

## The Throw Away Bride Harlequin Comics

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When Miranda, a nurse, is lured outside by a captivating sound, she finds an unfamiliar man playing the saxophone. Tempted by his sinfully soft voice, Miranda kisses him passionately. Then, suddenly, she's brought back to reality by the deep wounds in her heart and she flees. She decided long ago that she would never let herself be attracted to anyone again... Why did she let her guard down with him? Full of regret and bewilderment, she arrives at her new workplace and must confront a shocking situation. The man she kissed is her boss!

His unexpected wife! Cristo Ravelli paces the floor of his father's Irish country estate, ruing the day he heard the Brophy name. That his father died and left a brood of illegitimate children is hardly surprising, but to silence this scandal Cristo must bring their guardian, the enchanting Belle, in line with his plans! Belle Brophy's only concern is her half siblings. She'll do anything to provide them with the security she never had. So when this gorgeous Italian offers marriage, she won't say no. But once the ring is on her finger Belle quickly discovers there's more to a marriage than saying "I do"! Years ago Ally asked PJ, a free-spirited surfer, to marry her on paper. She needed her grandmother's inheritance so she could run away from her arrogant father and make her dream come true. And to claim it, she had to get married as her grandmother's will stated. Ten years later, Ally, who's now a successful designer, visits PJ and finds that he's the president of a big company. Feeling intimidated by him, she manages to ask him for a divorce. He then tells her they must try to live like a married couple. But why would they if there's no love between them?

Brianna Connelly is the last person Dimitrios Giannakis wants to see again. But the stunning supermodel could hold the key to saving his daughter's life.... Brianna will do anything for her niece, except let Dimitrios break her heart again. Only, the chemistry between Brianna and the enigmatic tycoon is as strong as ever, and it leads to an unexpected proposal.... Then Brianna discovers the best chance for her niece is a transplant from a sibling. Is Dimitrios's proposal just a ruthless determination to have her conceive his baby?

Best friends Evie Jones and Max Carmichael enter into a platonic marriage so Max can access his trust fund, but when Max's half-brother and Evie's former lover Logan Black finds out about the arrangement, he becomes intent on removing Evie from Max's life.

Rebecca, a woman without a single relative, was raised with Fliss, another orphan, as sisters in the same foster family. They grew up together as close friends and started an event-planning company. Rebecca met Damon Asteriades, an important Greek businessman, at a wedding they were working and fell in love at first sight. But Damon believed the

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slander about her and, in the end, married Fliss... Four years later, Rebecca was raising a young boy when Damon showed up again...just as hateful as ever!

Married for revenge... But is she the key to the Spaniard's redemption? Seeking vengeance, billionaire Gabriel isn't above stealing his rival's fiancée for himself! His plan seems complete when, to support her struggling mother, sweet, penniless Leonora agrees to his ruthless proposal. But at his luxury villa, he's blindsided by their powerful attraction—and her innocence! Gabriel only offers passion, but behind his arrogant pride, Leonora discovers his loyalty matches her own. She sees the honorable man Gabriel could be, if he's prepared to give her more than just pleasure...

THE WRONG BROTHER? Christmas Eve. Paris. Two strangers' eyes meet. So romantic. Yet Josie didn't know her encounter with Adam Ryder was far from accidental. She could not regret the passionate evening she and Adam had shared- until she learned he was her boyfriend's brother, sent to ruin their relationship. What was she to do now that she was pregnant? Adam was arrogantly insisting on marriage. But there would be no convenience in wedding a man she loathed...and yet desperately desired....

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Ellie Morgan hoped to buy the bookshop where she worked, so evenings she moonlighted as a cleaner at Alexiakis International... Until she overheard Dio Alexiakis discussing a top-secret deal, and he insisted that Ellie was an industrial spy! Ellie was unnerved by her confrontation with Dio Alexiakis. However, Dio knew just how he would deal with her.... Ellie found herself on her way to Dio's island, and two days and nights of perfect passion... followed by an unexpected pregnancy. Dio had the perfect solution -- they'd marry for the baby's sake. By now, Ellie was in love with Dio, but could he learn to love his expectant bride?

