Don T Trust Me The Best Psychological Thriller Debut You Will Read In 2018

Veterinarian Carly Martin cares for the animals belonging to an eccentric millionaire. When the old man falls into a coma, and Valerie discovers she's to inherit his fortune, the man's illegitimate grandson of accuses her of being a gold digger--until he falls in love with her. Original.

Her best friend is murdered the same way her brother was years ago. Is there anyone she can possibly trust? A decade ago, Delaney Broward discovered her brother's murdered body at the San Antonio art co-op he founded with friends. Her artist boyfriend, Hunter Nash, went to prison for the murder, despite his not-guilty plea. This morning, Hunter walks out of prison a free man, having served his sentence. This afternoon, Delaney finds her best friend dead, murdered in the same fashion as her brother. Stay out of it or you're next, the killer warns. Hunter never stopped loving Delaney, though he can't blame her for not forgiving her. He knows he'll get his life back one day at a time, one step at a time. But he's blindsided to realize he's a murder suspect. Again. When Hunter shows up on her doorstep asking her to help him find the real killer, Delaney's head says to run away, yet her heart tells her there's more to his story than what came out in the trial. An uneasy truce leads to their probe into a dark past that shatters Delaney's image of her brother. She can't stop and neither can Hunter—which lands them both in the crosshairs of a murderer growing more desperate by the hour. In this gripping romantic suspense, Kelly Irvin plumbs the complexity of broken trust in the people we love—and in God—and whether either can be mended. Praise for Trust Me: "Trust Me is an apt title for Irvin's new suspense novel. Kelly Irvin is a master at spinning a complex story web with surprising twists and relatable characters. Highly recommended!" —Colleen Coble, USA TODAY bestselling author of A Stranger's Game and the Pelican Harbor series "I found I couldn't turn the pages fast enough in Kelly Irvin's latest novel, Trust Me. I promised myself just one more page and I'd stop reading for the night...just one more...just one more. At times I could barely breathe. What a fabulous story! I loved it!" —Carrie Stuart Parks, award-winning author of Relative Silence Clean romantic suspense novel A stand-alone novel Book length: approximately 101,000 words Includes discussion questions for book clubs

High inflation rates cause an unfortunate leader to run for President, which leads to the devastation of currency, peace, and the lives of many Americans. Trust Me is a story about a group of teenagers and young adults following the country's turmoil who choose to evade an evacuating city in order to stay out of the government's hands and avoid imminent death.

Lacey may have escaped a cult with the aid of firefighter Hunter, but moving on is another story. As they're drawn back together on their college campus, will Hunter be able to help Lacey recover — and find the courage to act on their unspoken feelings? Twenty-year-old Lacey Simon jumped from a building on fire to escape the cult her stepdad was leading, so college should be oh so easy. Except Lacey can't seem to move on. Not only does she receive threatening letters, she's also failing her classes. Fun times. Only Hunter, the firefighter who saved her from the fire and who's been there for her ever since, reminds her that her stepdad no longer dictates her future. He tutors her in English, and he makes her laugh, blush and help her be more daring. But why does it feel like he's only doing this to redeem himself from mistakes of his past? Twenty-one-year-old Hunter Harrington used to think he was invincible, until a frat party turned tragic and he discovered a dead body in the pool. Ever since that day, he's been doing his best to keep his grades up and help others. Yep, he even joined the volunteer firefighters' college program. When he's accused of plagiarism, he's forced to spend more time with Lacey. Not that he minds. He'd love to get even closer. But he has secrets of his own that could destroy their relationship before it even starts. And can he really keep her safe? Can they trust themselves and each other enough to no longer be afraid to love and…to stay alive?

Trust Me Not

Confessions of a Media Manipulator

The Alpha

Luke Dantry finds the bad guys. . . before they're bad guys. He works for a Washington, D.C. think tank as a minor academic who studies the online venting of would-be extremists, trying to identify those who will move from threatening words to deadly action. Anonymously typing from his computer as he monitors a loose collection of enraged loners, Luke thinks his identity is safe--but he is wrong. Suddenly kidnapped and left for dead in an isolated cabin, Luke soon realizes that the people he's been watching and studying are more organized and dangerous than he ever imagined. And they aren't the only ones who've kept an eye on him. Now with his former targets-and the federal government--tracking every move he makes, Luke must decipher a murderous web of connections that reaches into his own broken past. Only Luke can stop a looming threat that may kill countless people--including himself.

