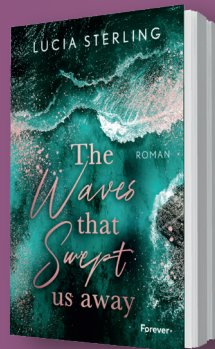
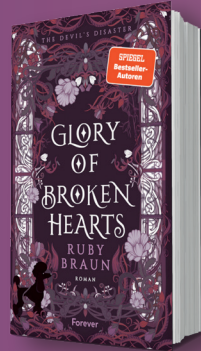




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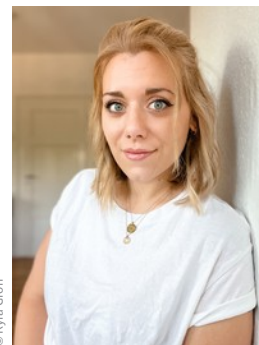


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Mara has everything under control – until she's stuck dog-sitting her boss's Pomeranian, her fiancé Sebastian dumps her out of the blue, and she suddenly finds herself without a home. With her carefully laid-out life plan in shambles, she needs not just a plan b but also a new place to stay. The only place she can think of is a nearby co-working space.

There, she keeps running into Marius – charming, seven years younger, a filmmaker, and blissfully plan-free. Definitely not Mara's type. Or so she thinks. But as she steals his yogurt and spends more time with him, she starts to realize that sometimes, having no plan at all might just be the best plan yet.

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Kyra Groh likes to claim that she has no other talents besides writing – which is why, besides publishing romance novels, she also works as a copywriter. She takes her stories from life and fills them with humor, depth, and authentic characters. She has a weakness for good food, Instagram, and pictures of good food on Instagram.

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Becca and Nils have been best friends for years – and every New Year's Eve, they end up in bed together. For the tenth anniversary of their annual one-night stand, preschool teacher Becca drains her savings to book a romantic Alpine chalet, determined to confess her love to Nils.

But things don't go as planned. First, she runs into Raphael, the insufferable uncle of one of her daycare kids. Then Nils shows up – with his fiancée, whom he's never mentioned. Desperate to save face, Becca enlists Raphael to pretend to be her boyfriend. The problem? They've always butted heads.

One evening isn't enough – what follows are three days of nerve-wracking tension. Nils, whom Becca has idealized for ten years, proves shockingly manipulative. Cold, distant Raphael, however, is unexpectedly sensitive. And the sparks between them feel far too real.

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Jude has only returned to her hometown for her sister's wedding, but Lower Whilby is the last place she ever wanted to see again. For the restless 26-year-old, this quaint English village stands for everything she dreads: predictability, coziness, and relentless small-town gossip.

But as soon as Jude arrives, nothing goes as planned. Most of the chaos can be traced back to James—a grumpy barista, son of legendary rock stars, and far too attractive for his own good. He's not thrilled when Jude tries to get him to spill secrets for her music podcast, which is more than a creative outlet, and he's even less amused when he has to hire her at his café out of desperation. Still, Jude is not just getting on his nerves—she's getting under his skin. And for Jude, who's spent her whole life running from her feelings, the prospect of standing still for someone is both terrifying and tempting.

As autumn leaves swirl, Jude and James clash over everything from coffee flavors to the secrets they keep. But can two people who are experts at running away finally find a reason to stay? The answer remains uncertain, as Jude must decide if she can let her guard down in a town that never forgets—and with a man who might just change everything.

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Enter Hunter, the grumpy, self-assured captain of the US ice hockey team, offers Amie a deal: he'll shield her from the press if she pretends to be his girlfriend. The catch? They clash from day one, and sharing a chalet is definitely not part of the plan. Yet behind the fake smiles, real feelings begin to spark, and Hunter reveals a side that's anything but the arrogant playboy Amie expected.

As the world watches, Amie faces a choice that could cost her everything—her shot at gold, her future, and the love she never saw coming. Will she risk it all for one date to gold, or will the Olympic flame burn out before their story truly begins?

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Ivy Leagh

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Ivy Leagh lives in southern Germany together with far too many unread books. The author of several SPIEGEL bestselling novels, she worked for a time as a freelance journalist in Berlin and London and now devotes herself exclusively to writing. She indulges her love of Great Britain during her stays in Birmingham, England. On Instagram and TikTok, she gives readers a glimpse into her creative everyday life.

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The fatal events of last summer left a mark on Verena Hofer she can't ignore. Out of financial need, she returns to the mountains for a tourism campaign—only to meet the irresistibly direct Mattia d'Alessi, who quickly unsettles her. Mattia, once a cop, now a private investigator, rents a room in Verena's family chalet under the guise of research. He's drawn to Verena but knows he must keep his distance. Mattia isn't just there to uncover the truth about last summer—he has his own secret agenda. As they grow closer, old wounds and hidden motives resurface, and Verena is caught between her heart and a dangerous game of secrets. Can either of them face the truth?

