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"You are a lucky girl, Kate," Mom said, stroking Kate's hair off her forehead. "I can't believe it. This is the second time you have cheated death. You must be more than lucky. You must be very special. You must have something very important to do in this life." Mom's words poured over Kate like a warm blanket. She was special. She did have something important to do. The words rang true and soothed her like the warming rays of the sun after a cold rain. Join Kate Walker, an impetuous ten-year-old tomboy; her friend, Jake; and her incredible dog, Sniffers, through an adventurous summer of love and laughter, friendship and family, honesty, sorrow, change, and even death. Learn as Kate did from her beloved grandfather—there are great wonders in this world; you just need to know where to look.

This carefully crafted ebook: "RUDYARD KIPLING PREMIUM COLLECTION: His Greatest Works in One Volume (Illustrated)" is formatted for your eReader with a functional and detailed table of contents. "The Jungle Book" is a collection of stories and fables, using animals in an anthropomorphic manner to give moral lessons. The verses of The Law of the Jungle, for example, lay down rules for the safety of individuals, families and communities. The best-known of them are the three stories revolving around the adventures of an abandoned "man cub" Mowgli who is raised by wolves in the Indian jungle. The most famous of the other four stories are probably Rikki-Tikki-Tavi and Toomai of the Elephants.

"The Second Jungle Book" is a sequel which features five stories about Mowgli and three unrelated stories, all but one set in India, most of which Kipling wrote while living in Vermont. "The Man Who Would Be King" is a novella about two British adventurers in British India who become kings of Kafiristan, a remote part of Afghanistan. The story was inspired by the exploits of James Brooke, an Englishman who became the first White Rajah of Sarawak in Borneo. "Kim" is an adventure novel about the orphaned son of an Irish soldier and a poor Irish mother who have both died in poverty. Living a vagabond existence in India under British rule in the late 19th century, Kim earns his living by begging and running small errands on the streets of Lahore. "The Just So Stories" are a highly fantasized origin stories, especially for differences among animals, they are among Kipling's best known works. "The Light That Failed" "Captain Courageous" "Plain Tales from the Hills" Rudyard Kipling (1865-1936) was an English short-story writer, poet, and novelist. He wrote tales and poems of British soldiers in India and stories for children. He is regarded as a major innovator in the art of the short story; his children's books are classics of children's literature.

Dr. Kathryn Campbell has everything the world has to offer, but obstacles arise when she chooses to live for God and glorify Him in all things,

"Kate Brady is now 80-years-old and living in Cleveland, Ohio, when her quiet life is interrupted by the arrival of television anchor Andrea Pryor and her entourage. Beautiful, blonds, and famous, Andrea Pryor is determined to make a documentary about Kate's past life with notorious gangster

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Ben Gold. Afraid of exposing a secret she's kept for years, Kate is just as determined not to cooperate. But Andrea has a secret, too--one that Kate discovers after a blackmailer forces Andrea into a life-changing spiral of events that lands her in the world of 18-year-old Marianne Woodsman, who has her own secret hidden in her family's Park Avenue penthouse. As Marianne runs for her life from her dangerously dysfunctional family, her story intertwines with Kate's and Andrea's in a three-generational embrace"--Page 4 of cover.

'THE book of the year!... I don't think I have ever cried as much... heart-breaking and unputdownable... To say this story is a five-star read is an understatement. There are not enough stars in the world to show how much this book has touched me.' Sinfully Wicked Book Reviews, ?????? My darling girl, you lie so still, lashes fanning your cheeks, golden hair spread across your pillow. You're so beautiful my heart aches. Your breath is so soft I can barely hear it, but at least I can see the steady rise and fall of your chest, every breath a promise. You're still here. I've still got you. For now. Milly has always dreamed of being a mother. Adopted, she longs for a powerful connection with a child of her own. So, when she and her husband Matt are told they can't have children, she's heartbroken. Milly can barely believe it when her best friend and Matt's brother offer to be donors. With everyone accepting and open, Milly believes nothing could go wrong. But none of the four are prepared for their feelings when Milly gives birth to beautiful baby Alice. Then, when Alice is still a little girl, she receives a devastating diagnosis. Milly's whole world falls apart, and each of them is forced to face what it means to be a parent, and make impossible choices... for themselves, and for Alice. An unputdownable, heart-breaking, but ultimately uplifting story about the power of love and the true meaning of family. Fans of Jodi Picoult, Diane Chamberlain, and Gracie's Secret will never forget Not My

