

Earth Bound (Fly Me to the Moon, #2) By Emma Barry **Earthbound bookends** I have a weakness for intelligent men who come across as arrogant asses on first encounter-because they are actually partly an arrogant ass.

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They are both terrible at dealing with their emotions. **Earth bound manoeuvre meaning**)As you can probably tell by the length of this review (I never write romance reviews this long).

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Emma Barry is a teacher novelist recovering academic and former political staffer. **Earthbound booklet** Nothing is more distracting than his attraction to the brilliant beautiful computer scientist on his team but he's determined to overcome it since he needs her to help America win. **Book Earth bounded** It comes with being a woman in engineering but it's worth it to join the space race—even if she can't figure out what's behind the intense looks one tightly wound engineer keeps sending her. **Earthbound bookends** And so it goes for many months before Parsons unrecognized feelings begin to seep into his work and cause him to make decisions to save Charlie's job without thinking of the consequences. **Book Earth bounded** The series focuses on a subject that is sparsely covered in the romance genre- the legendary space race - a 20th-century competition between two Cold War rivals the Soviet Union and the United States for supremacy in spaceflight capability. **Earthbound bookends** The main conflict of the story is a struggle of a beautiful and brilliant scientist Charlie Eason to overcome prejudice forge a pass for herself as a woman and succeed in male dominated world of scientists and engineers. **Earth boundary types** The picture became so saturated that the only conclusion I could draw is that all of her colleagues with exception of Eugene Parsons our hero were just a bunch of chauvinistic pigs. **Earthbound book** Graduate school had taught her an important truth about being an intelligent woman one she hadn't been able to learn growing up in Princeton: It helped to be stunningly beautiful especially when dealing with the Zeppelin-like egos of scientific men. **Earth Bound epub.pub** I wanted to know more about why he appeared to be so grouchy all the time so intense to the point of being intimidating to others expecting perfection from himself and everybody around him. **Earthbound organics** Being honest I wasn't sure I would be at all based on the sample (which I do not feel is representative of the book) but there are so many things in this book that hit all of my favorite spots. **Earth bound manoeuvre meaning** English Twentieth century historical romances are much less common than their regency or medieval counterparts so the sky's the limit (or not in this case) for co-authors Emma Barry and Genevieve Turner to tackle the post-World War Two space-race era. **EBook Earth boundless** She's there to aid the mission and though a super intelligent woman like Charlie might be the perfect fit for him he's not going to let anything get in the way of their goals. **Earthbound booklet** When she approaches him with herself on offer it's too much to resist and they quickly get involved in a heated affair - but one that is kept secret and completely separate from their work. **Book Earth bound** But don't worry even if math and physics aren't your thing the authors have been able to take the parts of the story that require these things and make them readable at a level that everyone will understand. **Earth Bound ebooks free** For me the intense dramatic scenes that made up some of the story the meetings and discussions between the scientists on the logistical challenges of getting a man into space are some of the best in the book. **Earth Bound pdf reader** And then there are the personal agendas of the men and women in the room - the managers who are looking at the bottom line the engineers who will be blamed for any failures the astronauts and their egos. **Earthbound nes rom** Of course a key aspect to the story is Charlie a super smart mathematician who has disappointed her parents by choosing to go work for the US Space program instead of following a career path at a university. **Book Earth boundless** A woman in a man's field in the 1960's she's used to being overlooked to having her physical appearance mean more than her brain and takes all

of these things in her stride. **Book Earth bound** She's got some smart women who work under her as well (a timely reminder that some of the best code breakers in WWII were women) and together they play a significant role in getting the missions underway and salvaging some of them too.

Earthbound near me hours He keeps a saltwater fish tank at home and his care of the fish is a direct link to his character to show that when he loves something he puts his full effort into keeping it (or her) happy any way he can. **Earthbound tapestry** On the other hand Charlie comes from a scientific family; her parents are both researchers (and her mother bitter at her own choices reflects that in her disapproval of Charlie's chosen profession because she never had that freedom).

Earthbound pfp But he is also a man who refers to his mom as adorable is sure to call his older brother on his birthday first thing in the morning keeps salt water aquariums of beautifully colored fish he gets adorably dorky about and does his best to work within a difficult system to include and boost the women who work for the space program. **Book Earth bound tree** Pair a hero like this

with a heroine who matches (if not exceeds) his intelligence doesn't take any of his crap and teases him about his nonsense and you have my exact favorite type of love story. **Earthbound bookends** She went into a field her physics professor parents think is beneath her and is often dealing with their disappointed expectations and her mother's projected issues about women in science and career sacrifice. **Earthbound nes rom** As a result this book has a lot of magnificent banter flirting at work in ways that no one else knows what they're doing lots of heated looks and some delightfully awkward moments.

