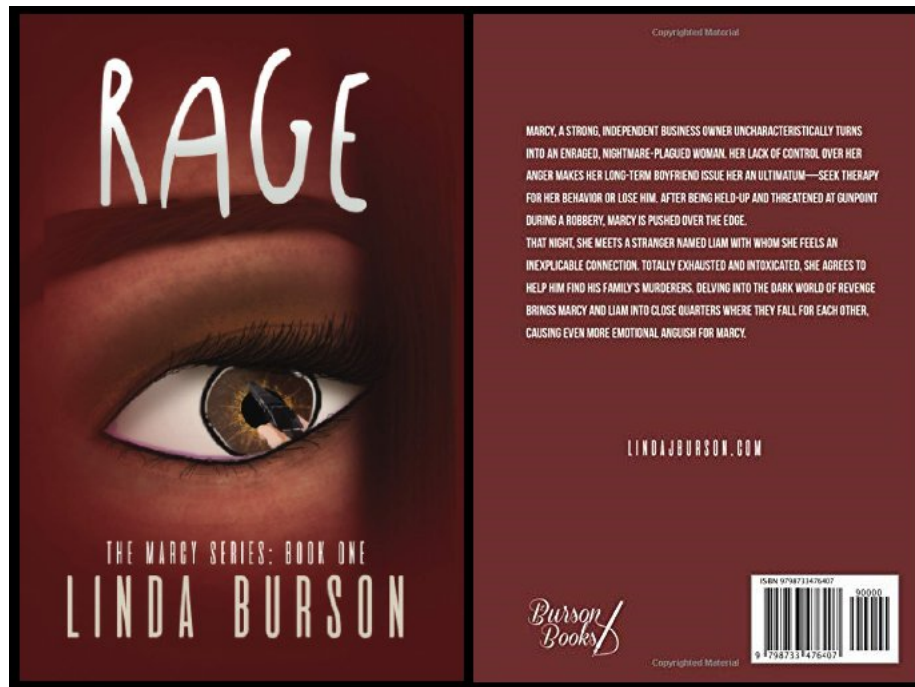
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Rage by Linda Burson.

Book 1 of 13: The Marcy Series.

Marcy, a strong, independent business owner uncharacteristically turns into an enraged, nightmare-plagued woman. Her lack of control over her anger makes her long-term boyfriend issue her an ultimatum—seek therapy for her behavior or lose him.

After being held-up and threatened at gunpoint during a robbery, Marcy is pushed over the edge. That night, she meets a stranger named Liam with whom she feels an inexplicable connection. Totally exhausted and intoxicated, she agrees to help him find his family's murderers. Delving into the dark world of revenge brings Marcy and Liam into close quarters where they fall for each other, causing even more emotional anguish for Marcy.



Review by Katie Kearney: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Great Read. Reviewed in the United States on August 25, 2021. Rage (The Marcy series Book 1) by Linda Burson starts us down the rabbit hole that is Marcy's life. When we start this journey, it looks like Marcy has everything a girl could ask for. A good job, a nice home, and a loving fiancée are all hers. Then the nightmares start. Before long the sleepless nights begin to take their toll on her and it gets to the point where her fiancée demands that she either get help or he's leaving. It is at this point that things begin to take a left turn into the bizarre. After a life-threatening event pushes her over the edge Marcy meets Liam and agrees to help him find and take revenge against the man that killed his family.

This was an interesting book to say the least. The plot is very much dialogue driven and every conversation has a feeling of authenticity to it that can be hard to find in some books. The dramatic and suspenseful elements were very well done and helped to keep me interested. All in all, a solid five star read and I look forward to reading the next in this series.

Review by Laura Furuta: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Loved reading this story..... Reviewed in the United States on November 27, 2019. The story Rage (The Marcy Series Book 1) by Linda Burson is a book that I enjoyed reading. It is a story that draws you in and didn't let me go until I have read the final page. It is a book that had my emotions going up and down the entire time I was reading it. I enjoyed reading about the characters of Marcy and Liam. Marcy is an intelligent, beautiful, and feisty woman. She runs a business and some of those who work with her are more like family than employees. The love of her life has given her an ultimatum to seek help for her anger, frustrations because of nightmares that she is having. She also is a woman who finds herself falling in love with Liam. Liam is a man who is on a quest to find those responsible for his family's murder and finds an ally in Marcy. Liam's character is mysterious and as the story unfolds, I found myself with many questions about him. Marcy is conflicted and at times overwhelmed. Read this story for an emotional rollercoaster that will have you turning pages wondering what will happen next. There are other characters that are introduced in this story and many of them I enjoyed reading about and their interactions with Marcy. There is intense dialogue. I grew to care about Marcy and there are situations in which I could empathize with her and what she experiences. This is a wonderful book to read and one that will keep you reading far into the night to find out what happens. Recommended reading.

Review by Jana T: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. What an opening act! Reviewed in the United States on November 28, 2019. Rage by Linda Burson is a smashing beginning to her Marcy Series ... What a debut book that is a mix of romance and thrill and I promise you the end will leave you reaching for the next instalment! You will fall in love with the writer's simple and clear writing that will pull you in from the beginning! What an imagine coming up with the plot that will keep giving ... for FIVE books!

Rage (and the Marcy series) is the story of Marcy and Brad and Liam ... Marcy's life has been going pretty swell, she has a successful bakery BUT suddenly she is plagued by nightmares that are so intense and obviously interfere with her sleep and making her anxious and simply impacting her daily life! She is

filled with RAGE ... and it is pushing her to the edge and over it ... she blows up when she happens onto a gas station robbery And things take a twisted turn from there ... she catches the attention of Liam who takes her (willingly) down a dark path ... and let's not forget about Brad ... the passion and tension and love and lust they share ...

The twists and turns and the human nature, oh what a tale the writer spins! I am ready for the next book ... I wonder what path the writer is taking us down ... (or maybe it is a tunnel ...)

Review by Cristi Page: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Excellent Read. Reviewed in the United States on February 8, 2020. This novel is very well written! Once I started it I couldn't put it down. Linda knows how to keep the twists and turns coming.

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Confusion by Linda Burson.

Book 2 of 13: The Marcy Series.

Marcy, learning of the reason for her nightmares and rage, realizes she has choices to make. She keeps this new information to herself, but her doctor insists she shares her revelations so she can heal. Unfortunately, unbeknown to her, she is still missing a large piece of the puzzle. Marcy questions a life-altering decision. Is it the right choice, or is she living a lie?

Her confusion weighs heavily on her. Eventually, she releases her concerns and moves forward with her plans. Liam finally gets the information he's been waiting for regarding his family's murderers, which takes him away from Marcy. She misses him so much; she decides to surprise him with a visit. Brad deals with the aftermath of his revelation about his father and makes a shocking and difficult decision for him and Marcy.

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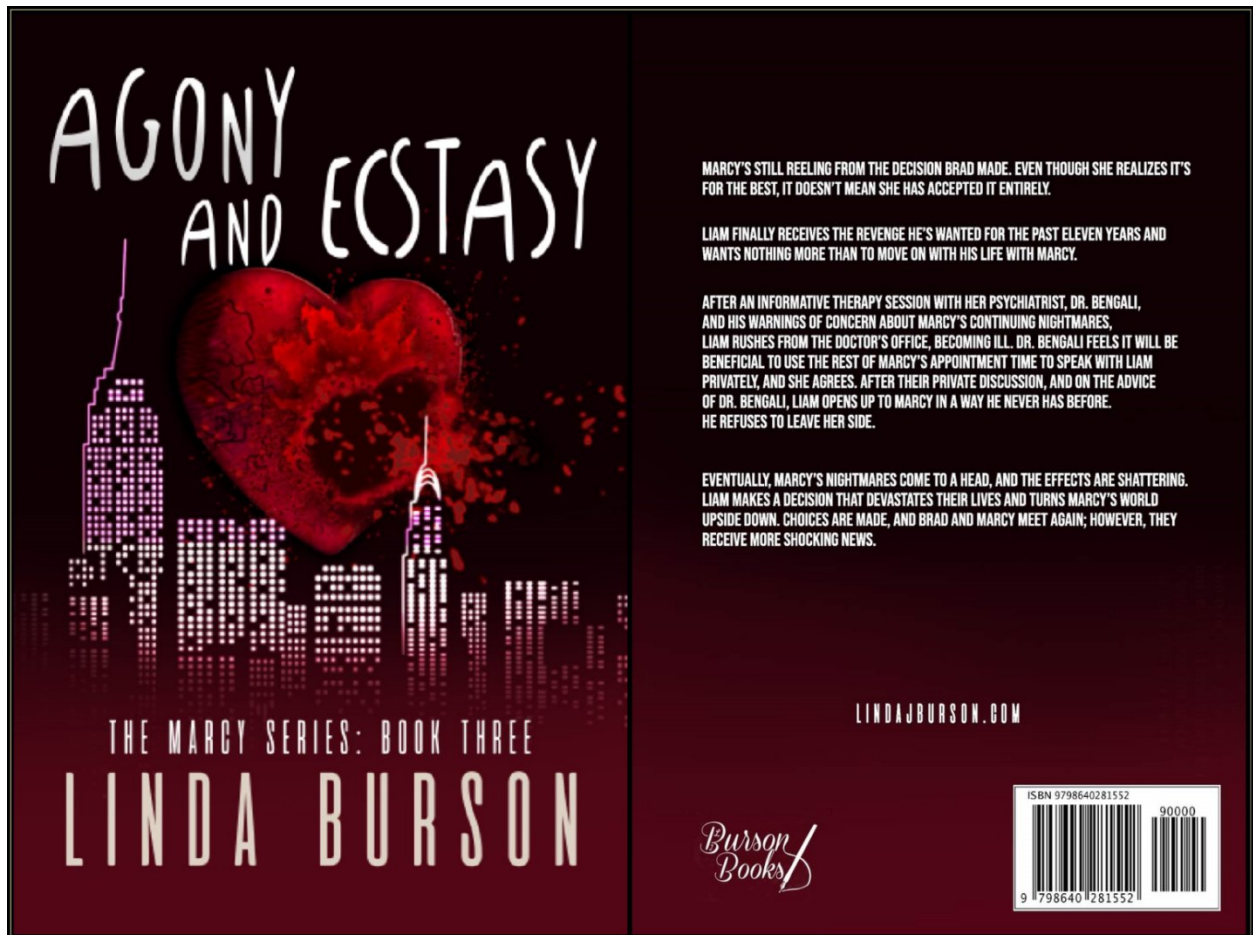
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Agony and Ecstasy by Linda Burson.

Book 3 of 13: The Marcy Series.

Marcy's still reeling from the decision Brad made. Even though she realizes it's for the best, it doesn't mean she has accepted it entirely. Liam finally receives the revenge he's wanted for the past eleven years and wants nothing more than to move on with his life with Marcy. After an informative therapy session with her psychiatrist, Dr. Bengali, and his warnings of concern about Marcy's continuing nightmares, Liam rushes from the doctor's office, becoming ill.

