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Editorial Review

From Publishers Weekly

Starred Review. Burrowes debuts with a luminous and graceful erotic Regency. The earl of Westhaven is determined to avoid his father's marital machinations by remaining in sweltering London while Society departs for the country. Westhaven takes great pleasure in his well-run household until his new housekeeper, Anna Seaton, mistakes his intentions toward a chambermaid and knocks him flat with a fireplace poker. Anna is too educated and polished to have been born to service, but she makes a tender nurse. As their affections grow, Westhaven believes he's found a candidate for marriage who would please him and satisfy his father, but Anna refuses Westhaven's proposal. Her hidden background contains ugly obligations, and she's determined to keep outrunning them even as he tries to change her mind. Burrowes turns familiar tropes into a refreshing and captivating love story that will have readers eagerly awaiting the planned sequels.

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In order to escape the machinations of his father the Duke, Gayle Windham, Earl of Westhaven, is spending the summer in his townhouse in London. His father is desperate for Gayle to get married, going so far as to bribe potential fiancées or threaten them with his lofty connections. The discomfort of the hot sweltering summer is nothing compared to the onslaught of women who do not interest him, a category that, oddly, does not include his new housekeeper. Anna Seaton excels at her position, remembering the earl's preferences, and making sure he has a well-kept home. But she does remain remote. The more Gayle sees Anna, the more he realizes that she is no ordinary housekeeper: She is beautiful, well-read, and acts and speaks like a true lady. As the two become intimate, he realizes that she is hiding a secret. And while he plans to make her his wife, she is planning her escape. Burrowes' outstanding debut is a witty, sensual, Regency romance featuring complex characters who ring true to the time period, leaving readers saying huzzah! --Patty Engelmann

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"Such an incredible book, I couldn't put it down... perfectly executed. " - *Yankee Romance Reviewers*

"Burrowes' smooth, unobtrusive writing style engages all the senses. It makes the love scenes spellbinding, the danger a heart-pounding experience, and the caring, protective love for loved ones awe-inspiring. " - *The*

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"The *Heir* is an amazingly touching and genuine regency romance with very human main characters." - ***Bookaholics Romance Book Club***

"Debut author Grace Burrowes brings readers a captivating historical romance that will leave them longing for more." - ***Romance Fiction on Suite101.com***

"A great page-turning take on forbidden love." - ***New York Journal of Books***

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"Burrowes expertly crafts her characters and fills the plot with secrets and plot twists along with vivid descriptions and a lot of romance." - ***Rundpinne***

"If you're in the mood for a romantic read, pick up Grace Burrowes' *The Heir* to curl up with on a cold night." - ***Drey's Library***

"Dangerous secrets, scheming families and villainous villains--Ms. Burrowes keeps us wondering almost to the end exactly what those secrets are." - ***Linda Banche Romance Author***

"I really loved the deep characters, the tender romance and the voice of this story!" - ***Reviews by Martha's Bookshelf***

"One of the best romance novels that I've read in a long time." - ***Laura's Reviews***

"A truly delightful historical romance that is extremely well-written and the characters interact with meaningful, loving closeness that makes this story very enjoyable." - ***Dark Diva Reviews***

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