

## Broken Promise Hunters Of The Ice Age Book 4

Realistic Characters Shine in Bylin's Latest Romance Julia Dare is trying to run her own business, raise her young son, Max, and help her widowed mother. Her biggest worry, though, is keeping Max's father from being a bad influence while still allowing the boy to spend time with his dad. When an account from her event-planning business sends her to Caliente Springs resort, she's shocked to encounter Zeke Monroe, her college sweetheart. Zeke is determined to keep Caliente Springs running despite financial trouble. When Julia walks back into his life, he's surprised at the feelings she stirs up. As they work together on an important client's wedding, the fate of the resort soon depends on their success. With Zeke and Julia both pushed to their limits, will their history put up walls between them or bring them together?

When brilliant police detective Flynn Carroll's young wife vanishes inexplicably in the middle of the night, his obsessive investigation reveals a string of similar disappearances and draws the attention of secret police Special Agent Diana Glass, whose team invites Carroll into their world of extraordinary challenges and lethal dangers. 25,000 first printing.

This book is the first to explore the deep and lasting impacts of the largest colonial trading company, the British East India Company on the natural environment. The contributors – drawn from a wide range of academic disciplines - illuminate the relationship between colonial capital and the changing environment between 1600 and 1857.

Black Robert. The most feared of all King Edward's men... When an English knight approaches the charred ruins of her sister's Scottish village, Gaira of Clan Colquhoun knows better than to trust this fierce-looking man. Yet, struggling to set her war-shaken world to rights, she has little choice. Robert of Dent will see her to safety. He can promise nothing more. Never again will he make a vow like the one he broke years ago, even though Gaira's fierce resilience makes him long to protect her. But what will happen when Gaira discovers exactly who Robert is?

A modern fable... All Martha Dewhurst needs is for David Mulberry to appear as her charming and handsome date for one night at her law firm's annual party. But David has his own plan... to expose shoddy building products foisted on an unsuspecting public. Thanks to David, Martha's career goes into a death spiral. And David's career is not looking too healthy either; instead of being thanked for his whistle-blowing against corruption, he's kicked out the door. But now this battling couple must face their real test: two bumbling angels have just arrived on Earth and their sole mission is to make sure Martha and David fall in love.

Henry W Cabarrus, Jr's formative years occurred during the Civil Rights Movement in the United States. A young black male seeking self-identity through family and work, Henry struggled to find himself amidst the surrounding social cacophony. In 1954, the US Supreme Court ruled that segregation in US schools was unconstitutional. The decision kicked off a massive resistance movement in Virginia, where Henry's family lived. In response to the resistance, it was ruled that operation of public schools was a local option for the state's counties and cities, and no provision was made for educating the county's black children. With no education, prospects, or family support, Henry found himself saved from a near suicide attempt. He left Virginia in pursuit of a formal education and his place in the world. College was a struggle, but Henry prevailed, graduating with a 4.0 GPA from Saint Paul's College. Henry's memoir, *Many Broken Promises and Yet I Stand!*, is part history, part relationships, and part social commentary.

Dawson Burke recognizes a bright, beautiful, and totally unrealistic woman when he sees one. He is happy to tell Jen-Jen a thing or two about how she's wasting her time trying to save a reality show from sliding toward destruction. Jen-Jen Puffney is so done with staying quietly in the background. Sure, this reality show has a few little problems, but she knows she's the one who can step in and make it a success. But as a determined Jen-Jen rolls up her sleeves to get to work and ignore Dawson's valuable advice, he finds himself hopelessly drawn to her, despite her impractical plans. Of course, nothing can save the show, and he and Jen-Jen will soon be thrown out of their jobs. But if he sticks around and 'helps' her, he may just have a real chance to win her heart.

Hunters at the Margin examines the conflict in the Northwest Territories between Native hunters and conservationists over three big game species: the wood bison, the muskox, and the caribou. John Sandlos argues that the introduction of game regulations, national parks, and game sanctuaries was central to the assertion of state authority over the traditional hunting cultures of the Dene and Inuit. His archival research undermines the assumption that conservationists were motivated solely by enlightened preservationism, revealing instead that commercial interests were integral to wildlife management in Canada.

This inside look at government regulations analyzes the failure of the Wagner-Taft-Hartley Act.