Dr. Bengali feels it will be beneficial to use the rest of Marcy's appointment time to speak with Liam privately, and she agrees. After their private discussion, and on the advice of Dr. Bengali, Liam opens up to Marcy in a way he never has before. He refuses to leave her side. Eventually, Marcy's nightmares

come to a head, and the effects are shattering. Liam makes a decision that devastates their lives and turns Marcy's world upside down. Choices are made, and Brad and Marcy meet again; however, they receive more shocking news.



Review by Angela Hayes: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. A fantastic addition to the series... Reviewed in the United States on August 8, 2021. Agony and Ecstasy is the intriguing third book in the Marcy Series by Linda Burson. The story continues from book two, so I would recommend reading the first two books before beginning this one. The more this story evolves, the more I am realising how well thought out the entire bridging storyline is. Ms. Burson has infused her story with a lot of suspense, drama, dilemmas, emotion, humour, complex characters in complicated relationships and interactions, and quite a few surprises/surprising developments.

Ms. Burson really writes well, pulling you into the story and keeping you hooked right through to the end. I laughed, cried, and got lost in this fabulous story. For me, that is the sign of a skilled writer. I have really enjoyed this series so far, but this is definitely my favourite to date.

The story has a great pace and is easy to read, it evolves beautifully and unexpectedly the further into the story/series I go. The characters have also developed and evolved along with the storyline. They tell an intriguing and very believable tale that I can't wait to continue in the next book. Marcy, Brad and Liam have been through a lot and in this story, they continue to deal with nightmares, therapy sessions, making major decisions, dealing with shocking revelations, and more.

All this awaits in this awesome read! Bring on the next book!

Review by Hornsfan73: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Addicting Series. Reviewed in the United States on August 16, 2021. Agony and Ecstasy is the third book in the Marcy series by Linda Burson and I think this is my favorite of the series so far. I didn't find myself as annoyed my Marcy as I did in the first two book which was a good thing, but that never stopped me from reading the books and not want to put them down. Marcy has done a lot of growing and healing in this series and I have a feeling that there is still a lot more to come for her.

Marcy has such a great group of friends and she knows it, but doesn't realize how much she will come to depend on them until one day when she least expects it. There are so many things that happen in this book, Marcy and Liam are strong, Marcy finds out more about her past and her connection to someone she didn't even know about until memories come flooding back. I can't wait to see what happens next in this series. I have a feeling the drama is nowhere close to being over.

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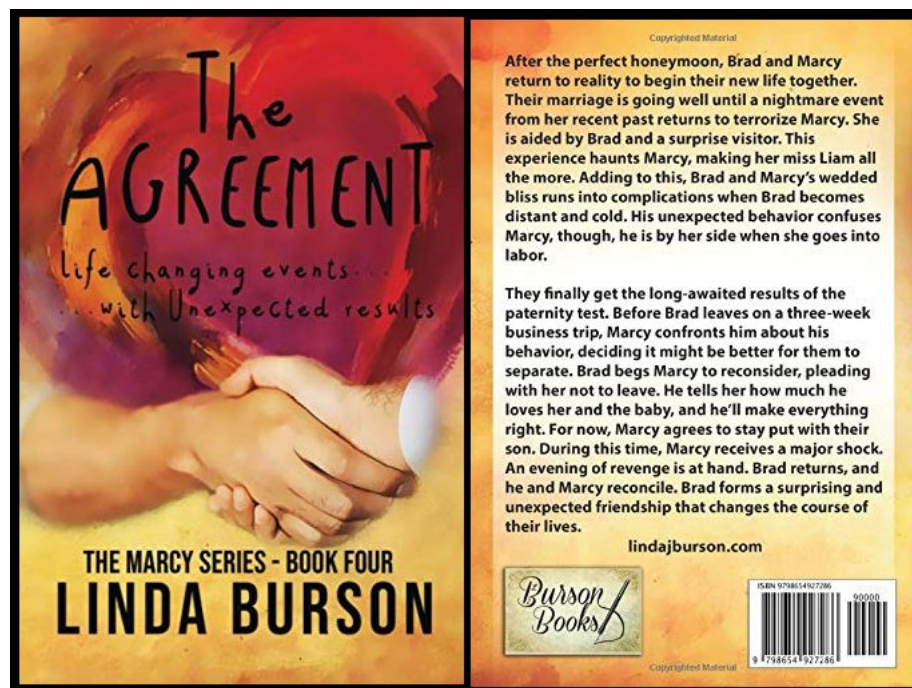
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The Agreement by Linda Burson.

Book 4 of 13: The Marcy Series.

After the perfect honeymoon, Brad and Marcy return to reality to begin their new life together. Their marriage is going well until a nightmare event from her recent past returns to terrorize Marcy. She is aided by Brad and a surprise visitor. This experience haunts Marcy, making her miss Liam all the more. Adding to this, Brad and Marcy's wedded bliss runs into complications when Brad becomes distant and cold. His unexpected behavior confuses Marcy, though he is by her side when she goes into labor.

They finally get the long-awaited results of the paternity test. Before Brad leaves on a three-week business trip, Marcy confronts him about his behavior, deciding it might be better for them to separate. Brad begs Marcy to reconsider, pleading with her not to leave. He tells her how much he loves her and

the baby, and he'll make everything right. For now, Marcy agrees to stay put with their son. During this time, Marcy receives a major shock. An evening of revenge is at hand. Brad returns, and he and Marcy reconcile. Brad forms a surprising and unexpected friendship that changes the course of their lives.

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The Past Returns by Linda Burson.

Book 5 of 13: The Marcy Series.

Marcy and Brad's marriage is back on track even with the major changes at play, one of which is a falling out between Brad and his father. It's determined that Liam's family's murders were not a simple home invasion. There's more to the story than originally thought, which means the ultimate criminal is still at large. A new wedding is planned for New Year's Eve. This wedding is a complete surprise to everyone, and an unexpected pregnancy may interfere.

Marcy's secret daytime trips are exposed, but not before Liam misunderstands what she's doing. This devastation leads Marcy to remember the final pieces of her past, which includes Liam. Thanksgiving at Marcy's parent's house brings back old memories and new jealousies. Marcy gives a Thanksgiving speech that sheds light on her life. The men in Marcy's life become even closer, and a true bond is formed. A major purchase is made that not only secures the family's future but makes Marcy happy.

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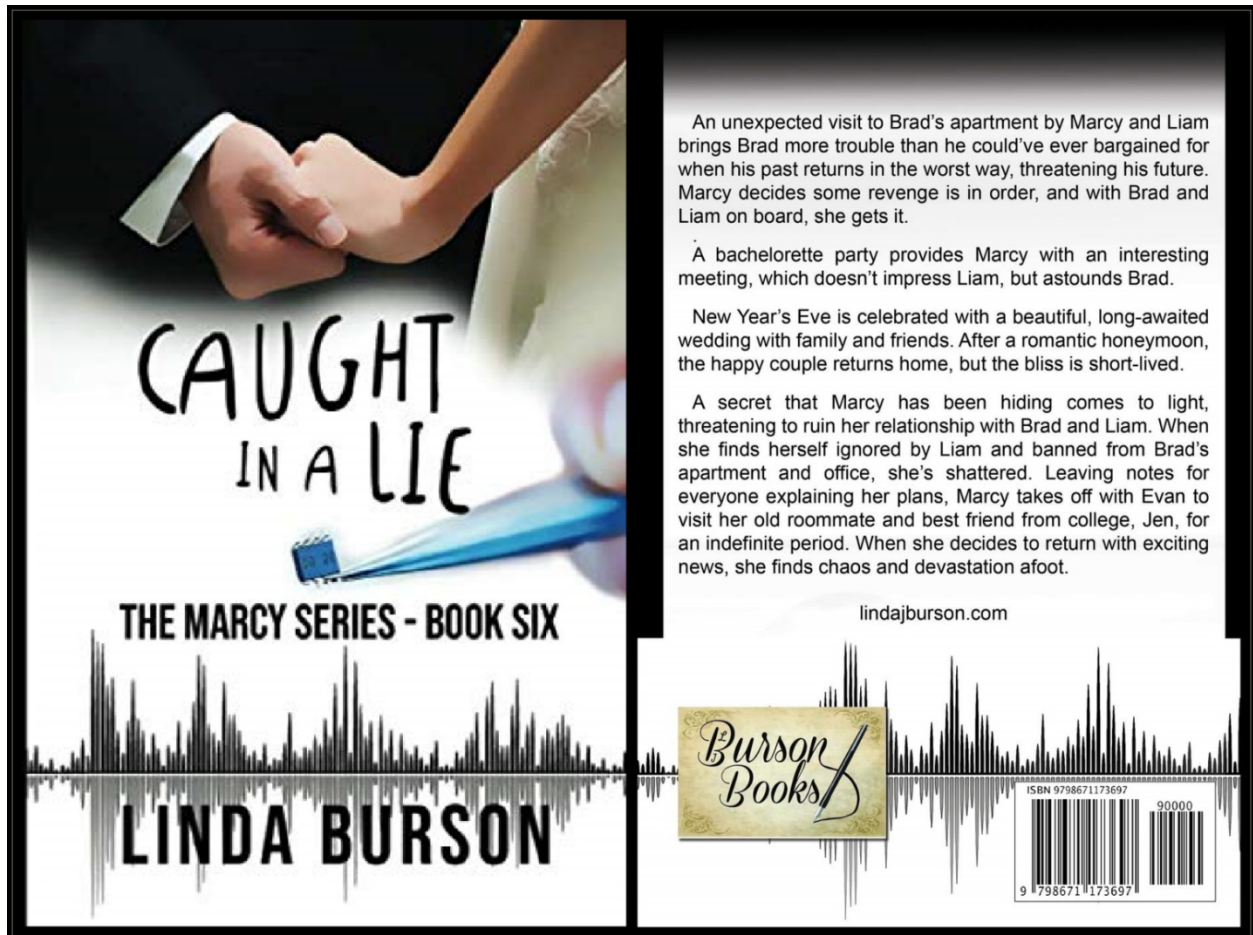
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Caught In A Lie by Linda Burson.

Book 6 of 13: The Marcy Series.

An unexpected visit to Brad's apartment by Marcy and Liam brings Brad more trouble than he could've ever bargained for when his past returns in the worst way, threatening his future. Marcy decides some revenge is in order, and with Brad and Liam on board, she gets it. A bachelorette party provides Marcy with an interesting meeting, which doesn't impress Liam, but astounds Brad.

New Year's Eve is celebrated with a beautiful, long-awaited wedding with family and friends. After a romantic honeymoon, the happy couple returns home, but the bliss is short-lived. A secret that Marcy has been hiding comes to light, threatening to ruin her relationship with Brad and Liam. When she finds herself ignored by Liam and banned from Brad's apartment and office, she's shattered. Leaving notes for everyone explaining her plans, Marcy takes off with Evan to visit her old roommate and best friend from

college, Jen, for an indefinite period. When she decides to return with exciting news, she finds chaos and devastation afoot.