It started at a wedding! Waking Up Married Megan is shocked when she wakes up a bride; she can't even remember her first cocktail-fuelled kiss with business tycoon Conner Reed! Now Conner must convince her of their scorching chemistry starting with their wedding night! The Heir's Chosen Bride New York financier Hamish Douglas sees everything as a potential business deal, but even he can't evict beautiful Susie and baby from their home. The solution? Marriage. But Susie won't accept his proposal unless Hamish proves he loves her! The Throw-Away Bride The one, unforgettable night Abby Collins spent with sexy businessman Leo Storm might have been wilder than she'd ever imagined, but she never expected to end up pregnant! Leo's proposed, but all Abby really wants is his love!

Read this classic, passionate romance from USA Today bestselling author Michelle Reid, now available for the first time in e-book! Jilted at the altar! Shaan Saketa has heard the words before but never thought they would apply to her. Humiliated and alone, she stands facing a thousand guests when her boss, ruthless tycoon Rafe Danvers, makes a shocking proposal. Suddenly she finds herself married to the wrong man and whisked away on a honeymoon! Rafe has always suspected that there was more to his mousy secretary than meets the eye, and he's right. But as he indulges in exquisite nights little does he know that Shaan is

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wondering just how ruthless he really is and just how far he went to have her in his bed! Originally published in 1997

What the bad boy of the business world wants... When billionaire Leandro Perez's indispensable and alluring assistant Emily Edison resigns and lets him know what she really thinks of him, he's furious. He won't let her off easily. If she wants to go, she'll pay the price—two weeks in paradise at his beck and call! ...he gets! Trapped by Leandro, Emily's fragile plan to marry a suitable man to bring security to her family is threatened. And as their attraction gives way to a craving that's impossible to deny Emily will have to make the ultimate choice—duty...or desire?

She'll be his wife... But at what cost? Billionaire Dante Vittori spent years building his impeccable reputation—no easy feat following his father's incarceration. To counter a business threat, ruthless Dante must do the unthinkable—get married! Free-spirited heiress Alisha will do anything to save her mother's charity—even marry the man she hates. But neither expects the intense heat between them! Suddenly the price of their marriage is more than they bargained for... Get swept away by this intense and emotional marriage of convenience!

When Enrico Ranieri discovers that Freya has hidden the existence of his son, he demands her hand in marriage. Enrico won't give Freya his heart, but he will give her his special brand of bedroom pleasure.... Now Freya must convince Enrico she's innocent, because she can't survive as just his bride of convenience....

Read this classic romance by USA Today bestselling author Lynne Graham! Beholden to the billionaire... Daisy Thornton's memories of her brief marriage to Alessio Leopardi thirteen years ago have never waned. Their whirlwind affair was passionate and deep, but soon after the wedding he turned his back on her and she was left alone...or so she thought—for it was soon revealed she was carrying his child! Now Alessio is back and Daisy must tell him about the daughter he never knew he had. But when the formidable Italian learns of his legacy he makes an uncompromising demand. Now Daisy will have to choose: walk away from the man she never forgot...or return to his bed—as his wife! Originally published in 1996

No marriage? No merger. They had only one option. He'd denied his attraction while she'd been promised to his brother. So when Olivia Jennings is jilted days before her elaborately planned wedding, Alessandro Sartori offers himself as groom. Their families will get the merger they want. And he'll finally get the bride he craves. Orphan Olivia has always felt invisible. But the desire she discovers with her unexpected husband makes her feel seen for the very first time. Theirs is a paper marriage, but what will become of them if they choose to make their vows real? USA TODAY Bestselling Author

Banished from his bed Bound by a scandalous secret!

