

Chick Lit



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"Late 20th century women's fiction with an attitude."

- Lisa Navidi, Rockville (MD)
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Anybody Out There? by Marian Keyes
An eccentric, comical, charming look at love here and ever after.

Baby Proof by Emily Giffin
Witty, heartfelt story about what happens to the perfect couple who suddenly want different things.

The Debutante Divorcée by Plum Sykes
Young wife realizes her husband is prime target for a rich, newly-divorced acquaintance.

Dedication by McLaughlin & Kraus
High school boyfriend disappears, then surfaces 13 years later as rock star with songs about young woman's life.

Drop Dead Beautiful by Jackie Collins
Gorgeous, successful, happily married mom is Mafia princess turned Hollywood producer/real estate mogul.

Everyone Worth Knowing by Lauren Weisberger
Young workaholic joins Manhattan's hottest PR and event-planning firm.

Guy Not Taken by Jennifer Weiner
Short stories follow love and relationships over the course of a lifetime.

Happiness Sold Separately by Lolly Winston
A woman's 'perfect life' is challenged with infidelity and infertility.

I Feel Bad About My Neck by Nora Ephron
A funny, candid look at getting older, empty nests, and life itself.

Home to Big Stone Gap by Adriana Trigiani
A woman is forced to reinvent herself in a small southern town.

Jane Austen in Boca by Paula Marantz Cohen
Austen's *Pride and Prejudice*, with Bennett daughters recast as elderly Jewish widows.

Jane Austen in Scarsdale: Or Love, Death and the SATs by Paula Marantz Cohen
Austen's *Persuasion*, with thirty-something guidance counselor meeting up again with love of her life.

The Land of Mango Sunsets by Dorothea Benton Frank
A midlife woman discovers herself in the enchanted, mysterious Lowcountry of South Carolina.

The Last Summer [of You and Me] by Ann Brashares
Two sisters share a home and an infatuation on Fire Island.

Life's A Beach by Claire Cook
Two grown sisters and a cast of quirky, hilarious characters get on with life on Cape Cod.

The Mango Season by Amulya Malladi
Young woman returns to her Indian homeland and is forced to decide between romance and tradition.

The Manny by Holly Peterson
Park Avenue working mom finds full-time male nanny [manny] irresistible.

Momzillas by Jill Kargman
Motherhood as practiced in the upper echelons of Manhattan society.

Mr. Darcy's Daughters by Elizabeth Aston Jane Austen spin-off about the escapades of the imagined daughters of Elizabeth Bennett and Mr. Darcy.

Must Love Dogs by Claire Cook Humorous pitfalls of the midlife singles' scene, played out family style.

Piece of Work by Laura Zigman Happy stay-at-home mom is forced to return to high-pressure PR work for demanding client.

Queen of Babble by Meg Cabot American girl with big mouth and good intentions raises havoc abroad.

Rise and Shine by Anna Quindlen Two sisters find the true meaning of success and the qualities in life that matter most.

Sammy's House by Kristin Gore Comedic twenty-something navigates Washington politics and her love life.

Second Chance by Jane Green An awful death brings back school friends for a second chance.

The Second Mrs. Darcy by Elizabeth Aston Impoverished widow returns to England from India and unexpectedly inherits a fortune.

Shoe Addicts Anonymous by Beth Harbison Four women with common shoe size and shared addiction for footwear forge unlikely friendships.

Shopaholic and Baby by Sophie Kinsella Madcap pregnant airhead learns her hubby is having an affair with her obstetrician.

Size 12 is Not Fat by Meg Cabot Weight-conscious, romance-obsessed ex-pop star turns detective in NYC.

Something Blue by Emily Giffin Young woman finds herself completely alone for the first time in her life... with a baby on the way.

Swapping Lives by Jane Green Single British career girl swaps places with married American mother of two.

Sweetwater Creek by Anne Rivers Siddons Adolescent motherless girl's world changes with the arrival of a 20-year-old sophisticated blueblood.

A Tale of Two Sisters by Anna Maxted Challenges and mistakes force siblings back to the simple goodness of their sisterhood.

Un-Bridaled by Eileen Rendahl Runaway bride with two kooky dogs, an angry ex, and wedding gifts to return moves in with grandma.

We Are All Welcome Here by Elizabeth Berg Tensions between race, class, mother, daughter during 1964 Summer of Freedom in Mississippi.

The Yummy Mummy by Polly Williams A young British mother's comic attempts to regain her pre-pregnancy lifestyle.

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