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**June 2017** 



#### HAPPY INDEPENDENCE DAY!

It's a few days early but I won't have the July newsletter out before this special holiday. I hope you enjoy your 4th of July. I am headed for Barbados for the Brenda Jackson Readers Reunion 2017. I have a lot of fun planned for my readers. If you missed the reunion this year, there will be another in 2019. We will announce the destination for that reunion in September.

We are finishing up Madaris History week on Face Book. It was a great week and I hope everyone is familiar with the Madaris Family history and are ready for 2 brand-new Madaris books. Information about both books is in this newsletter.

And yes, a new Westmoreland novel is coming out in November and features Bane's SEAL friend, Laramie Cooper. Title of Coop's story is HIS SECRET SON. It's a warm-hearted Holiday story you don't want to miss!

In case you've missed some of my book releases for 2017, information about all my 2017 novels is listed in this newsletter.

Also, good news!! Passionflix will be making the 3 novels in the Granger Series into movies! More information in included in this newsletter.

Back by popular demand, "Introduce a Friend to Brenda Jackson" is returning. I have over 100 of my novels I want to share with your friends to introduce them to my work. Look for more details of this promotion in the August newsletter.

Enjoy the holidays and be safe!

# **Happy Birthday!**

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Happy birthday to all my readers who will celebrate a birthday in June. May you continue to be blessed with many, many more!

# **Guilty Pleasure Now available!**



You met Cohen Carlson and Dee Lewis in A STEELE FOR CHRISTMAS. Now get ready to read their story in GUILTY PLEASURE!

She is his guiltiest pleasure...

Dr. Cohen Carlson knows all about temptation. Twice before, he'd given in when Dee Lewis, his younger sister's best friend, decided to seduce him. But he can't let it happen again. As much as he wants her, he knows he can't give Dee the love she wants, the love she deserves. He went down that road once before, and the pain left a deep scar. He refuses to give love another try. Not even for Dee.

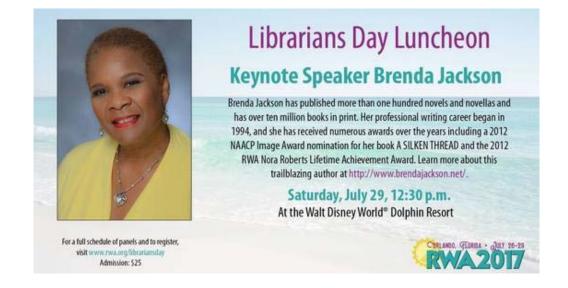
Dee has loved Cohen forever. As far as she's concerned, he's her soulmate. So why is he retreating? Once she finds out his reasons for holding back, she's determined to prove to him that he can trust her with his heart. What's her plan? To drive him so crazy, he'll have no choice but to seduce her! It's sure to work. After all, they say that three time's a charm...

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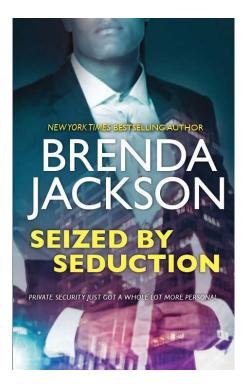
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### **Mark Your Calendars!**



## **NEWSFLASH!!**

Amazon has picked SEIZED BY SEDUCTION in their roundup of Best Romance of 2017.



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**Passion is Coming!** 



Passionflix, a studio and streaming platform launching this September, is dedicated to turning romance novels into movies and series, and cannot wait to bring the Granger Brothers to life on-screen!

Hooray!!!!This is great news. Get ready to see Jace, Caden and Dalton onscreen. Filming of Book 1, A Brother's Honor starts this fall and presently it's on the schedule to be shown early spring 2018.

I hope my readers are as happy as I am to finally see romance stories come to life on the screen. Like Netflix, Pasionflix is a subscribing base streaming service and I am asking that you sign up.

You can either sign up to be a Founding member or a regular subscriber. Explanation of both are below.

Here is the link to sign up: (When you get to the website, then you can press the "Push my button".

http://www.passionflix.com/#brendajacksonromancemovies0214

NOTE - If you use my special link above when you sign up to subscribe will show Passionflix that you want the Grangers to be just for the beginning, and would like to see more books by Brenda Jackson made into movies! As well as

diverse movies by other authors as well! Now is the time to make your voice heard by subscribing!

The Grangers now, and with your voice we can move on to the Protector Series!

