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Fourteen newly written stories by fifteen Authors in the City authors. This anthology will benefit a children's hospital in the Florida area where the 2016 Authors in the City book signing will be held. Authors in the City is hosted by Stephanie's Book Reports.

Waiting for Midnight - Samantha Chase

Maddie's wishing for a little holiday magic with her sexy neighbor Noah.

White Christmas - AJ Harmon

Lisa, a happy and well-adjusted 14 year old, decides that it's time to meet her birth parents.

April and Erik haven't seen each other since high school graduation 12 years ago. How will they react when they are both invited to a Halloween party? They are about to come face to face with the past they are both still trying to forget. This heart-warming novella celebrates family, acceptance and forgiveness, as hearts are healed and new bonds formed.

Holiday With Holli - S.M. Donaldson

Holli and Zack have despised each other their entire lives. A trip home for the holidays makes them pose the question... Can a few hot moments make it possible for these two to de-frost their old relationship and start a new one?

One Hot Christmas - A.D. Justice

When rock stars have too much time on their hands, they naturally turn to one thing...having a good time. A girlfriend. An ex-girlfriend. A best friend. A matchmaker. Four rock stars on tour. Plans are bound to backfire, but when they go right, it creates One Hot Christmas.

Nick - AM Madden

A one-night stand that broke all the rules. It was supposed to be one night. It was supposed to be meaningless--with no emotion. Just desire and passion. But it was so much more... By definition, a one-night stand is simply a sexual encounter lasting only a single night. Meaningless, mindless, detached fornication without an expectation of further relations. Each party then resumes their lives as if never having met the other. On a snowy night in Chicago, Nick and Angela had a one-night stand...and rewrote the definition.

Coming Home - Taryn Plendl

She wanted a one night stand. He wanted more. Iowa winters can be brutally cold, but when Ella Marks and

Matteo Lazos get together, the results are sizzling. When life is up in the air, sometimes coming home for the holidays is the only way to find solid ground.

Tangled in Tinsel - Mariah Dietz

Christmas is in three days, and I have eight states to cross before I get home. Mother Nature and kismet have joined forces in an attempt to ruin this holiday season as flights across the East Coast have been canceled due to a snowstorm. I hate traveling nearly as much as I hate the snow.

How is kismet involved, you ask? Carter O'Brien is trying to get home as well. Do you know what I hate more than snow and traveling? Carter O'Brien.

Stay Awhile - Gia Riley

Garrett Kristoff's living the life he's always wanted, yet something's missing. As a well-respected surgeon, he's seen it all. But even he isn't prepared for his next case. Should he tempt fate or play it safe? There's too much on the line to get it wrong. Megan Campbell's married to her high school sweetheart. Their entire world revolves around their beautiful little girl. But seven years into their marriage, tragedy strikes, revealing her husband's secrets. Life can change in the blink of an eye. Will Megan hold onto the only man she's ever loved, or accept the truth that will change her world forever? This Christmas, they could all use a miracle.

White Midnight - Shari J. Ryan

Christmas isn't the same anymore, but at least I still have my little tree and the two unopened gifts that will forever haunt me. That's what Christmas is to me now—sadness and bad luck. But then I met Bex in the middle of a blizzard in the mountains of New Hampshire (Did I mention I'm from Florida?). A chance encounter with this ruggedly good-looking mountain-man might just make me question how bad my luck really is.

A Holiday Discovery - Ellie Keys

Maria, a reporter, is in the center of a big story while on a trip. The decision: adventurous holiday or career goldmine?

Christmas Letters - Christina Benjamin

Rae has never loved Christmas much. Bouncing from place to place in the foster system didn't afford her very fond holiday memories. This Christmas is proving to be one of her most difficult yet when she starts to receive mysterious letters counting down the 12 days until Christmas. At first she thinks the letters are just a prank, but whoever is sending them knows startling details about her life and most recent failed relationship. Will the clues from the cryptic letters leave her broken hearted or could this be the Christmas miracle she's been waiting for?