Fearing a forced betrothal with a man known for his cruelty, Heloise Bergeron throws herself on the mercy of Charles Fawley, Earl of Walton. He believes himself attracted to her younger, beautiful sister, so what is he doing entertaining thoughts of marriage to the plain, quiet Heloise? But marry her he does. Returning to England with a convenient wife, who inspires a very inconvenient desire, Charles is about to discover just how untouched his French bride really is....

Waking Up Married - Mira Lyn Kelly It's the morning after her cousin's bachelorette party in Vegas and Megan Scott wakes up in a

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stranger's penthouse with a funny, arrogant, sexy...husband! Up until now, finding even a boyfriend had seemed impossible -- then a few martinis with Connor Reed and she's gone from first meet to marriage in one night! Megan wants a lawyer. But Connor's shocking bombshell? 'I don't want a divorce.' The Heir's Chosen Bride - Marion Lennox As a widow and single mum, Susan is wary about meeting the man who has just inherited the rambling castle where she and her small daughter live. Surely New York financier Hamish Douglas will want to sell up? Hamish might see everything as a potential business deal, but even he can't deny the attraction between him and Susie. Nor could he evict her and her baby from their beloved home. For Hamish, surely marriage is the only sensible solution? But Susie is the last person who will accept a marriage proposal just because it's sensible... The Throw Away Bride - Ann Major Abby Collins wasn't in the habit of having one-night stands. Especially with strong but staid ranchers like Leo Storm. Their night together had been wilder than she'd ever imagined, but it had consequences that Abby hadn't bargained for. She was pregnant...with Leo's baby. He'd asked her to marry him -- said it would make things easier. And while marriage to a wealthy CEO would make some women swoon, all Abby really wanted was for her and her baby to be loved. And that was the one thing Leo might not be capable of...

Following a tragic plane crash, no one believed that Golden Spurs ranch heiress Mia Kemble could have survived. And no one is more surprised to find out she's been languishing in a Mexican prison than loner cowboy Shanghai Knight, Mia's former lover. Shanghai has fought hard to put the past behind him, and has finally become as successful as the stuck-up Kembles. So why can't he forget Mia, or their one night of passion? Suddenly Shanghai knows he needs a plan. When Shanghai arrives to save the day, Mia can't help but wonder if the wild man from her past, the man who broke her heart, has finally been tamed. Or whether he would have come if he knew the truth behind her baby's paternity. But she's still in jeopardy—now more than ever. And Shanghai may be the only one who can help. It isn't over between them. Not even close.

### The CEO Takes a Wife

The challenge: two weeks without your billionaire fortune! Greek magnate Stavros Xenakis must go undercover to win a bet—and escape his grandfather's demands that he take a bride. Until encountering deliciously tempting housekeeper Calli proves that a wife is exactly what he needs! Calli's baby being taken away robbed her of the ability to trust anyone. Now Stavros's offer to marry her gives her the chance to finally find her son. But Calli doesn't expect their honeymoon to be so sinfully sensual—and for life as the temporary Mrs. Xenakis to be so exquisitely satisfying...

Shy Olivia is determined to have fun at the Christmas party, so when she sees a drop-dead-gorgeous man, Olivia decides that this Christmas she's not going to wait meekly under the mistletoe.

Gianfranco asked Kelly to marry him, after her holiday affair with him left her pregnant! But, once married, Gianfranco was often away on business, and his family made Kelly's life a misery. Then she heard that Gianfranco didn't want her at all; he just wanted their baby....Kelly had no choice but to run away... However, one thing was certain. Gianfranco would find her; but why? Because he wanted to reclaim his bride...or his child?