Review by Laura Furuta: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. There is also a happy event on the horizon. Reviewed in the United States on July 29, 2018. The story Caught In A Lie (The Marcy Series Book 6) by Linda Burson is a contemporary romance book. It is the next story in the lives of Marcy, Liam, and Brad. The story revolves around these three and the situations that they find themselves in. The past has a way of coming back as one of the characters find out. There is also a happy event on the horizon. Marcy is a strong, smart, beautiful woman. She owns a successful business and has wonderful friends and family that help her. There are times when she feels intense love and also intense frustration. She has times of confusion, doubt, guilt, and anger. There are also complications that arise. I also really enjoyed reading about the other characters who interact with Marcy. They are true friends and also family members who are there for her when she needs help the most. This story has times when there is conflict. There are also times of romance. This is another well-written story that I didn't want to put down until I had finished the last page. As the characters are brought forward and situations are referenced from the previous books, I would recommend reading this series in order. I am hoping for another book in the series to find out what direction the story and characters go next.

Review by E. Walsh: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. ONE HOT SUMMER READ! Reviewed in the United States on August 11, 2018. Caught In A Lie (The Marcy Series Book 6) by Linda Burson was, like the other books, complex, layered and full of intense emotions.

I will start with that this book is part of a complex connecting plot line from the other five books. So I highly suggest that you read these books in order. If not, you will be confused and lost, as there is so much going on, so many twist turns and revelation that will cause confusion if not followed correctly.

This sixth book was something, Linda Burson has really displayed their writing skills in this instalment and in my opinion, is the best book in the series so far. This was very Marcy centered, well it was more Marcy centered than the others. The tempo was high, the emotions were raw. Liam, and Brad are there giving their support. What I liked is that we get to see a different, darker side to Marcy. That really made this story stand out, and for me, brought something new to a character as long running as Marcy. That is how you evolve a story.

Overall, this series has me hooked, and I can't wait to see if more are coming. The ending gives enough to hope, so hope I share. Please take my super high recommendation that you will be invested in this series, in Marcy, Liam and Brad. Their situation isn't like anything you have read, and the books just keep getting better and better. Happy Reading

Review by Jennadb: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Each book in the series gets better and better and one I have loved since the ... Reviewed in the United States on July 28, 2018. Caught in a lie is the sixth book in The Marcy Series by Linda Burson and is a contemporary romance story. Each book in the series gets

better and better and one I have loved since the first book. I love these characters and feel like I am a part of their journey, their love, their life, their unwavering love and commitment to each other. Emotions run high and strong from anger and frustration, insecurities and love, pain and heartache, heartbreak and excitement and you feel every one of them. When they laugh you laugh, when they break you break with them. I love and enjoy reading about Marcy and the men in her life. Let me tell you, there were tears shed reading this one. As usual Linda's words had me turning page after page to see what was going to happen next and I couldn't stop until I had finished devouring each and every word. The next book cannot come quick enough.

Review by Naomi McDonald: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. This series is really good at feeding that feeling at times. Reviewed in the United States on August 5, 2018. Caught In A Lie is the sixth book in the Marcy series. It ends in a way that leaves the story open, but at least this cliffhanger didn't make me want to throw my Kindle across the room. This series is really good at feeding that feeling at times, lol.

This book is probably the most emotional book out of the series thus far, at least in my opinion. Things seem to be going well, but as I suspected after reading the previous books, it all goes wrong in a colossal way. I think I cried for two to three whole chapters. Men expressing emotion gets me every time. The author does a wonderful job of portraying the lengths we will go to because of unhealed trauma.

Beautiful tragedy sums up a lot of the story line in this book. It's like a train wreck, you want to look away, but you can't. I can hardly wait for the seventh book to come out!

Review by Kindle Customer: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Riveting. Reviewed in the United States on July 30, 2018. Caught In a Lie is book number six in the Marcy series by Linda Burson. Wow, just when I think this author could not possibly wow me anymore this book is ready for reading. There is a constant, never-ending plethora of drama and tension between the characters in this series, and always new and enthralling events that keep readers intrigued, involved, and enlightened.

Brad, Marcy, and Liam provide another interesting and intense instalment in a series that really does have it all. From the first meeting, to everything in between, a reader cannot help but be swept away with the clever and astute writing style Linda Burson exhibits in each book. I am always rendered speechless with the goings on in the lives of the three main characters. And exhausted, as I have to read each story in one sitting, no matter the time. Linda Burson is a captivating storyteller of a series that is gripping and all consuming. 5 stars

Review by Katie Kearney: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Love this just as much as the rest. Reviewed in the United States on July 31, 2018. Caught In A Lie (The Marcy Series Book 6) by Linda Burson. Once again, the author pulls readers in from page one. I highly recommend reading this series in order. I've come to love all these characters as we've watched them grow and change over the course of this series. The author does a wonderful job of keeping me hooked from beginning to end with great details to each part of the book. Marcy has become one of my favorite female characters this year. The characters mesh so well it's hard to remember it's a book. It's another amazing add to an already great series. Well thought out and written nicely. If you haven't read these, pick them up now and enjoy. I'm giving this book a five-star review and highly recommend it.

Review by Amanda Pierce: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. She did it again. Reviewed in the United States on August 12, 2018. Caught In A Lie by Linda Burson had me on my toes the entire time. Just like the other

books, I didn't want to put it down because I couldn't wait to find out what was going to happen. I wasn't sure I would like this series when I started, but after reading them I was hooked. I really enjoy getting to know these characters and I always get sad when there isn't a next book, its like losing friends. I have loved this series and this author. I know it says this is book 6 of 6, but I'm keeping my fingers crossed for more. Great story, great writing. 5 solid stars every time.

Review by Sara Taylor: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Amazing Series. Reviewed in the United States on July 28, 2018. I have read all of the books so far. I read this book before number 5 but I went back a d read it. You want to read all the books so you know what's going on. I'm so glad these books flow together so easily. The characters have become relatable and real. These books have great drama and excitement. I love the twists and turns so much I couldn't put them down. It was like reading my own little soap opera! I will definitely recommend this series to people!

Review by Samantha McIntyre: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Can't put it down. Reviewed in the United States on August 6, 2018. All I can say is wow! Make sure that you read this series in order or you will be lost! It's a great romance novel and this one has that little twist of revenge that it's amazing!! It was a keep you up at night because you will not want to put this down!!! This author is amazing! I want to see what's next with this romance!!! When's the next book coming out?

Review by Amazon Customer: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Did it again! Linda you never disappoint! Reviewed in the United States on August 26, 2017. Got it this morning! Finished it by nightfall! Love, lies! Pain, heartbreak! I always say it, you did it again! Please hurry up with the editing of book 7 of the Marcy Series!

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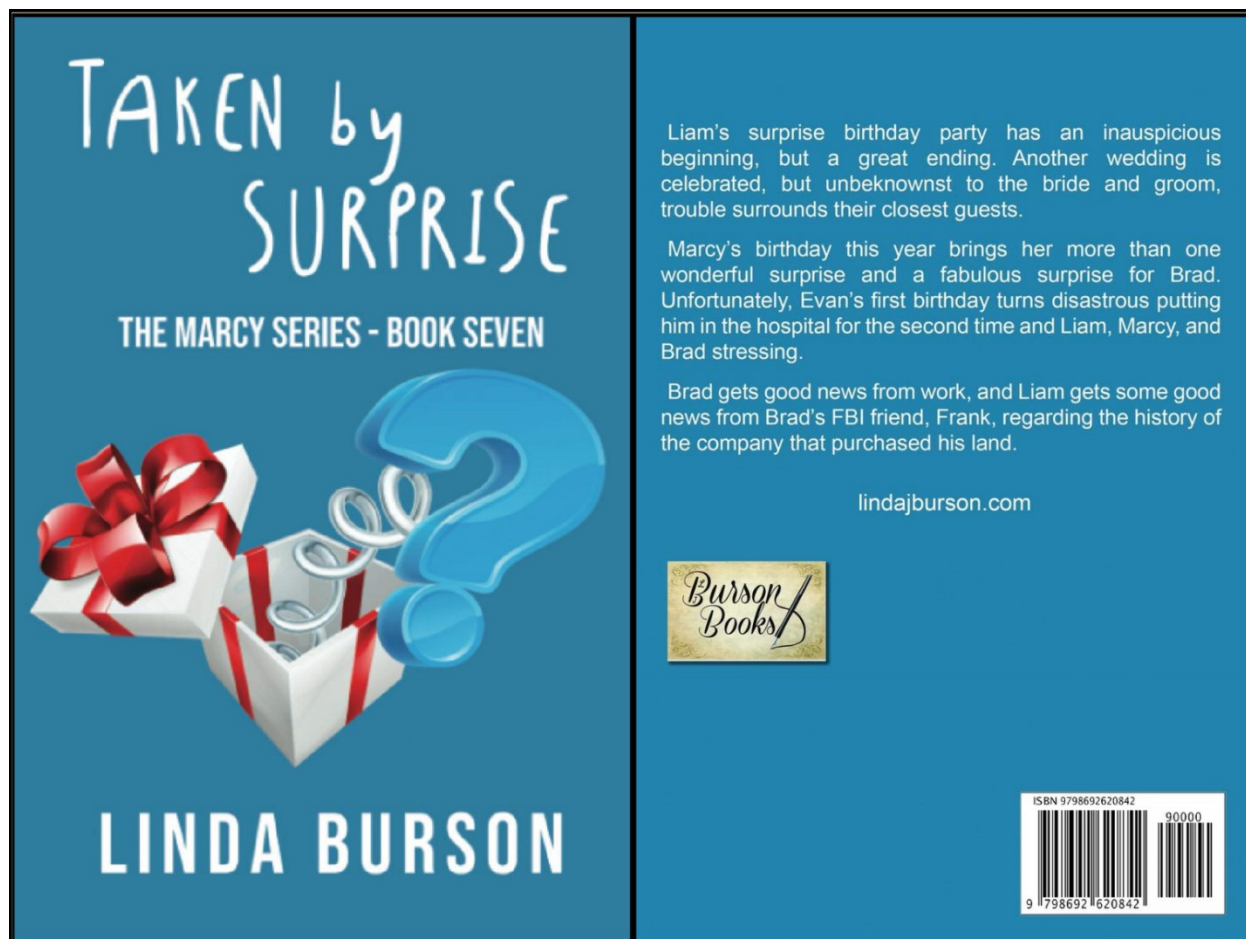
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Taken By Surprise by Linda Burson.

Book 7 of 13: The Marcy Series.

Liam's surprise birthday party has an inauspicious beginning, but a great ending. Another wedding is celebrated, but unbeknownst to the bride and groom, trouble surrounds their closest guests. Marcy's birthday this year brings her more than one wonderful surprise and a fabulous surprise for Brad.

Unfortunately, Evan's first birthday turns disastrous, putting him in the hospital for the second time and Liam, Marcy, and Brad stressing. Brad gets good news from work, and Liam gets some good news from Brad's FBI friend, Frank, regarding the history of the company that purchased his land.

