

Chocolate Shoes And Wedding Blues Trisha Ashley

Journalist Walls grew up with parents whose ideals and stubborn nonconformity were their curse and their salvation. Rex and Rose Mary and their four children lived like nomads, moving among Southwest desert towns, camping in the mountains. Rex was a charismatic, brilliant man who, when sober, captured his children's imagination, teaching them how to embrace life fearlessly. Rose Mary painted and wrote and couldn't stand the responsibility of providing for her family. When the money ran out, the Walls retreated to the dismal West Virginia mining town Rex had tried to escape. As the dysfunction escalated, the children had to fend for themselves, supporting one another as they found the resources and will to leave home. Yet Walls describes her parents with deep affection in this tale of unconditional love in a family that, despite its profound flaws, gave her the fiery determination to carve out a successful life. — From publisher description.

From the No.1 bestselling author of The Christmas Invitation, this Christmas book will have you hooked from start to finish – the perfect read as those cold winter nights draw in.

Blue and her friends count things while picnicing.

'The ultimate in feelgood fiction reads, it will fill your heart with Christmas spirit.' Milly Johnson, author of Woman in the Middle 'Warm-hearted and witty, this is an absolute delight.' Hazel Prior, bestselling author of Away with the Penguins This Christmas will be the most special of them all... Elderly widow Sabine knows this will be her last Christmas in her beloved home, Mitras Castle. Determined to make it just like the ones she remembers from her childhood, she employs Dido Jones of Heavenly Houseparties to help with the big day. Dido is enchanted by the castle as soon as she steps through the imposing front door. And as Christmas day approaches, her feeling of connection to the old house runs deeper than she first thought. But when the snow begins to fall and Sabine's family arrive at the house – including Dido's teenage crush Xan – tensions rise around the castle's future and long-buried mysteries begin to unravel... As past secrets come to light, can this still be a magical Christmas to remember? _____ Praise for Trisha Ashley: 'One of the best writers around' Katie Fforde 'Full of down-to-earth humour' Sophie Kinsella 'A warm-hearted and comforting read' Carole Matthews Readers are falling in love with One More Christmas at the Castle: ***** 'Trisha's Christmas stories are the perfect start to the festive season' ***** 'Pure Christmas escapism with plenty of mulled wine and mince pies' ***** 'This is cosy, festive, fun and so much more. I wanted to move into the castle and join in all the festivities!'

Runaways

One More Christmas at the Castle

Project: Happily Ever After

The Wasted Years

Blue's Big Coloring Book (Blue's Clues & You)

Lulu Baker is back and so is the dreaded Varaminta Bond. Varaminta has stolen Lulu's precious recipe book and she has to get it back. The happy ending involves wedding bells and getting rid of Varaminta forever.

The bestselling workbook and grammar guide, revised and updated! Hailed as one of the best books around for teaching grammar, The Blue Book of Grammar and Punctuation includes easy-to-understand rules, abundant examples, dozens of reproducible quizzes, and pre- and post-tests to help teach grammar to middle and high schoolers, college students, ESL students, homeschoolers, and more. This concise, entertaining workbook makes learning English grammar and usage simple and fun. This updated 12th edition reflects the latest updates to English usage and grammar, and includes answers to all reproducible quizzes to facilitate self-assessment and learning. Clear and concise, with easy-to-follow explanations, offering "just the facts" on English grammar, punctuation, and usage Fully updated to reflect the latest rules, along with even more quizzes and pre- and post-tests to help teach grammar ideal for students from seventh grade through adulthood in the US and abroad For anyone who wants to understand the major rules and subtle guidelines of English grammar and usage, The Blue Book of Grammar and Punctuation offers comprehensive, straightforward instruction.

This Blue's Clues & You Big Coloring Book features 50 stickers and a die-cut handle for good times on the go! Get to know Blue, Magenta, and all their friends from Nickelodeon's Blue's Clues & You. Boys and girls ages 3 to 7 will love this oversized coloring book, which features more than 50 stickers and a die-cut handle for on-the-go good times!

In this wonderful and honest book, The X Factor winner and bona fide pop star Sam Bailey tells her unique story and reveals what happens when you have the courage to follow your dreams. Born in south-east London, Sam always loved to sing and was encouraged by her mother to enter talent shows from an early age. Overcoming her shyness, Sam soon realized her true calling in life was to entertain and perform, and she slowly began taking steps along the rocky road to superstardom. From the ups and downs of working as an entertainer at a Pontins holiday camp, to the endless grind of the cruise ship circuit, Sam always dreamed of making it to the top. Years later she began work as a prison officer and continued pursuing her singing career in fits and starts. Inspired to audition for the UK's biggest talent show, Sam stood in front of The X Factor panel and sang "Listen" by one of her favourite artists, Beyoncé . Fast forward a year later and Sam was supporting Beyoncé é on her world tour, having seen both her debut single and album go straight to number one. From the grind of the amateur singing circuit and the highs and lows of The X Factor, to the pressures of juggling a music career while being a full-time mum, Daring to Dream is a roller coaster ride of emotion and a wonderful story of courage and sheer determination.