Passionflix Founding Members will receive:

- **★** A 2-year subscription (with a 30% Savings)
- ★ Voting Privileges on 'Casting Your Book Boyfriend', an exclusive reality show to find the next Passionflix leading man
  - ★ An invitation for a walk on role in a Passionflix production
    - **★** Discounts on Passionflix merchandise
- ★ Exclusive sneak peeks and casting information via The Passionflix Founding Members Lounge on Facebook.

For more information, visit Passionflix HERE:

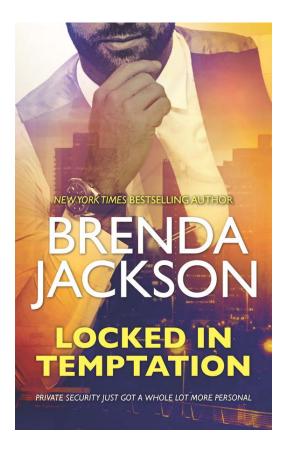
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Locked in Temptation Coming soon!



# His job is to protect her...no matter the cost

Police detective Joy Ingram's connection to elite security expert Stonewall Courson is instant. Undeniable. Electric. But her commitment to protect and serve has always come first. Everything else is secondary—especially when she uncovers an underground surrogate baby-making ring. Joy can't risk a distraction during the most important case of her career, not even one as sexy as reformed ex-con Stonewall.

There are few things Stonewall values more than a strong woman. But when Joy's investigation draws her into a deadly conspiracy that goes deeper than she ever imagined, he must convince her that he's the best man to protect her. And while he puts his life on the line to save hers, the insatiable attraction between them becomes the one danger neither of them can escape.

Pre-order now!

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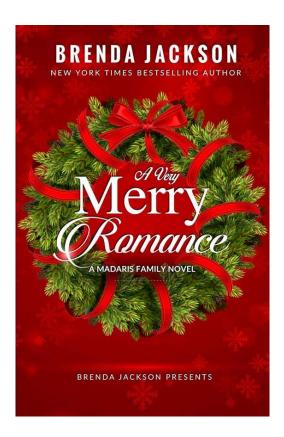
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## **A Very Merry Romance**



Can you believe it's been 4 years since I've written a Madaris novel? I am looking forward to revisiting with what I consider as my first family - The Madarises. Look forward to Nolan Madaris's story that is coming out in 2018 from Harlequin.

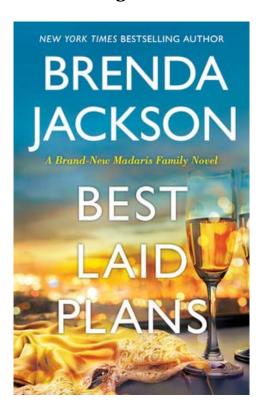
By popular demand, as a prequel to Nolan's story, I am writing Marilyn and Jonathan's story. You know Marilyn and Jonathan as the parents to Justin, Dex, Clayton, Christy, Kattie and Traci. They are celebrating the Holidays with the entire Madaris family and their friends, and you are invited to celebrate

with them.

Coming this December is A VERY MERRY ROMANCE, a Madaris Novel. Are you ready to return to Texas and revisit the Madaris family?

Featuring Jonathan and Marilyn Madaris, parents of Justin, Dex, Clayton, Kattie, Tracy and Christy.

# Best Laid Plans A brand new Madaris book featuring Nolan Madaris!! Book 22 Coming in March 2018!!!!



# Love wasn't supposed to be a part of the deal...

Even a famed matchmaker like Nolan Madaris's great-grandmother can't get it right every time. Nolan, the notorious fun-loving ladies' man, could never connect with someone as uptight as straight-laced businesswoman Ivy Chapman. Yet the scheme Ivy proposes is tempting—they can pretend to be a couple, just long enough to satisfy their families.

But someone forgot to clue in their hearts

What happens, though, when Ivy's plan to get her relatives off her back has an unexpected side-effect: getting her into Nolan's bed? Houston's number-one womanizer may have found the only one who can truly satisfy him, body and soul. But with a man from Ivy's past determined to be part of her future, both she and Nolan will have to decide what's fake, what's real, and what's worth fighting for...

# The Granger Series are coming to audio!



Book 1 - A Brother's Honor is available on audio NOW!

Book 2 - A Man's Promise will be out on audio in June.

Book 3 - A Lover's Vow will be out on audio in July.