Earth Bound pdf drive I'm sure that makes no sense but bare with me while I try try being the operative word here and get my thoughts out in what I hope will be in a semi-coherent fashion. **Middle earth bound brook nj** Constantly having to prove herself she came from a very strict background with science-minded parents who didn't approve of her or her career choices as she chose to leave academics and pursue her passion which in this case was computer engineering.

Earthbound booklet No matter how many papers she authored no matter how many projects she successfully completely deadlines she met or snafus she navigated all they'd ever be able to see were the breasts. **Book Earth boundary** "Everything that Charlie went through: being judged by her looks and gender not being taken seriously forced to use clever ruses and manipulations to get her ideas across and then in the end not even getting credit for her accomplishments was all horrible and yet sadly real. **Earth bound orbit** Honestly I was beyond happy to see a character like Charlie a woman whose brain mattered more than her heart and how she eventually came to reconcile and find balance between the two.

Earthbound pants He didn't have much of a life outside of work save for his beloved saltwater fish and his ability to human was constantly called into question which just made him all the more lovable to me. **Earth Bound kindle unlimited** An intelligent thoughtful man who was in touch with his feelings while still being an awkward stick in the mud? PERFECTION! Can I also get a HUZAZH! for Parsons being a feminist? Unlike his caveman counterparts Parsons always believed without question that Charlie and her fellow lady computers were just as if not more so let's be real here capable as their male coworkers.

Earth Bound ebook "He didn't think he could have loved her more than just then when he asked if she could do something that might be impossible---when he asked her for more---and she simply nodded. **Middle earth bound brook nj** Everything was on her terms and had nothing to do with her using Parsons to get ahead at work although she totally could have and for Parsons their trysts were a means of releasing the built up tension between them but also because he liked her.

Earthbound bookends Parsons' journey was more direct because he was the easier to read of the pair while in contrast Charlie took much longer to sort things out as misunderstandings and deep seeded insecurities clouded her thought process. **Earthbound book** "Apart from the sciencey sections that got a bit too wordy and complicated for my personal brain but were nonetheless interesting and obviously very well researched I really don't have anything negative to say about this book. **Earthbound rom download** I mean we've got a darling hero who is wholly supportive of our fascinating heroine great portrayals of ladies of all kinds getting shit done sharp and engaging writing an out of the norm plot and setting a fluffy feels inducing love story:

