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Things a bad neighbor can do to you:

1. Have loud parties late at night
2. Refuse to mow his lawn
3. Steal your newspapers
4. Rip your heart out and walk all over it

Katya Tocci is willing to admit that she may have bitten off more than she could chew.

Liam Edenhoff showed her a side of life she'd been missing out on - sex and friendship and tacos. But then he betrayed her.

Wulfric Stone taught her that big surprises can come from unexpected places - like from a surly, aggressive, withdrawn bastard. But then he broke her heart.

Now one of them wants forgiveness, and the other wants forever. And Katya? She just wants to forget.

Who knew neighbors could be so difficult?

This story contains scenes of a graphic sexual nature, multiple uses of coarse language, and quite possibly enough confusion to drive a normal person insane. Reader discretion is advised.

The Neighborhood Details

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From Reader Review The Neighborhood for online ebook

MischaS_ says

I so wish I DNFed it instead of finishing.

I love Stylo Fantome, but this seemed like it was written by someone else!

Not exactly *spoilers* but it may hint some of the major stuff.

Okay, so we pick up where we basically left. Katya is hurt and trying to prove her point. Which would actually work way better if she really tried.

What irritated me the most (and almost made me DNF) was Liam's complete ignorance of boundaries. She says NO. He still hugs her! This is my trigger point.

And from that point, he came across as a complete creep!

What he and Wulf did was pretty bad. And now that Katya is angry he thinks it's unfair to his feelings! That she is somehow disregarding his feelings?

I sooo loved when he spent the whole book promising never to lie her again. And at the end? He just comes clear that he was still lying. Again. But somehow he is the better guy???

There was so much energy put into portraying Wulf as the bad guy. But honestly? Yeah, he has a problem expressing his feelings and maybe even act appropriately based on his feelings. (A bit of Sheldon here!)

Katya feels bad after Liam cries that she is mean to him. And then she goes and is extra mean to Wulf. And then she is angry that he follows some (not all) of the rules she laid out. I thought that he genuinely tried to be a better guy for her. He just didn't know how exactly and she just jumped and tried her hardest to read the worst of his actions.

But Liam? Was he her golden boy?

The book was also unnecessarily long. Mainly because suddenly we got so many side characters that needed an introduction. What next? (view spoiler)

PLEASE NO!!! Just write Kingsley's book. Or More of Jameson and Tate! And something so incredible as the Bad ones. Not more of... THIS!

Natasha is a Book Junkie says

“I never stopped.”

“Stopped what?”

“Looking at you like you were Christmas. Even when you were angry. Even when you

thought you hated me. Even when you were with him. You've always been a gift to me."

After delivering that unexpected plot twist at the end of *Neighbors*, and then leaving us champing at the bit for the sequel, I have to say that Stylo Fantôme's name was missing from my Christmas list for a little while there. But I always knew I could count on this remarkable author to make any wait forgettable and ultimately, more than worthwhile. The perfect continuation to a story that was intoxicating and thought-provoking from the very beginning, in this book, the author takes us on a titillating journey of self-empowerment and self-discovery, a journey that stems out of heartbreak and anger, but then serves to redefine the heroine's perception of herself and the woman she wishes to be. Every aspect of this story was unexpected to me, yet exactly as I hoped it would be, and cover to cover, true to Stylo Fantôme's brand of mind-bending storytelling.

[4.5 STARS]

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TeriLyn says

***The Neighborhood* generously provided in exchange for an honest review.**

5 "This should get very interesting, very quickly." Stars

I'd like to preface this review by saying that normally this wouldn't be my kind of story at all what with the love-triangle-esque relationship and even more so, the crazily confused heroine. Yet, Stylo Fantome's unfailing gift for story telling forces you to fall really hard for these characters all over again. Really hard. Again. To the point you're consuming her words late at night in bed when you should be sleeping because you cannot possibly go to sleep when you don't know where Katya, Wulf, and Eden will take you next - you NEED to know.

The story told within *The Neighborhood* is simply magnetic. I had a strongly vested interest in each character and their plights. Katya Tocci plays with fire in this sequel to *Neighbors* trying to join a game she's ill-equipped to win. Wulfric Stone turns uncharacteristic realizations into equally uncharacteristic actions. Liam Edenhoff inserts himself into a situation he seemingly feels dire to control. All three come blazing back right where they left us in book one. All three stay steadfast in their quest while providing high entertainment for their readers.

