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Romance Fiction Kristin Ramsdell 2012 Presents a comprehensive guide for librarians and readers' advisors, provides a brief history of the romance novel, and offers reading lists and subgenre definitions.

Falling for the Cowboy's Baby Rebecca Winters 2022-07-26 Second chance for a family A Valentine for the Cowboy by Rebecca Winters Brianna Frost can't deny the serious attraction between her and sexy cowboy Eli Clayton, or the bond she has with his little girl. Still, Brianna can't quite shake the feeling that Eli's ex is still in his life—and in his heart. Would falling for this Clayton cowboy mean loving a family that could never be hers? The Kentucky Cowboy's Baby by Heidi Hormel Pepper Bourne dreams of opening a community garden on her stepfather's ranch. The only thing standing in her way is the rugged cowboy who just inherited the property! AJ McCreary gave up the rodeo to raise his baby girl, and selling the ranch is the only way he can support her now. When Pepper makes a claim on AJ's heart, can he prove to her he's ready to become a family man? 2 Heartfelt Stories A Valentine for the Cowboy and The Kentucky Cowboy's Baby

Harlequin Desire March 2016 - Box Set 1 of 2 Andrea Laurence 2016-03-01 Do you love stories with sexy, romantic heroes who have it all—wealth, status, and incredibly good looks? Harlequin® Desire brings you all this and more with these three new full-length titles for one great price! THE CEO'S UNEXPECTED CHILD (Billionaires and Babies) Andrea Laurence When a fertility clinic makes a mistake, a recent widow discovers her infant daughter doesn't belong to her late husband, but to a billionaire set on claiming his new family...by any means. SNOWBOUND WITH THE BOSS (Pregnant by the Boss) Maureen Child When gaming tycoon Sean Ryan is stranded with irascible, irresistible contractor Kate Wells, the temptation to keep each other warm proves overwhelming. Dealing with unexpected feelings is hard enough, but what about an unexpected pregnancy? They're about to find out... THE RANCHER'S MARRIAGE PACT (Texas Extreme) Kristi Gold Marrying his sexy interior designer is convenient enough for rich rancher Dallas Calloway. He'll get his inheritance and she'll get a new lease on life. Then the business arrangement turns into more than they

bargain for... Look for Harlequin® Desire's March 2016 Box set 2 of 2, filled with even more scandalous stories and powerful heroes!

Man on a Mission Carla Cassidy 2010-11-01 WHO DO YOU TRUST? No one would meet Mark Delaney's eyes. After a devastating brush with death, he had changed dramatically—and done so with one purpose in mind. He had a killer to catch and could no longer trust his own family. But one woman dared to look beyond his facade. April Cartwright, newly hired by the Delaneys, sought to know the real Mark. But the loner knew he had to resist. A murderer was in their midst, and if Mark succumbed to the sweet promises April offered, his mission would put them both in deadly peril. And he would not risk her innocent life—even at the cost of his own!

The Cowboy's Journey Home Linda Goodnight 2022-07-26 Finding his way back is just the beginning...in this novel by New York Times bestselling author Linda Goodnight. He'll make up for the past... But won't saddle anyone with his future. Medically discharged from the military, Yates Trudeau and his ex-military dog, Justice, return to the family ranch, vowing to make amends—and keep his prognosis hidden. Only, civilian life means facing reporter Laurel Maxwell, the woman he left behind but never forgot. Forging a new bond comes naturally, but when she learns the truth, will she risk her heart for an uncertain future? From Love Inspired: Uplifting stories of faith, forgiveness and hope. K-9 Companions Book 1: Their Unbreakable Bond by Deb Kastner Book 2: Finding Her Way Back by Lisa Carter Book 3: The Veteran's Vow by Jill Lynn Book 4: Her Easter Prayer by Lee Tobin McClain Book 5: Earning Her Trust by Brenda Minton Book 6: Guarding His Secret by Jill Kemerer Book 7: An Unlikely Alliance by Toni Shiloh Book 8: The Cowboy's Journey Home by Linda Goodnight Book 9: A Reason to Stay by Deb Kastner Book 10: The Veteran's Holiday Home by Lee Tobin McClain

License to Love Series:Trilogy Amelia Rose 2013-04-27 A contemporary cowboy romance trilogy box set. Now available as a Trilogy, all three books in the License to Love Series including:- Book 1: Stranded, Stalked and Finally Sated. Clara Roberts has found herself forced to flee across country, pursued by a madman who seems to have access to every aspect of her life. Consequently, she is off the grid and under the radar when her truck breaks down in a small corner of Southwestern, Oklahoma, and she finds herself at the mercy of a local cowboy. While she knows that she will eventually have to keep running to stay one step ahead of her stalker, she begins to find herself drawn to this man. With his support she decides that her life is something worth fighting for. Book 2: Mending Hope. Alyssa Fairfield has led the life of a hermit since the death of her husband three years before. When her childhood friend, Clara Roberts, turns to her for help fleeing her stalker it forces Alyssa to break out of her self-imposed shell. When Clara doesn't show up a cryptic letter forces Alyssa to go on a manhunt in Southwestern Oklahoma to find her friend. Alyssa pushes her way into a garage, only to be confronted by a man who will break down every wall she has constructed to protect herself. But she may just need those barriers when she is confronted by evil. Book 3: Wounded Pride. Melinda Brandt is fiercely protective of her brothers, and has been since her mother's death at an early age. In fact, she has built her life and her career as Sheriff on her ability to always maintain control. Now, it feels as if even that is slipping away from her. A madman has entered her family's lives, causing her brothers to flee and leaving her all alone. Now