All I Want for Christmas - Misha Elliott

All Adrianna Lutz wants is for the holidays to be over. This year an unexpected prize sends her to the Caribbean with her best friend, brother and an unexpected guest. The boy who was once the bane of her existence. Seeing him face to face brings back unwanted feelings. To Eric Wayne, Adrianna was nothing more than the annoying little sister of his best friend—until the night they shared an amazing kiss. Now she's all grown up and all he wants is her. Will time in paradise with Eric be what she needs to bring back the holiday spirit?

Repairing Christmas - Sidonia Rose

The presents are wrapped, the semester is finishing up, and it's almost time for Christmas. Christmas has always been the same, quiet and cozy at home. Miranda is changing things and spending this Christmas with her boyfriend, until he becomes her ex-boyfriend and breaks their plans. Christmas for Glenn is about family and their annual holiday party. Until he meets Miranda and discovers that some things don't have to be broken to be fixed.

Finding Christmas - Elizabeth Hayes & Ashlee Taylor

Christmas hi-jinks & practical jokes are all fun and games until someone's water breaks.

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Toni says

This anthology is a gift. If you love Christmas stories, this is for you! If you don't love Christmas stories (like me), this book is still for you. Several great authors come together to give you a range of short stories that will keep you engaged throughout. Bonus on this is that with some great reading material your purchase also helps kids in need. Very Awesome!

Theresa Natole says

Fifteen different authors, same season but totally different stories. Although they all focused on LOVE each had a different story to tell. Each was special in their own way. Love can come into your life even if you are never looking for it. You can think that once it was lost it will never be found. But if it was meant to be love will find a way. Add the miracle of THE CHRISTMAS season and you have 15 amazing stories.

Renee says

Five Star Review

I received a copy of this anthology in exchange for an honest review for Stephanie's Book Reports.

Christmas In The City is a fifteen author, fourteen brand new stories anthology benefiting a children's hospital in the Orlando area with the proceeds from the book. I'm so honored I got to read an arc of his amazing anthology and fell in love with so many things about all of it. It takes a pretty special group of people to donate all their time effort and talents to benefit sick children. I firmly believe with all my heart

that this is one of the best anthologies out there today and I hope a lot of people open their hearts and give this book a chance for the children.

Waiting For Midnight by Samantha Chase

Maddie and Kiera are best friends. Kiera has a plan for them not to be alone with no one to kiss on New Years Eve. Maddie has this huge crush on her neighbor Noah who is a loner. After an accident can Maddie open Noah's heart to love?

I loved this story. I actually cried when I finished it. CrtcThere is no way it can't suck you in and hold your attention. Let's face it though who doesn't love a hot guy whose a little hard to get to open up.

White Christmas by AJ Harmon

Lisa has always known she was adopted. Upon receiving an assignment to do a family tree in school she decides it's time to look for her birth parents along with the help of her Mom and Dad. Could it be possible the two people who brought life to Lisa could still fourteen years later still have feelings for each other? This is such a touching story of love, loss, redemption and second chances. It's got all those good feels that every reader loves in a great story.

Holiday With Holli by S.M. Donaldson

Zack has always given Holli a hard time. He's the popular jock and she was the new rich girl who was shy and misunderstood. Now home for the first time from college in a while can Zack and Holli see the real sides of each other.

I really loved this story. I'm a sucker for a misunderstood heroine who just proves everyone wrong. During that process though she teaches the bullies there is more to her than they ever thought. The story has a second chance romance feel to it too.

One Hot Christmas by A.D. Justice

Jagger is a rock star who tours with his band and the love of his life Mali. Dane is a band member and was dating Jagger's sister Cass. Should they have broken up or are they meant to be together? Can Jagger and Mali keep together their prefect romance while on the road?