The sequel to TRUST ME, I'M LYING "An irresistible mix of intrigue, high stakes, and self-discovery." —Lee Kelly, author of City of Savages LITTLE SECRETS. Staying out of trouble isn't possible for Julep Dupree. She has managed not to get kicked out of her private school, even though everyone knows she's responsible for taking down a human-trafficking mob boss—and getting St. Agatha's golden-boy Tyler killed in the process. Running cons holds her guilty conscience at bay, but unfortunately, someone wants Julep to pay for her mistakes . . . with her life. BIG LIES. Against her better judgment, Julep takes a shady case that requires her to infiltrate a secretive organization that her long-gone mother and the enigmatic blue fairy may be connected to. Her best friend, Sam, isn't around to stop her, and Dani, her one true confidante, happens to be a nineteen-year-old mob enforcer whose moral compass is as questionable as Julep's. But there's not much time to worry about right and wrong—or to save your failing heart—when there's a contract on your head. Murders, heists, secrets and lies, hit men and hidden identities . . . If Julep doesn't watch her back, it's her funeral. No lie. "I would trust Julep Dupree with my life, Dani Ivanov with my heart—and Mary Elizabeth Summer with my every late-night can't-stop-reading session. An intelligent, fierce heroine of strength and loyal heart who refuses to suffer fools lightly? Yes, please." —Jennifer Longo, author of Six Feet Over It and Up to This Pointe

Trust Me is book two in Adam and Mila's duet and book six in the Hawthorn Hills Duet Series. A two-part, angst-filled, secret past love story. Tempt Me must be read before Trust Me in order to enjoy the full story. ?Life at its hardest requires trust. Adam Cooper ran without explanation, right when she needed him most. But she doesn't know the true depth of his scars. Mila Collins is everything to him, but she can't understand the past that still haunts him. And he has no idea about the secrets she's hiding. Consumed by their own secrets and fears, they're about to discover just how much they need each other. But in order to do that, they're going to need to learn how to trust. The Hawthorn Hills Duet Series follows eight couples. Each two-book duet must be read in order to enjoy the couple's full story, but the series can be read in any order. You'll find angst-filled, slow-burn, epic love stories along with topical storylines and some amazingly real and raw characters.

Trust Me by Brenda Novak The Last Stand (Book 1) This classic story of romantic suspense by New York Times bestselling author Brenda Novak "generates genuine thrills." (Publishers Weekly) Four years ago, Skye Kellerman was attacked in her own bed. She managed to fend off her knife-wielding assailant, but the trauma changed everything about her life. As a result of that night, she joined two friends—also survivors—in starting The Last Stand, an organization to help victims of crime. But now, her would-be rapist is getting out of prison. Skye knows that Dr. Oliver Burke hasn't forgotten that her testimony cost him his reputation—and his freedom. Sacramento detective David Willis, who investigated her case, believes Burke is a clear and present danger—and guilty of at least two unsolved murders. And now Burke is free to terrorize Skye again. Unless David can stop him. Unless Skye can fight back. Because Oliver Burke has every intention of finishing what he started. And that's a promise. Trust me. Originally published in 2008

Helping Our Young Adults Financially

Don't Trust Me

The Complete Guide to Restoring Trust in Your Relationship

Who killed Jack Sullivan? Welcome to Hamlet. Population: 192. You can't find it on any map, GPS, or directions site. A small village tucked between a mountain and a valley, Hamlet is the sort of place where everyone knows everyone—and their business, too. There's no television. No internet. No phones. Only one way in and, for the locals, barely any way out. The sheriff is the law, the only doctor moonlights as the coroner, and outsiders hardly ever come to town. Murders are even rarer. A treacherous storm, a flat tire, and a touch of serendipity causes Tessa Sullivan and her husband Jack to stumble upon the narrow strait that leads into Hamlet. It was supposed to be a one night stop until the rain let up and Jack could figure out how to fix the tire—until Tess lands herself in the local jail cell overnight and Jack is found dead in their hotel room the next morning. There's no doubt it was murder, but with Sullivan's gentle wife having an airtight alibi, the sheriff has to wonder: who had any cause to kill the outsider? And is he the only victim? Dr. De Angelis doesn't think so. Neither does Deputy Walsh. With Tess looking more and more like the killer's next target, both men take the time to comfort and protect the young widow. But only one of them is sincere. The other just wants her to himself now that her husband is out of the way. Alone and afraid, who can she trust? * Don't Trust Me is a full-length murder mystery/ domestic thriller novel (85,000+ words) set in Hamlet, a cozy small town in the middle of nowhere—where everyone knows your name and, even so, no one is safe...