## **QUESTIONS FROM READERS!**

Q: Somehow I started off reading "Riding the Storm" first, then purchased the trilogy of Zane/Canyon/Stern, and then later found out these stories were part of a huge series. Of course I couldn't get enough and now I'm on the set containing books 11-15. I have already purchased the remaining Westmoreland sets so Im taking my time reading everyday and enjoying each Westmoreland character. I read a few of your character UPDATES on your website so I have a question......Do you think you will ever go back to a few of the Westmoreland characters and write a new thrilling adventure for them as a married couple? All of the couples are amazing people in different ways but so far certain ones stand out as big as a universe Lol (like Thorn & Tara, Ian & Brooke, Quade & Cheyenne, Canyon & Keisha, Clint & Alyssa). I would lovvvvvvve to read about a new adventure/challenge that comes about in these couples' lives. Anyway I simply want to tell you that your imagination for characters is incredible and I love it.

A: Thanks and I'm glad you're enjoying my stories. Because my readers let me know a lot of my characters are "bigger than life" to them, what I try to do is include an update about them in future books. Since I have a long list of books

"happy married" couple. I need to move on to another couple and work on their relationship to add them to the Happy Ever After Club. I have thought about writing a continuing series with two of my favorite couples - Clayton and Syneda and Dalton and Jules. What I would do is introduce an interesting legal case for Clayton and Syneda to work on together in each book; and with Dalton and Jules, they would work on a PI case together. I got that idea while reading one of my favorite authors (J.D. Robb) In Death Series where Eve and Roarke are hero and heroine in every book. What makes each book it refreshing and interesting is their relationship and the cases Eve works on. As you can see, my "To Do" list keeps growing and growing.

Q: Please consider turning Unfinished Business into a movie!!! That would be totally awesome.

A: I think 2018 will be my year for movies. In addition to Passionflix doing the Granger Series, next year Suri Austin Entertainment (CEO Iris Bolling) and my own production company (Madaris Entertainment) are joining forces to make Unfinished Business into a movie! I am excited to be working with Iris to make this happen. I believe my readers who enjoyed Alex and Christy's story will be excited as well!

Q: I have been reading the Protector series thinking that Roland Summers (the boss of Quasar, Stonewall & Striker) should get a story. Personally I think Roland has been left out he needs a woman after the lost of his wife which was sad. You know Brenda like me we like happy endings. Please consider before you end the Protector Series. Roland need some love too their is a woman out there for him please, please consider.

A: Trust me, I didn't forget Roland. He's part of the next installment of The Grangers connected books, The Men of Action Series. This 3-book series include Roland Summers, Andrew Logan and Dak Navarro. You will meet Dak in Stonewall's book. Instead of starting the Men of Action Series now, I made a decision to revisit with my Madaris family, whom I hadn't written about in a while and it was time. I was missing my very first family and wanted to see what they were up to.

And I needed to also check on Zion as well as the members of the Steele family. And I never did write Logan Montgomery's book from the Playa Series and I plan to do that as well. Look for books from all of them within the next year.

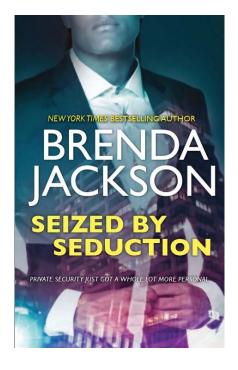
Once I've revisited my other families and write their stories - then I will turn my attention to the Men of Action Series.



**Brenda Jackson 2017 Official Book Releases** 



# Seized by Seduction USA Today Bestseller & B & N Bookseller Pick! On Sale Now!



One glance is all it takes

From the moment his eyes meet hers across the crime-scene tape, ex-con turned bodyguard Quasar Patterson knows he has to see the mysterious Dr. Randi Fuller again. She's a renowned psychic investigator who can foresee danger for others, but not for herself. That makes Quasar doubly determined to watch over her—the closer, the better—as she's drawn into a dangerous gang rivalry.

Both her psychic gift and their blinding chemistry tell Randi that she and Quasar are fated to be entwined. Even as they surrender to the heat between them, there's no guarantee of a happily-ever-after now that an enemy has her in his sights. And claiming a future will take more than Quasar's strength and skill. If he can't risk the heart he's always held in check, they'll both lose for good...