This story is hilarious. I loved the banter between the guys. The practical jokes about get out of control and there might be some nudity and very cold weather. It's a journey of laughter and love you won't want to miss.

Nick by AM Madden

Nick is currently a bartender at The Dump. A dive bar in Chicago. Angela is staying with her cousin and is a quiet shy girl. The first time Nick sees Angela he is interested. Angela though has a bucket list with a one night stand on the top of the list. Can he bring her out of her shell? Are they hiding secrets? Will these two find their way to more than one night?

Get out the fan because AM Madden brings the heat to this story. It's a great love story about two lonely people trying to find there place in life. He has a secret and she is in need of some wild oats sowing. This story is fun and sexy and I loved every second of it. I can not wait till the full Novel coming in 2016.

Coming Home by Taryn Plendl

Ella married and followed her medical intern boyfriend Branson to Arizona from a small town in Iowa. Six months later she's divorced but she has stayed in Arizona working her butt off. Now she's going home to figure her life out. Reunited with her best friend who insists the time has come to get over Branson they head to a bar and straight into Matteo and a one night stand. Will that be enough for Matteo, or does he have his sights set on Ella?

This is my favorite story. I swore I wasn't going to pick a favorite but this one stuck with me. I'm a sucker for a hot land developer and a girl whose not afraid to get what she wants. Their chemistry is off the charts HOT.

I was so sad to see this story end. If I knew Taryn Plendl I swear I would beg her for more Matteo and Ella.

Tangled In Tinsel by Mariah Dietz

Piper is heading home for Christmas. Once at the airport though a huge storm comes along and cancels all the flights. Stuck and alone she starts figuring out how to survive if disaster strikes. She however runs into Carter. Carter O'Brien the one person on earth she hates more than snow and Christmas. How will she ever get through this?

This is a cute story. A second chance romance since they have known each other in the past. Carter is Piper's brother's best friend. These two have some serious issues between them. This is their journey to repairing all that and possibly happily ever after.

Stay Awhile by Gia Riley

Megan has just found out her husband has been cheating on her. To add insult to injury she learns her husband was drinking and driving and had an accident with their daughter Laney in the car. Now at children's hospital with serious leg injuries Laney is going to have to have surgery. Megan fortunately knows the Doctor. Garrett had a huge crush on Megan in high school and she tortured him daily. With so much on the line and secrets being kept can Garrett be there for Megan and Laney and get them through to brighter days?

This is an awesome story about a mother's love and the lengths she goes to for her child. It's a second chance possibly for Garrett to be with the woman he's dreamed about since high school. Garrett is an amazing character you'll fall in love with too. He's sweet, charming, protective, and loves the kids he works with daily. He's beyond swoon worthy.

White Midnight by Shari J Ryan

Finnley is alone at her college because she has no family to go home to for Christmas Break. An impending blizzard sends her to the little convenience store a block from school. Expecting Max she meets instead his son Bex. Will Finnley be able to survive this blizzard all alone in a dorm room or will she accept the help that Bex is offering.

This story is about two very guilt-ridden people trying their best to make it through each and every day. Both carry a different guilt over very similar life events. Finnley (I just love that name) is one tough nut to crack. She's angry and closed off and Bex is her perfect match because he's exactly the same. Can they drop their guilt and see what's right in front of their faces....you have to read and see.

A Holiday Discovery by Elle Keys

Maria is not going home for the holidays. She just can't deal with her parents and their hate for each other. An amazing opportunity to go to Switzerland lands at her feet and she decides to go. Will this be the vacation she wants or will unexpected events turn the trip into a chance to advance her career and hurt people, or will a certain guy named Corbin steal her heart?

This story brings the heat. The scenes in the coat closet and elevator about melted my kindle. Sit back and relax because this story is one you don't want to miss. I loved it.