an outside agency is moving in to take the case away from her, and she cannot bear to let it go. In a desperate attempt to regain control, Melinda goes outside of the law and leaves town with Charles's step-brother (Cale Winters) to track him down and bring him to her own brand of justice.

Steeple Ridge Cowboys Liz Isaacson 2022-07-04 Curl up with a cowboy in this contemporary cowboy romance collection, with a novella and two full-length novels featuring sexy-yet-sweet cowboys at the core of each story. Fall in love with the Steeple Ridge horse stable in picturesque Vermont! Get THREE complete romances from Liz Isaacson, a USA Today bestselling and award-winning author, each with an uplifting and satisfying cowboy romance that will leave you feeling like love will always win...at least if there's a man in a cowboy hat nearby. For fans of Yellowstone, without any of the explicit content! If you've read the Horseshoe Home Ranch series by Liz Isaacson, the Steeple Ridge Romance series is connected to it! Read today! Cowboy Romance Book 1: Her Billionaire Cowboy: He bought her farm, and she's not happy about it. Can these two enemies turn their sparks into true love? Cowboy Romance Book 2: Her Restless Cowboy: She's a workaholic. He's restless waiting for her. Can these two opposites have a shot at happiness? Cowboy Romance Book 3: Her Faithful Cowboy: He's strong and steady. She's lost a child and broken up with him before. Can they find their second chance at love? This series has second chance romance, holiday romance, opposites attract romance, and all the cowboys you could ever want! Download the whole series as a bundle today and enjoy your time with the Buttars brothers, cowboys at Steeple Ridge Farm in this complete romance series! For fans of Maisey Yeates, L.G. Castillo, Genevieve Turner, Lori Wilde, Kirsten Osbourne, Jean Oram, Erin Wright, Ruth Ann Nordin, Jane Porter, Jennifer Ryan, and Molly Maco. The whole Steeple Ridge Romance series by Liz Isaacson: 1. Her Billionaire Cowboy - enemies to lovers, fish out of water, cowboy, billionaire romance 2. Her Restless Cowboy - opposites attract, cowboy, age gap romance, brothers saga 3. Her Faithful Cowboy - second chance romance, single mom, oldest brother, tortured hero, cowboy, brothers 4. Her Mistletoe Cowboy - holiday, Christmas, friends to lovers, cowboy romance, brothers (plus loads of dogs!) 5. Her Patient Cowboy - enemies to lovers, cowboy, second chance romance, brothers

The Cowboy Takes a Bride Lori Wilde 2012-03-27 Any contemporary romance reader can tell you, cowboys are hot! And no one is hotter than Joe Daniels, the sexy ranch-hand hero of Lori Wilde's *The Cowboy Takes a Bride*. The first book in Wilde's exciting series set in Jubilee, Texas—a small town full of horses, cowboys, and more romance than you can shake a stick at—*The Cowboy Takes a Bride* is the kind of western-set love story that bestselling romance authors Linda Lael Miller and Kat Martin are famous for. Readers who love books by Susan Wiggs, Susan Mallery, and Sherryl Woods will fall passionately in love with cowboy Joe as he and a beautiful failed wedding planner try to make a go at a falling down ranch and find that their hearts are leading them straight to the altar.

Breaking the Cowboy Mina Beckett 2021-03-30 Rescuing love is never easy... Veterinarian Dr. Louisa Coldiron comes from a long line of hardworking, rough riding, straight-shooting cowboys. Her father and brothers are cowboys and nearly every male in the small town of Santa Camino, Texas, is, was, or will be a cowboy. And experience has taught her that when a cowboy gets thrown into the mix, something gets broken. Falling in love with the horses she helps to rescue is easy. Pretending she isn't falling for the sexy cowboy who teaches

them to trust again...? Not so much. After years of roaming, Brody Vance feels he's finally found a home at the Promise Point Horse Rescue Ranch and a woman he could easily love. But he knows a wounded heart when he sees one. Louisa has more in common with her patients than she's willing to admit. Coaxing Louisa's skittish heart into letting him take the reins of passion will take Brody's tender expertise.