"They came from the land of the Great Father, as many as grasshoppers in summer..." —Autumn Snow, Tsitsistas (Cheyenne) On December 21, 1866, Red Cloud and a band of Oglala Lakota and Cheyenne warriors defeated a U.S. Army force led by Captain William J. Fetterman. The Fetterman defeat ended Red Cloud's war for control of the Bozeman Trail with the signing of the Fort Laramie Treaty of 1868.

President Ulysses S. Grant came to office the following year on a reform platform that included Indian peace policy. *Grasshoppers in Summer* tells the epic story of making and breaking the Fort Laramie Treaty as seen through the eyes of opposing political, military, and tribal leaders. Relentless fraud, corruption, cultural and political pressures frustrated Grant's effort to reform Indian policy. A conspiracy of military, railroad, and mining interests destroyed the Fort Laramie Treaty, leading to the drumbeat of war. The plains tribes' last great victory at Greasy Grass would win the bitter spoils of total defeat.

Caught... Once honorable, Paul Baron is now a man broken by war. He welcomes death at the hands of his sworn enemies, for only death can free him from the true misery his life has become. Caught...

Between the world of her Sioux mother and the turmoil brought by her white father's people encroaching on the Sioux lands, Hope is unaccountably drawn to the brave enemy soldier her people are about to kill. Caught... In each other's worlds. When both are given one last chance to live, will they seize the gift of love... or will they let war and fear destroy everything worth living for?

On a collision course of desire... Ferocious warrior, Fighting Wolf, will destroy anyone who challenges his right to possess the beautiful woman he's captured. Lovely Sarita will risk life and limb to free herself from slavery by the one man who has taken her captive, and now threatens to steal her heart.

CIA operative Flynn Carroll uncovers a plot that has Iran and the planet Aeon working together to incite nuclear war between the United States and Russia, and races against time to stop the aliens from destroying the human race.

Hunters of the Ice Age At the dawn of time, a proud people battled for survival, at one with the harsh beauty of the land and its primal rhythms. *Dark Renegade...* Talon had stalked the great beasts of the

plains, but he never faced prey more elusive than the woman he had stolen from his enemies. In her pale eyes, he beheld a challenge that would test beyond all endurance strengths he had thought indomitable. As courageous as any man, yet as delicate as a tundra flower, Summer had once longed for Talon's embrace; now, she would fight to the death before submitting to him. A terrible betrayal had turned Talon against her - only a bond stronger than love itself could subdue the captor and make him surrender to Summer's sweet, gentle fury.

Being a chameleon demoness already made things tricky, but did it need to be this difficult? All Dahlia wanted was her freedom, but first, she needed to buy out of her promised bonding, a promise that was made for her before she was even born. Almost a century of trying had taken its toll, and she'd done things she wasn't proud of. Lost parts of herself along the way and flirted with the darkness inside her. And it flirted back. She told herself it would all be worth it in the end, but before she won that battle, everything in her life systematically blew up in her face—one piece at a time. Blaming it all on the beautiful, egotistical vampire who showed up in her life would be easy, but it started long before he arrived. With his help, she might succeed, but Dahlia wasn't sure she could trust an outsider—not even one sent by Lucifer himself. Dahlia was standing on the brink of having everything she'd ever dreamed of, but she also risked losing it all. Was her freedom really worth the cost?

It may have been the greatest injustice of all. A nation was uprooted. A nation was ripped apart from its ancestral lands with its peoples' feet pointed west. So many died along the way. The Five Civilized Tribes - the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Creek, Cherokee, and Seminole - rose to power on the land of their fathers, atop great smoky mountains, deep within vast timbered forests, lost among the mangroves, palmettos, and rivers of grass. They were strong and proud - hunters who had become farmers. Many fine plantations were firmly planted on the land they called home, and slaves picked their cotton in the fields. They had achieved self-government and prospered. But civilization rolled selfishly into their nation. Treaties were passed, signed, and ignored. Promises were made and broken, sometimes just forgotten. The removal of the tribes from their homeland in the Southeast to Indian Territory takes on a new dimension as author Caleb Pirtle relates to a culture that existed before the Europeans set foot on American soil. The people suffered greatly from this exodus - driven like cattle herds across frozen ground and icy rivers, families separated, children and the old ones dying - as they struggled down a path that would forever be known as "The Trail Where They Cried." They were victimized by America's "Indian Policy." It was a grave mistake. Trail of Broken Promises was written for the casual historian searching for an emotional overview of a dark era in America's past. Developed for the traveler, the book contains numerous photographs depicting the heritage and culture of the Five Civilized Tribes, as well as historical traces - homes, council houses, prisons, and forts - of their early days in Oklahoma.