A Saga of Race, Civil Rights, and Murder in the Jazz Age

Wish Upon a Star

Arc of Justice

Wedding Tiers

A Novel

Count with Blue! (Blue's Clues & You)

A hilarious, heart-warming read from the No.1 bestselling author of The Christmas Invitation... Life is sweet for chocolate maker Chloe Lyon...

A deliciously seasonal and heart-warming tale from the No.1 bestselling author of The Christmas Invitation

From the No.1 bestselling author of The Garden of Forgotten Wishes comes a warm, witty romantic comedy perfect for fans of Katie Fforde * * * The path of true love never runs smooth. But for some, it's one seriously bumpy ride...

*After his mother commits suicide, Rick Lime decides to finally find his father, the legendary children's book author known as Nefarious Twit. The same Nefarious Twit who disappeared from the public eye 22 years ago abandoning Rick and Rick's mother at the height of his fame after releasing one final controversial children's book. Rick Lime has decided to find his father so that he can murder him. Along for the ride is Rick's violent but fiercely loyal half-brother Lou. Both of them are addicted to a strange drug called Vittrillum and as they set out for misguided vengeance their drug-soaked journey begins to resemble one of Nefarious Twit's children stories: "--Back cover.

Irresistible Forces

Wither

A family torn apart by grief. An incredible act of love.

Four Novellas

The Natural History of Chocolate

The Daily Show (The Book)

'I'm glad I could do her this one last favour. If it had been the other way round, I know Gina would have done the same for me.' Jane and Gina were the best of friends. When Gina's husband Shaun was diagnosed with terminal cancer in 2009, Jane vowed to do everything she could to help her best mate and her two small sons through the awful time to come. But things were about to take a tragic turn for the worse. In 2010, Gina was killed in a shock car crash. Though devastated by her own grief, Jane knew that Gina needed her now more than ever – to help with the boys she had left behind. And after cancer claimed Shaun's life, Jane stepped in to care for the two orphans, becoming the mother her best friend could no longer be. This is the moving true story behind an incredible act of love.

NEW YORK TIMES BESTSELLER The complete, uncensored history of the award-winning The Daily Show with Jon Stewart, as told by its correspondents, writers, and host. For almost seventeen years, The Daily Show with Jon Stewart brilliantly redefined the borders between television comedy, political satire, and opinionated news coverage. It launched the careers of some of today's most significant comedians, highlighted the hypocrisies of the powerful, and garnered 23 Emmys. Now the show's behind-the-scenes gags, controversies, and camaraderie will be chronicled by the players themselves, from legendary host Jon Stewart to the star cast members and writers-including Samantha Bee, Stephen Colbert, John Oliver, and Steve Carell - plus some of The Daily Show's most prominent guests and adversaries: Rick and Cindy McCain, Glenn Beck, Tucker Carlson, and many more. This oral history takes the reader behind the curtain for all the show's highlights, from its origins as Comedy Central's underdog late-night program to Trevor Noah's succession, rising from a scrappy jester in the 24-hour political news cycle to become part of the beating heart of politics-a trusted source for not only comedy but also commentary, with a reputation for calling bullshit and an ability to effect real change in the world. Through years of incisive election coverage, passionate debates with President Obama and Hillary Clinton, feuds with Bill O'Reilly and Fox, and provocative takes on Wall Street and racism, The Daily Show has been a cultural touchstone. Now, for the first time, the people behind the show's seminal moments come together to share their memories of the last-minute rewrites, improvisations, pranks, romances, blow-ups, and moments of Zen both on and off the set of one of America's most groundbreaking shows.

After modern science turns every human into a genetic time bomb with men dying at age twenty-five and women dying at age twenty, girls are kidnapped and married off in order to repopulate the world.

