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Harlequin

We're always on the lookout for talent—from established authors to those just starting their writing careers. Learn more about Harlequin's series romance lines and Carina Press.





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NEW BOOKS RELEASED
EVERY MONTH

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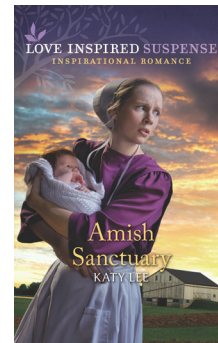
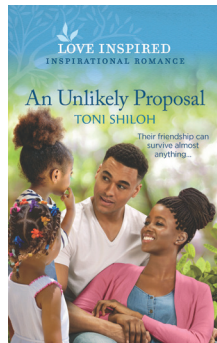
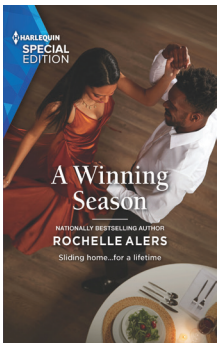
DISTINCT ROMANCE
LINES

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BOOKS SOLD EVERY SECOND
WORLDWIDE

Harlequin Series romance lines are published in print and digital formats and sold around the world. Each series publishes a set number of new books each month, similar to a magazine cycle. For example, Harlequin Presents publishes eight books per month, and Harlequin Romantic Suspense publishes four books per month.

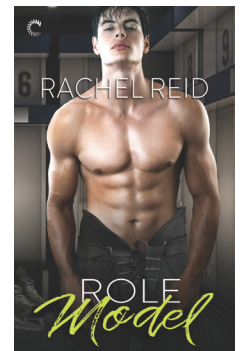
Series romance novels, also known as “category romance”, are inspired by classic romance tropes, such as friends to lovers, second chances or secret babies. Ranging from sexy to sweet, suspenseful to historical and more, each series offers a unique promise to readers and guarantees a happy ending in every love story.



carina press®

Carina Press is Harlequin’s digital-first fiction imprint for adult readers, publishing first in digital, with select releases in audio and print. Since its inception as the first digital imprint within a traditional publishing house, Carina Press has been an industry leader, and we continue to publish a broad range of romance.

Carina Adores is home to highly romantic love stories where LGBTQ+ characters find their happily ever afters. A trope-driven adult romance line exclusively featuring LGBTQ+ main characters, Carina Adores publishes books that leave readers with the warm and fuzzy feeling of romance well done. All Carina Adores books are available in trade paperback and ebook, with audiobook available for select titles.



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Heartwarming

Comforting, wholesome romance stories that celebrate heartfelt relationships about home, family, community, and love.



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From Viking battles to Regency ballrooms; from Victorian bedrooms to speakeasies in Prohibition, Harlequin Historical has them all—and welcomes diverse perspectives in stories set from ancient times up to the 1950s.



Romance

Uplifting, feel-good and emotional love stories that feature relatable romantic couples, set in stunning international locations.



Romantic Suspense

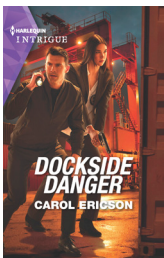
Heart-racing romance set against a backdrop of suspense, these stories feature true-to-life characters when the stakes are high.



Special Edition

Contemporary, real-life characters and situations—relatable stories with friends, family, and careers, as they experience the journey to true love.

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Intrigue

Action-packed stories featuring resourceful, fearless characters fighting to solve a mystery...before it's too late.



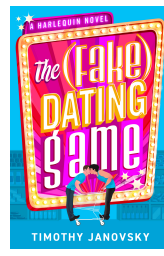
Medical Romance

Dedicated medical professionals navigate love and relationships in the high-pressure world of medicine.



Love Inspired

Love Inspired shows that faith, forgiveness and hope have the power to lift spirits and change lives.



Afterglow Books - Launching 2024

Sexy, character-driven contemporary romance stories with chemistry that pops. From flirty romcoms to angsty emotion, see characters from all walks of life pursue their dreams as they fall in love.



Love Inspired Suspense

Stories of faith and love in the face of danger, featuring courageous characters solving mysteries and saving lives.

LEARN MORE

Watch videos by Harlequin editors explaining what dedicated readers look for in each series.

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160 NEW AUTHORS PUBLISHED IN THE PAST 5 YEARS

The next could be you!

We welcome your submissions to Harlequin and Carina Press. Whether you're an established author or looking to make your debut, we want to read your love stories.

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