All I Want for Christmas Is a Cowboy Jessica Clare 2021-10-05 Christmas arrives early when a fateful encounter leads two strangers to unexpected love in this holiday romance from New York Times bestselling author Jessica Clare. Christmas may be coming, but it's just another day at the ranch as far as Eli Pickett is concerned. Someone has to take care of the herd and that means no holiday vacation for him. But that's just the way he likes it--it's not like he has a woman to spend time with anyways. Most women don't want the ranch life, or the surly, silent cowboy that comes with it. Fine with him. He'd rather have the quiet of a roaring fire and the company of his dogs. Cassandra Horn is trying to make it to her parents' winter cabin in Wyoming before the blizzard hits. She desperately needs a vacation from the chaos of Manhattan...and her boss's boyfriend, who is making her life miserable. But Cass never makes it to the cabin. A raging snowstorm causes her car to crash, where she's found unconscious by Eli. When Cass wakes, she has no memories of who she is. Eli takes one look at Cass's big blue eyes and dark curls, and like a Christmas miracle, falls head over heels in love. But while the attraction is mutual, can she give her heart to this cowboy if she's not sure it's hers to give?

Caught Up in a Cowboy Jennie Marts 2018-05-01 This cowboy plays to win Rockford James was raised as a tried and true cowboy in a town crazy about ice hockey. Rock is as hot on the ice as he is on a horse, and the NHL snapped him up. Now, injuries have temporarily benched him. Body and pride wounded, he returns to his hometown ranch to find that a lot has changed. The one thing that hasn't? His feelings for high school sweetheart and girl-next-door Quinn Rivers. Quinn had no choice but to get over Rock after he left. Teenaged and heartbroken, she had a rebound one night stand that ended in single motherhood. Now that Rock's back—and clamoring for a second chance—Quinn will do anything to avoid getting caught up in this oh-so-tempting cowboy... Cowboys of Creedence series: *Caught Up in a Cowboy* (Book 1) *You Had Me at Cowboy* (Book 2) What People Are Saying About Jennie Marts: "An absolute delight."—Harlequin Junkies TOP PICK for *Romancing the Ranger*, 5 Stars

For the Love of a Cowboy Sandy Sullivan 2014-01-21 Paige Tyler didn't want to be the preacher's daughter anymore. She wanted the freedom to live her own life, do what she wanted and find the man of her dreams. What she didn't expect to find was that man drunk off his ass and needing her assistance to handle three guys wanting to beat him up in a bar fight. Jacob Young's life was a mess. Finding solace in a bottle of booze was the answer to his guilt-ridden conscious until an angel in leather pulls him up by his boot straps, brushes him off and convinces him life is worth living. Do opposites really attract? Can a cowboy with a wounded heart be the answer to her prayers? It's all in *For the Love of a Cowboy*.

Encyclopedia of Frontier Biography: G-O Dan L. Thrapp 1991-08-01 Includes biographical information on 4,500 individuals associated with the frontier

[In Love with the Bronc Rider](#) Judy Duarte 2008-06-01 When Tori took a job at the Rocking C ranch, nobody told her an ornery cowboy came with it. As a former nurse, Tori knew she could help Matt Clayton get back on his feet. The only obstacle was the injured bronc rider himself... An accident may have ended his rodeo career, but Matt wasn't one to back down from a challenge! Now one bossy redhead was about to meet her match! But Tori was hiding something. Would Tori's secret force her to leave Matt and the feelings he was awakening in her? Or could love work its healing magic on them both, making this a homecoming neither would forget?

How to Cowboy Jennie Marts 2021-12-28 For fans of Carolyn Brown, Maisey Yates, and Jennifer Ryan, this steamy, emotional cowboy romance has all your favorites: A hunky single dad showing his daughter the ropes A heroine looking for a fresh start Leaning on each other through hard times Irresistible attraction Rescue horses and ranch animals with lots of personality How do you heal a broken heart? After one injury too many, Cade Callahan gave up the rodeo for a simpler life working at his cousin's horse rescue ranch. But his life turns upside down when his estranged daughter is placed in his custody after a tragic car accident. Wanting nothing to do with her father, thirteen-year-old Allie struggles to adjust to her new life. Newly single and living out of her mother's basement, physical therapist Nora Fisher doesn't think twice about taking a job as a traveling therapist for Cade's daughter. The trouble is, she doesn't know anything about horses, or hunky cowboys. Now both in way over their heads, can Cade and Nora find a way to help Allie, and trust in the attraction building between them? Praise for Jennie Marts: "Full of hope, humor, and undeniable swoon."—A.J. Pine, USA Today bestselling author "Funny, complicated, and irresistible. Sometimes a cowboy isn't perfect but you got to love him anyway."—Jodi Thomas, New York Times bestselling author, for *Caught Up in a Cowboy* "The perfect blend of humor, grit, and sexy cowboy spice. Delicious!"—Kari Lynn Dell, award-winning and bestselling author, for *Wish Upon a Cowboy* "Deliciously steamy but still sweet, with a secret at its heart."—Joanne Kennedy, award-winning and bestselling author, for *Wish Upon a Cowboy*