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A story of friends...with marriage benefits, by USA TODAY bestselling author Michelle Celmer After all they've been through following the tornado that hit their Texas town, there's no way Dr. Lucas Wakefield will let his best friend, Julie Kingston, leave because of a green card mix-up. The only solution is to propose marriage. But what starts as a platonic arrangement quickly blooms into red-hot desire—until Luc's ex-fiancée returns to reclaim her man and Julie questions whether happily-ever-after is in the cards. Good thing Luc has no intention of giving up his passionate new bride without a fight!

Abby is dreaming of marrying a cowboy to maintain her ranch when she impulsively shares a passionate night with Leo. He's the CEO of Golden Spurs whom she happened to meet at a bar. The next morning, she feels embarrassed and leaves. But it's not long before she finds out that she's pregnant with his child. Leo is far from her ideal man, but Abby agrees to marry him for the sake of their unborn baby. Little does she know there's another reason he wants to marry her...

The Players: 1) Caleb Payne. Calculating entrepreneur. Avowed bachelor. He takes what he wants—in the boardroom and the bedroom! 2) Bryna Metaxas. Emotionally invested in her family's business. About to enter into a business deal with Caleb that will shock her on every level...And she'll love every minute of it. The Situation: Dangerously hot, filled with steamy sexual tension and cold business machinations. The Turning Point: Caleb makes a critical error. And in the fallout, he realizes that he's lost far more than he gained—he's given up his one chance at happiness. He'd have to pull off the coup of a lifetime to earn Bryna's trust—and love—again. Then again, that's all part of the plan...

Fleeing her stalker ex-boyfriend, Anna boarded a plane for Las Vegas and hit it off with the talkative and extremely handsome cowboy in the seat next to her. They ended up marrying one another in Las Vegas, and Anna began to believe she might have a bright future with him. But when she accidentally finds out that he is not a cowboy as he said he was, but in fact, a security company owner, she must ask herself if he might be the private investigator her ex hired. Anna runs away, but now that she's experienced happiness, can she really bear a life without him?

A woman's struggle for self-realization in contemporary Iran, a novel with "the clarity and spare sensuousness of Persian poetry or miniature painting."-Ruth Praver Jhabvala When Minou Hakini marries a man of her own choosing—an intellectual and a radical—and moves to Abadan, a thriving oil town near the Iraqi border, she imagines her life will be adventurous and liberating. Before long, however, she becomes aware of her husband's suspicious liaisons and dangerous activities. Her struggle to forge her own identity as a woman in contemporary Iran is charged with passion, anger, and finally a need to escape. "The ecstasies and disillusionments of first love are the stuff of great tragedies and cheap romances, but Nahid Rachlin has done something else with this familiar theme, and something more, though her style is elegantly simple . . ." —The New York Times Book Review ". . .

.Rachlin (Foreigner) tells her story with economy and suspensefulness, weaving strands of unstable political life and sexual secrecy--in a small, vivid closeup of life in Iran at that fateful hour, within a society that had become its own prisoner." —Kirkus Reviews Nahid Rachlin is an Iranian-American who lives in New York and teaches at Barnard College. She is the author of Foreigner and The Heart's Desire, both novels, and Veils, a collection of short stories.

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Book One of the Golden Spurs series. From the cradle, Lizzy Kemble had the powerful sense that she didn't belong in her family's notorious Texas empire. Her desire for land-grabbing Cole Knight, embittered son of the neighboring rancher, proved her right. Her daddy had done everything possible to turn her into a proper Kemble—all the way to leaving his vast Golden Spurs Ranch in her hands after he fell victim to a stroke. But when her father's death turns out to be murder, Lizzy knows someone is willing to kill to claim the Kemble wealth...and she's next on the hit list. With the Golden Spurs at risk, she's fighting back...but who is the enemy? The enigmatic Cole? Her cutthroat family? Caught in a high-stakes game of win, lose or die, Lizzy is forced to gamble her ranch, her heart, her very life for the truth behind the Golden Spurs. Previously Published.