New York Times bestselling novelist Jennifer Crusie combines fast-paced banter, sexy situations, and unforgettable characters in this delightful romance about two reluctant lovers who couldn't be more wrong about being right for each other. TRUST ME ON THIS Dennie Banks is an investigative reporter chasing down the biggest story of her career. Alec Prentice is a government agent working undercover to catch an elusive grifter. When they meet by accident, it's a case of mistaken identities at first sight. What they don't mistake is the instant attraction they have for each other, an attraction they'll do everything in their power to resist—because Dennie thinks that Alec is running interference for her interview subject, and Alec suspects that Dennie is linked to his swindler. As the confusion grows, so do their feelings for each other, and what begins as a romantic comedy of errors may just end in the love affair of a lifetime.

The cult classic that predicted the rise of fake news—revised and updated for the post-Trump, post-Gawker age. Hailed as "astonishing and disturbing" by the Financial Times and "essential reading" by TechCrunch at its original publication, former American Apparel marketing director Ryan Holiday's first book sounded a prescient alarm about the dangers of fake news. It's all the more relevant today. Trust Me, I'm Lying was the first book to blow the lid off the speed and force at which rumors travel online—and get "traded up" the media ecosystem until they become real headlines and generate real responses in the real world. The culprit? Marketers and professional media manipulators, encouraged by the toxic economics of the news business. Whenever you see a malicious online rumor costs a company millions, politically motivated fake news driving elections, a product or celebrity zooming from total obscurity to viral sensation, or anonymously sourced articles becoming national conversation, someone is behind it. Often someone like Ryan Holiday. As he explains, "I wrote this book to explain how media manipulators work, how to spot their fingerprints, how to fight them, and how (if you must) to emulate their tactics. Why am I giving away these secrets? Because I'm tired of a world where trolls hijack debates, marketers help write the news, opinion masquerades as fact, algorithms drive everything to extremes, and no one is accountable for any of it. I'm pulling back the curtain because it's time the public understands how things really work. What you choose to do with this information is up to you."

The gripping psychological thriller full of twists and turns, from the bestselling author of WHERE THE MISSING GO - for fans of FOUND by Erin Kinsley, ALL THE RAGE by Cara Hunter and THE FAMILY UPSTAIRS by Lisa Jewell. 'A gripping mystery in two compelling voices, exposing the dark side of influencer culture' Claire McGowan, author of THE PUSH ********** You can trust me. But can I trust you? Olivia is the domestic goddess who has won millions of followers by sharing her picture-perfect life online. And now she's releasing her tell-all autobiography. For professional ghostwriter Nicky it's the biggest job of her career. But as she delves deeper into Olivia's life, cracks begin to appear in the glamorous fa ç ade. From the strained relationship with her handsome husband, to murky details of a tragic family death in her childhood, the truth belies Olivia's perfect public image. But why is Olivia so desperate to leave an old tragedy well alone? And how far will she go to keep Nicky from the truth? ********** If you like Clare Mackintosh, Fiona Barton, Teresa Driscoll, Jenny Blackhurst, Rachel Abbott, Laura Marshall, Joy Ellis, Cara Hunter, Mel Sherratt or Lisa Jewell then you will be utterly gripped by this psychological thriller with a massive twist you won't see coming. Praise for You Can Trust Me: 'Brilliant characters and unexpected turns! Grows and changes with every reveal...' Louisa de Lange, author of THE DREAM WIFE 'So clever, so unpredictable, dark, haunting. I don't have enough words to do it justice' L V Matthews, author of THE PRANK (coming 2021) 'An outstanding story. Cleverly plotted, fantastically written and a fast-paced, intriguing read' Lauren North, author of THE PERFECT BETRAYAL 'Emotional, gripping and fast-paced. A taut, extremely satisfying thriller' Carys Jones, author of THE LIST 'A completely gripping thriller, and a breath of fresh air. You need to read this book' Rebecca Reid, author of TRUTH HURTS 'An utterly absorbing novel to escape into' Vikki Patis, author of THE GIRL ACROSS THE STREET 'Twists and more twists! Original and gripping...' Jackie Kabler, author of THE PERFECT COUPLE 'Atmospheric and claustrophobic. Very cleverly plotted; you won't know who to trust' Catherine Cooper, author of THE CHALET 'Loved how it grasped my attention right from the off and then didn't let go!' Sam Carrington, author of SAVING SOPHIE 'Curl up on the sofa with You Can Trust Me, Emma Rowley's tense thriller' Grazia 'Rowley has a firm grip on language and plot, and her easy, chatty style disguises a genuine emotional intelligence' Daily Mail 'An involving and atmospheric psychological thriller' Crime Monthly