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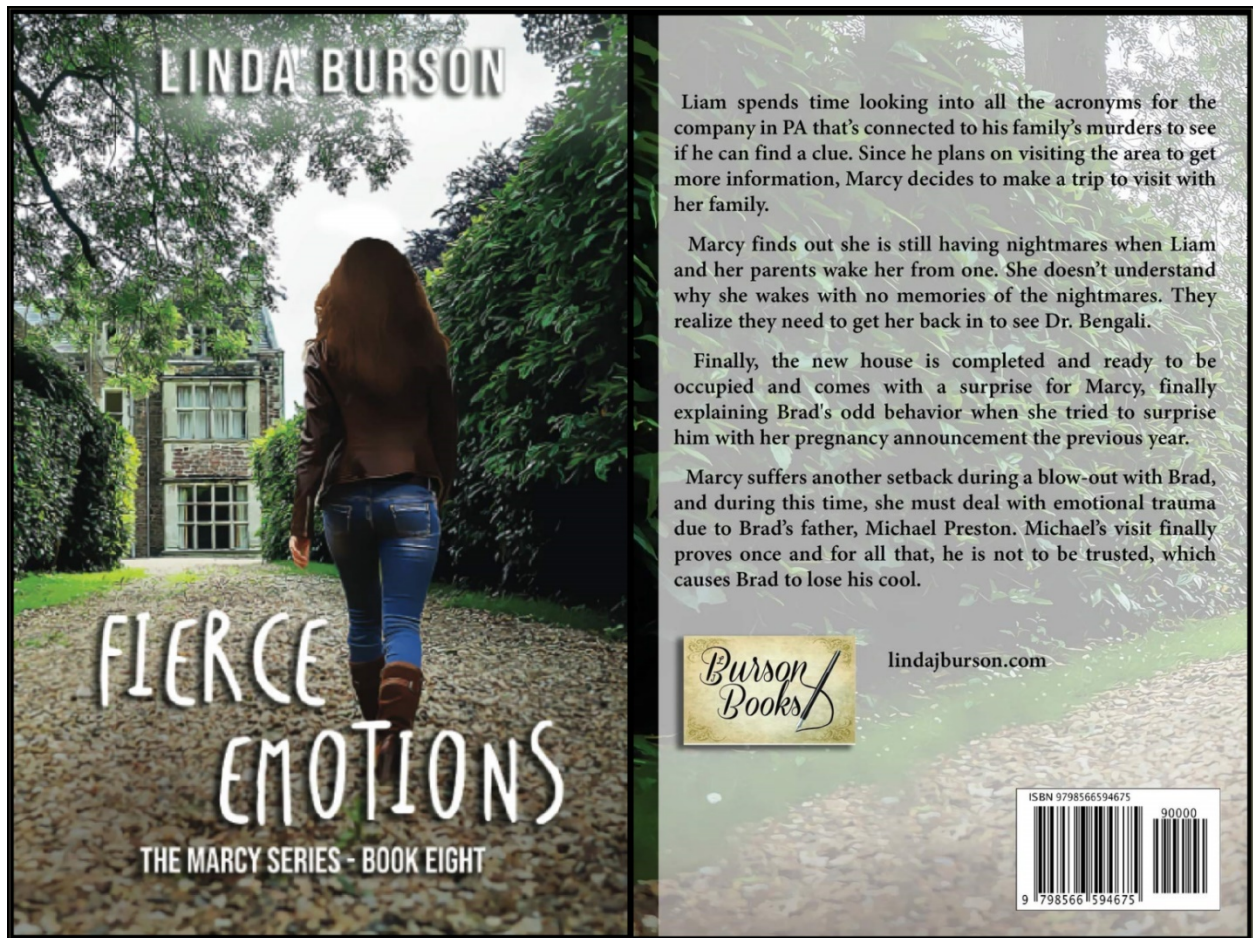
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Fierce Emotions by Linda Burson.

Book 8 of 13: The Marcy Series.

Liam spends time looking into all the acronyms for the company in PA that's connected to his family's murders to see if he can find a clue. Since he plans on visiting the area to get more information, Marcy decides to make a trip to visit with her family. Marcy finds out she is still having nightmares when Liam and her parents wake her from one. She doesn't understand why she wakes with no memories of the nightmares.

They realize they need to get her back in to see Dr. Bengali. Finally, the new house is completed and ready to be occupied and comes with a surprise for Marcy, finally explaining Brad's odd behavior when she tried to surprise him with her pregnancy announcement the previous year. Marcy suffers another

setback during a blow-out with Brad, and during this time, she must deal with emotional trauma due to Brad's father, Michael Preston. Michael's visit finally proves once and for all that, he is not to be trusted, which causes Brad to lose his cool.

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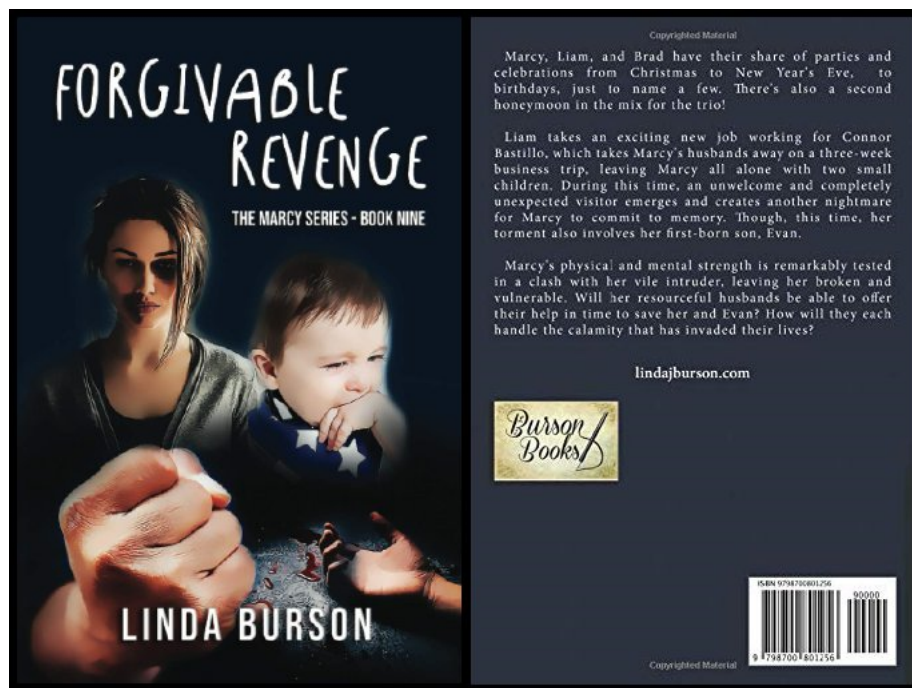
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Forgivable Revenge by Linda Burson.

Book 9 of 13: The Marcy Series.

Marcy, Liam, and Brad have their share of parties and celebrations from Christmas to New Year's Eve, to birthdays, just to name a few. There's also a second honeymoon in the mix for the trio! Liam takes an

exciting new job working for Connor Bastillo, which takes Marcy's husbands away on a three-week business trip, leaving Marcy all alone with two small children.

During this time, an unwelcome and completely unexpected visitor emerges and creates another nightmare for Marcy to commit to memory. Though, this time, her torment also involves her first-born son, Evan. Marcy's physical and mental strength is remarkably tested in a clash with her vile intruder, leaving her broken and vulnerable. Will her resourceful husbands be able to offer their help in time to save her and Evan? How will they each handle the calamity that has invaded their lives?

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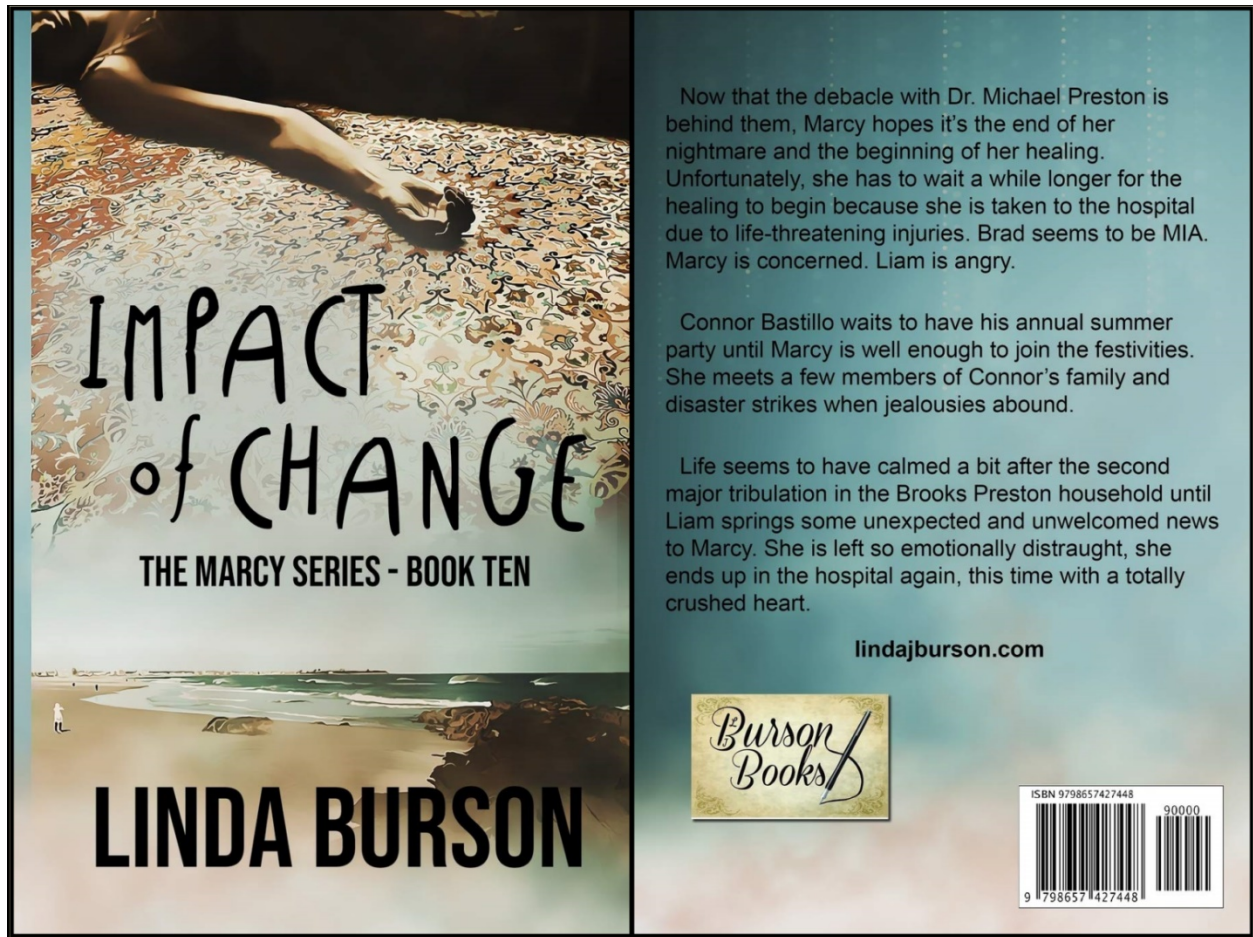
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Impact of Change by Linda Burson.