#grumpy & sunshine #forced proximity #revenge & suspense



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Kristina Moninger is the #1 Spiegel bestselling author of several romance novels and the *Breaking Waves* hit series. It sold more than 250,000 copies and was translated into eight languages. When she is not writing, you'll likely find her lost in a book or enjoying nature with her family and dog.

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Moments So Blue Like Our Love (Blue Eternity 1)

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Blair has lost everything: her parents' approval, her reputation as an artist, and—most devastatingly—her brother. For a year, she's numbed her pain with parties and fleeting encounters, leaving a trail of scandals. Nothing fazes her—until her parents cut her off. Forced to retreat to the family's windswept beach house on the British coast, Blair must confront her grief and attempt to create again. But she never expected to run into Connor Rutherford—her late brother's best friend, and now the boyfriend of her former friend Elle Hastings. Connor, who once broke her heart without ever touching her. As stormy days in St Ives bring them closer, old wounds resurface and new feelings ignite.

#rock bottom heroin #it was always you #brothers best friend



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Gabriella Santos de Lima was born in São Paulo and studied Creative Writing and Cultural Journalism at the Hildesheim Literature Institute. During her studies, she worked as a flight attendant before dedicating herself fully to writing. Her debut novel won a literary competition and secured her a spot in the LovelyBooks Reader's Choice Awards. With multiple bestsellers to her name, Gabriella has built a powerful social media presence that continues to grow.

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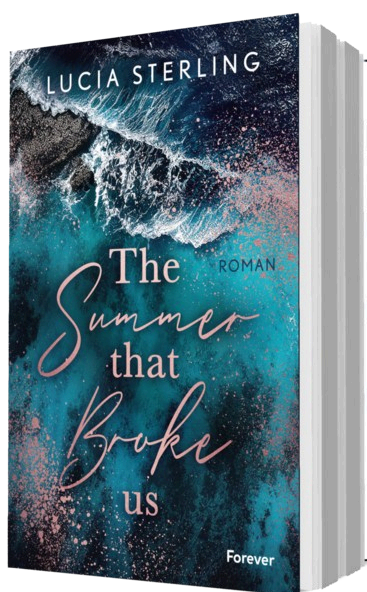


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A summer in Malibu where every wave hides a secret—Better a beautiful lie or a terrible truth?



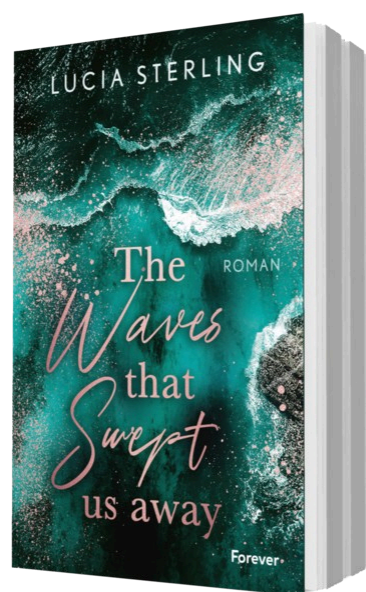
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When Sutton returns to Malibu for her third summer as a lifeguard, everything has changed. Her best friend Layla is now part of the elite lifeguard team, and Sutton is hiding the guilt of last summer, desperately trying to forget it amid beach flings, wild parties, and grueling training.

But when a water pipe bursts, the two friends are forced to leave their accommodation. Sutton has no choice but to move into the beach house of lifeguard Ben – the same Ben she loathes for breaking Layla's heart and who must never learn that Sutton has already failed at her job once. Still, they grow dangerously close.

When tragedy strikes again at Malibu's cliffs and one of them does not survive a party night, the tangled emotions make it all the more difficult to figure out what really happened, accident or murder?

#Beach vibes #Liveguard romance #found family

After the mysterious death of her lifeguard colleague, Layla is devastated. Only Jackson and her feelings for him offer comfort—until the unthinkable happens: Jackson becomes the prime suspect in the investigation. Convinced of his innocence, Layla stands by him and is drawn ever deeper into his world of high-society parties, yacht trips, and glamorous villas.

At first, Layla is enchanted by this dazzling life. But as the evidence against Jackson mounts, doubts begin to creep in. What is real, and what is just a façade? When Layla makes a discovery that changes everything, she's forced to ask herself: Do you really want to know the truth, when the lie is so much more beautiful?

Set against the sun-drenched backdrop of California, where Lucia Sterling lived for some time, this second volume in her suspenseful New Adult series combines romance, drama, and a gripping mystery.