A Cowboy Kind of Love Donna Grant 2021-04-27 A dashing cowboy gets his second chance at romance in *A Cowboy Kind Of Love*, the next book in the *Heart of Texas* series by New York Times bestselling author Donna Grant. Who wants to rodeo again? Jace Wilder has been rebuilding his life since the love of his life, Taryn, up and left town unexpectedly. But when she mysteriously returns, Jace's dependable world comes crashing down. Taryn is hiding a dangerous secret, and no matter how hard he tries, Jace can't stay away—especially when Taryn is at risk. And especially when the attraction he thought he'd buried long ago is back and hotter than ever. Will he be able to trust Taryn again? Taryn Hillman's world fell apart one horrifying night, and it's never been the same since. When she sees a small chance at untangling herself, she takes it, though it means returning to Clearview—and seeing Jace again. But when he vows to protect her, will Taryn take a chance, and this time, never let him go? "A captivating romance novel with a sexy cowboy making this perfect for anyone who loves a steamy romantic read."—Fresh Fiction on *My Favorite Cowboy*

Cowboys Forever Liz Isaacson Get the first book in eight different series, from eight amazing, USA Today bestselling authors! You'll get mature characters, later in life romance, second chances, military heroes, Christmas stories, and cowboys, cowboys, cowboys in this boxed set - and it's FREE! Spend the evening with a

cowboy... or eight in this clean and Christian cowboy romance boxed set by bestselling authors! Escape to the quieter life on a ranch, with a cowboy hero who knows how to treat a woman right. They work hard, they shoot straight, and they love deep. Grab this boxed set and read **COWBOYS FOREVER!** Last Chance Ranch by USA Today Bestselling Author Liz Isaacson: Scarlett is trying to save her grandfather's farm, but the place is a huge mess. Hudson is a cowboy mechanic who offers to help her fix up the broken down cars on the ranch. Can Hudson fine tune Scarlett's heart as they work together? Or will things backfire and make everything worse at Last Chance Ranch? **Heart of Clay** by USA Today Bestselling Author Shanna Hatfield: It's never too late to give love a second chance. . . even for a hard-working cowboy. When tragedy strikes and a life-altering secret is revealed, this tender, sometimes humorous sweet romance embraces the beauty of letting go of the past and daring to fall in love all over again. **Homecoming** by USA Today Bestselling Author Carlyne Aarsen: Sheryl Kyle isn't the trusting type. Her abusive late husband and her disapproving stepfather gave her little reason to feel otherwise. When his ranching partner suffers an injury at the worst possible time, Mark is surprised and delighted that Sheryl agrees to work by his side. How can she open her heart to this man when so many have let her down before? **Home for Christmas** by USA Today Bestselling Author Melissa McClone: When handsome dude ranch owner Nate Vaughn grants one of Rachel's Christmas wishes—offering her a workspace of her own—she can't refuse. As they grow closer, Rachel and Nate find more than pastries heating up in the kitchen. Is mixing business with affairs of the heart a recipe for disaster? Or will all of Rachel's wishes come true? **Broken Ranch** by USA Today Bestselling Author Bonnie R. Paulson: When Rosie meets a man who's looking for meaning in his own family connections, she has to face her longing to be loved and find a family she can be a part of. As Rosie seeks a redemption she didn't know she craved, she's in danger of losing her heart and her pride. Can she find what she's looking for? Or will she need the help of her long-lost sisters to find what she craves? **Hometown Hero** by USA Today Bestselling Author Kari Trumbo: Cowboy Randal has to think about his future and his own ranch. His goals don't include getting attached to an author, especially one who challenges him to be the best man he can be. And though he begins to hope for more, their instalove can't possibly last. As their week together draws to a close, can Madison and Randal find their common ground and risk a love for the ages? **On His Bended Knee** by Shanae Johnson: She needed a place to stay. He needed to save his ranch. Together they just might make a home. Dylan yearns to reach out for Maggie's healing touch, but he keeps his distance, convinced his wounds are too deep for her embrace. Maggie sees past Dylan's injuries, but if she fails to capture his heart they both could lose it all: her beloved animals, his ranch, and each other. **The Cowboy's One and Only** by April Murdock: The last thing Logan needs right now is romance. That was before he met Frankie—the fiery out-of-towner who practically stole his heart on sight. But she has no intention of sticking around long-term, and he's not a forever kind of guy, anyway. And yet, none of that matters when they're together. Can Logan and Frankie figure out what they want from life—and each other? Or was their happily ever after doomed from the very start? Read these 8 sweet and swoony cowboy romances from eight of the best authors in the genre! Each one starts a series, giving you hours of amazing cowboy romance to escape into!

[Love Letters from Cowboy Lacy Williams](#) 2017-07-25 When the love of his life is injured in combat overseas, Ryan Michaels promises himself that he won't let another day go by without declaring his feelings. Except... Ashley's always seen him as a goofy high school kid. Even ten years after graduation, she seems content to

keep him in the Friend Zone. How can he prove he's not the same punk he used to be if she won't give him a chance? She doesn't belong anymore... Ashley Reynolds ran away from home to the military after discovering she was adopted. Now she's home, a wounded veteran, with her Military Working Dog at her side and she no longer fits into the small-town life. Her dad's Alzheimer's is getting worse and she needs to be able to take over the family business--but that means interacting with Ryan on a daily basis. As Ashley tries to build a new life for herself, she discovers there's much more to Ryan than the college dropout she thought he was... Will she open her heart and let Ryan in?