Christmas Letters by Christina Benjamin

Rae has never experienced a real family due to being in the juvenile system. Together Rae, Alex and Tyra have made their own little family. Alex though a year ago was fostered out and shattered Rae's heart. He promised to never leave Rae and Tyra. Suddenly letters just start showing up for Rae with a Twelve Days of Christmas theme and a memory included with the letter. Is this Alex coming back for her since he is now eighteen? Come on this journey and find out.

This has to be one of the most unique stories I've ever read. I loved everything about it. The mystery of the letters. The reliving of memories shared between Rae, Alex and Tyra. The thrill of the not knowing till the

journey's end. I devoured every word of this one.

All I Want For Christmas by Misha Elliott

Adrianna and Kellan lost their parents in a private plane crash. They inherited a house in the Bahamas that Adrianna can not bring herself to go back to until her boss forces her to take time off and get away. Together with her best friend, brother, and his guest they head out. Upon arrival at the airport Adrianna is shocked to see Eric her brother's best friend and the bane of her existence there to pick them up. He rejected her one night long ago when she kisses him as a teen. Now all grown up can they resist each other.

This is a great friends to lovers story or maybe a second chance romance. Adrianna can't stand Eric but at the same time can't keep her eyes off him and vice versa. Will these two work through all the years of hurt and find their way to each other? I'd love to tell you but I'm not going to. Read it and find out. You won't regret it.

Repairing Christmas by Sidonia Rose

Miranda is a college student whose not going home for Christmas. Her parents have gone on a anniversary cruise and she and her boyfriend have broken up along with their Christmas plans. One night while riding to look at Christmas lights her car breaks down and she is rescued by the parents of Glenn. With their instant attraction will this turn out to be the best Christmas ever for both of them.

I really liked this story. It's so cute and I loved the attraction between Miranda and Glenn. She's just as awkward at times as I know we all have been around boys and I found it quiet entertaining.

Finding Christmas by Elizabeth Hayes and Ashlee Taylor

I'm not quiet sure how to describe this story except to say it's about a family who loves to pull pranks on each other. There's pride, sibling rivalry, hot husbands, pregnancy hormones, kids parents and possibly the kitchen sink thrown into this story. I found myself laughing out loud one minute and my heart melting the next. It's a sort of life, love, laughter, and family story and we all know how crazy family can be.

This entire anthology is amazing It will keep you entertained for hours and I love that there is such a wide variety of stories included but all sticking to the Christmas theme. Congratulations to Stephanie, Authors In The City, hosted by Stephanie's Book Reports, and all the authors on such an amazing project. Get your one click fingers ready and get this amazing anthology all while helping to support a very worthy cause.

Kendra Needs says

I was given a copy of this book for an honest review..

Christmas in the City was a book filled with novellas of couples at christmas time, what better time of year is there. Each novella is by a different author, each book is unique in its own way and each will capture your heart and remind you what a loving time the holidays are.

Some of the novellas in this book are a little racier than others, and some are just truly romantic. The other amazing thing about a few of the novellas in this book is that the authors are going to be writing full lenght novels about the characters (AM Madden cannot wait for Nicks story to come alive).

The best part about this anthoogy is that all profits made from this book are going to benefit a childrens hospital in the Florida area, which makes this book so special. A huge thank you to the authors that took the time to write each and every one of the wonderful stories in this book.

Caroline F says

****Received an ARC in exchange for an honest review.****

Overall, a lovely collection of stories. Some I loved more than others. My favourites were:

Holiday With Holli – SM Donaldson

An enemies-to-lovers tale. Zack was a bit of a bully to Holli when they were in high school. Now, years later, Holli is home from college for the holidays. However, as with many past Christmases, Holli is not spending it with her parents as they have gone off to spend Christmas elsewhere. She takes up an invitation from an old school acquaintance to go a local bar, and proceeds to cast off her shy shell and good girl façade with a few drinks and a round of karaoke! Zack now runs the family garage with his dad, who's gone out of town for Christmas, too. He's hugely attracted to Holli, who has blossomed while she's been away. He follows her home after the night at the bar, as weather conditions have deteriorated, and finds her in her car, on the side of the road, concussed with a small head wound. He stays the night with her to make sure that she's OK and, the next morning, they part after a hot kiss. I loved the chemistry between Zack and Holli, the development in their relationship, and the personal changes Holli goes through, as well as the discovery of a few secrets that she uncovers, which leads her to making some life decisions.