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From New York Times bestselling author Linwood Barclay comes an explosive novel set in the peaceful small town of Promise Falls, where secrets can always be buried—but never forgotten... After his wife's death and the collapse of his newspaper, David Harwood has no choice but to uproot his nine-year-old son and move back into his childhood home in Promise Falls, New York. David believes his life is in free fall, and he can't find a way to stop his descent. Then he comes across a family secret of epic proportions. A year after a devastating miscarriage, David's cousin Marla has continued to struggle. But when David's mother asks him to check on her, he's horrified to discover that she's been secretly raising a child who is not her own—a baby she claims was a gift from an "angel" left on her porch. When the baby's real mother is found murdered, David can't help wanting to piece together what happened—even if it means proving his own cousin's guilt. But as he uncovers each piece of evidence, David realizes that Marla's mysterious child is just the tip of the iceberg. Other strange things are happening. Animals are found ritually slaughtered. An ominous abandoned Ferris wheel seems to stand as a warning that something dark has infected Promise Falls. And someone has decided that the entire town must pay for the sins of its past...in blood.

998 A.D. Desperate to flee Greenland, beautiful Yngveld Sveinsdatter buys a Viking ship and its captive crew, unaware she is sailing into dark and dangerous waters... Thomas Lachlan, half-Viking, half-Irish, arrives in Greenland with a crew of battle-hardened men on a mission to locate one Yngveld Sveinsdatter and bring her to Ireland to marry his military commander. But a treacherous betrayal finds Thomas, his men, and his ship sold to the very woman he seeks. Now the mission turns deadly: Thomas must retake his ship, or he and his men will die. And as a forbidden passion grows between Thomas and Yngveld, they must choose: will their passion lead them to a triumphant love ... or to a soul-destroying dishonor and death?

Viner traveled to various Eastern European countries to interview women of all ages and circumstances who are willing to do anything to get to America. The revealing and often unsettling tales of these women, told in their own words, shine a light on a growing population in the U.S.

"My name was Sam Brewer and I walked away from my children, and my life, on the promise of a man I'd only just met." Sam discovers a secret and it shakes her whole world to the extent she is willing to leave it all behind when a stranger offers her a new life. She can start again, but only if she leaves everything behind and follows him through a magical Portal only he can control. What waits for her on the other side is a nightmare, and she soon realises the enormity of the mistake she's made. She needs to find a way home, but she needs help and allies are hard to find. Broken Promises, A Portal Series novel, is Sam's story.

Shocked at Danial's betrayal, Sarelle returns to her old home to consider her options. Yet even as Sar plans a reconciliation with Danial, Terian arrives, confessing his desire. When Theo witnesses Terian and Sar kiss, he angrily confronts Sar, leading to startling consequences. Will Sar's heart choose Danial, Terian, ...or Theo

Hayden Patterson has a simple rule. And he's never broken it. Sleeping with a woman more than once simply isn't going to happen. He's always managed to hang onto his resolve, and so far, no woman's ever blasted her way through. It's one and done, with no prospect of ever having anything permanent. His childhood gave him that thinking and he has no plans to ever change. Two women alone, and one of them is in more danger than anyone realizes. It's hard being a teenager. Kacey Flournoy knows that all too well. Stuck in a school district full of snobby rich kids, she doesn't fit in on her single mom's salary. When she's cast as a bully, it only gets worse - especially since she's the one being bullied. And her poor mom, Delaina, doesn't know what to do. Since Kacey's dad died while serving in the military, it's all she can do to put food on the table. When Hayden draws his first assignment through Citadel Security, he can't believe it. No way does he want to follow a poor little rich girl around all day to guard her from a bully. It doesn't take him long, however, to figure out that something's terribly wrong. And when he tries to right it, he meets the one woman who just might make him break his long-standing promise. That would mean he'd have to let go of the past, but he's sure he's not ready and he never will be. A novella nestled between the first and second books in the first spinoff series from the Love Under Construction series, One Broken Promise takes the hunted to the hunter, the oppressor to the oppressed, and one very scared man to a place that will bring him to his knees. If you've ever been bullied, you'll feel the pain. But you'll also taste the joy of a promise broken. WARNING: Strong, graphic sexual situations, heinous criminal acts against both an animal and a person by a seriously sick individual, and a suicide. For

readers 18+ only.

