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I have some wonderful news to share!

Beginning in the spring of 2010, I will unveil a social network that is strictly for romantics. In fact, that's what it's called, **Strictly 4 Romantics**. Anyone can join and become a member. Your only eligibility requirement is that you must be a romantic. Romantics will be able to exchange information about the best romantic movies to watch, the best romantic get-aways, the best romantic books to read, the best romantic songs, the best romantic meals, etc.

The list is endless and you will be able to have chats with other romantics. We will also have our own You-Tube channel for some serious interviews with people you'll want to meet (couples who have been married for a long time, newlyweds, couples renewing vows, couples who share how they met, how they became engaged, how they found true love the second time around, etc). They will be everyday couples with a romantic story to share.

More information about Strictly4Romantics.com is coming! I was recently told by someone that romantics are a dying breed and that women/men aren't looking for romance anymore. Being the die-hard romantic that I am, I just simply refused to accept that theory and hope you will, too.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

Happy birthday to all my readers whose birthdays are celebrated in September. May you have many, many, more!

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NEWS FLASH

Often I get emails asking if any of my books are in hardback. I am pleased to announce that thanks to Black Expressions Book Club some of them are available in hardback. This month they featured 3 of my most popular books in a collection series – Fire and Desire, True Love and Irresistible Forces. There are others and all of them are in hardback. You can check out all my books they have at www.blackexpressions.com

REMINDER - My bookstore has expanded!! To serve you better, my online store has expanded to a new site. If you were a customer before the move and did not receive your new user ID and password, just go to the site and sign up for a new one. Additional books have been added! Go my website at www.brendajackson.net and click on the tab for "My Store".

Congrats to the first 50 people who signed up for the cruise! A special gift will be sent to you for your early-bird booking. Bookings are now being accepted for the 2011 Madaris Cruise. Click here for more information. <http://www.brendajackson.net/page/cruise.htm>

BRENDA IS COMING TO LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA!!

While writing Rodeo Superstar, Luke Madaris' book, I got the chance to attend my first rodeo with some of my readers. We attended the Bill Pickett Invitational Rodeo. It was the best research I'd ever had to do for a book!!

I will be doing a booksigning at the Bill Pickett Invitational Rodeo in Los Angeles on Saturday and Sunday, November 7th and 8th

You are invited to drop by and see if you can spot Luke Madaris in the crowd!! This is the

finals and all of us know Luke will be competing.
See information below from their Press Release:

INDUSTRY HILLS EXPO CENTER

Hosts

2009 Bill Pickett Invitational Finals Rodeo

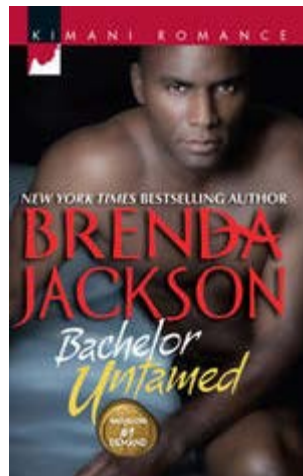
Live in Los Angeles....The Bill Pickett Invitational Finals Rodeo, celebrating 26 years of National Rodeo Entertainment, rides into the Beautiful Industry Hills Expo Center, 16200 Temple Avenue in the City of Industry, CA 91744 (626) 330.0324. The finals consist of two regular performances taking place on **Saturday, November 7 at 6:00pm and Sunday, November 8 at 3:30pm.**

Long time rodeo supporters, Actors Glynn Turman, Reginald T. Dorsey, will serve as our official Grand Marshal and Co-Grand Marshal. Celebrities invited and scheduled to ride in the grand parade include: Actors Art Evans, and Richard Gant, Recording Artist Howard Hewitt, and Deniece Williams.

A special pre-show art exhibit and book signing hosted by Black Voice News will feature framed originals by accomplished Fine Artist Charles Bibbs and a book signing by renowned Romance Author Brenda Jackson...

For more information visit website at - www.billpickettrodeo.com

COMING IN OCTOBER 09 BOOK 1 OF THE BACHELORS IN DEMAND SERIES *BACHELOR UNTAMED*



One mind blowing kiss. That was all Ellie Weston shared with her neighbor one summer, before he angrily discovered she'd approached him on a dare. Ten years later, Ellie is back at her great-aunt's lake house, and so is Uriel Lassiter – still wildly sexy, single and happy to stay that way. When Ellie finds her great-aunt's unfinished romance novel, she decides to finish the manuscript – but first she needs some real-life inspiration, in the form on a sultry summer fling.