The Neighborhood is an unusual and dynamic game of hearts and fire that's edgy, comedic, and sexy. There's passion abound as the three of them play to win. However, it unfolds that each of them are playing with different motivations and expected outcomes taking readers through some unexpected twists and turns. It's about friendships and the subtle and not so subtle gray areas of relationships, it's about boundaries and testing those limits. It's about understanding who are you and what you want. It's not about emotional taxing angst and unnecessary drama; it's about discovery and friendship and letting loose a little bit. It's simple fun. So much goes into their spicy little game making it simply enjoyable to read.

Stylo Fantome stomped all over my feelings of stories with a young, confused, and naive heroine in a triangle situation. She made it an adventure. She made Katya impossibly human, girly, cute, teasing, and perfect. She gave me two hot, sweet, domineering men that I could fuss and drool over the entire duet. She made them fall for and chase after the pretty girl who has the capacity to make you sigh and smile at the time make you crazy. She gave me one man that I would have worked myself stupid into falling for. She gave me friends. She made me laugh. And ultimately she gave me a story in *The Neighborhood* that I enjoyed reading immensely and felt completely satisfied with all the good vibes I got while inhaling it. And I really, really, really hope that with how it ended Stylo writes us a novella, like really hope, because that would be plain awesome and even more fun.

Major thanks to my girl, Deanna PinkLady, for the recommendation of this author. It's been nothing but awesome reading from Fantome's catalog since.

Dee Montoya says

4 STARS****

The Neighborhood is the striking conclusion to the story of Katya, the once shy baker who got trapped inside a web of delicious lies between two neighbors. Katya Tocci got a lot more than a borrowed cup of sugar from her sexy neighbors, and lucky for us we go along for the ride.

Will Katya pick the serious and rich, alpha male tycoon, or the sexy and fun sex club owner? Stylo Fatôme makes it really hard for us to pick between these two gorgeous, and alluring fictional boyfriends.

This book starts with Katya trying to cope with the massive heartache caused by the two men she had feelings for. The whole experience has changed her, and now she struggles trying to find a balance between the woman she used to be, and who she is now after everything she's been through.

To make things more interested, both Wulf and Liam want Katya back, and this time around they are willing to grovel, beg and do whatever it takes to have her back in their lives. Katya is very hurt, so she decides to give the guys a taste of their own medicine, and why not have a little fun while she's at it? Making them pretty much compete against each other to win her back. The only rule to this game Katya has come up with is... no sex. (gasp)(yeah right?)

I loved how I never knew what would happen next in the story; one minute I was in love with Liam, then the next I was lusting hard after Wulf. It got to a point were I was actually hoping Katya would pick both, so she could just live happily ever after with her two men. I mean, why not?

This book was fun, sexy and full of angst. Katya got on my nerves a few times, but I got over it pretty quickly, and towards the end I was completely invested and consumed by the story. The author introduced a

few new characters in this book that totally captivated me, and I'm really hoping she turns their stories into more books.

So, pack your U-Haul, leave your inhabitations behind, and move into this neighborhood, where anything is possible...

TF says

2 Totally Disappointed Stars :-(

I was hoping the second part was going to get better but unfortunately not for me. Over the top unnecessarily drawn out drama, douche heroes, useless additions of side characters and a long list of dislikes for the heroine....too many to write. Nope, was not a fan of the book.

Jacqueline's Reads says

2 I don't even know Stars

The Neighborhood is part of the Twin Estates series. I loved Neighbors, I rated it six stars and it was one of my top books of 2016 and so I was REALLY excited for the second book.

I was stalking Stylo Facebook Fan Page and I screamed like a little girl when I received this book.

Now, you can understand how it PAINS me to write this review. These are my honest opinions and based on everyone else's review, I am in the minority so maybe you may read my review and think to yourself well that doesn't bother me and love it.

What I loved about book 1 was the angst, the steam and the dynamic between the three main characters. I did side with Wulf more, but I liked Liam a lot. I was expecting a nice little dance between the three characters for the second book.