Doctor Sly Coombs, plastic surgeon extraordinaire, lives life in the fast lane, experimenting with drugs. Now he's on a one-way ride to hell. Bodine Marshall can see where he's headed. She, too, knows the siren call of drugs. Only together can they face the twin demons of addiction and abandonment and find their way to true love.

Over a year has passed since Rylie returned to her 'human' life. She now knows the truth about her past – and the destiny she can't yet accept. Rylie struggles to choose between two different worlds, each with a boy she loves. News that her father is alive complicates her life even more. Among the broken hearts and promises, a chance for a new beginning will emerge. Life on the Western Frontier in 1866 is dangerous when you're a beautiful woman... Alone and pregnant, Amberson Hawley believes the man she loves died in the War. When a wealthy man begs for her hand, she accepts, not knowing his true character. Justin Harbinger fulfills his vow to return to the woman he loves. But when he finds her married and with a baby in her arms, he wants nothing to do with her or her disloyal ways. Running from a faithless marriage, can Amberson find true love with Justin again, or will he leave her to fight the harsh ways of the wild west alone?

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In *The Cost of Winning*, Michael H. Cosgrove describes how the United States used economic policies to contain the Soviet Union during the post-World War II era and how those policies turned a vibrant American economy into one of broken promises and declining power. Cosgrove defines and examines the five economic building blocks used to contain the Soviets in America's Golden Age: the Marshall Plan, free trade, federal income tax policy, the American defense umbrella, and plentiful and cheap oil from the Middle East. He explains how policies supporting these building blocks allowed U.S. taxpayers to both contain the Soviets and enjoy a rapidly rising standard of living. America's economic superstate began to crumble, however, with President Nixon's August 1971 decision to abandon the gold quasi-standard and Saudi Arabia's 1973 decision to cut oil shipments to America. Lean years for the American economy set in. When the American economy could no longer deliver the American dream, entitlements were increased in an attempt to fill the gap between expectations and what the private sector could provide. Since the early 1970s, real purchasing power has been steadily eroding for approximately 75 million private sector workers. The American dream that a good education would lead to a decent job and a rising standard of living in a safe neighborhood has been dashed. Violent crime in America increases while expenditures on public safety rapidly increase. Will America be the first world power to reverse its relative decline? Cosgrove maintains that Congress must initiate the upward process by restructuring itself. Rather than meeting in Washington, D.C., Congress should meet a maximum three to four months per year at a different site each year to achieve "American revitalization." Cosgrove's solutions to the problems of crime include law enforcement through use of bounty hunters to identify and capture alleged criminals, and to establish a fixed penalty system for violent crimes to make costs of committing crime clearer to everyone. Certain to be controversial, this intriguing examination of the state of affairs in the United States, and the author's recommended policies will be compelling reading for sociologists, policymakers, economists, and scholars with an interest in applied public policy for the long haul.

1818... On the ocean, off the west coast of Vancouver Island, North America Proud and lovely Haina could not believe the arrogance of handsome Chance-Gift-from-the-Sea, a mere commoner who dared to capture her—a noblewoman and daughter of the most feared war chief on the coast. Chance could not believe his good fortune when he and his men discover the beautiful daughter of his enemy has paddled far out to sea with only one elderly servant for protection. But the hunter soon becomes the hunted. As Chance faces treachery in his home village and certain death abroad at the hands of Haina's ferocious family, only his love for the beautiful woman he captured can lead him to safety...

A woman scorned, Larissa Worth wants only to stay away from Rex Delacroix, the man who broke her heart ten lonely years ago. But when her beloved adopted daughter teeters on the brink of death, it is Rex who steps in and saves the girl. Now Larissa is forced to face the past she'd thought she'd buried. When Rex walked out of Larissa's life ten years ago, he'd had troubles of his own. Serious troubles. In the intervening years, he'd learned to face his past, to heal, and to build a new life for himself. But when he meets Larissa again, he realizes not only that he still loves her, but that he must make amends for the damage he'd caused. Together, Larissa and Rex begin the delicate walk that will either lead to healing their lives and hearts, or separate them forever.

