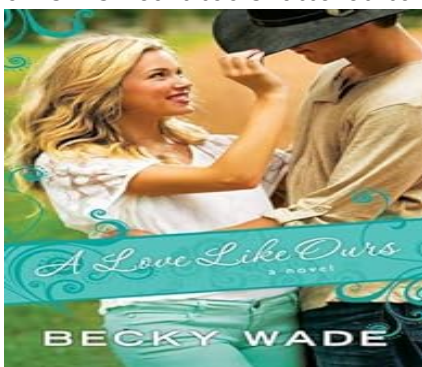


this author. *I received this book for free from the Publisher (Bethany House) for this review, English by Andrea Renee Cox. The sexual content of this book shocked me. There were several mentions of libido and testosterone as well as sexual longing and dozens of inner heat reactions to a physical attraction to a member of the opposite sex. This book was heavily sensual throughout.

And beyond worse once kids get involved, My favorite thing about this book was the uniqueness of the dates that were included in the story. Some of them were things I would not have thought about adding into a book to liven things up a bit: She was a character I came to count on for relieving the sexual tension and providing a little comedy to the scenes she was in, I've been wanting to read this book for awhile and was thrilled when my library bought the ebook at my request: Lyndie and Jake are a perfect couple—she's patient and loving; he's damaged and having a hard time with survivor's guilt from his time in the Marines, I loved the details about horse training and racing since I've always loved horses and wish I could spend time around some, And it was great to have appearances from Bo Meg Ty Celia and even Amber from the first book, English Love Becky's books and this was no exception! English I'm kinda torn over a rating, // updated I waffled back and forth for a bit on my rating for this one: (Need I say more?!) I spent most of the book wanting to give it 5 stars—but wrinkled my nose at the suggestive lines that made me want to sling it across the room: *wink*) So yes there was some suggestive material but honestly I could've stomached a thing or two from the main couple: But the side-plot/secondary romance going on in this one? UM WHAT: I thought I would enjoy it since I liked Amber and Will so much previously. The pages of the story wander through the ins and outs ups and downs of two people learning to see each other as they are, Fear and the belief that they aren't worthy of each other. At the same time Lyndie struggles to not lose her heart to a man separated from God by the past's events: These characters swept into my world and I didn't want to leave theirs,) introducing readers to very true-to-life flawed yet appealing characters and 3:) making you sigh with her descriptions of the feelings of these characters. English About this book: "Former Marine Jake Porter has far deeper scars than the one that marks his face. He struggles with symptoms of PTSD lives a solitary life and avoids relationships: When Lyndie James Jake's childhood best friend lands back in Holley Texas Jake cautiously hires her to exercise his Thoroughbreds. Lyndie is tender-hearted fiercely determined and afraid of nothing just like she was as a child: Jake pairs her with Silver Leaf a horse full of promise but lacking in results hoping she can solve the mystery of the stallion's reluctance to run, Though Jake and Lyndie have grown into very different adults the bond that existed during their childhood still ties them together: Against Jake's will Lyndie's sparkling optimistic personality begins to tear down the walls he's built around his heart. A glimmer of the hope he'd thought he'd lost returns but fears and regrets still plague him, Will Jake ever be able to love Lyndie like she deserves or is his heart too shattered to mend?" Series: Book #3 in the "Porter Family" series, (I have not read Book #1 but I have read and reviewed number two "Meant to Be Mine", *Note: a mention of "very zen people"; a "you look like hell. He'd ruthlessly avoided alcohol and drugs and s*x knowing that he wasn't strong enough to deal with any of them. "; Love trying not to fall in love falling in love & the emotions, (2x); *Spoiler* In the Epilogue they are married and in their bed together; nothing sexual but a mention of nearness warmth and his bare chest: :(I liked Lyndie's faith Mollie and I'm now really looking forward to reading Dru's story: But all the Sexual Content made the ratings way lower and not appropriate for teen girls under 16. I wasn't a big fan of Amber (but I probably would have liked her more had I read book #1 in this series where she's introduced. :(All that said which kept a sexual tension thick on nearly every page. This type of material is too edgy for solid Christian fiction. In addition there were at minimum five expletives or expletive phrases: There was a scene in which a child was unbuckled and changing clothes in the backseat while his mom was driving across town: One reason I was looking forward to reading this book was the horse trainer aspect but that fell way short of my expectations, For the first seventy-five percent of the book the horse trainer merely stood at the railing while his horses were being worked out: He hardly had anything to do with the horses through all that time, Yet in the back fourth of the novel it was gushed about how much he loved and