Finding Her Montana Cowboy Lara Van Hulzen 2018-03-26 Former rodeo star Wyatt Emmerson leads a quiet life. He's busy working with his dad and raising his daughter on his own. Romance is the last thing on his mind, but when McKenna St. Claire crosses his path, life takes a turn that Wyatt never saw coming. McKenna doesn't sit still well; traveling the world has always been her favorite pastime. She's vowed to stay in Marietta for her family, but is ready to pack her bags as soon as her twin nephews are born. But a wounded cowboy and his young daughter steal her heart, making her question what she really wants in life. Will she take a risk on love and call Marietta her home?

Kissed by a Cowboy Debra Clopton 2016-02-09 Cassidy was looking for a home and a place to belong . . . not for a cowboy to steal her heart. Having lived through her parents' endless string of "matrimonial bliss gone wrong," Cassidy Starr knows when the odds are not in her favor. Divorced and humiliated, her faith on rocky ground, Cassidy is through with love. She's been bucked off that horse far too many times. Instead, she returns to Wishing Springs, Texas, and the rundown farm she's inherited from her great aunt Roxie. She'll reopen the strawberry farm and a bed & breakfast and follow in her aunt's footsteps, remaining forever-independent, happy . . . and single. Rancher Jarrod Monahan's hands are full running the ranch, looking after his ailing grandfather, and chasing down a group of rustlers on the loose. He's pushed his longing for a family to the bottom of his list of priorities. Besides, he was in love once but ran scared and lost his shot at happiness. But suddenly, the biggest regret of his life has moved in next door with a wounded heart, determined to become a spinster . . . and that's a challenge that Jarrod can't pass up. Jarrod sets his mind to breaking down the walls around Cassidy's stubborn heart. How can he show her that a cowboy's kiss lasts forever? For the good folks of Wishing Springs, falling in love has never been so much fun to witness.

The Last Cowboy Lindsay McKenna 2011-12-01 City girl. It was written all over her like a sign warning him to keep off. Sure, Slade McPherson would train her horse...With his ranch one bad day away from foreclosure, he can't afford to turn away a paying customer. But no way is this cowboy getting involved with a woman like Jordana Lawton—no matter how pretty she looks in a saddle. Yet everything can change in an instant. A terrifying run-in with an angry bull tilts Slade's world off its axis, leaving him wounded and unable to compete in a race that could change his future, for good. With Jordana by his side, he just might stand a chance. But what happens when this old-school cowboy finds himself falling for a modern city girl?

Holding Their Unexpected Love Captive Ava Winters 2020-03-02 A kidnapped young woman. A wounded cowboy. Two long-feuding families. Do they dare to give love a chance? Aurora would rather spend her time

in a library than her parents' poker house. Being a shy and introvert person, sometimes she wishes she would be just like her mother. Holt would rather let people think that he is hotheaded and a ladies' man instead of knowing the truth. Being hurt and heartbroken is not something that he would like to be repeated in the future. Being the heirs of the two major poker houses in Texas, Aurora and Holt grew up hating each other. Or so they say... But as they both get kidnapped by a common enemy, it feels like serendipity happened so that they get to know each other. As much as they refuse to accept what is meant to be, their love grows strong. Now, Holt will do anything to protect the love of his life. Aurora will do everything in her power to keep him safe. Is their parents attempt to reconcile the answer to their troubles or is their love destined to lose? "Holding Their Unexpected Love Captive" is a stand-alone Western Historical Romance Novel with no cheating and no cliffhangers. Buy it now to discover Aurora's romantic story, to conquer her fears with love in the Old West today! Thank you!

Claiming the Cowboy's Heart (Mills & Boon Love Inspired Historical) (Cowboys of Eden Valley, Book 4) Linda Ford 2014-01-01 A HAVEN OUT WEST After witnessing her fiancé's murder, Jayne Gardiner won't let herself be caught on the wrong side of a gun again. But a disastrous first lesson in self-defense has left her with a wounded cowboy. She insists on nursing the handsome stranger back to health—whether he wants it or not!

A Cowboy's Pride Pamela Britton 2013-06-01 Broken Cowboy... Trent Anderson's rodeo days are over. Thanks to the car accident that killed his best friend, he will never get on a horse again. But physical therapist Alana McClintock isn't listening to his protestations. She just won't let up—getting under his skin, waking parts of him he thought would sleep forever. He can sense she feels something for him, too. Alana knows Trent's injuries aren't as extensive as he thinks, and with some hard work she's convinced he will ride again. But the problem is convincing Trent. As Alana works with the wounded cowboy, she is drawn to him in a way that is anything but professional. She's determined to help him, though—even if it means he'll walk away from her.