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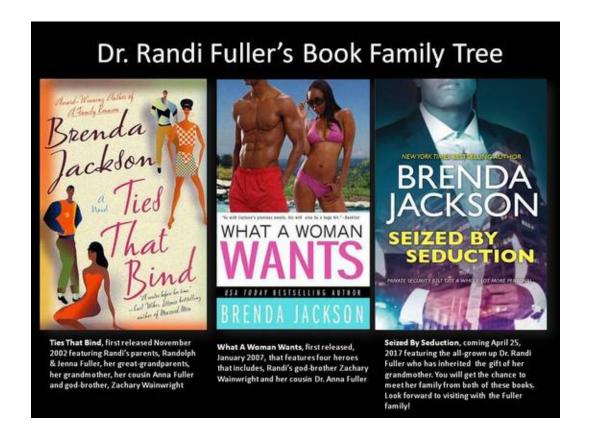
Brenda Jackson with Mabel Avendano, the recipient of the Brenda Jackson Empowerment Scholarship 2017 at PACE Center for Girls.

Congratulations to Class of 2017 of Pace Center for Girls.

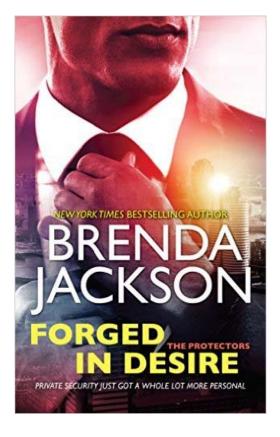


**Have you read Ties That Bind?** 

See how Ties That Bind and What a Woman Wants is connected with the upcoming Seized By Seduction which is book 2 of The Protector Series.



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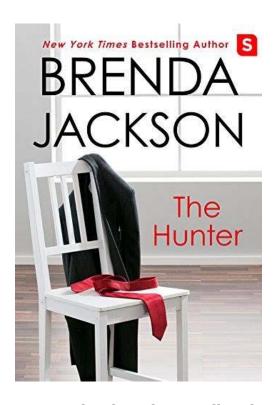
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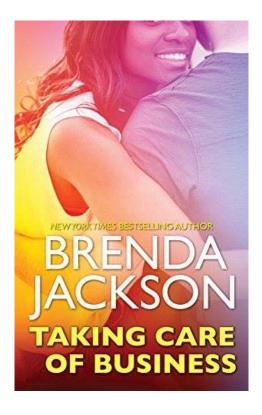
**The Hunter** 



This sexy short story, previously released in An All Night Man and Some Like It Hot, is now available as a standalone by New York Times bestselling author Brenda Jackson! In e-book only!

A steamy one night stand is all it should have been between Mallory Standish and Hunter Sloan--one night with the sexy P.I. is about all she can handle. But when circumstances throw them back together, Mallory's about to learn that the "P" in P.I. stands for playa...but even the baddest boys around can be tamed.

New book cover for Taking Care of Business!!



My interracial book - Taking Care of Business has a new look. Have you read Tag and Renee's story?

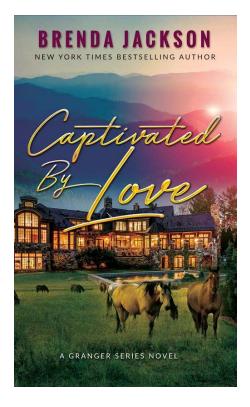
He wants her no matter what the cost...

From the moment she met gorgeous media tycoon Tag Elliott, Renee Williams could only fantasize about darkened bedrooms, whispered promises and how his lips would feel on hers. But Renee is a social worker—and an excellent one at that, thank you very much—and Tag belongs to one of Manhattan's wealthiest families. It's not he's out of her league, it's that he's from a different world.

Tag isn't looking for forever, but he starts falling hard and fast for the beauty assigned to his ailing mother. When Renee finally agrees to one night to live out their fantasies, he tries to ignore how quickly his heart gets tangled up with this intelligent, passionate woman. But their fling only fans the flames, and Tag is certain that once is not enough. Now he wants more...no matter how much scandal he'll create!

## Originally published in 2006

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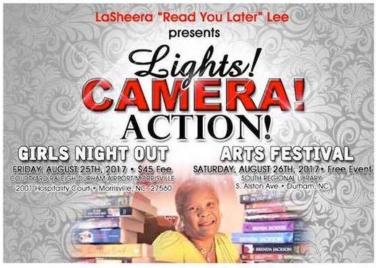
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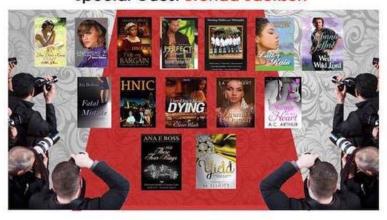
You should be able to go anywhere books are sold and order a copy of Captivated by Love. That will include global markets - such as Europe, France, India etc. You will not find it on the shelf, but it will be listed in their catalog as a "print on demand". Also, in 2 weeks it will be available as a print book online at Barnes and Nobles, Books-A-Million, Walmart or anywhere else print books are sold online. Currently, the only place you can order the print book is from my online store or Amazon.