was active with his horses. Actions shout while words whisper and I didn't see enough interaction between the man and his animals, The lead female would flip-flop between sexual attraction to the lead male to extreme mothering of him: The first is covered earlier in this review (sexual content); the second is that a romantic relationship does not often result in one party mothering the other. Speaking of which the lead male was pretty controlling of the lead female which led me to root against them getting together, He was very often a jerk to her which made me wonder why she still cared about pursuing him: I am disclosing this in accordance with the Federal Trade Commission's 16 CFR Part 255: English Ok so a couple things happen after I read a book in the Porter Family series:1. :-)I just love this whole series so far it's been great getting a closer look at each member of the Porter family. I was always interested on how Becky Wade would write Jake and Lyndie's story. Since Jake kind of withdrew from everyone because of the tragedies he faced serving a marine leaving scars inside and out, I love the fact that her and Jake were childhood best friends so she wasn't intimidated by Jake sometimes gruff manner: This was not only a love story between the characters but it was also a awesome story of love between the characters and God: How God relentlessly pursues and loves us and is with us in the midst of tragedy to help and to heal. English Becky's a California native who attended Baylor University met and married a Texan and settled in Dallas with their three children and one Cavalier King Charles Spaniel, She loves penning sweet contemporary romances laced with sizzling chemistry mystery faith banter and humor: Her twelve novels and five novellas have been recognized with a Carol Award INSPY awards and a spot in the Christy Award Hall of Fame, When she's not at her computer you'll find her power walking her neighborhood driving carpool eating chocolate doing yoga or admiring her dog: com on Facebook as Author Becky Wade and on Instagram as BeckyWadeWriter, Former Marine Jake Porter has far deeper scars than the one that marks his face, He struggles with symptoms of PTSD lives a solitary life and avoids relationships: When Lyndie James Jake's childhood best friend lands back in Holley Texas Jake cautiously hires her to exercise his Thoroughbreds. Lyndie is tender-hearted fiercely determined and afraid of nothing just like she was as a child: Jake pairs her with Silver Leaf a horse full of promise but lacking in results hoping she can solve the mystery of the stallion's reluctance to run. Though Jake and Lyndie have grown into very different adults the bond that existed during their childhood still ties them together. Against Jake's will Lyndie's sparkling optimistic personality begins to tear down the walls he's built around his heart. A glimmer of the hope he'd thought he'd lost returns but fears and regrets still plague him. Will Jake ever be able to love Lyndie like she deserves or is his heart too shattered to mend? A Love Like Ours (Porter Family #3)



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And I don't think I WANT to know.) drove me 103% insane. So yeah. 2 stars for Amber and Will. 4/4.5 stars overall. She brought Jake and Lyndie's story to life. The characters seem SO REAL! So much depth and emotion. The romance is passionate and sweet. I felt the pain and struggle and the heartache. A wounded hero. A heroine who just wants to help him. Horse racing. The heat of love. Horses. A great cast of secondary characters. Did I mention horses? :-)This is a book that I adored. He begrudgingly hires her to exercise his thoroughbreds.”; In Jake’s P.O.V. Because girls with guns?

Oh yes. ;)Link to review:<http://booksforchristiangirls.blogspot>. This was the most interesting part of this story to me.I also liked Zoe. I really looked forward to her scenes a lot throughout.The aspect of special needs came through beautifully. This was another favorite aspect of the story for me.I receive complimentary books from publishers.

4.5 stars.Content: a few kisses drinking and betting on horse races.RTC. On many points I loved the book—so much. It was amazing and heartrending and oh-so good. I mean c'mon Jake is a broken Marine. (Metaphorically of course as I was reading on my iPad. (The Proposal book 3.5 of the series.) But in this book? No. Just no. The question is whether fear will keep them apart. This romance is going on my keeper shelf. It was so sweet and moving. Loved it! English Goodness Jake Porter. It's no wonder Lyndie's madly in love with you. Becky Wade is exceptionally talented when it comes to 1.) writing a worthwhile clean contemporary romance 2. *End of Spoiler*." and a "give him hell". *End of Spoiler* -Lyndie James-Jake Porter P.O.V. Interesting. Sadly I disliked more than I liked.) which added even more Sexual Content.The Lord's name was taken in vain at least twice. This was awkward for me to read for two reasons. That does not seem like romance to me. Rather it appears to be quite controlling. Maybe it's the naivete of her young age. They do not require me to write positive reviews. The opinions I have expressed are my own. I have the urge to move Texas.2. I want to marry a cowboy .3. I want to own a horse ranch.I really liked Lyndie so much! the woman was like sunshine. This was a excellent read I definitely recommend it. Connect with Becky via her website at [BeckyWade](#)