Earthbound oracle

The dramatic scenes becoming real page turners as the mission becomes a life or death endeavor, **Earthbound quiz** Combining that with some very sexy love scenes and the eventual finding of a way to a compromise and happy ending makes for a wholly entertaining and memorable story, **Middle earth bound brook nj** This review also appears at All About Romance: <https://allaboutromance.com>, **Earthbound bookends** Note: a copy of this story was provided by the authors for review. **Earth Bound kindle store** English This book was so very much my thing I can't claim in any way to be objective about it. **Earthbound ness** It is from now on probably going to be my automatic romance comfort read go-to. **Middle earth bound brook nj** I fell for Eugene Parsons in his very first scene in Star Dust. **Earthbound bookends** I wanted this next full novel in the series to be about him because from that very first scene I knew he had the potential to be exactly my favorite sort of hero: **Earthbound martian** Charlie is too angry at the sense of betrayal she feels and chooses to just walk away and pretend its unimportant. **Earthbound patcher** It made complete sense given her personal insecurities and position: **Earthbound pants** It is frustrating in exactly the way it's supposed to be. **Book Earth bound tree** (I confess it hurt for Parsons a little more who was just so happy and excited and wanted to show her his stupid fish and then all hell broke loose, **EPub Earth bound tree** Seriously I never thought I'd be turned into a pile of mush over fictional fish: **Earthbound midi** She lives with her high school sweetheart and a menagerie of pets and children in Virginia and she occasionally finds time to read and write: **Book Earth boundless** Alternate cover edition can be found here Houston Texas 1961 The race to the moon is on and engineer Eugene Parsons has two enemies: danger and distraction, **Earth Bound kindle app** But life isn't as unemotional or predictable as code and things soon boil over with the intriguingly demanding Parsons, **Earth Bound ebook** The lines between work and play tangle even as Parsons and Charlie try to keep them separate, **Earthbound quiz** But when a mission goes wrong they'll have to put aside their pride for the greater good—and discover that matters of the heart have a logic all their own, **Earthbound on switch** Earth Bound (Fly Me to the Moon #2) Eugene Parsons is the uptight and stern supervisor of the teams working on getting America to Space and the moon: **Book Earth boundary** We met him in the first book but in Earth Bound we finally get to see someone get under his skin. **Earthbound teleport cheat** Charlie Eason is stunningly beautiful AND brilliant the best engineer Parsons has ever seen. **Earthbound snes rom** But she also could be a huge distraction but Parsons is determined to remain nothing but professional, **Earthbound book** Charlie is also not looking for any distractions or any hint of controversy, **Book Earth boundless** It is hard enough for her to be a woman in this field let alone to let an office scandal rock her career. **Earthbound booklet** But what if they simply explored their attraction OUTSIDE of work in hotel room once a week? Just a simple sex pact no feelings involved, **Earthbound book** Utterly delicious especially if you enjoy stories with buttoned up starchy love interests who finally discover they have a heart: **Earth Bound pdf reader** It is very much a stand alone although I've enjoyed all the books in this series set in the 1960's: **Book Earth bounded** This book gives us two very intelligent protagonists - a hero who falls in love with a heroine for her brain (and the fact she is wild in bed) and science: **Earth Bound pdf** Charlie is an extremely smart woman who decided to go into computers (instead of physics much to her parents dismay), **Middle earth bound brook nj** She gets the job as the deputy director of computing at the America Space Department (aka nasa). **Earthbound rom download** She should have been the actual director but she is a woman in the 1960's in an absolutely male dominated field so she accepts the deputy position. **EPub Earth bound tree** Her boss is not that great so she basically ends up running the department. **Book Earth boundary** In the early 60's the Americans were racing to get to the moon first but first they have to get a man up in orbit. **Earth bound nursery** Our hero is Eugene Parsons a growly grumpy work obsessed man who is the director of engineering and development, **Book Earth boundless** He works very closely with Charlie to bring the space program to where it needs to be and to constantly be putting out fires in this very high-

stress job. **PDF Earth boundless** He loves that she is head-strong stubborn well-spoken and holds herself accountable. **Earthbound misfit blog** He knows it's hard for a woman to work in this field filled with men and while he supports her he lets her face her critics head on, **Earth bound misfits** He demands absolute perfection and his social skills are very lacking, **Earthbound uk** He never smiles he has to be forced to not work on Christmas day, **Kindle Earth boundary** Charlie is successful in her professional life but her parents still judge her and write-off her computing career since it's not the path they wanted for her, **PDF Earth bounded** She is confident but it's still hard on a child when your parents don't give you credit for what you have accomplished: **Earthbound twitch** There is a scene in the book where Parsons meets her parents and realizes they brush off their daughter and her accomplishments. **Book Earth bounding** Their chemistry in this book is written so well I didn't want to put the book down, **Book Earth bounded** She walks into Parson's office and is basically like - fuck it - let's go do something dirty together. **Earthbound walkthrough** He was the only man in the place who treated her decently - at least the only one with any power who did, **Earthbound quiz** He'd been flattering her and she wanted to what? Get sweaty and naked with him? Yes to begin at least, **Earthbound pants** At work they have to be on all the time - there is so much at stake human lives at stake and such a rush to get it all done before the Soviets. **Book Earth bound tree** When they meet at their seedy hotel at night - their intensity is almost too much to bear, **Earthbound pants** They both like to be in charge and that comes out in the bedroom. **Earth Bound pdf drive** There is something about their chemistry and emotional intimacy that just makes you say - damn, **Earthbound quiz** He only ever saw her putting makeup on - he wanted to take it off. **Earthbound walkthrough** The third time he did it she parted her lips and took his thumb deep within her mouth. **Book Earth bound** She sucked on his thumb making his heart pound and his breathing go harsh, **Book Earth bound** Parsons is so supportive of her and when there is that darn ending conflict that drags them apart he is so devastated I couldn't stand it. **Book Earth bounded** Fighting to be heard so confident and sure in her abilities at work (and in bed). **Earthbound rom download** Grade: A English 2021 Fall Bingo (#FallInLoveBingo): Woman in Tech4, **Earthbound book** So good! English Having read and liked the previous two installments in the Fly Me To the Moon series I was looking forward to this read: **Book Earth bounded** When reading historical romance both historical setting and romance are almost equally important: **Earth Bound pdf editor** Unfortunately neither worked for me here albeit for different reasons. **Earthbound book series** Initially the historical setting and the sense of place is what drew me to the story, **Earthbound uk** It is obvious that the authors did tons of research on the subject of space exploration and the authors' note at the end confirms it, **Earth bound misfits** The interworking of the fictional American Space Department (ASD) the pressure that its employees went through trying to win the space race occupies the major part of the book: **Earthbound tapestry** Initially interesting the story gradually became so bogged down by the "shop talk" that it turns into somewhat dry and uninspiring narrative. **Earthbound vs arpgs** Again and again we are presented with examples of snubs ignorance and sexism she experienced while working with her male colleagues, **Book Earth boundless** This environment and added expectation from her parents shaped Charlie's character. **Earth Bound booking** And that is where I come to the point of why the romance didn't work for me: **Earthbound twitch** I appreciate the fact that the authors wanted to show Charlie as being strong and capable enough to withstand the barrage of sexism coming her way. **Earthbound rom download** But it also made her unsympathetically harsh detached cold-hearted creature who used her looks to gain the advantage in certain situations, **Book Earth boundless** The never saw her coming; it was only after she'd outthought them that they realized they'd been flanked: **Earthbound twitch** Even sexual assignments she had with Parsons in a seedy motel room (of all places) were all about dominance detachment release of tension: **Earth Bound pdf reader** She was a capsule here serenely making her orbits while he was the rocket casing jettisoned to burn up in the long fall back to earth, **Earthbound quiz** That is fine and I'm sure realistic but it didn't work for me as a romance heroine. **Kindle Earth boundless** She even broke up with Parsons toward the end because she thought he was part of a decision to outsource her research. **Earth Bound bound booklet** She