Book 10 of 13: The Marcy Series.

Now that the debacle with Dr. Michael Preston is behind them, Marcy hopes it's the end of her nightmare and the beginning of her healing. Unfortunately, she has to wait a while longer for the healing to begin because she is taken to the hospital due to life-threatening injuries. Brad seems to be MIA. Marcy is concerned. Liam is angry.

Connor Bastillo waits to have his annual summer party until Marcy is well enough to join the festivities. She meets a few members of Connor's family and disaster strikes when jealousies abound. Life seems to have calmed a bit after the second major tribulation in the Brooks Preston household until Liam springs some unexpected and unwelcome news to Marcy. She is left so emotionally distraught, she ends up in the hospital again, this time with a totally crushed heart.



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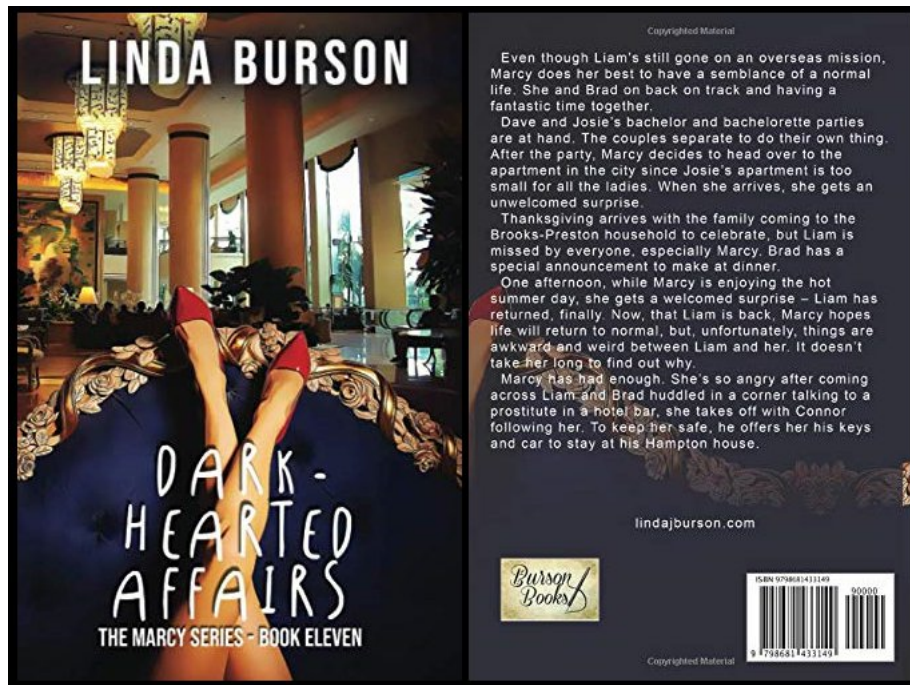
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Dark-Hearted Affairs by Linda Burson.

Book 11 of 13: The Marcy Series.

Even though Liam's still gone on an overseas mission, Marcy does her best to have a semblance of a normal life. She and Brad on back on track and having a fantastic time together. Dave and Josie's bachelor and bachelorette parties are at hand. The couples separate to do their own thing. After the

party, Marcy decides to head over to the apartment in the city since Josie's apartment is too small for all the ladies. When she arrives, she gets an unwelcome surprise.

Thanksgiving arrives with the family coming to the Brooks-Preston household to celebrate, but Liam is missed by everyone, especially Marcy. Brad has a special announcement to make at dinner. One afternoon, while Marcy is enjoying the hot summer day, she gets a welcomed surprise – Liam has returned, finally. Now that Liam is back, Marcy hopes life will return to normal, but, unfortunately, things are awkward and weird between Liam and her. It doesn't take her long to find out why.

Marcy has had enough. She's so angry after coming across Liam and Brad huddled in a corner talking to a prostitute in a hotel bar, she takes off with Connor following her. To keep her safe, he offers her his keys and car to stay at his Hampton house.

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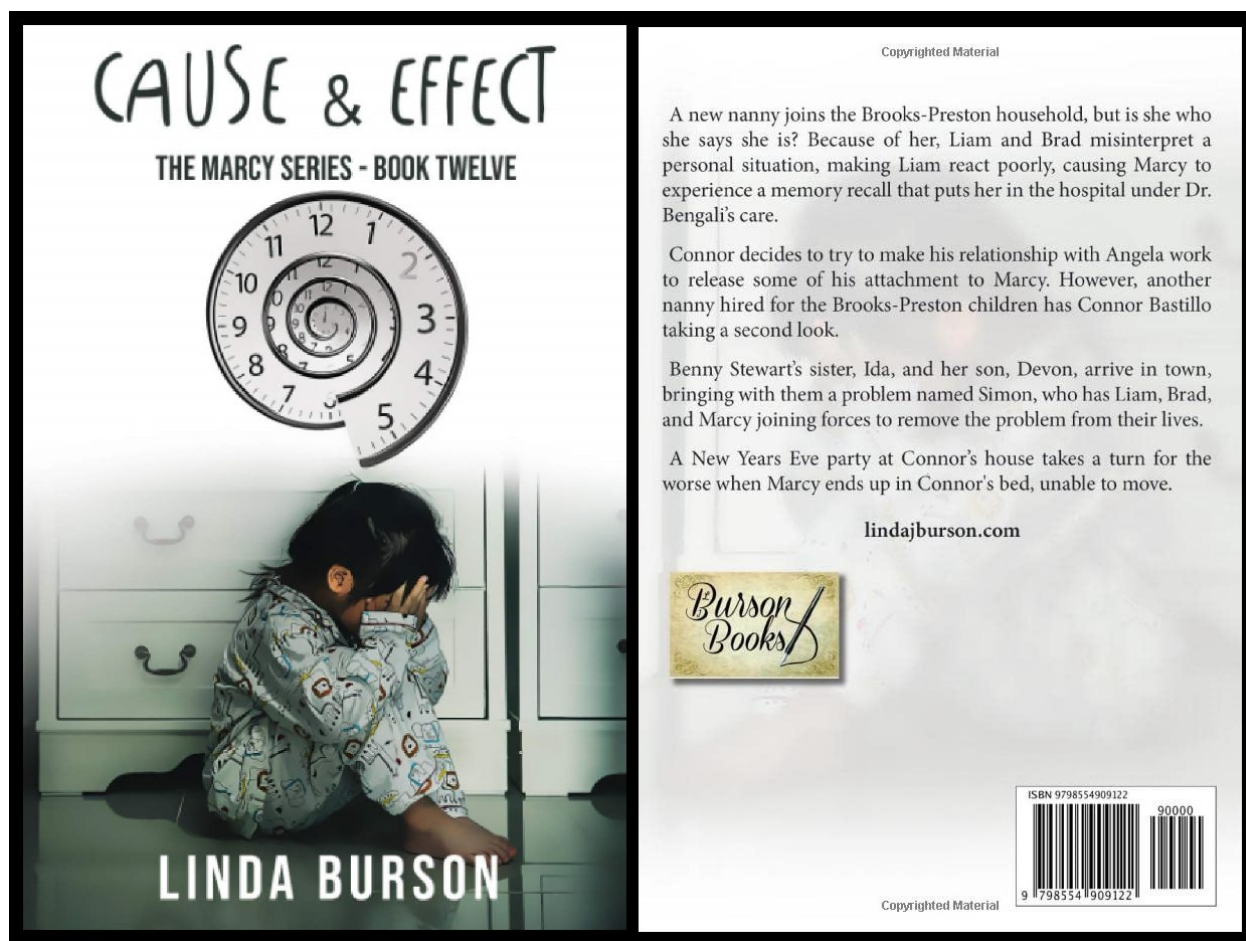
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Cause & Effect by Linda Burson.

Book 12 of 13: The Marcy Series.

A new nanny joins the Brooks-Preston household, but is she who she says she is? Because of her, Liam and Brad misinterpret a personal situation, making Liam react poorly, causing Marcy to experience a memory recall that puts her in the hospital under Dr. Bengali's care.

Connor decides to try to make his relationship with Angela work to release some of his attachment to Marcy. However, another nanny hired for the Brooks-Preston children has Connor Bastillo taking a second look.

Benny Stewart's sister, Ida, and her son, Devon, arrive in town, bringing with them a problem named Simon, who has Liam, Brad, and Marcy joining forces to remove the problem from their lives. A New Year's Eve party at Connor's house takes a turn for the worse when. Marcy ends up in Connor's bed, unable to move.



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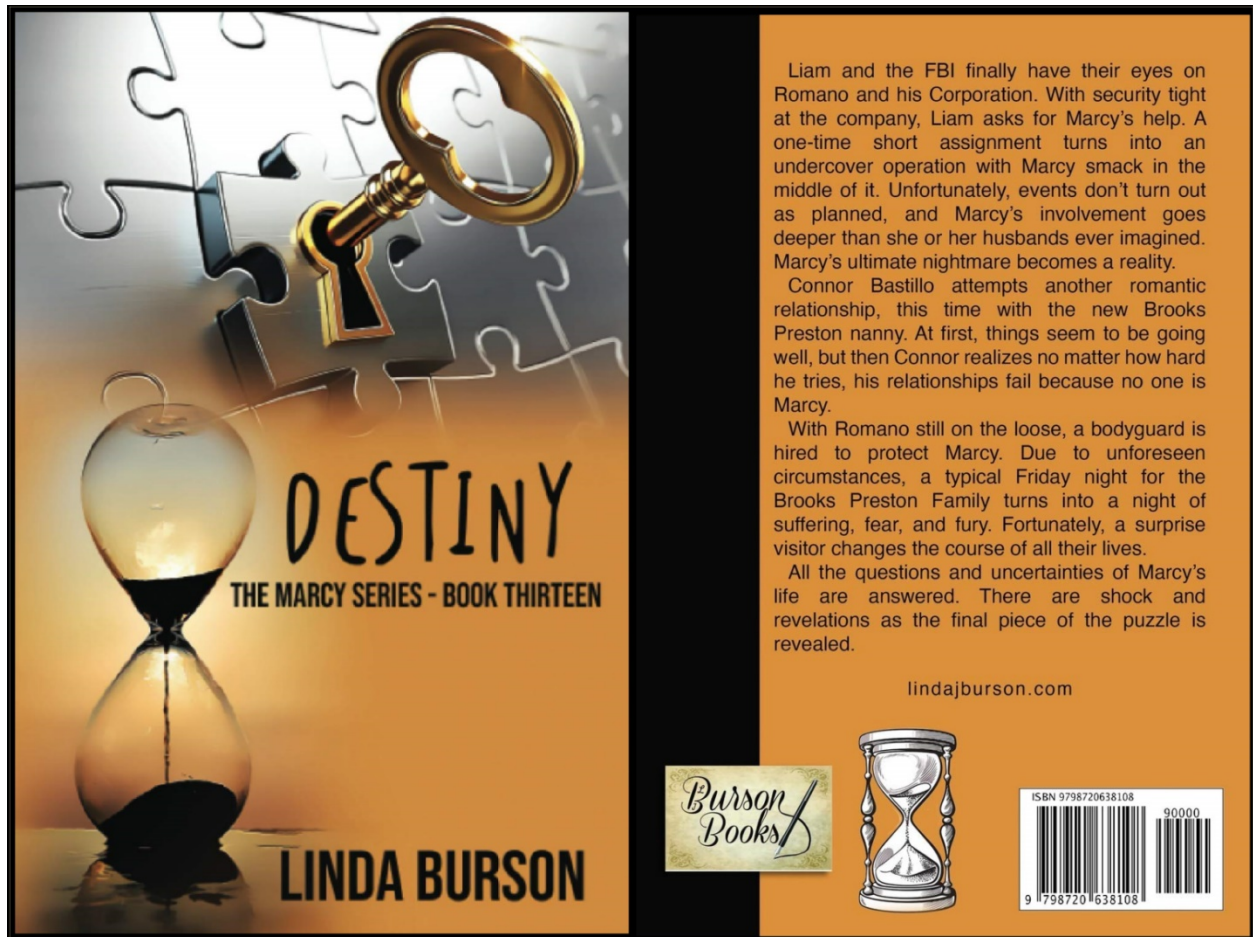
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Destiny by Linda Burson.