EVELINA

Trust Me

The gripping, glamorous psychological thriller you won't want to miss

New York Times bestselling author Jay Asher called Find Me "a thriller that keeps picking up speed," while New York Times bestselling author Sophie Jordan hailed Romily Bernard as "an exceptional new voice in YA." Trust Me is the thrilling conclusion to the Find Me trilogy, in which loose ends come together and chilling plot twists complicate Wick Tate's life more than ever. Perfect for fans of The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo. With all of Wick Tate's secrets—who can she really trust? Wick is used to relying on only herself, but when she has nowhere left to turn, she's going to have to learn to trust someone if she's going to finally escape her demons. . . .

A threatening text, an empty bottle of heparin, a sick dog, and missing property all lead Christina and the police chief of Alva, Texas, to conclude that the person they have locked up in Dallas was either working with someone, or another individual is threatening the Sanders family. As threats escalate, not only toward Christina's family but the residents of Alva, it becomes apparent that there are evil forces, human and spiritual, at work. When the first explosion rocks the town, the Sanders family and their friends are thrown into a life-and-death situation. As memories of the 911 incident surface, fear grips the heart of the town, and the police chief feels compelled to call for outside help. During these trying times, Christina's faith is strained. She knows God wants her to be fearless and trusting, but the human side of her has difficulty letting go, as the lives of her loved ones hang in the balance. Little does she realize that God has a few surprises in store for her and her family.

She had trusted him wtih her heart and been devestated. Now she had to trust him with her life. Lilah Cantrell: She couldn't imagine anything worse than being held in a Third World prison. Until she set eyes on Dominic Steele--the very first man who'd stirred her desires and broken her heart. Dominic Steele: The ex-U.S. Navy Seal turned bodyguard-for-hire tried to keep his rescue mission strictly professional, but Lilah--and the memories of their shared history--awakened his long-dormant protective instincts...and passion. Could their newfound trust, born of desperation, sustain them once they reached safety? Or was that when the real danger would begin?

Twenty-two-year-old Lauren has a pretty good life with her fiancé, Dominic. But at her engagement party, Lauren meets Shane, a new family friend ... and finds herself falling for him. Soon she's embroiled in her feelings for both men. Dominic has helped her through hard times in her past, but his growing alcoholism and violence is hard to ignore, while Lauren's attraction to Shane is complicated by darker aspects of his life that he keeps hidden from her. Forced to sacrifice stability, Lauren's love is tested as she tries to find herself and the right path forward. Can she find a way to live authentically, or must her love be masked forever? A modern romance set in Toronto, Trust Me, I'm Lying delves into the complicated decisions of love and life as a young woman finds herself caught between two different futures.

Trust Me: Adam & Mila #2

I Love You But I Don't Trust You

Trust Me, I'm a Banker

In the tradition of American Psycho comes this hilariously cynical and often-brutal novel skewering the world of investment banking, set in the heart of London high finance Meet Dave Hart, just your typical investment banker. It's not long until Bonus Day, the most important day of the year, and anything less than a million pounds would be an insult. After all, Dave has to buy a new car, a new Rolex for his wife, and a second home in the country. Not to mention support a few personal habits, legal or otherwise, that gentlemen bankers don't discuss in public. Unfortunately, a million really isn't what it used to be, and no one else seems to value Dave as much as he knows he's worth. Luckily, competence and charm have never been accurate barometers for success in high finance, and Dave just might be able to weasel and blunder his way to the top. Extremely funny and razor-sharp, Trust Me, I'm a Banker is the tale of one man's quest for outrageous compensation and alpha status in a world where pitiless ambition, insecurity, and moral ambiguity are second nature and glitter is far more important than gold. This flawless social satire is a highly enjoyable voyeuristic glimpse into our modern culture of narcissism, materialism, and bottomless greed.