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Something old. Something new. Something borrowed. Someone dead... Adam Sutton's instinct for trouble failed him once before—and nearly destroyed his sister's life. He'll do anything to make amends, even help her turn their family's mansion into a successful destination-wedding business. But when Jillian Jones suddenly arrives at Sutton Hall, this brooding businessman suspects the bride-to-be isn't what she seems. She's asking too many "innocent" questions about the hall's tragic history and the mysterious death of its first paying bride. She's defying his orders to leave, even as strange accidents threaten her. And her fiery determination is making it impossible for Adam to resist getting dangerously close. Now their only chance to survive means gambling on an all-too-fragile trust—even as someone in the darkest shadows prepares to dress another hall bride in black....

The Desert Lord's Bride Olivia Gates

The beauty of Italy's Amalfi Coast made Regina Tomei throw caution to the wind— and spend the night in the arms of a gorgeous stranger. Except Nico Romano is actually a prince— heir to a monarchy, destined to marry a woman of royal blood. Regina has no illusions that a working-class American like herself could fit into his world of power, palazzos and paparazzi. Their passionate affair must end when her vacation does. But Regina leaves Italy with more than just memories—she's carrying Nico's baby!

A good Greek wife... Coldly ruthless and deeply cynical, Apollo Metraxis has made a career of bachelorhood. But when the inheritance of his father's estate is conditional on a marriage and a child, he is forced to do the unthinkable! Unpolished Pixie Robinson is the world's worst choice of a wife for Apollo. Yet her family's mounting debts leave her defenseless and therefore uniquely suitable. But when the wedding night exposes Pixie's untouched vulnerability, striking a chord in the dark reaches of his heart, Apollo is forced to think again. And that's before he discovers that she's carrying not one but two Metraxis heirs!

?A story by USA Today bestselling author becomes a comic!?The beautiful Princess Gabrielle is appalled to find out she's been married off without her consent. Her partner is the ruthless and rich businessman Luc Garnier, who stops at nothing to trap his quarry. But on the day of their marriage, upon seeing her husband, she feels an unknown sensation flow through her for the first time. She knows that the marriage has a large sum of money attached to it, and that love isn't part of the bargain, but she still suspects there might be something more! And despite viewing Gabrielle only as prey, unexpected feelings are budding within Luc, too.

"Want it all? Read Ann Major." Nora Roberts, New York Times best-selling author "From the infant stages of the romance genre Ann Major

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has been a significant contributor. Her name on the cover instantly identifies the book as a good read."—Sandra Brown From USA Today bestselling Texas romance author, Ann Major, comes Book 3, a novella, in her exciting Lone Star Dynasty Series. A Bachelor Party to Remember On the eve before Easton Lewis is to marry wealthy Audrey Warner to save his father's fortune, his forbidden love from the past returns. Mesmerized, East risks everything for one night in her arms. A Bridegroom's Secret Baby Bargain Nine months later he's deeply in love with his bride. But how can he turn his back on the exquisite secret baby he finds on his doorstep? Will the bargain he makes with his wife cost them their chance of happiness? The Lone Star Dynasty series includes: Love with an Imperfect Cowboy (published) Love with an Imperfect Maid (published 8-1-2019) Love with an Imperfect Bridegroom (coming 9-1-19) Love with an Imperfect Bride (coming 10-1-19) Love with an Imperfect Boss (coming soon) Love with an Imperfect Lawman (2 short stories; published) Love with an Imperfect Billionaire (coming soon)

A Wild West wedding! Thomas Greenwood expected his mail-order bride to be plain and pregnant—not a willow-slim beauty! She's clearly no practical farmer's wife, but she's his chance finally to have a loving family... Runaway heiress Charlotte Fairfax fled the possibility of a forced marriage, yet now, assuming a stolen identity, she's wed to a stranger the moment she steps off the train! She plans to stay only until it's safe to leave. Except marriage to kindhearted Thomas is far more complicated—and pleasurable—than she ever imagined!

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