Here are my top issues:

1.) I didn't feel like the book was written the same way.

I found book one really energetic, steamy and fun and filled with fun banter. I thought the second book really slow. I didn't feel any movement until the half-way point and even then there were many dull moments.

2.) I had issues with Katya

Katya wanted to get back at the boys for lying and using her, so she wanted to do to them the same. I was ALL for this. I just felt like the execution was lacking though. I didn't understand her personality. She would be so mean to them and yes they did deserve it, BUT I didn't like that she used one for the other. For example when one would upset her, she would run crying to the other one to what? Make her feel better? I didn't see her as powerful and confident, but really needy and a little pitiful.

3.) There weren't many oh cute moments

I wanted a lot of "oh that's so cute" moments. I counted four in the book and it all involved Wulf. When Wulf would do something to kind of stir the you know what with Katya I found it cute. He would do little things to get her attention and I really craved and enjoyed those moments. However, I found it lacking.

4.) How Liam was portrayed

I can't really explain this without giving it away, but I didn't like it. Even though I was rooting for Liam, I felt like his storyline was a bit emasculating. I was disappointed on many of his actions.

5.) I didn't see the "romance".

I understand Katya was angry with the guys, but I didn't see any of the relationship grow. It was like the whole book was her being mad and trying to get over it, BUT I wanted her feelings to develop more. There were HUGE chunks in the book where Katya was talking to her friend or family and I just didn't care for it.

6.) I didn't care for the length of the story

I love a long book, but I would have been happier with 30% less "filler" stuff. Like The conversations with the best friend and family (as mentioned above).

With all of that said, I was really SHOCKED and SURPRISED on how I reacted towards this book. I expected another five star read and me gushing from ear to ear with love and praises. EVERY Stylo book I have read has been nothing less than a HIGH 4 star, if not six star read.

I know a lot of people liked this book, but I really hope Stylo doesn't take this direction in future books. I miss the wow, angst and lust.

An ARC was provided

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Paige says

4.5 "I've Chosen a Team" Stars

This was one of my most anticipated reads this year and it didn't disappoint. I even chose a side and at the end of book 1, I didn't know how Ms. Fantome would do that. But she's a genius so of course she did.

The Neighborhood follows Katya as she's left reeling from the betrayal of Liam and Wulf. Liam and Wulf are left trying to pick up all the pieces they broke. As both men fight for her, they finally show their true colors and when all is said and done, love and friendship prove they're more fragile than any of them ever thought.

I loved that this story dove right back into the mix. Katya is hurt and trying to come to terms with the way both men broke her heart and she finally thinks she's found the answer. Games. If the boys can play them so can she. At least she thinks she can. There did come a point that I started to get a bit frustrated with Katya but in the end she proved her worth and made up for her mistakes in big way. Conversely, for most of the book, I actually felt bad for Liam and Wulf which I didn't think was even remotely possible. And early on I had a favorite. That, too, surprised me since I just wasn't sure about either man in book 1. But in my humble opinion, their story played out perfectly and left me jonesing for more from The Neighborhood.

Provided for honest review.

Eve Recinella (Between The Bookends) says

So I was really looking forward to this book. After how the first one ended my heart ached for Katya and I wanted to see how (as impossible as it seemed) this author would get me to forgive and care about a HEA for either Wulf and/or Liam. Quite frankly halfway through this one I wanted Wulf and Liam to kick Katya to the curb and find themselves someone better....sigh.

I get she was hurt (I would have been too). I get she was mad (again...I would have been too) but being both of those doesn't mean you have to be mean, and heartless, and basically a bitch. What she did to both Liam and Wulf was NO different (IMO) than what they did to her. Oh sure, they KNEW from the get go what she was doing, and some might say they deserved it. I'm not arguing they deserved SOMETHING. But I wanted her to rise above the hurt and anger and be the bigger person. Instead, I got a heroine that descended to their level and acted like a mean spirited child half the time.

I thought maybe the second half of the book we would move forward into a more mature direction for all involved after Katya decided to stop playing games. Alas, all three continued with their juvenile back and forth antics well into very late in the book. I found it all a bit exhausting. On top of that, I ended up really disliking one of the guys. The author made him like a different person in this book. Like a compulsive lying dick and that bummed me out because I really liked him in the previous book. To be honest I am not totally sold on wanting to read his book at all at this point.