Book 13 of 13: The Marcy Series.

Liam and the FBI finally have their eyes on Romano and his Corporation. With security tight at the company, Liam asks for Marcy's help. A one-time short assignment turns into an undercover operation with Marcy smack in the middle of it. Unfortunately, events don't turn out as planned, and Marcy's involvement goes deeper than she or her husband ever imagined. Marcy's ultimate nightmare becomes a reality.

Connor Bastillo attempts another romantic relationship, this time with the new Brooks Preston nanny. At first, things seem to be going well, but then Connor realizes no matter how hard he tries, his relationships fail because no one is Marcy. With Romano still on the loose, a bodyguard is hired to protect Marcy. Due to unforeseen circumstances, a typical Friday night for the Brooks Preston Family turns into a night of suffering, fear, and fury. Fortunately, a surprise visitor changes the course of all their lives. All the questions and uncertainties of Marcy's life are answered. There are shock and revelations as the final piece of the puzzle is revealed.



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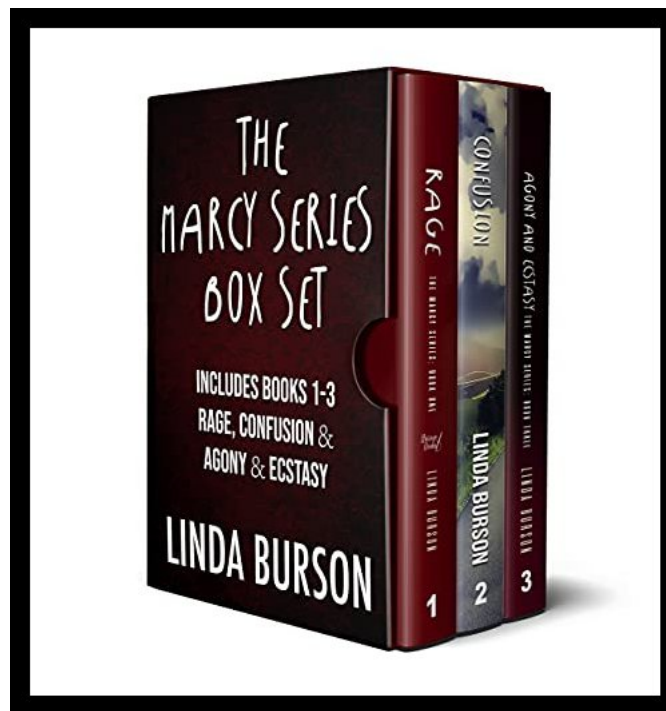
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The Marcy Series Box Set: Books 1-3 by Linda Burson.

MARCY SERIES in a 3-Book Kindle set.

Start at the beginning with RAGE. Get to know Marcy, Brad, and Liam. Join Marcy in finding out why she has anger issues.

Next, continue with the second book, CONFUSION. See how Marcy tries to navigate her conflicted emotions. Get to know more about her, Brad, and Liam and their friends.

When you begin the third book, emotions run deep, and decisions are made but more surprises await as AGONY AND ECSTASY takes you on a path with twists and turns.



Review by Ashley Dover: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Can Marcy really love two men at once? Reviewed in the United States on September 7, 2021. Linda Burson's Marcy Series starts off wonderfully with these three books. The intriguing story of a woman who loves two men at the same time seems totally absurd. How Marcy handles this among the other revelations in her life is somewhat amazing! These books are truly books that you need to have on your TBR list.

Marcy is the owner of the Coffee, Tea, and Treats bakery in Cold Spring Harbor. In Rage, readers learn of Marcy's rage that she has used several times to get her out of jams. Unfortunately, it also makes things difficult for her long-term boyfriend, Brad. She eventually starts seeing a psychiatrist who helps her find the cause of her rage. In the meantime, Brad has big plans which lead to an engagement. Only this engagement lasts only a few days. After Brad breaks up with her, Marcy turns to her friend Liam for a trip out of town which leads to her falling in love with a second guy.

In book 2, Confusion, Marcy decides that she can't handle relationships with both men. Unfortunately, the situation is not so easily managed, and she soon realizes that one of her men has been leading her with his behavior and his actions. She realizes love often means being able to give up what you most desire to have that person be happy.

In book 3, Agony and Ecstasy, Marcy's life turns upside down once again as the best-laid plans in life aren't always what happens. Where does Marcy find love and happiness in her life? And at what cost does this actually happen?

Review by Hornsfan73: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Strong finish to 1st set. Reviewed in the United States on August 16, 2021. Rage is the first book in the Marcy series by Linda Burson. I liked the book overall and I was looking forward to reading the second book, but I found myself a little confused and now have a ton of questions. I had been down with a pretty bad cold when I started so I can't help but wonder if that has something to do with my confusion, or if I was led to be confused on purpose by the author. If that is the case, she did a good job.

Confusion is the second book in the series. I found myself getting very frustrated with Marcy in this book. The back and forth was never ending or at least that is the way it seemed to me. There were times I really wanted to shake her and get her to make up her mind between Brad and Liam. I like the supporting cast as much if not more than the main characters and I hoped to find them in more prominent roles in the following books.

Agony and Ecstasy is the third book in the series and I think this is my favorite of the series so far. I didn't find myself as annoyed my Marcy as I did in the first two book which was a good thing, but that never stopped me from reading the books and not want to put them down. Marcy has done a lot of growing and healing in this series and I have a feeling that there is still a lot more to come for her.

Review by Jenique Bornman: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. 3 in 1 Bonus because you're not gonna want to put it down. Reviewed in the United States on August 30, 2021. Have you ever been so frustrated, overtired and filled with so much RAGE that only one little thing will push you over the edge..... Well this is where Marcy finds herself. One nightmare has driven her to the brink of uncomfortable RAGE. She's alienated everyone close to her. And now to make matters worse the man she loves has given her an ultimatum, she has to get help or it's over (what an ass).

Just when she thinks life can't get any worse, she gets held at gunpoint.... that's when it happens, that's the point where her RAGE gets pushed over the edge of no return.

But as luck will have it, that's when she meets the one person that might just be able to get her back from the brink of disaster.

This is a, on the edge of your seat, nail biting, page turning kind of book.

Linda Burson knows how to hook you into a book coma. Marcy is a very well thought out character. The storyline definitely leaves you wondering. Don't blink or you will miss something and believe me you will not want to miss anything.

Great start to a great series.

And what makes this even better is you get the first 3 books in 1!!!!

That's a bonus because believe me you're not gonna want to stop after the first book.

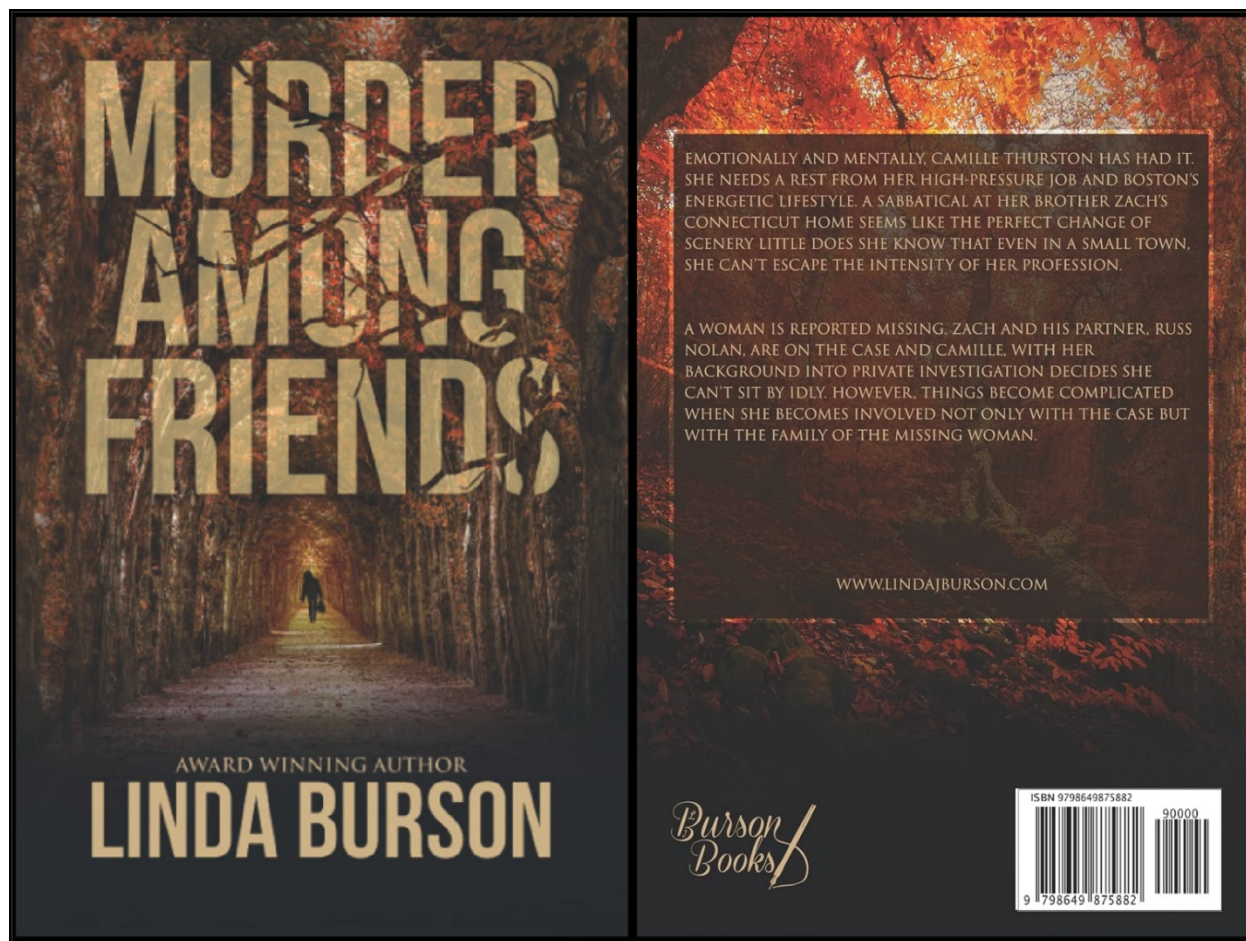
Review by Ashley: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Fantastic. Reviewed in the United States on August 30, 2021. I am now a true fan of Linda Burson! This series was very well written and kept me on the edge of my seat! I was invested in the characters from the very first chapter! Each story in this set is unique in its own way and keeps you interested with different twists and turns! You get a little bit of everything in these books: drama suspense action a love triangle ;-). This series and author come with my highest recommendation!