The daughter of rich and famous parents, Katrina Hayle knows what it's like to be wanted for who she is instead of what she is. A long time ago, she trusted a boy with her heart, only to find out he was with her because of a bet. Jaxon Nash has little respect for beautiful women. In one way or another, he's been betrayed by several. His world is about to collide with Katrina's, a girl he once thought was different. Katrina has a secret, and neither of them trusts the other.

Who can you trust if you can't trust yourself? 'Brilliantly readable' SUNDAY MIRROR. 'Intriguing and unsettling' JANE LYTHELL. 'Wonderful' CLAIRE MCGOWAN. Lizzie lives in the Lake District with her partner, Jonty, and his teenage son, Sam. Though she's only ten years older than her stepson, their set-up works. They are a family. Then Sam becomes sullen and withdrawn, and Lizzie suspects something sinister is going on. But no one will believe her. They think Lizzie is to blame. Are they right? This is a brilliantly atmospheric domestic thriller about dark rumours wreaking havoc on a happy family. Perfect for readers of The Family Next Door and The Other Woman.

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Cole of Spyglass Mountain

Don't You Trust Me?

From Sophie McKenzie, bestselling and award-winning author of Girl, Missing and Sister, Missing On a quiet, sunny Sunday morning, Livy arrives at her best friend Julia's apartment for a lunch date only to find her dead. Though all the evidence supports it, Livy cannot accept the official ruling of suicide; the Julia she remembers was loud, inappropriate, joyful, outrageous and loving, not depressed. The suspicious circumstances cause Livy to dig further, and she is suddenly forced to confront a horrifying possibility: that Julia was murdered, by the same man who killed Livy's sis Kara, eighteen years ago. Desperate to understand the tragedies of her past and hold her unraveling life together, Livy throws herself into the search for Kara and Julia's killer, who she now believes is someone close to her family. But if that is true, can she still trust anyone? Damien, the man Julia was secretly dating? Leo, her husband's boss and a close family friend? His son Paul, her husband's best mate since college? Or even Will, her own dear husband, who has betrayed her perhaps one time too many? And when Livy finally faces her sister's killer, and he traps her with horrible, impossible choice, she must finally decide: is she strong enough to trust herself? Get lost in the dark, gripping pages of You Can Trust Me.

A guide to restoring trust in broken relationships from a renowned couple's therapist. Is my relationship worth saving? Will the trust ever come back? How can things be good between us again? Whether broken trust is due to daily dishonesties, a monumental betrayal, or even a history of hurts from the past, it can put a relationship at risk. This is the first book to show you exactly what to do to restore trust in your relationship, regardless of how it was damaged. In this complete guide, couples therapist Mira Kirshenbaum will also help you understand the stages by which trust strengthens when the rebuilding process is allowed to take place. And you will learn how the two of you can avoid the mistakes that prevent healing and discover how to feel secure with each other again.

A teenage girl switches identities with a stranger and pulls off a long-term scam in this "wild and enjoyable" (BCCB, starred review) thriller perfect for fans of Ally Carter. Don't you trust me? I mean, look at me. Blond, blue-eyed, the very image of innocence. Pretty enough, if you care about that kind of thing. I don't. But would a normal person switch identities with some wet mess of a girl at the airport, just to get her to stop bawling about being separated from her loser boyfriend and sent to live with some distant relatives? Nope, she wouldn't. Yet I did. I'm not as normal as you think. And you'll just have to trust me on that.

Peter Leonard showed remarkable maturity for a first-time novelist in his debut novel Quiver. In Trust Me, he reaches for new heights as he crafts a classic noir thriller loaded with double- and triple-crosses. The first mistake Karen Delaney made was entrusting $300,000 to her boyfriend, Samir, the head of an illegal bookmaking operation. The second was breaking up with him---because Samir holds a $300,000 grudge. A few months later, Karen sees a way to get her money back when two thieves break into her house in the middle of the night. She proposes a scheme to ste safe, but Karen soon realizes she's in way over her head as things begin to spin out of control. Trust Me moves at breakneck speed through the affluent suburbs of Detroit and Chicago as Karen is pursued by O'Clair, an ex-con/ex-cop who works for Samir and wants the money for his own retirement; by Ricky, Samir's nephew, who sees the money as a way to pay off his own escalating gambling debts; by the thieves who've been double-crossed; and by two ruthless hit men who view the money as their stake in the American dream. With relentless suspense, striking characte twists that will leave you white-knuckled, Trust Me marks the continuation of a powerful new voice in crime fiction and more than delivers on the promise of Peter Leonard's talent.