Loving Greatly: A Couple's Guide To Igniting Love And Happiness In Their Relationship, the 7th book written by prolific writer Winsome Campbell-Green, is a book that seeks to help couples who have the desire to work together to make their marriage or relationship work. It's not often you come across a book that is gripping, poignant and riveting, and offers practical solutions to issues couples are facing. Honest, inspiring and written from the heart, Winsome Campbell-Green shares personal experiences of her own marital journey. The book teaches you how to: -Escape co-dependency and discover your voice -Love authentically within a relationship or marriage -Defy expectations and learning how to respect the differences in relationships -Avoid relationship mistakes and learn how to meet your needs -How to ignite the sparks of friendship, passion and romance in your marriage -How to be the best version of yourself by adapting a healthy lifestyle to bring you closer as a couple in each other emotionally, physically and spiritually in order to shine together and -How to love yourself from within and boost your self-esteem. Throughout this book, Winsome Campbell-Green offers useful and practical solutions as wife after God and a true woman of purpose. Her hope is that this book will help couples to enjoy and experience a more meaningful relationship and marriage. You can read this book as many times as you want to fire up the love, passion, romance and happiness in your relationship and marriage!

Chocolate Wishes

The Magic of Christmas

The Blue Book of Grammar and Punctuation

The Glass Castle

Book One: Riffs, Scales and Improvisation - 4 String Tuning GDGB

A Memoir

"Katie Fforde's unique spin on romantic comedy is a blend of the sweet, the sad, and the sexy." —Patricia Gaffney Sarah is a wedding planner hiding a rather inconvenient truth—she doesn't believe in love. But as the confetti flutters away on the June breeze of yet another successful wedding season she finds herself agreeing to organize two more events, on the same day, and only two months away. And while her celebrity bride is all sweetness and light, the other bride, Sarah's own sister, quickly starts driving her crazy with her high expectations and very limited budget. Luckily, Sarah is aided in her seemingly impossible task by two best friends, Elsa, an accomplished dress designer, and Bron, a multitalented hairdresser. All three are very good at their jobs, but romance doesn't feature very prominently in any of their lives. As the big day draws near, every moment is spent preparing for the weddings, and they certainly haven't got any time to even think about love; or have they?

When Tansy Poole inherits a run-down shoe shop tucked away in the village of Sticklepond, 'Cinderella's Slippers' is born - providing the footwear to make any fairytale wedding come true.

Some people prefer a little spice when it comes to the coloring of their cats. In Ginger Cats, artist Rachel M Brown shares a selection of her orange cat paintings. Many of the paintings are of one of Rachel's own ginger cats, an ill-tempered Manx that she and her husband welcomed into their lives. Whether it be a cat gazing out of a window or angel cats flying above, you will be sure to recognize something of your own ginger cat in these paintings. With over 20 color illustrations, this sweet book makes a perfect gift for the cat lover in your life. You can preview most of the paintings at Cat-Paintings.com, which also has paintings and illustrations of other colors of cats.

'Like a nice mug of mulled wine in book form!' Good Housekeeping The #1 Christmas novel from Sunday Times bestselling author Trisha Ashley Meg is definitely not in the Christmas mood. She's never gone in for tinsel, baubles and mistletoe, and right now she's still getting over an illness. Yet when she's invited to spend the run-up to Christmas in the snowy countryside, rather than dreary London, she can't refuse. Arriving at a warm and cosy family home in a small hilltop village, Meg soon begins to wonder what a proper Christmas might be like. But just as she's beginning to settle in, she spots a familiar face. Lex. Despite the festive cheer, Meg suddenly wants nothing more than to get as far away from him, and their past secrets, as she can. But if she stays, could this be the year she finally discovers the magic of Christmas...? Fabulously funny, intelligent and heart-warming, Trisha Ashley's brand-new novel is the feel-good Christmas book of the year. It even contains recipes! 'This cosy heart-warming Christmas read will get you in the festive spirit' Woman 'A witty, original read' Daily Express' Romance, friendship, love, humour and a generous dose of Christmas spirit – this book has it all! Woman's Weekly 'A heart-warming, feel-good read.' Choice

Rachel M Brown's Ginger Cats

Please Don't Cry

Nocturne Falls Coloring Book

Chocolate Shoes and Wedding Blues

A feel-good, festive read to keep you cosy this Winter

An Easy-to-Use Guide with Clear Rules, Real-World Examples, and Reproducible Quizzes

Eleven-year-old Mitch finds his life turns upside down after he wins \$250,000 in the Dazzle-Rama Sweepstakes.

A hilarious, heart-warming read from the No.1 bestselling author of The Christmas Invitation...