That said, I really do love this author's writing and although I was a bit letdown with the second half of this duet it did keep me interested and turning the pages to see where this cluster fuck was heading. So for that

alone, the author gets a thumbs up.

Natalie The Biblioholic says

Sometimes I wonder if the way I feel towards particular characters is done by design. Is it done intentionally? Because it feels hella intentional!

Why? Because I still couldn't stand Katya. I tried. I really did. I tried to convince myself that she's young and her behaviour was typical of that age. But that failed because when I was her age I was a mother of two and I in no way even thought the way she does. Then I thought of all that was going on in her life and rationalized that it was enough to make anyone cray cray. But then I was reminded that there are people who are dealt worse hands and handle things remarkably well. Not her. It just couldn't be done. I couldn't snow myself into being a Katya fan.

As for Liam and Wulf... sign me up for their fan clubs. I FLOVED these men!!

Okay, so if two people hurt you in the same way at the same time, who do you forgive? If you're going to forgive and forget, let bygones be bygones, wouldn't that mean you'd forgive both of them? And if you're going to allow one to be a big part of your life, then the other would have to be too? I'm just saying. Wulf and Liam may have been the ones playing games in book one but in this one, Katya seemed determined to win. And in my opinion she cheated. It wasn't a fair game because she was making up the rules as she went along. And had them firmly rooted in one's favor over the other.

All of my sympathy has always gone to Wulf. Despite everything he's ever done, I was rooting for him. Maybe it's because I could understand where he came from. His history. What made him who he is today. He came off hard and cold, but his heart was devoted to Katya and of that I never had a doubt. He would and did do anything she wanted and needed, even at the detriment of himself. And it was never enough! And why would it be. He was dealing with a simple, spoiled, irrational, manipulative, immature and petulant Katya. Yeah I said it!!

Signs of her juvenile thoughts and actions leaked from every facet of this story. In all honesty though, as much as she drove me crazy, she was freaking **ENTERTAINING!!** She was what made this story intense and angsty, even if it was for no reason. I had no clue who she was eventually going to choose, if it would be either man. Shoot, at times I questioned if this story would even have a happy ending. She kept the men guessing... and me as well.

Things to prepare for when reading this book:

- ★ wanting to scream
- ★ wanting to throw your device at a wall in frustration
- ★ wanting to pull your hair out in equal frustration
- ★ wanting to beat someone... anyone... a person who bears a remarkable resemblance to Katya... up
- ★ falling in love with the characters despite **EVERYTHING**

*Now I'm super excited to read **BLOCK PARTY!!***

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POV: Multiple - 3rd person

Steam: 3 out of 5

Series or standalone: Book 2 of the Twin Estates series

Deanna♥Pink Lady♥? says

5 "Didn't want it to End" Stars

The book is sexy, scintillating fun and Katya, Wulf and Liam bring it in spades. This story is told with sass and lots of emotion. Three characters that become intertwined and bring out the good and bad in each other and it's done in the most entertaining of ways.....pantry, cupcakes, fountains, broom closets.....get my drift?!?!!

This story begins after The Neighbor ends. It was a brutal ending and Katya had to put on her big girl panties and figure out what happened to her. She had a "best friend" and a "one that meant more", but they both lied and played her. So what to do.....being angry doesn't work because they are both sorry and want her back.....sooooooo Katya turns the table and TRIES to play both Wulf and Liam. The key word is TRIES. She thinks she can play with the big boys but it does come at a cost. Can her soul survive? Can she really forgive and forget? #TeamWulf #TeamTacos #WhatDoesTeamKatyaWant

This story is truly about finding ones heart. It can be angry, hurtful, and vengeful if scorned, but in the end, the heart knows what it wants. While Katya tries to get back at Liam and Wulf, she must deal with the fact that she is really not a woman who can scorn and be unscathed. Katya is a sweet and kind woman no matter what has happened to her. The discovery and the journey of these three characters is sassy, sweet, real, raw and pure. I loved the rollercoaster ride, even when I was worried it might derail, it held me fastened to my seat and it delivered beautifully.