Coming Home – Taryn Plendl

Ella is back in her small but growing hometown after being away for a few years. She met and married a doctor out of college but the marriage didn't last long after she found him cheating on her. A few years after the divorce, her husband is moving on with a new marriage, which spurs Ella to move back home to regroup, when she realises that her life hasn't really moved on. On her first night home, she meets the gorgeous Matteo in a local nightclub. Matteo is drawn to Ella from the first moment he sees her. Ella casts caution to the wind and gives in to her desires by going home with Matteo, but slips out in the early hours before he awakes. By chance, Matteo spots her the next day and asks her to dinner. And, so their relationship begins. I thought this was a romantic and passionate story. I loved the instant chemistry between them and Matteo's POV in the story.

Christmas Letters – Christina Benjamin

Sweet and clever story about Rae, a lifer in the foster system, who begins to receive a letter a day on the lead up to Christmas. She and her friend, Tyra, think they're from Alex – their friend and love of Rae's life who was placed with a family a year ago, and they hadn't heard from him since. The letters are unsigned but it is very clear that the sender knows Rae intimately. We follow Rae, who is filled with doubts, sadness and some anger, as she follows the trail of clues laid out in the letters. A beautiful and thoughtful story.

Jaime Fiction Fangirls Book Review says

My favorites stories were:

Waiting for Midnight- Samantha Chase
White Christmas- AJ Harmon
Tangled in Tinsel- Mariah Deitz
Stay Awhile- Gia Riley

*****Cheryl*** says**

These novella's really put me a Christmas mood this week.

Each short story has a Christmas theme about love but with a bit of a spin. I have read some of the authors work before but I was also new to some of the authors. I'm not going to review each story but I can tell you that I loved each of them. There was stories of enemies to lovers (SM Donaldson), a rocker star story (AD Justice) and plenty of holiday romances (secret crushes and second chances) . Each story is unique in their own way. Some were very emotional and some were hilarious and very funny. I would also hope that some authors give us more of the characters in the books as I felt there was still more to learn. I am going to stalking each of their Facebook pages to find out.

This anthology has something for everyone and I really enjoyed it. I would highly recommend reading this one and what's more the money goes to a great cause.

* I received an ARC in exchange for an honest review

Veronica LaRoche says

I received this book in exchange for an honest review

My review is for Nick by AM Madden

I absolutely loved reading this story. Once I started reading I couldn't put my kindle down. Nick and Angela has this connection that I can't wait to see where it goes. I loved all the characters, Jase and Eve were hilarious and I can't wait to read of Nick & Angela

One Hot Christmas by AD Justice

I love reading more of Jagger and Mali and al the guys. The pranks they pull I was laughing to whole time. I love how Jagger and Mali are solid unit and hoping there will be more stories to come

Isha Coleman says

Christmas in the City is a labor of love. It celebrates many types. From secret crushes to matchmaking children. From second chances to new found romances. From the sexy and sweet to heartbreaking. There is something for every reader. This anthology has it all. For me it was hard to pick one story because so many great authors were involved. I would describe Christmas in the City as a smorgasbord for the senses. With all the variety, who needs to chose. I received an ARC in exchange for an honest review.

Danielle says

Review of Stay Awhile by Gia Riley

When her 7-year-old daughter is badly injured in a car accident, Megan Campbell is grateful for Garrett Kristoff, former high school classmate and well-respected surgeon. She is devastated by the secrets that have come out about her husband but is trying to focus solely on her daughter. Now, Megan is going to have to put all her faith in Garrett's ability to make her little girl walk again.