Black Cowboys in the American West Bruce A. Glasrud 2016-09-28 Who were the black cowboys? They were drovers, foremen, fiddlers, cowpunchers, cattle rustlers, cooks, and singers. They worked as wranglers, riders, ropers, bulldoggers, and bronc busters. They came from varied backgrounds—some grew up in slavery, while free blacks often got their start in Texas and Mexico. Most who joined the long trail drives were men, but black women also rode and worked on western ranches and farms. The first overview of the subject in more than fifty years, *Black Cowboys in the American West* surveys the life and work of these cattle drivers from the years before the Civil War through the turn of the twentieth century. Including both classic, previously published articles and exciting new research, this collection also features select accounts of twentieth-century rodeos, music, people, and films. Arranged in three sections—"Cowboys on the Range," "Performing Cowboys," and "Outriders of the Black Cowboys"—the thirteen chapters illuminate the great diversity of the black cowboy experience. Like all ranch hands and riders, African American cowboys lived hard, dangerous lives. But black drovers were expected to do the roughest, most dangerous work—and to do it without complaint. They faced discrimination out west, albeit less than in the South, which many had left in search of autonomy and freedom. As cowboys, they could escape the brutal violence visited on African Americans in many southern communities and northern cities. Black cowhands remain an integral part of life in the West, the

descendants of African Americans who ventured west and helped settle and establish black communities. This long-overdue examination of nineteenth- and twentieth-century black cowboys ensures that they, and their many stories and experiences, will continue to be known and told.

Dynamite and Six-Shooter Jeff Burton 2007 Thomas E. Ketchum, better known as "Black Jack" Ketchum, and his small gang were on the run in Texas, New Mexico, and Arizona for less than four years, and their career of banditry lasted for little more than two years. At his hanging in 1901 he declared, "Hurry up boys, I'm due in Hell for dinner."

Stalked, Stranded and Finally Sated (Contemporary Romance) Amelia Rose 2013-02-08 Amazon Best Seller Customer Reviews: " I wish this book would have been longer it was so good. I didn't want it to end"by Lisa " This was a very good short story, loved how everything flowed and I could not put it down."by Mary Clara Roberts has found herself forced to flee across country, pursued by a madman who seems to have access to every aspect of her life. Consequently, she is off the grid and under the radar when her truck breaks down in a small corner of Southwestern, Oklahoma, and she finds herself at the mercy of a local cowboy. While she knows that she will eventually have to keep running to stay one step ahead of her stalker, she begins to find herself drawn to this man. With his support she decides that her life is something worth fighting for. Shad Brandt wasn't sure what to expect when he pulled over to help out the girl on the side of the road, but it isn't long before he realizes that she was a lot more than he bargained for. He knows that she is running from something, but he can't quite place his finger on what it is. However, he cannot turn his back on this woman in need and when he opens his home and his heart to her he finds something else entirely. So when danger comes to lay claim to Clara, he finds that he is willing to sacrifice everything to make sure she stays safe.

The Feminist and the Cowboy Alisa Valdes 2013-01-03 The bestselling author of *The Dirty Girls Social Club* returns with an engrossing memoir about how falling in love with a sexy cowboy turned her feminist beliefs upside down. Feminism was a religion in Alisa Valdes's childhood home. Betty Friedan and Gloria Steinem took the place of Barbies and left Valdes impressed with a feminist ideology that guided a prolific writing career—at twenty-two Valdes was named one of the top feminist writers under thirty by the editor of *Ms Magazine*. Yet despite her professional success, Valdes hit forty-two a single mom and a serial dater of inadequate men in tweed jackets—until she met the Cowboy. A conservative rancher, the Cowboy held the traditional views on gender roles that Valdes was raised to reject. Yet as she falls head-over-spurs for him and their relationship finds harmony, she finds the strength, peace, and happiness that comes from embracing her femininity. From their first date the Cowboy makes her pulse race, and she discovers that “when men... act like men rather than like emasculated boys, you as a woman will find not only great pleasure in submitting to them but also great growth as a person.” Told with plenty of humor and candor, *The Feminist and the Cowboy* will delight the many readers who made *The Pioneer Woman* a bestseller—not to mention every woman who dreams of being swept away by a rugged cowboy.

The Outsider Penelope Williamson 2014-06-24 Penelope Williamson's classic bestseller blends the best of historical western and Amish romance in a sweeping tale “sure to please any fan of good old-fashioned

storytelling” (Library Journal). A daughter of the faith...a stranger with a gun...a forbidden love. Throughout the years on her Montana homestead, Rachel Yoder had never been afraid—the creed of the Plain People had been her strength. Then the day came when lawless men killed Rachel’s husband in an act of blind greed. Now, at her darkest hour, an outsider walks across her meadow and into her life... Johnny Cain is bloody, near death, and armed to the teeth. A man hardened by his violent past, Cain has never known a woman like Rachel—someone who offers him a chance to heal more than his physical wounds. Cain’s lazy smile and teasing ways steal Rachel’s heart and confound her soul. Soon she must choose between all she holds dear—her faith, her family, perhaps her very salvation—and the man they call the Outsider.