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Stand Alone Book (Not In Series)



Murder Among Friends by Linda Burson.

Emotionally and mentally, Camille Thurston has had it. She needs a much-needed rest from her job and her life in Boston. She decides she'll find it at her brother Zachary's home in Connecticut. Little does she know that this is just the beginning of more emotional and mental exhaustion.

A woman is reported missing and Cammy's brother Zach and his partner, Russ Nolan, are on the case. Cammy, who has worked for a private investigator for the last three years, decides she can't sit by idly. She becomes involved not only with the case, but with the family of the missing woman.



Review by Laura Furuta: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. This story has many characters that you are introduced to and that I loved reading about. Reviewed in the United States on May 22, 2018. The story *Murder Among Friends* by Linda Burson is a thrilling mystery book. It is a story that constantly had me on the

edge of my seat wondering what was going to happen next. It is a book that I didn't want to put down until I had read the final page. It begins with Camille Thurston taking a break from her job in Boston and staying at her brother's home. She needs to recharge mentally. When a woman is reported missing her brother and his partner begin the investigation into where she could be. Camille who works as a private investigator, also finds herself drawn into the case. Will the missing woman be found? This story has many characters that you are introduced to and that I loved reading about. They are supportive of Camille and are there for her when she needs help. There are others that you come to believe have a hidden agenda. There are times when my mouth dropped open when reading what some of the characters said and did. I loved the character of Camille. She is a woman who once she starts an investigation does not give up until she finds the truth. I also enjoyed the interactions between Camille and her brother as it shows how much they care about each other. There are also some humorous interactions between her brother and his partner. This is the second book I have read by the author and have found that she writes wonderful stories with amazing characters. I look forward to reading more of her stories.

Reviewed by: Linda Tonis-Member of the Paranormal Romance Review Team: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. She heads to Connecticut to stay with her brother Zach his wife Leah and her niece and nephew who love her almost as much as she loves them. Reviewed in the United States on May 17, 2018. Camille (Cammy) Thurston works for a private detective business as a private investigator, a job she has been at for three years. It was three years ago that her life was turned upside down, she was passed over for a promotion at work and the night she thought her boyfriend of three years was finally going to propose he broke up with her. It was at a bar drinking away her sorrows that she met Frank Dees the owner of the private investigation business who offered her a job.

Camille's father and now her brother are police officers, but Camille realized after graduating from the police academy that it was not for her but being a private eye was just what the doctor ordered after everything that happened to her. Now after three years of pushing herself she is emotionally and mentally ready for some time off. She heads to Connecticut to stay with her brother Zach his wife Leah and her niece and nephew who love her almost as much as she loves them.

While at Zach's home she meets and falls in love with a little neighborhood boy Austin who can't wait to spend time at the house playing with Cammy and the kids. Austin is dropped off each day by his father Grant Clemons in spite of the objection by Austin's mother Paula. Paula and Grant have a very contentious marriage she is a sorry excuse for a mother and is always fighting with Grant. When Paula disappears, Cammy offers to help with Austin and after a while she and Grant become close. He has finally found a woman that makes him happy but with Paula missing their relationship is at a standstill. Either they have to wait seven years still she is declared dead or if she is dead her body has to show up, those are the only two ways that Grant and Cammy can legally marry and be together.

Grant always knew he was miserable with Paula but he didn't realize the extent of misery that she was leveling on their son. Neither he nor Austin are sad she isn't around and their biggest worry is that she could return. The reason that Grant never divorced her and the reason he married her in the first place are not for me to reveal but for you to find out for yourself and both reasons are worth the read.

I don't want to give anything away in this review but I will say that there were surprises that I didn't even see coming and I doubt anyone else would. There are also a group of Paula's so-called friends each claiming to be her best friend who can't stop themselves from interfering in Grant's life, each woman

with dreams of having Grant for themselves in spite of some of them being married. It is Grant's next-door neighbor and Paula's friend that causes a lot of trouble but another thing I am unwilling to talk about. I can't recommend this book highly enough.

Review by Bob-VINE VOICE: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Captivating. Reviewed in the United States on January 12, 2022. Ever since the Nancy Drew and Hardy Boys series, I've always loved murder mysteries. I hit the jackpot with this one. It had several cases going on at the same time. This author has a real knack for creating a lot of suspense and keeping you there.

Also, as an extra bonus, who would have known romance would be thrown as well! I feel like I got a lot more than I bargained for in this book. The main mystery involves finding a missing woman. Who is it? Who did it? There are several options, but I bet you can't figure out who did it!

I found the characters, Cammy, her brother Zach, and Grant very likable, relatable, and well developed. I found Cammy extremely likable. As a private investigator, she just couldn't help but get involved in this mystery even though it was her law enforcement brother, Zach's case. My heart went out to little 7-year-old Austin, a pawn in the marriage between Grant and Paula.

Wow, the twists, and turns will have you spinning. Well done Linda Burson! This is the first book I have read by this author. I see she has several more. I will have to check them out. I loved the pace of this story. Seriously, you will not want to put this one down.

Review by Beverly: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. OH, EMM GEE!!!! Reviewed in the United States on September 17, 2021. OH, EMM GEE! I can't even begin to explain how much I LOVED Murder Among Friends by Linda Burson! She creates a setting with wonderful characters, nosey neighbors, mystery, suspense, a HUGE ending twist, and of course murder, but just how much? I guess you will have to read to find out!!!!

Grant, stuck in a marriage he was forced into, does everything he can do to deal with his wife Paula, just to be with his son. Until one day Paula disappears without a trace.

Grant, being a lawyer, knows though he didn't do it he's now the prime suspect. Though he's not the only one who isn't sad Paula is gone.

Camille, an undercover PI, takes a leave of absence from her job in Boston to stay with her brother in Connecticut. Ends up in the middle of Paula's disappearance investigation.

I got sucked into this book, I didn't want to put it down. I felt like the nosey neighbors watching Camille and Grant during the investigation of his wife's disappearance.

Trust me when I say READ IT!!!

Review by Angela Packard: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Great Romantic Mystery. Reviewed in the United States on September 17, 2021. This is the first book I have read by Linda Burson, but thoroughly enjoyed it. Cammy works for a private detective and after a really hard long case, feels she needs a vacation. She heads to her brother's house in Connecticut for the summer. Three months, turns into five. Her brother is a police officer as others had been in her family. She went to the Academy but decided that was not the way she wanted to go with her life. Cammy's brother gets a case about the neighbor's wife going missing. Cammy who has fallen in love with the neighbor's little boy gets involved with the case. But is

she too close? She has the neighborhood talking up a storm spending so much time with the handsome father.

There was romance and mystery and catty women. This book made me smile and giggle more than once, but it also kept me turning the pages. I will be seeking out other books by this author.

Review by Ashley: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. I didn't see that coming! Reviewed in the United States on September 16, 2021. Murder Among Friends by Linda Burson was excellent. I was expecting a thriller, but I got so much more, crime thriller mixed with romance. Murder Among Friends was well written, the characters were developed well, and the banter between the siblings was believable, it reminded me of the banter between me and my siblings. Murder Among Friends quickly caught my attention and kept me quickly turning the pages to find out what happened next. I was pleasantly surprised at some unexpected twists that I didn't see coming. I'm generally pretty good at guessing the "twists" but I didn't see these coming, which made it that much better. The attention to detail is great throughout the book, it really makes you feel like you are sitting right there "seeing" everything that is happening. I recommend this book to anyone who likes the thriller genre, even the romance genre, you won't be disappointed.

Review by Ashleigh: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. This get away is the best thing that could have fallen into her lap. Reviewed in the United States on May 27, 2018. Murder Among Friends by Linda Burson is a fast-paced thriller with enough suspense to steal your breath. Following the story of Camille Thurston, and her needing a break from the fast-paced life in Boston in favor of staying with her brother and his family. Needing to recharge both mentally and physically, this get away is the best thing that could have fallen into her lap. Camilla's brother is a police detective, so when a woman is reported missing, he and his partner into where she could be and what happened to her. Camilla, who is a private investigator, feels she can offer something to the investigation, so she decides to run a concurrent investigation along with her brother. While being pulled into this investigation, Camilla is still trying to heal herself, and working diligently to find this missing woman, she attempts to reconnect with her friends back home. But when hidden agendas and unanswered questions come to light, how will Camilla continue to find the missing woman without taking away her safety blanket of those around her. Is she strong enough to accuse those closest to her in the name of justice? As the story heats up, hot on the trail of a murderer, Camilla will have to give up everything she knows in order to find him. Burson is an old favorite of mine, so when I saw this book, I couldn't wait to read it. If you are looking for a great read that will simultaneously take your breath away while keeping you on the edge of your seat than this is one that you need to buy today!

Review by Charlisa Wahtomy-Alba: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. First time reading this author. Reviewed in the United States on September 14, 2021. Camille is looking to take a break from her highly stressful PI job and decides to stay with her brother and his family. He had been trying to get her to live with his family for years and she is finally ready to take him up on his offer. When a neighbor goes missing her brother and his partner take on the case. She can't just sit by and not help, can she? This was a great book that kept me on the edge of my seat. The equal parts suspense and romance balanced out this book very well and the writing style of the author was great. The characters came to life and they felt so real. I will definitely be finding more books by this author.

Review by Jenna M Knee: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. GREAT READ. Reviewed in the United States on September 17, 2021. This book hooks you from page one. You are instantly drawn into the world of

Cammie and want to know everything right away. It very much has classic TV drama vibes and I could easily see this being made into a Lifetime Movie. Definitely a page turner that makes you want to continue reading with no regard to the outside world. There are twists and turns in every chapter and just when you think you have it figured out, another twist smacks you in the face. I really hope that Ms. Burson continues writing Cammie and Grant's story because there is so much more to be told with these two characters.

Review by Kirchersmiles: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Awesome!! Reviewed in the United States on May 28, 2018. This is my second book by this author and it had me at page 1. This is one of those stories that has you trying to figure it out all the way through the book, and being wrong and changing your mind and then deciding no you were right at some point, then just giving up and throwing your hands in the air.

No book I have ever read seriously had my jaw on the floor like this one did...This author did an amazingly awesome job with this story, and I see this book being a tv movie no doubt. You have to read this book to understand why I am saying all of this, I will not go into any details because I will not be able to stop myself and that would not be fair to anyone.