Chocolate Shoes and Wedding BluesHarperCollins UK

The spellbinding Orphans series concludes in this thrilling new novel from V.C. Andrews®... "All for one and one for all" was the girls' motto. In the grim foster home for orphans run by Louise and Gordon Tooley, at least Brooke, Crystal, Raven, and Butterfly had each other. Calling themselves "sisters," together they could forget the past and dream of a new chance...a real home. Then they discovered a secret even more haunting than Gordon's heavy boots pounding on the wooden floors. Their fragile hopes of a better life shattered, they escaped the only way they could. Soon they were runaways in a borrowed car, desperately wishing to wake up one morning in a place of sunshine and love. Raven hoped to be a singer, Butterfly wanted to be a dancer, Crystal planned for college, and Brooke privately hoped to find her mother in California. On the open road the chains of sadness that had bound them seemed to melt away, and the kindness of strangers made a secure future seem almost real. But the highway was a dangerous place, and soon they were penniless and more vulnerable than ever. Alone under the wide western sky, they had only each other to ask if they should give up their dreams...or if they were really halfway to a haven of safety and happiness...

A Winter's Tale

Nefarious Twit

Cigar Box Guitar Jazz & Blues Unlimited - Book One 4 String

CHOCOLATE

Echoes in the Storm

Daring to Dream

Wait. Sandra Boynton wrote a book about CHOCOLATE? For grown-ups? Oh YES! Boynton's beloved classic returns, updated and redrawn by her for a whole new generation of chocophiles. In addition to her extensive new research, Boynton also nobly sourced and consumed untold quantities of great chocolate, with no thought for her own personal safety. Lavishly illustrated and filled with useful facts, this is the absolute ideal gift for every true chocolate obsessive. Discover the many faces of chocolate—milk chocolate, dark chocolate, boxed chocolates, pretend chocolate, and the wild new frontier of small-batch craft chocolate. Learn about chocolate's complex effects on the body, the psyche, and the soul. Prepare select simple recipes, such as "Hippo Pot de Mousse." Learn how to grow your own cacao. Equator. There's even a handy guide to saying "Excuse me, where is the nearest chocolate?" in eleven languages, including Klingon. (Nook-dock YOOCH dah-PULL?) Boldly go.

A beautifully illustrated coloring book from award winning author Kristen Painter's "Nocturne Falls" series.

Learn how to play jazz and blues on your 4 string cigar box guitar (GDGB). A comprehensive two-book series. Book one includes tablature, notation and chords, over 100 jazz and blues riffs, jazz and blues tunes, scales and arpeggios, theory and improvisation and much more.

Fans around the world adore the bestselling No. 1 Ladies' Detective Agency series and its proprietor, Precious Ramotswe. Botswana's premier lady detective. In this charming series, Mma Ramotswe—with help from her loyal associate, Grace Makutsi—navigates her cases and her personal life with wisdom, good humor, and the occasional cup of tea. Life is good for Mma Ramotswe as she sets out and untangle the mysteries that make life interesting. And life is never dull on Tlokweng Road. A new and rather too brusque advice columnist is appearing in the local paper. Then, a cobra is found in the offices of the No. 1 Ladies' Detective Agency. Recently, the Mokolodi Game Preserve manager feels an infectious fear spreading among his workers, and a local doctor may be falsifying blood pressure readings off her own fiancé. Mma Ramotswe, however, is always up to the challenge. And Blue Shoes and Happiness will not fail to entertain Alexander McCall Smith's oldest fans and newest converts with its great wit, charm, and great good will.

Blue Shoes and Happiness

Sowing Secrets

Twelve Days of Christmas

The White Vampire

Loving Greatly

A Couple's Guide to Igniting Love and Happiness in Their Relationship

Another glorious, escapist read from the No.1 bestselling author of The Christmas Invitation Watch out for temptation in the Garden of Eden...

A wonderful warm festive treat from the Sunday Times bestselling author of The Christmas Invitation

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When the mysterious Alistair appears from nowhere to rescue cute African American girl Wyn from being attacked, she is intrigued to find out exactly who this mystery man is. Alistair insists on taking care of her and ensuring her safety from that moment forwards which deepens her intrigue and also her attraction for this mysterious stranger. Especially as he already knows her name and EVERYTHING about her.... Wyn has no idea that she is about to embark on a life changing journey full of romance, sex, mystery, action and adventure. The White Vampire Complete Saga Includes: Desired By The White Vampire

The Mystery Of The White Vampire In Love With The White Vampire Claimed By The White Vampire