Uriel hasn't forgotten Ellie, and their sizzling chemistry is starting to make him reconsider his tried-and-true bachelor status. But when the truth about her motives emerges, can Ellie convince him that make-believe has turned into much more?

**COMING IN NOVEMBER 09
MEET THE DENVER WESTMORELANDS!!
INTRODUCING DILLON WESTMORELAND IN WESTMORELAND'S WAY**



There was a secret to Dillon Westmoreland's heritage – and Pam Novak had the key. Although the raven-haired beauty was ensnared by her shifty fiancé; Dillon – the eldest of the Westmoreland clan couldn't resist a mind-blowing night in her arms. And after that incredible passion...Well, once a Westmoreland claimed the woman he wanted, he wouldn't let anything tear them apart.

**JOIN BRENDA JACKSON AT RT BOOKLOVERS CONVENTION 2010!!
APRIL 28, 2010 – MAY 2, 2010
COLUMBUS, OHIO**



Meet over 300 authors who will be autographing their latest bestsellers. You may also bring favorite books from your *keeper shelf* and get them autographed.

You will meet some of the hottest cover models in the industry as well as all of the Mr. Romance Contestants who will be competing in the Mr. Romance Pageant at 5pm on Saturday, May 1st.

Enter to win dozens of prizes provided by authors and publishers and take home lots of FREE promotional materials including bookmarks, buttons, magnets and much more.

ON THE AGENDA:

- **PUBLISHED AUTHORS and ASPIRING WRITERS** can attend over 100 workshops to learn how to write and get published, how to network, how to promote and how to increase sales.
- **READERS** will enjoy a special three-day program with games, giveaways, prizes and lots of **FREE BOOKS** as well as attend bestselling author lectures in an

intimate setting. Authors are at the ready to answer all your book-related questions.

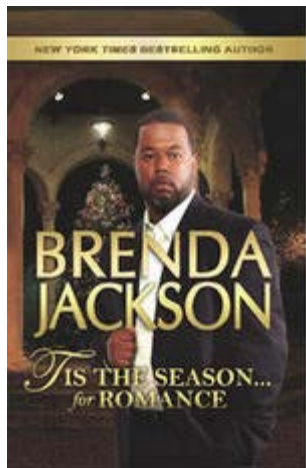
- **BOOKSELLERS** will value a special three-day program that will take you into the future of bookselling with tips on how to increase sales and revenues and how to compete with the chains. You will also learn how to use the internet to supplement your income.
- **BREAK AWAY** from your designated track and check out any other workshop that appeals.

All of the workshops, luncheons, dinners and events are included in the registration fee.

For more information click on link - <http://guest.cvent.com/EVENTS/Info/Summary.aspx?e=39f9fb57-5ebc-49a4-b572-a2316b792e98>

COMING IN DECEMBER 2009

TIS' THE SEASON... FOR ROMANCE



This book by the Madaris Publishing Company will contain 4 new stories that are guaranteed to get you ready for a Holiday Season filled with love and romance.
READY FOR LOVE

Barbara Andrews is trying to get her life back together after her divorce while planning her daughter's wedding. Even with everything she has on her plate she hasn't been able to forget the man who had entered her life at a very difficult time and had shown her kindness. And when **Detective Rick Blair** asks her out, she is not sure if she's ready to put the past behind her and move on, although she can't deny the attraction between them. Rick intends to prove that she is definitely a woman who is ready for love.

Barbara was first introduced in HER LITTLE BLACK BOOK

THE SECOND TIME AROUND

Peggy Morrison has finally gotten her life together and is happily involved with a man who knows how to treat her like the desired and passionate woman that she is. And when **Willie Baker** asks her to accompany him to Paris, she has to decide just how far their relationship has come and even importantly, how far she wants it to go. Willie is determined to be the one to teach Peggy a thing or two about love the second time around.