Garrett has never forgotten his crush from high school and loves seeing her again but hates the circumstances. He only hopes he can be the hero she and her little girl need. And although the timing isn't great, maybe he will get the chance to show Megan how he has always felt about her and be there for her when her world has been turned upside down.

Will Megan and her little girl get a miracle at Christmas? Have they found a safe place to stay awhile?

What a truly heartrending and heartwarming story!! Megan and Garrett are both great main characters and I loved them both. And Megan's little girl, Laney, is totally adorable. My only complaint about this story is I WANT MORE!!! I am crossing my fingers that Gia will get a chance to share more of the story in a full-length book!

Patricia Blevins says

In Waiting for Midnight

We have Maddie and Noah one who has never really had a Christmas because of no family and the other who has quit celebrating Christmas because of family issues. Will these two be able to bring the life back into Christmas and one finally has someone to kiss at Midnight on New Years?

White Christmas

This novella is about Lisa who was adopted and set out to find out who her biological parents are. Lisa finds April and Erik? Will Lisa be able to get them back together after so many years apart?

Holiday With Holli

Repairing Christmas

Well in Repairing Christmas it was a great little story of how a Miranda finds love when it is least expected. Glenn who is constantly being setup by his mom has she hit the jackpot with Miranda. This is a short about how you find love when it is least expected and how everything always happens for a reason.

Kim says

Miranda thinks that after a breakup that she will have to spend the holidays alone....which she doesn't mind since she will be with family a few days after but when she has car trouble while looking at holiday lights....could a tow truck driver be the answers to her prayers ??

Glenn just wants to get through the holidays without answering another question about his future ... After graduating Penn State and moving home Miranda might just be the distraction he needs.....

This was a cute short story that you don't want to miss !!

Carla says

*I was given a copy of this anthology as a gift from Stephanie's Book Reports in exchange for an honest review.

5 stars for Christmas in the City! This is a collection of 14 never been read stories by some of today's best selling authors. All proceeds from this anthology will go to a children's hospital in the greater Orlando area.

One Hot Christmas by AD Justice

This enjoyable short read is about the famous rock band, Jagger York. In this story, we read about the sweet love that exists between Jagger and Mali as well as the struggling romance between Dane and Cass. The bands antics are hilarious, and my favorite scene involves some nudity and freezing temperatures! :)

White Midnight by Shari J Ryan

Christmas for Finnley is not a joyous occasion anymore. When she is stranded in the middle of a blizzard in her college town of New Hampshire, she meets the ruggedly handsome, Bex. This impromptu meeting might just be the best Christmas gift they could each ever receive.

Christmas Letters by Christina Benjamin

Poor Rae has been raised in foster homes, so she has never really acknowledged the holiday season. When she starts receiving anonymous letters, she thinks someone is just playing a bad joke on her. However, this mysterious sender knows intimate details about her life. Will these cryptic clues lead her to heartbreak, or could this be the answer to her Christmas wish?

Finding Christmas by Elizabeth Hayes and Ashlee Taylor

This short novella is hilarious! It is about a group of friends who love playing practical jokes on one another. This is a very lighthearted read that will leave you feeling uplifted. What a super funny take on a Christmas story!

Tangled in Tinsel by Mariah Dietz

Piper is heading to her hometown for Christmas. When she arrives at the airport, she learns that all flights have been cancelled due to inclement weather. What is the one thing she hates more than traveling and snow? Carter O'Brien. While she thinks fate has intervened to play a cruel joke on her, she may soon see the situation as more of a gift and less of a burden.

Holiday with Holli by SM Donaldson

Zack has been Holli's nemesis for years. Now that she is back home from college for Christmas, they each begin to see each other in a different light. Will they be able to melt the ice that has always existed between them?