I will say that the author writes her characters with open honesty. Each one of them is filled with passion, heart and desire. Roll these three together and it's a beautiful mix of a perfect storm. You can feel the intensity and the light heartedness, the flirty-#TeamTacos and the fire- #TeamWulf, the depth and the angst, the comedic flare and sexy hutzpah, the Wulfy sarcasm, and most of all you can feel the love!!!

In closing, I loved the ending and was always #Team.....??? Did you think I would spoil?? Never.....You are going to have to read to find out if your team matched my team!!!

beta reader in exchange for an honest review

Elle says

2* relation-shit STARS!

It pains me to give two stars because there was no significant progress from the previous book. In the end of Neighbors, Katya Tocci realized she got played by two men in her life. Liam Edenhoff, her neighbor and Wulfric Stone, her childhood crush. Apparently, those two know each other but the maniac in here is Wulfric. Katya thought she could move on, but they wouldn't let her go.

Two men she'd been involved with, slept with, had deep, personal relationships with. Two men who'd empowered her and helped her grow and changed her very core. Two men who had used her and chewed her up and then spit her out.
And now both those men were her close neighbors.
Jesus, this brings a whole new meaning to "there goes the neighborhood".

- ✓ Katya sucks! She didn't have backbone to reject Liam and Wulfric. She was freaking angry then came with weak revenge plot that bite her back in the end. Really failed. In the end, she forgave them because she felt bad. What's the purpose, huh?

- ✓ Liam is madly in lust with Katya. He maybe not the one, but he's a good friend when he didn't think about sex. I almost fall for him. Sometimes he confused me. Liam wants to date Katya and try to be the one for her but he couldn't keep his pants on? Open relationship isn't my cuppa. In the end, I was disappointed with his immaturity.

- ✓ I couldn't handle Wulfric. He's complicated and frustrated me. Wulfric is still the same arrogant ass. I liked him at first but it didn't wow enough. He act high-mighty and untouchable yet victimized himself as a unlovable person. I didn't see him fight for himself or Katya. He just need to be... saved?

- ✓ The story was taking too long with unnecessary mundane things. Very slow-paced and boring with too many characters. I couldn't feel the romance at all. No angst; just hollow feeling.

Conclusion? I'm amazed how I survived this. I always knew Wulfric is the one for her from the start. The way Katya's submit to everything he gave. I pitied Liam who became the third wheel. In the end, I still didn't understand their 'relationship'.

aNneMarLi - Chatterbooks Book Blog says

4.0 "FOLLOW YOUR HEART" STARS!!!

Two men she'd been involved with, slept with, had deep, personal relationships with. Two men who'd empowered her and helped her grow and changed her very core. Two men who had used her and chewed her up and then spit her out. And now both those men were her close neighbors. Jesus, this brings a whole new meaning to "there goes the neighborhood".

I have been waiting for this book for what felt like forever so just like anybody else I am so eager what the author is in store for us right now. And with The Neighborhood, YASSS!! A whole new level of craziness, playing games and then later on to asking forgiveness and then finally choosing who'll end up who. Now the question is are you Team Tacos or Team Wulfy??? My GAAAD... I know for a fact that you are just as conflicted as me. We wanted the alpha sexiness of Wulfy, his intensity, his brooding nature and his "I don't care attitude" but at the same time we are longing for Eden's sweet and carefree nature. And who will even forget his flirty ways? Both men brought big impact to Katya but the question is, who really is she gonna choose in the end? Will there even be a HEA? Definitely yes, but the road to forever seems wasn't that easy. Games were played, misunderstanding and tension rises and naturally somebody gets to get hurt. That is the reason why no matter how enjoyable and fun this story line is, How we are rooting for the angst it usually brings and the gut wrenching and heart stopping moments, and don't get me even started with how thick the sexual tension is, but really in the end only one is sure bound to get Katya's Yes!