I appreciate all of you. The sales on this book have been amazing, which is why I can now widen my audience globally for this book.

Mark your calendars!



Special Guest Brenda Jackson



Join us for a fun weekend August 25th and August 26th. Live music, spoken word, games, swag bags, food and a paint party on August 25th.

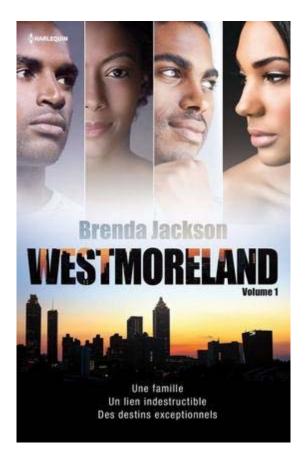
Literary agents, Latoya Smith and Stephanie DeLamater Phillips, will take your pitches. August 26th is all the way live with a FREE EVENT featuring Brenda Jackson, La Jill Hunt, Sabrina Jeffries, Ac Arthur, Ana E Ross, Misha Elliott, Tony Clever Black Johnson, Nikkea Shareè, Erin Knightley, Deborah Mello, Iris Bolling, Vanessa Miller, Shaila Patel, Victorious Ladies Reading Book Club, Greg Morris, Loretta R. Walls, movie screenings, refreshments, etc.

Hotel rates will be \$99 dollars a night with a free Marriott Courtyard Breakfast. Lights. Camera. Action. Party will be \$45.

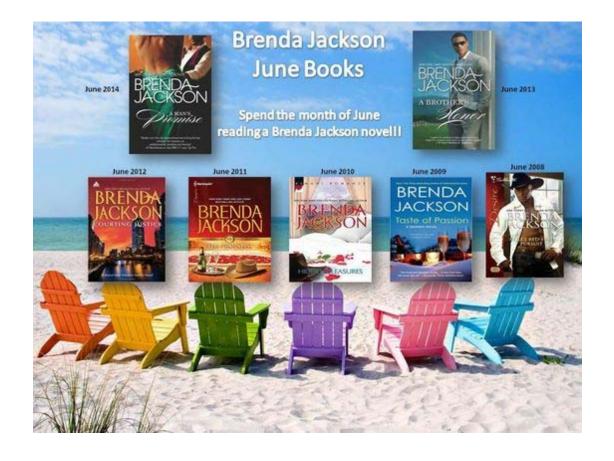
Book your hotel at http://bit.ly/2fBcknK.

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# The Westmorelands invade France!



June Books by Brenda Jackson



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2009 - Taste of Passion

2010 - Hidden Pleasures

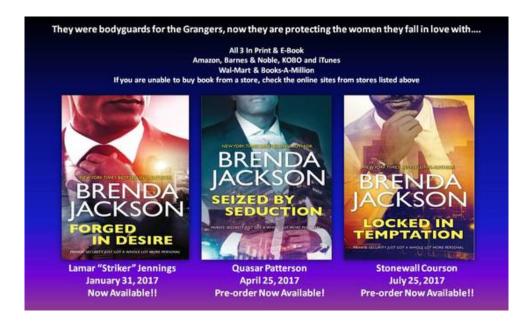
2011 - The Proposal

2012 - Courting Justice

2013 - A Brother's Honor

2014 - A Man's Promise

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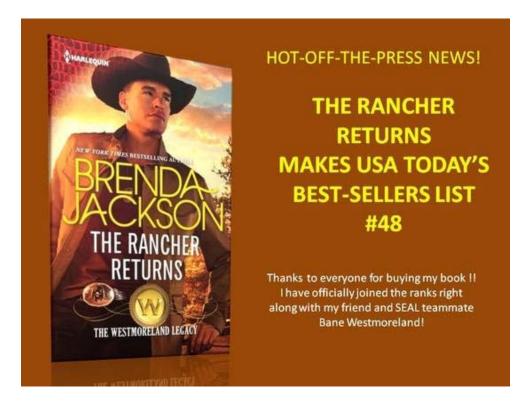