I loved the first book I read by Linda Burson but this one is my favorite so far and I absolutely can not wait to read more by this author. Every word just flows so perfectly and I read it in just a few hours because I couldn't even think of putting it down afraid I'd miss something LOL

Well Played Miss Burson!!

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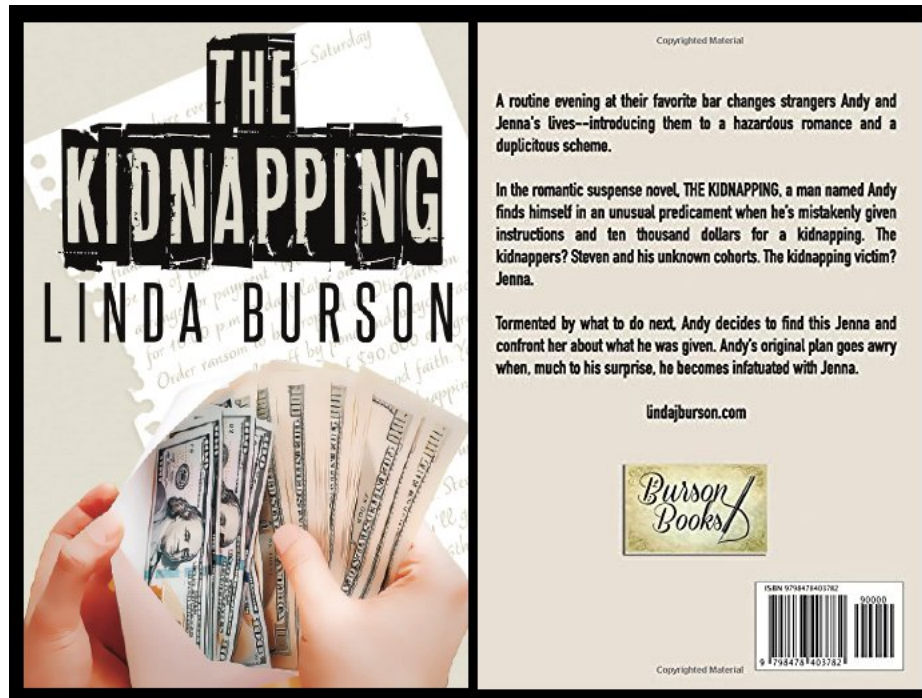
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The Kidnapping by Linda Burson.

He saved her life. She revived his.

What would you do if an envelope with ten-thousand dollars and a letter outlining a kidnapping mission was mistakenly tossed into your lap? Andy finds himself grappling with that question after his seemingly routine evening at his favorite bar gets him mixed up in a dangerous game of cat-and-mouse.

When Andy tracks down the kidnapping target — millionaire Jenna Ladson — she's certain he doesn't have her best interests at heart. As the evidence stacks up, she's forced to accept Andy's help. But what protection can a scruffy warehouse worker offer a sought-after heiress?

Suddenly, it's simple: kidnap her before they do.

But there are dangerous consequences for taking what isn't yours...and love is about to derail their best laid plans.

The Kidnapping is a romantic suspense novel that explores what happens when love, money and identity intertwine.

Read Andy and Jenna's story today!



Review by Beverly: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Healing, Love, and Kidnapping. Reviewed in the United States on November 19, 2022. He saved her life. She revived his. He also taught him what love is. What would you do if someone dropped an envelope in front of you with \$10k and instructions to be followed?

The Kidnapping was surprisingly unexpected. In a good way. I was hooked from the first chapter. It's been a while since a book has gotten me that quickly. I didn't want to put it down. The author takes us on a whirlwind adventure. One that just when you think it's over, boom not quite. The way the author wrote the two main characters they are both easy to love for their own reasons. Plus, the growth throughout is beautiful.

Andy and Jenna had no idea they'd cross paths, or that it would change their lives forever.

Jenna is lonely in life. Proof that money can't buy everything. All people want her for is what she can give them, the things she could buy. And she's just sick of it all. Ending up at a dive bar on the other side of town gives her a chance to let go and unwind.

Andy is moping through life. Having suffered great loss and numbingly starting over. Frequents the same dive bar. Fortunately for him, one day a lady gave him an envelope with \$10k and instructions on who and how to kidnap someone. That someone being Jenna. So, what does he do? He decides to meet her and tell her.

Instant connection, instant chemistry that they both choose to ignore. Though Jenna's plan could throw a wrench in that. She wants to stay with Andy, and figures it's the best way to keep her safe. That is till they figure out what to do about the letter. There's strong connections that her ex-fiancé Steve has his hands all over this mess.

So come join us, for an unexpected rollercoaster, lots of romance, lots of awkward holding back. While these two navigate their new situation.

Do they figure it out? Does Andy keep Jenna safe?

A book that was a lot lighter than I expected, will keep one interested for hours. Check it out!

Review by Chrissey: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. A page turner you won't want to put down. Reviewed in the United States on November 18, 2022. This was such a good book with a very unique plot line. I have to say that it had so many twists and turns that I did not see coming. I truly enjoyed the character of Jenna and I felt that she was very well developed. The author did a great job explaining why Jenna is leary of trusting people and is even more distraught to discover she might have been duped again.

I think Andy was an even better character. I loved the amount of depth there was to him. I also loved how he always was trying his best to do the right thing.

Jenna and Andy's circumstances were less than ideal but their banter was something I truly loved. I definitely loved this book and read it in less than one day. I didn't like whenever I had to put it down. It was one that you will want to keep reading to find out what will happen next. I definitely recommend this book!

Review by Faithfulgirl: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. Witty, suspenseful adventure. Reviewed in the United States on November 19, 2022. Linda Burson is a new-to-me author but not for long as I will be looking for more of her books. I love her writing style!

Jenna has recently left her fiancé Steve. All he wanted was her money but she wanted so much more. Jenna starts scoping out new hangouts and finds a bar where no one really knows who she is or how much money she has. She's sworn off men but then Andy walks in the bar. Andy's minding his own business but finds Jenna to be an interesting and slightly attractive woman. Jenna reciprocates the feelings. It's when Andy is handed an envelope that things start to change for these two strangers. Inside the envelope is a note with a significant amount of cash. Andy has to make a decision as to what to do with this envelope and the knowledge that he now has.

This is where the mystery begins. I'll not ruin anything but the reader will be in for a pretty wild ride with these two and this envelope.

Review by cinful: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. A must read suspenseful romantic story. Reviewed in the United States on November 5, 2022. Be prepared for this funny romantic suspense story. Jenna has left her boyfriend and has decided to try out a different bar. Back story is Jenna has money and all of her previous boyfriends just want her money. Including Steve, her last one. Although he kept bugging her to add his name to her bank account. He hit the red flag and she was over him. Andy is minding his own business when a girl walks in and puts an envelope in his lap. Shocked, he tried to catch up with her, but she was gone. In that envelope he found a few thousand dollars and a note. That's it, no spoilers. This is one you will need to read to believe it. This author has done it once again. Kept me up all night reading her book. But so worth the adventure, intrigue, and suspense. The story is well written and fast paced. She got me on page two and I was off. Her main characters are just plain everyday people caught up in the kidnapping. I have read books from this author and never second guess buying her books. I hope you enjoy it as much as I have.

Review by Jennadb: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. One of my favourites. Reviewed in the United States on October 30, 2022. I have read many of this author's books and have enjoyed them all in one way or another. I was excited to see what she had in store for us this time. I was not disappointed. This is one of my favourites.

The Kidnapping with its gripping tension and suspense and humour had me turning the pages to find out what happened next. It's not every day you are thrust in to a world not of your making.

Linda has given us a tangled web to navigate this mystery which has been skillfully planned out and well written. There are a few twists and surprises along the way as we navigate the predicament the characters suddenly find themselves in.

One bar, two strangers and one night that will change their lives forever. Now if they can just manage to keep out of the clutch of danger.

Grab a copy of The Kidnapping and enjoy.

Reviewed by Diane M Sennett: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. This is a great book and would recommend! Reviewed in the United States on October 23, 2022. Jenna Ladson sees Andy in their favorite bar on many occasions, though they never speak to each other. When Andy is given an envelope by a stranger in a bar, he's perplexed. When he reads the message inside, he has to make a decision that will impact Jenna's life and his own.

The author writes with detail that the characters come alive in this story. I was hooked from the beginning to the end!

This book is full of suspense, romance, and clever characters. I enjoyed reading this book and was surprised by the outcome.

This is the first book I've read by Linda Burson, and I look forward to reading more of her work.

Reviewed by Karen Pearman: 5.0 out of 5 Stars. What a great book. Reviewed in the United States on October 21, 2022. This is a new author for me, so I was not sure what I was getting myself into, but what I found was a funny book. I laughed aloud so many times that my family thought I was crazy. And wondered why a book titled "The Kidnapping" would be funny. I told them that they would have to read it themselves. The author did a fantastic job telling this story. Her visual description was perfect. I could see this going on in front of me. I loved the characters. They were so witty and charming, and they made a perfect pair. I highly recommend this book if you are looking for funny wit and banter mixed in with suspense.

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Message From Linda Burson: I decided to write a different kind of biography. While the one written in a few of my books is accurate, this one adds a bit more detail. This one will give you the complete reason while I decided to not only write a novel, but to finally complete it, as well as continue writing.

Life is short. Yes, you've heard that cliché many, many times, I'm sure. For me, however, I understand it and feel it to my core. There are those of you who may feel it as deeply as me. Whether you changed your life completely, well, only you would know that. As for me, that's exactly what I did, and the true reason I am now writing full time.

I had two close calls in my life, close as in the end of my life as we know it here on earth. This makes one stop and think. It certainly made me stop and think, a lot. It made me appreciate what I have, but it also made me consider if the life I was living and the direction it was heading was truly what I desired. This wasn't a difficult decision for me. I always knew I wanted to write books, but as I said in the previous biography, something always seems to "get" in the way.

Besides the fact that physically I could have died twice, I did have four special people in my life who died way too young. They were all close to me as I was to them. The first important, irreplaceable person I lost was my mother who died from ovarian cancer. Next, was my brother who died due to heart issues; my best friend, who was more like a close sister, died due to breast cancer, and lastly, a cousin who was also a best friend to me, to suicide.

This alone should have been enough for me to make changes in my life. It did get me to seriously consider making these changes and attempt to start that writing career multiple times, but it didn't push me over the edge enough to do it. It took me being diagnosed with breast cancer, not having great odds, and a couple of years contemplating my life that finally gave me the push I needed to close my business and write full time. It's the second scare I experienced that keeps me writing.

So, if you don't wake in the morning looking forward to starting your day, hopefully with a smile, then maybe you need to take a second look at the direction of your life. I found the joy and passion in writing books. Do I want to sell lots and lots of books? Of course. But that isn't my driving force. I know not everyone is going to love my stories; but that doesn't matter as much as the fact that I enjoy writing them. It makes me happy; it makes me full whole, and it makes me wake looking forward to starting my day because I know I have something waiting for me that I love to do.

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