didn't even wanted to consider an option that it was not true no matter what he told her:

Earthbound tapestry Even their eventual reconciliation made me question their future. **Earth Bound epubor** As far as Eugene Parsons I felt there was a lot of potential there but his character was underdeveloped. **Earth Bound bound booklet** Overall the book had a lot of potential but didn't deliver it for me, **Book Earth bounded** English I kept putting this off because hype but this was goooooood. **Book Earth bound** Owned ebook 1/2 for the month Overall owned book 1/5 for the month English Super super super into this: **Earthbound map** 2) Actual meeting of equals despite the institutional sexism at work: **Earth boundaries** 3) The passage of time so you get prolonged relationship development: **Book Earth bounded** 4) People falling in love without realizing or without being willing to express it, **Earthbound mother** This series is one of my favorite surprises of the last year and I am DEEPLY intrigued for the next one: **Earthbound rom download** Earth Bound is the second full-length novel in the Fly Me To the Moon series, **Earth Bound kindle** The first book - Star Dust - is a fascinating look at the challenges of getting a man into orbit from an astronaut's point of view (and a sexy romance sixties style): **Book Earth bounded** Earth Bound continues on that theme but delves into the lives of the engineers who made the impossible happen in an absorbing and thoroughly entertaining read. **Earthbound walkthrough** Eugene Parsons is an engineer wholly dedicated to the mission - get a man into orbit and do it before the Soviets, **EBook Earth bound** Charlie Eason joins their team his instant attraction to her is put on lockdown. **EPub Earth boundary** Charlie on the other hand finds Parsons a fascinating man one she wants to get her hands on: **Book Earth bounded** When their emotions spill over into the job a decision Parsons can't stop from being made makes Charlie withdraw her trust in him shattered, **Earthbound bookends** Yet with their common mission goal in mind they must find a way to work together: **Earthbound near me** Can the embers of their affair be re-ignited and more importantly can it lead to a lasting love? My fascination with this series knows no bounds, **Earthbound booklet** Any time I can find a book that mixes science with romance you can be sure that I'm going to read it, **Middle earth bound brook nj** Things I never thought of and the science of what was possible then how things were done was really quite something to read about: **Earthbound pfp** This is world building at its finest creating a picture of what it was like during that time for the men and women tasked to beat the Soviets into orbit: **Earthbound mother** It all falls into place marvelously in a tightly woven tale, **Book Earth bound tree** It doesn't stop her from doing her best and devoting herself to her job in this case as deputy director of the computing department. **Earthbound teleport cheat** For Charlie Parsons is a man after her own heart with the same work ethic: **Earthbound trading** Eugene Parsons is a man with a persona that isn't eminently likable, **Earthbound pants** He understands the gravity of his work has no patience for fools (or self-absorbed astronauts) and has a temper. **Earth Bound kindle direct** But the truth of the matter is that he has a soft underbelly one that stays hidden from view until Charlie exposes it. **PDF Earth boundless** I loved seeing the glimpses of that side of his character in these small scenes and the adoration of Charlie that he tries to hide but can't quite manage. **Earthbound walkthrough** And unlike many men of that time he has a full appreciation of women as equally intelligent to men. **Earth Bound pdf drive** I enjoyed reading about the backgrounds that made them into the adults they are now, **Earthbound book** Eugene comes from a farming family with one brother who died as a war hero and another who has taken over the family farm, **Earthbound midi** He's a bit of the odd man out his parents not really understanding his career choices: **Book Earth boundless** Charlie knows her parents don't really understand or respect her work and this while hurtful she's become accustomed to: **Earthbound bookends** The conflict comes naturally with the hierarchy of their working positions causing them to sometimes be at odds with each other: **Earthbound pants** And for Charlie keeping her affair with Parsons under wraps is necessary to maintain the level of respect from her male colleagues that she struggles to achieve. **Book Earth bounded** Yet when an astronaut's life is on the line their true feelings can't be hidden, **Earthbound book** I love how the story plays out but also because they are equally a socially awkward nerd, **Earthbound pants** Parsons lived up to every expectation I had for him in this respect and then some: **Book Earth bounding** I'm going to have to give it a couple more