# Just when you thought it was safe to walk the streets of Charlottesville, Virginia again...

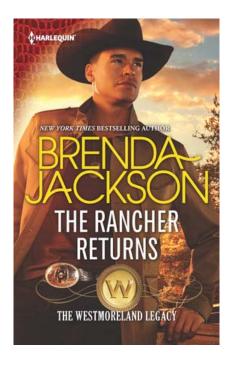
The Protector Series
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Captivated by Love - December 2016

Forged in Desire - Striker Jennings - February 2017 Seized by Seduction - Quasar Patterson - May 2017 Locked in Temptation - Stonewall Courson coming in August 2017

**News Alert!** 



# Now available! The Rancher Returns

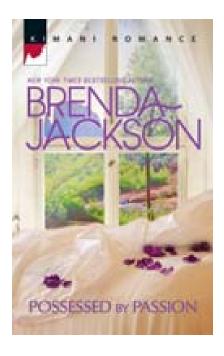


Discover *New York Times* bestselling author Brenda Jackson's The Westmoreland Legacy—a navy SEAL returns to his ranch...and finds irresistible desire!

Returning from active duty to find his ranch being dug up by a beautiful stranger isn't the homecoming navy SEAL Gavin Blake expected. Layla Harris is convinced there's buried treasure on his land. But the only treasure this wealthy rancher wants to uncover is the professor's secret desires! When Layla unearths family secrets—and mysterious threats—he vows to do whatever it takes to protect her. Even as her revelations change everything...

# Now available! USA Today Bestseller!

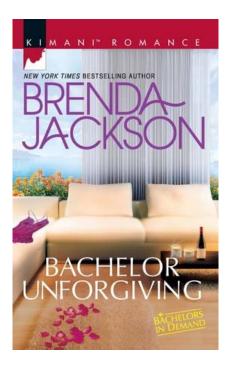
## **Possessed by Passion featuring Tyson Steele**



Burned-by-love architect Hunter McKay came home to Phoenix to open her own firm, not rekindle her fleeting high school romance with playboy Tyson Steele. But when she runs into the sexy surgeon at a nightclub—and he unleashes that legendary Steele charm—Hunter fears she's headed straight for heartbreak once again.

Tyson hasn't forgotten the one who got away. A week-long fling should be just enough to get the sultry beauty out of his system for good, even if he has to let Hunter set the ground rules. But the rules are suddenly changing for the nostrings bachelor. Can Tyson convince this sensual woman that he's the real deal—that they deserve a second chance together?

### Now available!



**Bachelor Unforgiving** 

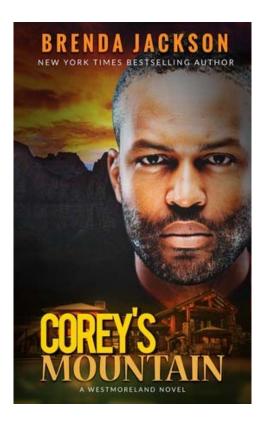
#### This book will also be on audio at Audible.com!!

### Passionate payback

They say you can forgive but you can never forget. Virgil Bougard takes that saying to heart. Four years ago Kara Goshay believed a vicious lie about him and ended their relationship. And even after her apology, Virgil is still bitter. He doesn't intend to make things easy for Kara when his family's firm hires her PR company to revamp his playboy image. But faking a liaison with Kara for the media backfires when the line between fantasy and reality is blurred by strong sexual attraction.

Kara wanted forgiveness. Instead she's deep into a heated affair with the powerful, charismatic man she can't resist. The man who claims he'll never forgive her, especially when a secret enemy puts her professional reputation in jeopardy. Stakes are high—but so is their searing desire, a connection so intense it could possibly tame this elusive unforgiving bachelor at last...

# Now Available! Corey's Mountain



Corey's Mountain, the story about Uncle Corey Westmoreland was first released in print in the Anthology - Tis' The Season for Romance.

Brenda Jackson is now releasing this book as a single title for the very first time only available in E-Book version. For those who need the physical book you will have to purchase the Anthology, Tis' The Season for Romance.

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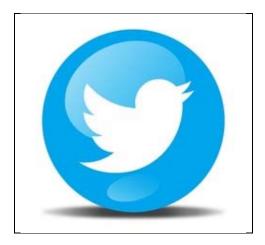
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