Stay Awhile by Gia Riley

Megan is married to her high school sweetheart, and they share a beautiful little girl named Laney. When a tragic accident occurs, secrets are revealed that will forever change Megan's life. While at the hospital with her daughter, Megan is reintroduced to Garrett Kristoff. Garrett is a successful surgeon who seems to have it all, but looks can be deceiving. Will this Christmas provide a much needed miracle for them all?

A Holiday Discovery by Ellie Keys

Maria is a reporter in New York. When she is given the opportunity to take a vacation with her friends to Switzerland, she jumps at the chance. While there, she meets Corbin, and they spend some quality time together. When she is given some information that has the power to finally help her land a first page story, she must decide if she can live with the damage that this confidential information will create in the lives of others.

Coming Home by Taryn Plendi

After finding her husband of 9 months cheating on her, Ella has finally had enough. She packs her bags and returns to Iowa. One night while she is out dancing with her friend, Natalie, Ella meets Matteo. Even though it is brutally cold, when Ella and Matteo get together, the sparks fly! Sometimes it takes returning home to discover just where you are meant to be.

All I Want for Christmas by Misha Elliott

After losing her parents, Christmas has never been the same for Adrianna. For years, she has thrown herself into her work. After winning a contest at work, Adrianna finds herself headed to the Caribbean with her brother and best friend. She plans to get some much needed R&R. What she doesn't expect is the appearance of Eric Wayne. Eric has been her brother's best friend for years, and the boy she has had a crush on for what seems like forever. Now that they are both adults, their mutual attraction is obvious. Will Eric make the holidays a more joyous occasion for Adrianna?

Repairing Christmas by Sidonia Rose

Miranda has always loved spending Christmas with her family, but things are going to be different this year. She is planning to spend the holiday with her boyfriend's family. When he dumps her, her family has already made other plans. Because she doesn't want to ruin their plans, she decides to spend Christmas alone in her dorm room. When she unexpectedly meets the handsome and sexy, Glenn, she begins to think that this may just turn out to be one of her most memorable Christmases yet!

Waiting For Midnight by Samantha Chase

Maddie and her friend, Kiera, have spent the last several New Years Eves alone, and Kiera has come up with a plan for this year to end differently. However, agreeing to Kiera's plan is the last thing that Maddie intends to do.

For the past year, Maddie has been crushing on her sexy neighbor, Noah. She just knows that they are meant for one another. Does Noah feel the same way, or is Maddie destined to spend another New Years Eve alone?

White Christmas by AJ Harmon

Lisa was adopted as an infant, and she is now a very happy 14 year old. When her teacher assigns her class a

project concerning her ancestry, Lisa decides that it is time for her to meet her biological parents. After meeting each parent separately, Lisa invites them both to a Halloween party. April and Erik have not seen each other for 12 years, and the way the relationship ended has left Erik with a lot of anger and resentment. When they are reunited, how will they react?

Nick by AM Madden

Nick and Angela met in Chicago. He was on assignment, and she was visiting family. When they first caught sight of each other, they shared an immediate attraction. The plan was to experience one night together, but what was supposed to be a one night stand turned into so much more.

****Overall review****

Wow! This is the mother of all anthologies. From secret crushes to second chances, each story is very well written and quite enjoyable. If you are looking for a unique Christmas read, you will be pleased to discover that this anthology is full of them. On top of that, you will be helping out sick children with your purchase, and who doesn't want to do that? This would also make a perfect gift for everyone on your Christmas list, or you could just gift it to yourself! Congrats to Stephanie from Stephanie's Book Reports as well as all of the very talented authors who worked tirelessly to bring this anthology to fruition.

Vera Green says

Received a ARC for an honest review.

Fifteen talented authors coming together for a worthy cause. If you love Christmas and the magic that comes with it, you will love each one of these stories. Each story is different but the theme is the same LOVE. Like the song says: it's the most wonderful time of the year.

I highly recommend this book by these amazing authors. These stories will warm your heart.