Rich Mitch

Saving Your Marriage When the Fairytale Falters

The Complete Saga

Wedding Season

My Blue Suede Shoes

The Christmas Invntation

A powerful collection of novellas by four leading African-American women writers, each tackling the terror of domestic violence. In Other People's Skin, Tracy Price-Thompson and Ta'Ressa Stovall, along with writers Elizabeth Atkins and Desiree Cooper, took on intra-racial prejudice. The second book in their successful Sister4Sister Empowerment Series once again offers hope and healing, this time from the nightmare of abuse. In Desiree Cooper's Breakin' It Down, a highly successful talk show host, haunted by the abandonment and self-loathing she felt as a child, is shocked to find herself inflicting the same abuse she experienced on her seven-year-old daughter. Tracy Price-Thompson's Brotherly Love goes deep into the disturbing relationship between a beautiful, accomplished teenage girl and the seemingly dutiful brother who raised her after their parents' death. Ta'Ressa Stovall's Breakin' Dishes reveals the turmoil behind the scenes of a picture-perfect marriage as an angry wife beats her cheating husband. And in Elizabeth Atkins's The Wrong Side of Mr. Right, an outwardly beaming bride-to-be comes to terms with the inner turmoil brought on by her emotionally abusive fiancé. In all four novellas, redemption and hope appear when a pair of blue suede shoes enters each woman's life, helping her to overcome her challenges and stop the cycle of abuse. A raw, engaging, and enlightening collection from beginning to end, My Blue Suede Shoes is as informative as it is entertaining.

One week is all we were supposed to share. One week as strangers. All the things you did differently irked me. I thought it meant we couldn't get along, that there was no chance we'd work out. But when it came time for me to leave, you know what I figured out? You were my echo. My call back. And damn it if I didn't find home in the end.

The perfect novel for curling up with during the long winter nights – from the No.1 bestselling author of The Christmas Invitation

An electrifying story of the sensational murder trial that divided a city and ignited the civil rights struggle In 1925, Detroit was a smoky swirl of jazz and speakeasies, assembly lines and fistfights. The advent of automobiles had brought workers from around the globe to compete for manufacturing jobs, and tensions often flared with the KKK in ascendance and violence rising. Ossian Sweet, a proud Negro doctor-grandson of a slave-had made the long climb from the ghetto to a home of his own in a previously all-white neighborhood. Yet just after his arrival, a mob gathered outside his house; suddenly, shots rang out: Sweet, or one of his defenders, had accidentally killed one of the whites threatening their lives and homes. And so it began-a chain of events that brought America's greatest attorney, Clarence Darrow, into the fray and transformed Sweet into a controversial symbol of equality. Historian Kevin Boyle weaves the police investigation and courtroom drama of Sweet's murder trial into an unforgettable tapestry of narrative history that documents the volatile America of the 1920s and movingly re-creates the Sweet family's journey from slavery through the Great Migration to the middle class. Ossian Sweet's story, so richly and poignantly captured here, is an epic tale of one man trapped by the battles of his era's changing times. Arc of Justice is the winner of the 2004 National Book Award for Nonfiction.

An uplifting new festive read from the Sunday Times bestseller

An Oral History as Told by Jon Stewart, the Correspondents, Staff and Guests

The Chocolate Collection

Every Woman for Herself

The Consuming Passion

What do you do when your marriage is so unhappy that you begin to fantasize about your husband's funeral? That's how bad it got for Alisa Bowman . . . So she launched a last-ditch effort to save her marriage. Project: Happily Ever After is her fearlessly honest and humorous account of how she went from being a “divorce daydreamer” to renewing her wedding vows—and all of the steps in between. From bikini waxes to eroticia, romance instruction manuals to second honeymoons, the silent treatment to power struggles, she goes where many marriage-improvement gurus have feared to tread. Equal parts funny, poignant, and most importantly, useful, Bowman's story will give other miserably-married folks courage and hope. And in addition to telling her own story, she packs straightforward prescriptive guidance, including a “10-Step Marital Improvement Guide.” Readers will laugh. They'll cry. And they can start on the road toward their own happy ending!

From the Sunday Times bestselling author comes a delicious treat of an ebook bundle: Chocolate Wishes and Chocolate Shoes and Wedding Blues.

Reluctantly agreeing to her husband's request for a divorce after an unfortunate incident with a frying pan, Charlie Rhymer returns to her family home to find a less-than-serene atmosphere before encountering brooding actor Mace North. A first novel. 10,000 first printing.

New York Times bestselling authors Mary Jo Putney, Jo Beverley, and Lois McMaster Bujold join forces with award-winning authors Catherine Asaro, Jennifer Roberson, and Deb Stover in this all-new anthology of original stories proving that love can conquer all...even the boundaries of time and space. From sixteenth-century Britain to the farthest reaches of outer space, from medieval adventures to tales of inter-galactic love, here is a compilation that explores the wonderfully kinetic forces that lovers share—forces too great to resist...