The first Caelie Javers novel

Trust Me, I'm Trouble

You Can Trust Me

Does Jessica know what the truth is? A stunning psychological debut with a shocking twist

There was a time when Sam trusted everyone—before his little idea grew into a billion-dollar company. So when he meets Olivia in a coffee shop, he has his security team check her out. She seems safe, but as Sam's attraction to her grows, he realizes he is the danger. The target on his back has expanded to include everything in his world, including Olivia. Olivia left Manhattan brokenhearted, moved to Prague and proved herself professionally. When she returns to NYC as a graduate student at Columbia, stronger, capable and determined, she has no interest in repeating past mistakes...but her attraction to Sam pulls her into a world fraught with dangers she never expected. A standalone billionaire romance set in New York City and Montreal with intrigue, suspense and a fulfilling HEA. Fans of Nicole Snow, Kate Canterbury, and Kristen Proby will love this series that spans the globe with steamy romance and a wide variety of love stories.

Kenitra McKenzie lives in Austin with her husband, Caleb and their five year old son, Seth. She is an active member of her church along with her devoted husband and life was a blessed one, but there looms a darkness in the form of Calebs best friend Dalton Anders. He has resents her ever since she met Caleb in college and even more when their relationship blossoms into marriage. He goes out of his way to undermine their marriage in anyway possible and despite the many chances Caleb gives him to make amends, but it didnt seem to do any good. Caleb is forced to end his longtime friendship with Dalton for the sake of his marriage and to shield his son from the godly behavior Dalton portrays in view of his son. The decision Caleb makes didnt set too well with Dalton and vows in his heart to somehow get even with the woman who destroyed his friendship with Caleb, but first he had to make it appear he no longer has any resentment toward Kenitra. It is during Seths sixth birthday party that he arranges an air show to set his revenge in motion. Kenitra is devastated when Dalton maliciously murders her beloved husband and his supposedly godson in front of her. He looks at her without any remorse and leaves her for dead after shooting her, but his brutal attempt to kill her fails. He is convicted of murder as well as attempted murder. Kenitra tries to put the pieces of her shattered life back together, but it is nearly impossible when her mother in law constantly blames her for their deaths when they were her life. She began to blame God for all that has happened since He is big enough to have stopped it from ever happening in the first place. Her best friend, Stephanie, who is also Calebs sister, only reminds her of what didnt have any longer. She feels like she has nothing left after this tragedy and turns her back on Most High God and runs from everything that reminds her of the life she once had. Kenitra didnt care about anything or anyone after that and traveled from one place to another till she settles in England. She lives there for years before being led to move to Kennebunk Beach, ME where she meets a teenager named Mercedes Branden after converting an abandoned bar into a health food caf. Mercedes lands a job working for her and introduces her brother the first day of her new job. Philip, a pastor, is immediately drawn to her and soon discovers Kenitra is agnostic and doesnt believe in God, but has no idea she would later become the woman of his dream. Kenitra didnt have any intentions of falling for anyone especially someone like Philip since she resents his religious beliefs, but in time her feelings for him changes and much to her surprise she marries Philip 18 months later. The moral is love does heal a broken heart when God is doing the healing so trust Him with all of your problems because He has the answers.

YOU KNOW NOTHING ABOUT HER. BUT SHE KNOWS EVERYTHING ABOUT YOU. A gripping psychological thriller about a ghostwriter tasked with writing the autobiography of a woman who is trying to bury the secrets of her past - from the author of WHERE THE MISSING GO. Olivia is the domestic goddess-turned-internet sensation who has won millions of followers by sharing her picture-perfect life online. And now she's releasing her tell-all autobiography. Nicky is the ghostwriter tasked with coaxing out the full story - including details of the tragic accident that blighted Olivia's golden childhood. But, as she delves into Olivia's life, Nicky discovers cracks appearing in the glamorous façade. From money worries to Olivia's strained relationship with her handsome husband, the truth belies her perfect image. As Olivia becomes increasingly hostile to the woman she's let into her life, Nicky becomes ever more relentless in her hunt for the truth. Has Olivia really escaped the ghosts of her past - or will Nicky find there are more sinister reasons she wants to leave an old tragedy well alone?

Short Stories

Don't Trust Me

Love is taught, tested, and tamed.