The Wounded Heart of a Cowboy Mj Andrews 2020-09-11 This is the third book from the McGuire Family Series but can be read as a stand-alone book. Finn McGuire has settled into his new life in Silverton well. With the help of his family, he’s been able to overcome the demons he brought home from his time as an Army Ranger. He doesn’t regret serving his country but he wishes he there for his family in times of need. His older brothers, Remi and Sawyer found lasting love with great women who fill their hearts completely. Finn’s heart, however; continues to have scars that few understand. He needs someone who can appreciate his wounds and heal with him. Turns out, finding that woman in the pot of ladies in Silverton has been a challenge. Dani’s pissed after being discharged from her spot as a Navy SEAL after an injury. Her band of brothers are the only family she has grown to love. Now, it feels as though that has been yanked away from her. She’s struggling to find her place in the world and is hesitant to look for love. She’d never been loved before and those she had come to love in the past only ended up hurt because of her. Dani’s world changed when she rode her Harley through Silverton and meeting Finn McGuire was a plus. But we all carry baggage from our past. It just happens to be that Dani carries enough luggage for a trip to the moon. Her physical scars have healed but she hasn’t been able to push past the pain of her trauma. Both have a past they’d rather keep secret but when Dani’s life is threatened by a dark figure from her history, will Finn and the McGuires be able to help her? Can they show her the true meaning of family and convince her she is worthy of love and happiness? Or will it all be cut short before the future can even be planned? Others in this series: *Healing the Heart of a Cowboy*, *The Heart the Cowboy Broke*, *The Wounded Heart of a Cowboy*

A Tall, Dark Cowboy Christmas Maisey Yates 2018-10-01 It’s Christmas in Gold Valley, and this wounded widower is about to get another shot at love... Grant Dodge didn’t expect to find a woman sleeping in an abandoned cabin on his family ranch. Or to find her so intriguing. Unlike every other woman in town, McKenna Tate doesn’t know Grant’s a widower. There’s no pity in the looks she gives him. McKenna wants him, and Grant has forgotten what it’s like to feel like a man. A no-strings fling for Christmas might be the kind of holiday cheer Grant needs... With only a suitcase to her name, McKenna came to Gold Valley to confront her birth father. She didn’t plan to work at the Dodge ranch or fall for the gorgeous cowboy who keeps his heart roped off. But there’s no denying the way their broken pieces fit together. Hope brought her to Gold Valley—but will it be the gift that could finally heal Grant, and McKenna’s own wounded heart? Also includes a bonus Gold Valley novella, *Snowed in with the Cowboy!*

Trusting in Love Amelia Rose 2014-09-26 A Contemporary Cowboy Romance Novel. This is book 7 in the

Carson Hill Ranch series. Claire Calhoun wants nothing more than to continue her happy relationship with Deputy Peshenka but as he begins to press her for information about who she really is, she knows it can never work out. When he finally proposes, her heart says yes but her past speaks louder. Before she has the chance to make things right with Pesh, he's wounded in the line of duty. Can some help from Carson Hill's own posse bring him back to her safely in time for her to make it up to him?

Every Inch a Cowboy Madeline Baker 2005 A New York Times Bestselling Author She'd never trust a man again . . . and all Dana Westlake wanted was to be left alone to mend her broken heart. Then one stormy night, a wounded cowboy appeared on her doorstep. And though Dana tried to protect her emotions while she nursed Chay Lone Elk's wounds, she couldn't stop her pulse from racing at his touch, or her heart from melting.

The Wounded Cowboy Billionaire: A Clean and Wholesome Cowboy Billionaire Romance Edith MacKenzie 2021-02-21 He had all the money in the world—and it wasn't enough to keep his life from falling apart... Rodeo star Colt threw everything he had at his sister's illness, and nothing helped. Now that she's gone, he's not sure how to deal with his own feelings, let alone care for the baby she left behind. He needs help—desperately. Which might explain the completely inappropriate feelings he's starting to have for his sister's best friend... Evelyn has traveled the world, studied art in London, and trained in Venice—but at heart, she's still a Texas girl, silently pining for her billionaire cowboy. Colt is different now, though. Wounded and broken. She knows she can help him care for the baby. But convincing him to open his heart and trust in love again...well, that'll be considerably more difficult. Money can fix a lot of problems—but a happily ever after can't be bought. So, if Colt and Evelyn want theirs, they'll have to fight for it...

Cowboy Christmas Mary Connealy 2013-05-01 Get ready for a fun and suspenseful Christmastime romance. Trouble follows singer Annette Talbot to Wyoming—and rancher Elijah Walker finds himself directly in its path. Though still wounded by the betrayal of his ex-fiancée, Elijah finds himself attracted to the secretive singer. When it appears Annie is a threat to his mother's life, Elijah must decide if Annie's deep faith and love of God is genuine or if it's all just a ruse. He decides to trust her—until he discovers she's a wanted woman. As Christmas draws near, will Elijah respond to God's gentle persuasion to find the truth before he loses Annie forever?