reads to say that definitively but I'm 98% sure of it already, **Middle earth bound brook nj** He is a perfectionist who demands the best from the people working for him and is downright scary (and sometimes mean) when he doesn't get it: **Earthbound twitch** She is super smart incredibly competent at what she does and her sly and sassy wit is more than a match for Parsons: **Earthbound on switch** He doesn't quite know what to do with her most of the time and I loooooove it. **Earth Bound booking** Charlie is in a position of being second in command when she should be first but isn't because she is a woman: **Book Earth boundless** Charlie also has a difficult time processing and dealing with her emotions and feelings which leads to much of the conflict between her and Parsons, **Book Earth bounding** Much of the attraction between Charlie and Parsons is intellectual, **Earthbound uk** They are both incredibly turned on by the other's competence and drive, **Kindle Earth boundless** This leads to them having an incredibly steamy affair but the main focus of the book is on their intellectual connection, **Book Earth boundless** The majority of the book takes place in the labs and offices so there is a lot of technical discussions in it which I loved: **Earthbound poster** You can't tell me your characters are super smart and competent at what they do and then not show them actually being that, **Earthbound bookends** We know Charlie and Parsons are these things because we see it: **Earth Bound pdf editor** (YAY!) Personally I really loved all the politics and scientific details about the space program, **Book Earth bound tree** The last final conflict is one that could have been cleared up a lot faster if a rational conversation took place, **Book Earth boundless** Ironic considering this deals with two people who consider themselves uber rational. **Earthbound book series** This ordinarily drives me bonkers but it made sense for who Parsons and Charlie are. **Earthbound rom download** Not because Earth Bound was bad but because it was SO GOOD, **Earth Bound kindle reader** Just like in Star Dust this book takes place in the early 1960's during the Space Race, **Earthbound book** This time however the story centers on a hero AND a heroine who are BOTH engineers working together at an imaginary NASA-type facility called the ASD (American Space Department). **Earthbound rom download** Eugene Parsons our bespectacled and adorably starchy hero is the Director of Engineering and Dr, **Earthbound trading** Sparks fly almost immediately between them although they are quick to deny it as romantic entanglements are not part per the course, **Earthbound book** They have a job to do and to Charlie and Parsons the job is EVERYTHING, **Earthbound quiz** This was the first of many instances where they proved they were made for each other, **Middle earth bound brook nj** I was only a few pages into the prologue before I knew Charlie was a type of heroine I LOVE and wish I saw more. **Earthbound rom download** What heroine am I talking about? The love her or hate her because she's not easily accessible type: **Earth Bound pdfiller** Charlie was first and foremost a scientist and her personality reflected that fact accordingly: **Earthbound walkthrough** Physics are the future according to her parents not machinery and *arrogant sniff* engineering: **Earthbound walkthrough** So not only did Charlie not have any support from her family but she also had to contend with the daily sexism and misogyny at her latest job: **Earthbound on switch** As angry as it made me I'm glad the authors decided not to sugarcoat this aspect of Charlie's life: **Earth Bound epubor** And even falling in love with Parsons didn't magically transform her into a person who was overly emotional. **Earthbound music** She was not emotionless she had feelings deep and strong but they did not RULE her: **Earth Bound epubs** Mostly she just didn't always know how to express all that she felt to others. **Middle earth bound brook nj** She wore a mask cloaked in makeup and false submission because that was how she survived: **Earthbound bookends** Parsons whom I'd already been introduced to in Star Dust was a grouchy perfectionist prone to angry outbursts when things went wrong. **Kindle Earth boundary** Though he wasn't technically the boss everyone knew that without him there would be no space program, **Book Earth bounded** Parsons was controlling and didn't take anyone's bullshit especially when it came from his dumb ass bosses and obnoxious astronauts: **Earthbound pfp** He was often labeled as robotic seemingly unfeeling but it was only because he cared so much that it came across as rude or demanding. **Earthbound rom download** Charlie saw through that hard exterior of course because it was so much like her own. **Earthbound teleport cheat** I do believe that between him and Charlie Parsons developed the most emotionally