It is well for the fairy-loving public that Mr. Andrew Lang should go bravely on publishing his delightful Red, Blue, Green, and Yellow Fairy Books as if the cry of "too many books" had never been uttered. The juvenile clientele whom he addresses is an ever-increasing one and is as many-colored as Joseph's or as Parsifal's coat. So skilful a caterer as this keen-eyed Scotchman is not often found: an intellectual gourmand of the first water, long since awarded the cordon bleu in the fine art of fairy-tales, he knows what his public likes—the exacting, appreciative boy-and-girl public whose instinctive cleverness tells them what is good and what is not. His sympathetic nature makes all children congenial to him, and he has remained child enough, despite Homeric disquisitions and scientific fads in folk-lore, to pick out with infallible taste just what they like. "The Yellow Fairy Book" is full of tales from uncouth tongues like Polish, Hungarian, Russian and Red Indian, but also sprinkled with old favorites like Andersen's "Tin Soldier" and Grimm's "Iron Stone." A glimpse or two from the fanciful French "Cabinet des Fées" is also to be found in this capital collection, which is prefaced by a good-natured but sharp-tongued stricture on the false position of Mr. Laurence Gomme and his rather portentous Folk-Lore Society. This book is fully illustrated and annotated with a rare extensive biographical sketch of the author, Andrew Lang, written by Sir Edmund Gosse, CB, a contemporary poet and writer.

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A nation torn apart. A woman ripped from her husband. A terrifying forced march. When the Cherokee nation is forced to relocate, Elsie Feather is snatched from her husband and children. Will she find her family? A Trail of Broken Promises is a gripping story of love and loss, peace and despair, And The beautiful story of love's redeeming power. Travel the Trail of Tears and experience the heartache and pain through the eyes of Elsie Feather, a young Cherokee wife who nearly loses it all and rises up to fight back at those seeking to destroy her and her people. A Trail of Broken Promises takes the reader down a dark road in the history of a nation built on religious freedom And The concept of all men being created equal.

Hunters of the Ice Age At the dawn of time, a proud people battled for survival, at one with the harsh beauty of the land and its primal rhythms. Broken Promise Among the warring tribes, the Jaguars were the mightiest, and the hunter called Falcon was feared like no other. Once headman of his clan, he had suffered a great loss that turned him against man and Great Spirit. But in a world both deadly and treacherous, a mere woman would teach Falcon that he could not live by brute strength alone. Her people destroyed, her promised husband enslaved, Star found herself at Falcon's mercy. And even though she was separated from everything she loved, the tall proud Badger woman would not give up hope. With courage and cunning, the beautiful maiden would survive in a rugged new land, win the heart of her captor and make a glorious future from the shell of a... Broken Promise

Somebody is taking people and making it look like they walked out on their own. As police detective Flynn Carroll's case files grow, his work comes to the attention of Special Agent Diana Glass, a member of the most secret police unit on the planet. This police force seeks the most brilliant and lethal criminals who have ever walked free--thieves and murderers from another world.--From publisher's description.

"Essential...in showcasing people who are persistent, clever, flawed, loving, struggling and full of contradictions, Broke affirms why it's worth solving the hardest problems in our most challenging cities in the first place. " —Anna Clark, The New York Times "Through in-depth reporting of structural inequality as it affects real people in Detroit, Jodie Adams Kirshner's Broke examines one side of the economic divide in America" —Salon "What Broke really tells us is how systems of government, law and finance can crush even the hardiest of boot-strap pullers." —Brian Alexander, author of Glass House A galvanizing, narrative account of a city's bankruptcy and its aftermath told through the lives of seven valiantly struggling Detroiters Bankruptcy and the austerity it represents have become a common "solution" for struggling American cities. What do the spending cuts and limited resources do to the lives of city residents? In Broke, Jodie Adams Kirshner follows seven Detroiters as they navigate life during and after their city's bankruptcy. Reggie loses his savings trying to make a habitable home for his family. Cindy fights drug use, prostitution, and dumping on her block. Lola commutes two hours a day to her suburban job. For them, financial issues are mired within the larger ramifications of poor urban policies, restorative negligence on the state and federal level and—even before the decision to declare Detroit bankrupt in 2013—the root causes of a city's fiscal demise. Like Matthew Desmond's Evicted, Broke looks at what municipal distress means, not just on paper but in practical—and personal—terms. More than 40 percent of Detroit's 700,000 residents fall below the poverty line. Post-bankruptcy, they struggle with a broken real estate market, school system, and job market—and their lives have not improved. Detroit is emblematic. Kirshner makes a powerful argument that cities—the economic engine of America—are never quite given the aid that they need by either the state or federal government for their residents to survive, not to mention flourish. Success for all America's citizens depends on equity of opportunity.

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