Don't Trust MeHarperCollins UK

Omega Skye Miller dislikes attachments. Playing the field, and moving from town to town is what makes him feel secure. When the alpha he's casually seeing dies in a tragic accident, and a month later he discovers he's pregnant, he has little choice other than to turn to his big brother, Cal, for help. Unfortunately, Cal lives in the small town of Poppy Field, and Skye's not a fan of small towns. But since Skye is pregnant and unclaimed, he has to at least try and put the baby's needs first. Alpha Oliver Dahling is a closeted bisexual who also loves playing the field. He's not ashamed of his sexuality, but he doesn't relish the razzing his fellow officers would give him if he let them know he's bisexual. He's never met anyone who made going through that hassle worth it. Not until he meets Skye. When the two connect, there are immediate fireworks. Unfortunately, Skye has been burned by confused alphas in the past, and he's not sure he wants to go down that road again. But the two men are so attracted to each other, they keep falling into bed together, even though they aren't sure they should. Their journey toward happy-ever-after is bumpy when misunderstandings, and circumstances beyond their control mess things up. Will Skye allow his painful memories to control him forever, or can he learn to trust Oliver, who still seems to have one foot in the closet?

The theme of trust, betrayed or fulfilled, runs through this collection of short stories: Parents lead children into peril, husbands abandon wives, wives manipulate husbands, and time undermines all. Love pangs, a favorite subject of the author, take on a new urgency as earthquakes, illnesses, lost wallets, and deaths of distant friends besiege his aging heroes and heroines. One man loves his wife's twin, and several men love the imagined bliss of their pasts; one woman takes an impotent lover, and another must administer her father's death. Bourgeois comforts and youthful convictions are tenderly seen as certain to erode: "Man," as one of these stories concludes, "was not meant to abide in paradise."

Jordyn Jensen is on the run from her abusive ex-boyfriend. Escaping to a horse ranch owned and operated by Sam Blake, Jordyn finds herself in for more than she can handle. Sam is a cowboy haunted by his own painful past. The last thing they expect is one another. Fighting against the chemistry that is clearly between them, can Sam convince Jordyn to take a chance on love? Can she trust him? And what happens when her furious ex-boyfriend finds her?

Trust Me Omega

Trust Me on This

Love Heals a Broken Heart (Trust Me)

A suspenseful romantic action-packed thriller. A gorgeous young lady turned Most Wanted. A romantic trip and a love to die for. A hidden secret. An evil brutal regime practicing a cult they believe existed even before God created the world. Until the regime is stopped life is on the line. A must read. ABOUT THE SERIES EVELINA A secret cult that existed even before this world was created is still at the center of murder a thousand years later. A ruthless regime is using this cult to run rampage and havoc. A corrupt and evil world where murder is the norm. A place so dark and scary where they all come out in numbers where they are slaughtered in thousands. A place where they are naked:-no rights, hopes, or anything to hang on to. A place where the only hope and courage is the heart-engraved-belief that someone will solve God's Dilemma and rise to save humanity. A pledge to fight to the death because the sole existence of the regime is to restore the lost kingdom of darkness at humanity's expense. Where restoring it means slaughtering two-thirds of the world's population in 48 hours known as the 48 Hours of Darkness. It's a story of great courage in the face of death. The rise of Tomorrow's World Order citing the system as the root of all evil setting a collision course with the regime. The suspenseful questions are when and of what magnitude will the collision be and the devastating outcome? Will the regime allow a system change? Where stakes are high and the regime will defend the system at any cost will they succeed and at what cost? How can mankind survive the most feared devil's ghosts? Are you to be the lucky few to be spared in the 48 hours of darkness? Is mankind doomed or there is hope? What is God's Dilemma and can it really be solved? Unless God's Dilemma is solved mankind is doomed. A race against time where it's a matter of life or death for the strongest men let alone for Evelina caught up in all this. Will she survive the greatest manhunt since the world was created with everyone after her with the most powerful man demanding her too? Only one way to find out. Get this book right now.