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Daughter. Readers are loving Not My Daughter: 'This book had me crying so badly. It broke my heart, never has any book been able to just wipe me out with such gut-wrenching sadness. A book of love, loss, and loyalty... BEAUTIFULLY DONE.' Netgalley reviewer, 5 stars 'An amazing and gut wrenching emotional story... So powerful... An emotional unforgettable book. I literally absorbed this book in one night. One beautiful written story of compelling motherly love.' Gwendalyn Books, 5 stars 'This is one of the best books I've ever read... no exaggeration. I was captivated... Wish there were more stars to give it... Amazing.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars 'The complexities of the situation are written in a truly beautiful, insightful way... Not My Daughter really stands out in terms of... how such an emotive, raw situation can also be turned into something kind of beautiful... It was real, and brutal, and heartbreaking, but it was honest, which made it all the most devastating to read.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars 'A tragic, aching, emotional journey of love, discovery, heartache, forgiveness and hope. I couldn't put it down and I didn't want their story to end. I LOVED IT!' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars 'This book made me cry, my heart is all wrenched out, my emotions are so raw that even breathing feels like a friction burn.' Book Reviews by Shalini, 5 stars 'An emotional rollercoaster from beginning to end. When I wasn't reading, I was constantly thinking about Anna, Milly, and Alice... I didn't want the story to end.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars 'A beautiful novel... It's incredibly moving, heart-breaking... I was so absorbed in the story I found it impossible to put down and when I wasn't reading I was thinking about it. It made me think, it made me cry, and it made me thankful for my own healthy children. The story will stay in my thoughts for a long time.' Netgalley reviewer, 5 stars 'OMG... This book has me feeling every kind of emotion... Have a box of tissues ready for this one... Truly

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beautiful.' Goodreads reviewer, 5 stars 'It was so compelling... An emotive rollercoaster of a read. I'm sure I felt my heart literally break.' By the Letter Book Reviews, 5 stars Have you ever employed the world's oldest dumping line, "Can't we still be friends?" just to take the sting off a breakup? Or worse, have you ever had it used on you? Be honest. It didn't make you feel any better, did it? If you answered no, then you'll agree that, sometimes, the word friend can be a heartbreaker. That is the subject of *Friend is a Four-Letter Word*. It is a contemporary romantic comedy centered on Kate, a woman on the brink of madness in her attempt to navigate her way through relationships in the twenty-first century. Picture a woman watching *Fatal Attraction* with a room full of happily married couples. Kate not only breaks into tears, but shamelessly asks the hostess for a tissue after witnessing the scene in which Glenn Close dies. (She was so misunderstood.) *Friend is a Four-Letter Word* takes an amusing look at the ever-blurring line between love, friendship and total insanity.

2000: Bright, ambitious fifteen-year-old Vanessa Wye becomes entangled in an affair with Jacob Strane, her guileful forty-two-year-old English teacher. 2017: Strane has been accused of sexual abuse by a former student, who reaches out to Vanessa. Now Vanessa finds herself facing an impossible choice: remain silent, firm in the belief

that her teenage self willingly engaged in this relationship, or redefine herself and the events of her past. But how can Vanessa reject her first love, the man who fundamentally transformed her and has been a persistent presence in her life? -- adapted from jacket

Gai Waterhouse is an Australian horse-racing trailblazer, widely regarded as the most successful female trainers in the world. Gai's diary of the recent racing season encapsulates a year in the life of the most colourful woman in racing. The book features Gai's opinions on major news events of the moment and includes insights into her family life. It delves into Gai's influences and memories, her approach to racing and her motivation to succeed.

Kate Hayes became a widow after being married for twenty five years. Now she's having to start over moved back to her home town. There were three men in her life now, but only one wins her heart again after forty years apart. But can this man protect his love from his past. That could take her away from him.

Thirty-something Portia Summerhill is jobless and still living at home. Her expert knowledge of antiques and her ancestry could get her the perfect job as curator at the Museum of British Peerage, but the museum won't hire her unless she brings the family jewels with her--the infamous Summerhill tiara. She could get the tiara in trade for helping cowboy hotelier, Jackson Waite open his new posh resort on deadline. The more time she spends with Jackson, the more Portia wonders if she wants the tiara or the man keeping it from her.

The small and remote island of Barbados seems an unlikely location for the epochal change in labor that overwhelmed it and much of British America in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. However, by 1650 it had become the greatest wealth-producing area in the English-speaking world, the center of an exchange of people and goods between the British Isles, the Gold Coast of West Africa, and the New World. By the early seventeenth century, more than half a million enslaved men, women, and children had been transported to the island. In *A New World of Labor*, Simon P. Newman argues that this exchange stimulated an entirely new system of bound labor. Free and bound labor were defined and experienced by Britons and Africans across the British Atlantic world in quite different ways. Connecting social developments in seventeenth-century Britain with the British experience of slavery on the West African coast, Newman demonstrates that the brutal white servant regime, rather than the West African institution of slavery, provided the most significant foundation for the violent system of racialized black slavery that developed in Barbados. Class as much as race informed the creation of plantation slavery in Barbados and throughout British America. Enslaved Africans in Barbados were deployed in radically new ways in order to cultivate, process, and manufacture sugar on single, integrated plantations. This Barbadian system informed the development of racial slavery on Jamaica and other Caribbean islands, as well as in South Carolina and then the Deep South of mainland British North America. Drawing on British and West African precedents, and then radically reshaping them, Barbados planters invented a new world of labor. Feisty intelligent widow Kate Munro has a good life in Pittsburgh - until the corrupt Samuel "Bullyboy" Murphy causes her to unfairly lose her position as a