To be honest, as conflicted as I was, I even silently plead "Let it be threesome please?". I was actually rooting for it but who knows where the evil mind of Stylo Fantome gonna lead us in this book? She's known for her mindfucks story line, proof on how our feelings felt being played. Our minds confused leading to our hearts choosing so hard amongst these two men. But one thing is for sure, You can never go wrong with Stylo no matter how crazy the characters journey are. And that is one the many reasons why I love Stylo Fantome works. In fact my mind has been spinning in circles as I read the book. I have a rollercoaster of emotions devouring this conclusion. As a Team Wulfy through and through, I love how his character was being portrayed. Don't get me wrong I have a soft spot for Eden too leading me to "threesome please". But then I will admit, I hate Katya as much as I love her. I hated her actions and I wanna strangle this woman. The fact that two men were fighting over her got me wanting to erase her. Aside from that I hated how she was being portrayed in this conclusion. However though, I love her, because her flawed character had me keep going in the story. It had me engrossingly reading never minding where I was and what I was supposed to do. I just read and read until I finished the book.

And my verdict? It was a good conclusion of this love triangle story. I love how it was written. It was a long book and I appreciated how the characters past were incorporated showing to us readers why these characters are "who they seem to be" in the present. It really had me a good foundation and understanding why they acted what way. More than that, I love how what was being stressed out in this story. Because more than the "love triangle", more than the choosing part, more than the mistakes of the past, the actions that only heightened the tension, the story focuses on what really it is to fall in love. That no matter how ugly it started, no matter how confusions and complications arises, it will boil down to the fact that **"Falling in love was never easy. It is messy and difficult and it wasn't even fair. Sorry isn't even a question. It's easy to spit this word out but it's another story on how you acted on it, talk about. It really takes work. Because truly, 'when you love someone, forgiveness comes easier.'"**

And Katya's dad is right, you must follow your heart. And this line, really made an impact. **"Your mistake is thinking that forgiving someone automatically takes away all the hard work that goes into the relationship. You think saying 'I'm sorry' should magically make the hurt and heartache go away. Well, it doesn't – 'I'm sorry' are just the first two words at the very beginning of a lot of conversations and a very**

long road of work."

Great job Stylo for delivering this enjoyable read. You really had me with your complicated and sexy stories. But more than that, you stole my heart with your words and lines.

Having a good neighbor is nice, but having one that loves you and takes care of you and makes every moment feel like it's catching on fire? Well, that's just the best neighbor ever ...

Jessica-►Chatterbooks Book Blog► says

3.5 stars

The Neighborhood is the second book in the Twin Estates series by Stylo Fantome. Katya's story comes to a close, and she finally makes a decision regarding the two men in her life, Wulfric and Liam. This installment was gripping and emotional. Once I started this book, I didn't want to put it down!

Hopefully, this review won't be too long. I am going to try to keep it on the short side... though that may not happen. I just don't want to say too much about this book, because I don't want to give too much away. There may be some indirect or minor spoilers though, so beware! I also don't want my head to explode. Never has a book made me feel the level of anger and frustration this one has! The first book made me want to throw my kindle across the room, but this one made me want to smash it to pieces! I need a drink and possibly anger management. Regardless, I hated what transpired in this book! Hated. it. I don't quite know how to put into words all of my feelings about this book. Please bear with me.

The number one reason this book made me want to rip my hair out is that I dislike Wulfric with every fiber of my being. I am a lover of the alpha asshole hero. In fact, most of my favorite heroes are world class assholes. Apparently, even I have my limits.

Why do I dislike him so much? Wulf is a big snob. If there is one thing I hate, it is people that think they are better than somebody else or can get away with anything because they have money or influence. He tried to buy Katya multiple times instead of doing any real work to show he was sorry or simply just apologizing to her. That would be beneath him. Even his kind gestures were usually just him throwing money at something or someone.

Aside from that, the biggest reason I wouldn't spit on him if he was on fire is because he treats Katya like she is a dumb bimbo that will do anything as long as he gives her his cock. Maybe I can't blame him, because she acts like she is. Seriously, this man's magic dick makes her lose all control. She has zero self-respect when it comes to him. In the first book, I felt like she became completely brain dead when she was around him. I wanted to knock her upside her head! This time she knew his game, so she didn't make it as easy for him. Regardless, he got her to cave whenever he put forth any real effort.

There is no romance between these two for most of the book. Wulf basically says, "I am going to fuck you, and you are going to like it" and then, LAUGHS that she is a weak bitch after it actually happens. It's not her fault! How can she resist his enchanted penis?