Peggy was first introduced in HER LITTLE BLACK BOOK

CONQUERING HIS HEART

Cathy Bristol has been in love with her boss for what seems like forever, and decides it's time to take matters into her own hands. She gets the chance to do so on a business trip they take together. While **Orin Jeffries** focuses on business, Cathy focuses on trying to show Orin that she's the woman for him and is determined to make the emotionally scarred divorced Orin see her for the woman that she is. A woman intent on conquering his heart.

Cathy was first introduced in TALL, DARK...WESTMORELAND

COREY'S MOUNTAIN

When **Corey Westmoreland** runs into the one woman he let get away over thirty years ago, he is determined to keep **Abby Winters** within his reach. Even if it means taking her up to his mountain. And once he realizes their attraction is still explosive after all this time, he's determined to convince her that it's not too late for them and that their past and present have now collided for a reason. It was always meant for Corey's Mountain to be their home.

Abby was first introduced in STONE, COLD SURRENDER

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COMING IN JANUARY 2010 DELANEY'S DESERT SHEIKH RETURNS!!

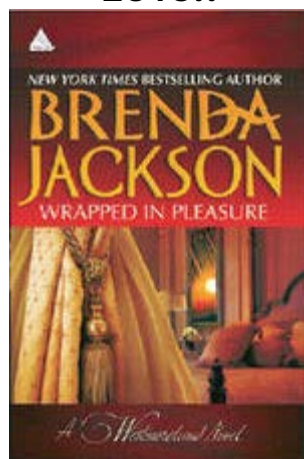
I am so excited to announce the return of Book 1 of the Westmoreland series, which will kick off the re-release of all the others in regular book form. Thanks to Harlequin!!

But what is so special about Delaney's book being released is that it will be included in a "2-books-in-1" edition titled, WRAPPED IN PLEASURE.

SHEIKH RASHEED VALDEMON'S STORY HIT THE STORES!!

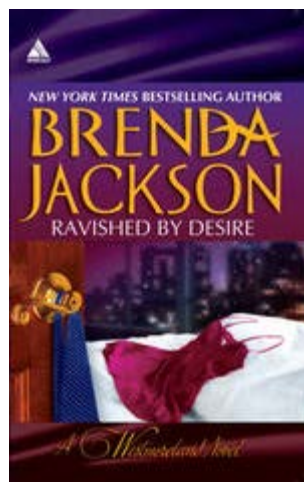
In addition to getting Delaney's story in WRAPPED IN PLEASURE, you will also get another sheikh story that features Sheikh Rasheed Valdemon from the Madaris and Friends Series. You may recall Rasheed from Fire and Desire and Unfinished Business. Rasheed's story will be titled *Seduced by a Stranger*.

WRAPPED IN PLEASURE IS SCHEDULED TO HIT THE BOOK STORES JANUARY OF 2010!!



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COMING IN FEBRUARY 2010 RAVISHED BY DESIRE



TWO CLASSIC WESTMORELAND STORIES WILL RETURN IN A 2-BOOKS-IN-ONE COLLECTION

A LITTLE DARE AND THORN'S CHALLENGE

Because you requested it, Harlequin has agreed to reissue the Westmoreland Series in regular book form.

This is the schedule so far.

January 2010 – WRAPPED IN PLEASURE – will include Delaney's Desert Sheikh

February 2010 – RAVISHED BY DESIRE - will include A Little Dare and Thorn's Challenge.

COMING IN MARCH 2010

A NEW WESTMORELAND NOVEL TITLED HOT WESTMORELAND NIGHTS

Featuring Ramsey Westmoreland

COMING IN APRIL 2010

A NEW MADARIS NOVEL FEATURING BLADE MADARIS!!

BOOK TITLED – SENSUAL CONFESSIONS

A message to Blade - A case of condoms won't be able to protect your heart!

**COMING IN MAY 2010 FROM HARLEQUIN BLAZE
SPONTANEOUS**

Featuring Duan Jeffries

COMING IN JUNE 2010

A NEW STEELE NOVEL

HIDDEN PLEASURES

Featuring Galen Steele

As you can see, my 2010 schedule is off to a roaring start. I will have a book out every month in 2010!! The titles of the other 2010 books will be released in future newsletters! I hope you enjoyed this newsletter. Until next month, please take care, be safe and stay blessed!

Happy Reading!
Brenda Jackson