Fans of Ally Carter's Heist Society novels will love this teen mystery/thriller with sarcastic wit, a hint of romance, and Ocean's Eleven–inspired action. Julep Dupree tells lies. A lot of them. She's a con artist, a master of disguise, and a sophomore at Chicago's swanky St. Agatha High, where her father, an old-school grifter with a weakness for the ponies, sends her to so she can learn to mingle with the upper crust. For extra spending money Julep doesn't rely on her dad—she runs petty scams for her classmates while dodging the dean of students and maintaining an A+ (okay, A-) average. But when she comes home one day to a ransacked apartment and her father gone, Julep's carefully laid plans for an expenses-paid golden ticket to Yale start to unravel. Even with help from St. Agatha's resident Prince Charming, Tyler Richland, and her loyal hacker sidekick, Sam, Julep struggles to trace her dad's trail of clues through a maze of creepy stalkers, hit attempts, family secrets, and worse, the threat of foster care. With everything she has at stake, Julep's in way over her head . . . but that's not going to stop her from using every trick in the book to find her dad before his mark finds her. Because that would be criminal. "A sexy love triangle and madcap mystery . . . I loved this book." —Jennifer Echols, author of Dirty Little Secret One of TeenVogue's 15 Most Exciting YA Books of 2014 One of PopCrush's 10 Most Anticipated YA Books "Julep isn't just another high schooler beset by the usual drama of boys and academia. Nope—she also happens to be a con artist and master of disguise, which comes in mighty handy when her father mysteriously disappears. Determined, she delves into the underbelly of Chicago to find him (bringing a bunch of fresh plot lines and unexpected twists along the way)."--teenVogue.com "Summer creates a standout character in Julep. She lies and cheats with so much confidence and skill that readers will cheer her on, but she also adheres to her own strict moral code. . . . A memorable debut; here's hoping for a lot more from Summer."—Kirkus Reviews "Entertaining."—Publishers Weekly "Well-paced, well-plotted."—The Bulletin of the Center for Children's Books

Mario's biggest regret was losing Reesie. He hated that he lost the woman he loved to someone he didn't want to keep. After years of searching for her, Mario believes that he has the chance to make things right when they finally reconnect. Unfortunately for him, he failed to realize that Reesie's happy demeanor and pleasant smile hides the true fury burning deep within her. The Reesie he once knew is long gone. Now he's left with a scorned, hate-filled, bitter woman hell-bent on revenge. Mario learns the hard way that even when a woman wears an award-winning smile, you never really know what she's thinking.

When accountant Chloe and children's book author Will Turner were set up on a blind date, Chloe's friend assured her she'd love Will and Will's friend assured him he'd get laid. They wound up at a headache-inducing opera, walked out at the first intermission and both agreed their blind date was a bad idea. Will drove Chloe home to her Back Bay Boston apartment, where they said good-bye and resolved never to see each other again. But then Chloe discovered that her most treasured possession had been stolen while she'd been at the opera with Will. In fact, her flaky, selfish brother had filched it and fled to his home in Minnesota. Chloe is determined to get it back. Only problem: her car is in the shop. Only other problem: she's deathly afraid of flying. Will's dilapidated old van works. And even if he and Chloe aren't suited, she's got the sexiest legs he's ever seen. What the hell—he'll drive her to Minnesota. A lot can happen on a fifteen-hundred-mile drive.

Trust Me, I'm Lying

A Novel

If You Ever Did Me Wrong...

Caelie has never broken a rule in her life, but when her English teacher gives the class an assignment to write a letter to a celebrity, she ends up breaking the most important rule of all: Never Tell Anyone. There's only one person in the world with enough power to make her believe the two little words she ends up holding in her hands, but will they be enough? After a lifetime of learning to be invisible, she now has only a few minutes to figure out if she can trust the stranger who knows everything about her.

Trust Me is the chilling standalone novel of psychological suspense and manipulation that award-winning author and renowned investigative reporter Hank Phillippi Ryan was born to write. CAN YOU SPOT THE LIAR? An accused killer insists she's innocent of a heinous murder. A grieving journalist surfaces from the wreckage of her shattered life. Their unlikely alliance leads to a dangerous cat and mouse game that will leave you breathless. Who can you trust when you can't trust yourself? "Grief and deception are at the helm of Hank Phillippi Ryan's latest thriller, Trust Me, in which a crime writer and an accused criminal's lives collide, as they come to discover that no one can be trusted, not even oneself. The tension mounts at a blistering pace, while Ryan dazzles on page, weaving a sinister story that readers won't be able to put down. A must read!"--New York Times bestselling author Mary Kubica At the Publisher's request, this title is being sold without Digital Rights Management Software (DRM) applied.

Trust Me, Trust Me Not

A gripping, atmospheric psychological thriller that will keep you guessing