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postmistress. Kate is to be cast out into the street! With no other options, she must accept an offer of marriage from a mature man who lives near the town of Come-By-Chance, Montana. Can she sacrifice her independence for a man? Or is it possible Kate can find freedom within a good match? It's time to catch up with the Come-By-Chance townsfolk: the strapping Wilkinson brothers Ben, Matt and Toby; recently wed Ruby, Emily and Violet; the Beans, the Hearts, the Milligans, and of course, the animal-loving perennial bachelor Wally Davis. You'll also be introduced to the Milligan's son Gilbert, and Kate's beau Horace, a man of great charm, who has quite a reputation. So hold onto your hat and settle in for another Come-By-Chance story of True Love and True Adventure! While this book is part of a series, it can definitely be read as a standalone book. The Come-By-Chance series consists of: Come-By-Chance Brides of 1884 Book 1 – Ruby Book 2 – Emily Book 3 – Violet Book 4 – Kate Book 5 – Rose Book 6 – Emmy-Lou Come-By-Chance Brides of 1885 Book 1. Opal – The Outlaw and the Sheriff Who Loved Her Book 2. Coral – The Widow and the Man Who Loved Horses Book 3. Ava & Ina – The Twins and the Fist-Fightin' Cowboys Coming Soon: Book 4. Lillie – The Orphan and the Grief-Stricken Groomsman Book 5. Pearl – The Divorcee and the Wedding-Shy Dabster Book 6. Jane – The Modern Miss and the Preacher Who Had to Decide

An inspirational book about life and its lessons from the Golden Globe and Emmy nominated star of NBC's This Is Us. When This Is Us debuted in fall 2016, a divided America embraced a show that celebrates human

connection. The critically acclaimed series became America's most watched—and most talked about—network show, even building on its fan base in the drama's second season. As Kate Pearson, Chrissy Metz presents a character that has never been seen on television, yet viewers see themselves in her, no matter what they look like or where they come from. Considered a role model just for being her authentic self, Chrissy found herself on magazine covers and talk shows, walking red carpets, and as the subject of endless conversations on social media “I don't know what you've been through to play her,” she is often told by fans, “but it was something.” In *This is Me*, Chrissy Metz shares her story with a raw honesty that will leave readers both surprised but also inspired. Infused with the same authenticity she brings to her starring role, Chrissy's *This is Me* is so much more than your standard Hollywood memoir or collection of personal essays. She embraces the spirit of Shonda Rhimes' *Year of Yes*, and shares how she has applied the lessons she learned from both setbacks and successes. A born entertainer, Chrissy finds light in even her darkest moments, and leaves the reader feeling they are spending time with a friend who gets it. Chrissy Metz grew up in a large family, one that always seemed to be moving, and growing. Her father disappeared one day, leaving her mother to work a series of menial jobs and his children to learn to live with the threat of hunger and the electricity being cut off. When her mother remarried, Chrissy hoped for “normal” but instead experienced a form of mental pain that seemed crafted just for her. The

boys who showed her attention did so with strings attached as well, and Chrissy accepted it, because for her, love always came with conditions. When she set out for Los Angeles, it was the first time she had been away from her family and from Florida. And for years, she got barely an audition. So how does a woman with the deck stacked against her radiate such love, beauty and joy? This too is at the heart of *This is Me*. With chapters that alternate from autobiographical to instructional, Chrissy offers practical applications of her hard-won insights in a series of "Bee Mindful" interstitials. There she invites you to embrace gratitude in "Say Thank You" or to be honest with your partner and yourself in "The Shrouded Supreme." Blending love and experience, Chrissy encourages us all to claim our rightful place in a world that may be trying to knock us down, find our own unique gifts, and pursue our dreams.

When tragedy touched Julia Ogilvy's life, she found herself reassessing the way she lived. Married into a life of privilege - her wedding was attended by the Queen and Princess of Wales - and recently acclaimed Business Woman of the Year, she took the decision to leave her career to found a charity. Her story provides a powerful example of how a successful and glamorous life does not always bring peace - and how her new role gives her the fulfilment she sought. Julia's turning point was the death of baby Cameron, and after telling her story she charts the journeys of others whose lives have been similarly changed, from Prime Minister Gordon Brown and Bob Geldof to a young carer in an impoverished inner city environment. This book will

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provide inspiration to anyone disillusioned by the empty materialism of society.

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