He never really thinks she may pick Liam over him, because he is the greatest man alive. He has the nerve to tell her that even after everything he did to her, he knows he never lost her! Guys, this man disgusts me! Cocky can be cute, but his ego is repulsive! Wulfric passed up arrogant a looong time ago. There are no words for his level of egomania!

The second major problem I had with this book was the fact that Liam becomes a different person. I don't care what anybody says, what happens to him in this book seemed so forced it was ridiculous. It felt like the author had to do something to him that would make Wulf not look as bad. I felt bad for Liam. I am going to wrap this up, because I am dying to say more and I shouldn't. I already wrote way more than I intended.

Why give this 3.5 stars if I had such negative feelings about it? I know the writing deserves at least that. I couldn't stop reading it, and I finished it all in one night. Not only was it captivating, but it made me FEEL so much. I can't take that away from the author. By the time it was all said and done, I felt like I had lived everything right along with the characters, and that is probably why I feel so strongly about them. I even want to read the next book! Shocking, right? I NEED to know what happens! Again, I have to give credit for that!

Would I recommend this book? I would recommend it to everyone that loved Neighbors or are fans of Stylo Fantome. If Neighbors made you crazy, read The Neighborhood so I can discuss it with someone that feels the same way I do! lol

ARC generously provided for an honest review.

S.M. West says

Where the first book left off, I was dying for the conclusion to this duet! Like Katya, I was ticked and wanted

to see what she'd do to Wulf and Liam.

It was great to see how she gave them both a bit of their own medicine. And for a while there, I was still undecided as to whose team I was on. While I understood Katya's anger, at times, she was annoying, but by the end, all was good. I really enjoyed this and was turning the pages wanting to see how this would all unfold.

I love how Stylo gives us original, engaging stories and this duet was no different. If you're looking for a sexy, angsty read, I'd recommend this!

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Michelle says

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Wulf? Liam? Both? Or Neither? Who will win the heart of Katya? Team Wulf or Team Liam? Well, I think it's given that I couldn't wait for this much anticipated conclusion of **The Neighborhood**.

“Because despite everything,” he spoke softly, moving closer to her. “The fighting and the lying and the game playing,” his lips were actually brushing against her. “You still feel . . . exactly . . . the same . . . about me.”

If you know me, I don't do love triangles. It is something that I rarely read because I would feel bad for the other party. But for this particular book, Stylo Fantôme had me hooked. I loved Wulf in the previous book and liked Liam a lot. And so when it came down to choosing which men Katya would end up with, Katya's new change would be the game changer.

When Katya discovers that the two men she trusted lied and betrayed her, it made Katya somewhat bitter, angry and someone I honestly didn't like. The new Katya didn't impress me at all. I expected her to be more fierce but instead found her lacking and wished I could slap some sense into her.

“I need her, so much. She belongs with me, we belong together. So however long it takes, that's how long it takes. I can play the part of a stone and wait her out. It's what I was born to do, after all.”

I will say that my opinion on Wulf didn't change much. I love his character a lot. He was the only one that I found relatable and true to his character. I found his flaws endearing which made me rooted for him. As for Liam, I didn't expect what was revealed about him. Honestly, Liam really didn't make such an impact in the storyline. He was just there and somewhat unforgettable which is kind of sad since I loved the angst and love

triangle that Stylo incorporated in the first book.

As for who will win Katya's heart, you will have to read and discover why Team ?? was always the choice. Did I enjoy this book? Yes. Did I like both men? Of course. Did I like how Katya was written in this final conclusion? That would be a No. I just wished the author had incorporated more angst, drama, and surprisingly more of a major love triangle debacle but other than that I was left satisfied with how everything turned out in the end.

“Having a good neighbor is nice , but having one that loves you and takes care of you and makes every moment feel like it's catching on fire? Well, that's just the best neighbor ever ...”

The Neighborhood is a sexy fast paced romance that will keep you glued. I love Stylo's ability to tell a story. Her writing is magnetic since I was left savoring each word and raw emotions. As for the romance aspect, it was pretty much given who would win the heart of Katya midway through the book. Yes, I was happy with whom she chosen. So are you ready to discover which neighbor she will choose and what awaits for the other neighbor then you better Come and knock on Stylo's door.

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