American Endurance Richard A. Serrano 2016-10-04 Pulitzer Prize-winning journalist and author Richard A. Serrano's new book *American Endurance: Buffalo Bill, the Great Cowboy Race of 1893, and the Vanishing Wild West* is history, mystery, and Western all rolled into one. In June 1893, nine cowboys raced across a thousand miles of American prairie to the Chicago World's Fair. For two weeks they thundered past angry sheriffs, governors, and Humane Society inspectors intent on halting their race. Waiting for them at the finish line was Buffalo Bill Cody, who had set up his Wild West Show right next to the World's Fair that had refused to allow his exhibition at the fair. The Great Cowboy Race occurred at a pivotal moment in our nation's history: many believed the frontier was settled and the West was no more. The Chicago World's Fair represented the triumph of modernity and the end of the cowboy age. Except no one told the cowboys. Racing

toward Buffalo Bill Cody and the gold-plated Colt revolver he promised to the first to reach his arena, nine men went on a Wild West stampede from tiny Chadron, Nebraska, to bustling Chicago. But at the first thud of hooves pounding on Chicago's brick pavement, the race devolved into chaos. Some of the cowboys shipped their horses part of the way by rail, or hired private buggies. One had the unfair advantage of having helped plan the route map in the first place. It took three days, numerous allegations, and a good old Western showdown to sort out who was first to Chicago, and who won the Great Cowboy Race.

Arrested by Love Erin Wright 2017-07-26 He's a fighter, not a lover... Two years ago, Wyatt Miller lost his family to a drunk driver. His heart broken, he slowly put the pieces of his shattered life back together. Running his thousand-acre ranch from dawn till dusk helps him forget about his broken heart. When he stops a drunk from getting behind the wheel one night, he ends up in a bloody fight...and then behind bars. She keeps men in line, but has a soft heart... Abby Connelly takes her work at the Long Valley Jail seriously. She has no dreams of marriage, children, or white-picket fences. All she wants is to do her job and please the only family she has left, her father. But the moment rugged and wounded Wyatt Miller walks into her jail, Abby realizes her heart might just have a change of plans... But small towns have a way of holding onto big grudges. Wyatt and Abby have an uphill fight to overcome the bad blood between the Miller and Connelly families. Because redemption never comes easy... *Arrested by Love* is the third novel in the Long Valley world, although all books in the Long Valley world can be read as standalones. It has some strong language, and oh my, sexy times. Enjoy!

Under the Cowboy's Control Lynda Chance Selena Taylor is an American citizen determined to find her grandparents after she loses her family to the violence of the drug cartel in Mexico. Crossing the border into Texas turns out to be the easy part. Virtually penniless and enticingly innocent, she soon finds herself at the mercy of Travis Blake. Travis is a hard-working, self-made rancher that has never known love or softness of any kind. His only use for women is sexual, and Selena is caught on his ranch with no way out. While Selena plots her escape from his control, Travis ruthlessly and methodically tightens his possession and makes it impossible for her to leave. The struggle that follows is a clash of wills that pits purity against passion, virtue against vice and love against lust.

Love Inspired Historical July 2017 Box Set Linda Ford 2017-07-01 Love Inspired Historical brings you four new titles! Enjoy these historical romances of adventure and faith. **MONTANA COWBOY'S BABY** Big Sky Country by Linda Ford Cowboy Conner Marshall doesn't know the first thing about fatherhood, but he's determined to do right by the abandoned baby left on his doorstep. As the doctor's daughter, Kate Baker, helps him care for the sick baby, they forge a bond that has him wondering if Kate and baby Ellie belong on his ranch forever! **THE ENGAGEMENT CHARADE** Smoky Mountain Matches by Karen Kirst In order to protect his pregnant widowed employee, Ellie Jameson, from her controlling in-laws, Alexander Copeland pretends to be her fiancé. But can this temporary engagement help them heal old wounds...and fall in love? **THE RENEGADE'S REDEMPTION** by Stacy Henrie With nowhere else to go, injured Tex Beckett turns to his ex, Ravena Reid, who allows him to stay on her ranch under one condition: he must help her with the orphans she's taking care of. But what will she do if she finds out he's an outlaw? **LONE STAR BRIDE** by

Jolene Navarro When Sofia De Zavala's father discovers she dressed as a boy to go on a cattle drive and prove she can run the ranch, he forces her to marry trail boss Jackson McCreed to save her reputation. Now she must convince Jackson their union can become a loving partnership.

The Cowboy's Secret Baby Leigh Riker 2020-07-01 He's a temporary neighbor... But will her surprise make him stay? Single mom of three Elizabeth Barnes has reason to avoid her rodeo star neighbor. She needs to protect her family after her ex's public scandal, and charismatic Dallas Maguire is only passing through. Turning to him for comfort was a onetime lapse—with unexpected consequences! Though Elizabeth can't keep hiding the truth—or her feelings—can a bachelor cowboy transform into a family man?