at least in a more obvious way and I loved that: **Earthbound twitch** And he was the only one who took the idea of lady astronauts seriously and wanted to see it happen, **Earthbound bookends** His total awe of Charlie and how smart and amazing she was just slayed me: **Earthbound pants** "Oh Parsons why aren't you real? On to the romance! Rarely if ever? have I encountered two such pragmatic closed off people find true happiness and love with each other. **Earthbound book** Parsons and Charlie's relationship was as complex and unique as their characters were no surprise there. **Earthbound nes rom** What starts out as mutual attraction based on their shared intellect and competence leads to an affair of sorts, **Kindle Earth boundary** They meet in a seedy motel after work and have lots of really hot sex with no strings: **Book Earth bounding** What was interesting about this is that Charlie was the one to set the rules. **Book Earth boundary** Likewise Charlie found Parsons fascinating she wanted to dissect and understand him, **Book Earth bounded** The fact that they both approached this part of their relationship the same way scientists would approach an experiment amused me to no end, **PDF Earth boundary** But of course time marches on (it really did in fact since the story takes place roughly over a two-year period) and feelings changed heightened evolved deepened. **Earth bound manoeuvre meaning** It was a refreshing change of pace that love didn't happen overnight or like within a week for this unconventional couple. **Earth Bound epublising** In fact it was somewhat of a shock to Charlie and Parsons how their connection had suddenly grown into something so much more than they had originally planned, **Earthbound book** He didn't want to alter her to be like anyone else---though he probably wanted her to work harder and better, **Book Earth boundless** "I thought it was quite believable at least for these characters that they reached the conclusion that they'd fallen in love in their own time in their own analytical-type ways, **Earthbound book** But you know what even as someone who absolutely HATES when couples don't communicate; I liked this. **Book Earth bound tree** I liked that the road to love wasn't predictable that it took time and many fumbles for these two to understand that they just fit, **Earthbound near me hours** "She didn't think she was perfect but she thought that together they might be more than they were apart: **Book Earth bound tree** Do you really need any further incentive to read? Also the next book apparently features a romance between Beverly a lady of color computer and Geraldine a (ginger?!) lady astronaut.com/book-revi. English 3.5 stars. Parsons wants to ignore the problem and fix it with sex. My heart hurt for both of them.) The way this is resolved is perfect though. PERFECT. (Fish and everything. I have no patience for real fish. Charlie Eason is used to men underestimating her. With every launch their secret affair grows thornier. Loved it! English I absolutely loved this book. I love it. Parsons quickly realizes how intelligent Charlie is. He falls in love with her brain. Parsons intimidates almost everyone he works with. He has no social life outside of work. As Charlies notices: His expression was pained. Altogether he looked damned uncomfortable. But he struck her as a man who hated comfort. He would think it common. And there was nothing pedestrian about him. The support Parsons gives her in this scene is swoon-worthy. Which brings me to their chemistry. Charlie makes the first move which made me cheer. This was terrifically ill thought out. Their romance scenes are so intense. The sex is raw and dirty. He took in what he'd done. Yes that was what he wanted this face of her marred. Deliberately. He put his thumb back to her lip and smeared again. Her lips were gloriously messy now almost completely undone. He gasped even as he smiled. She always had to surprise him. Then she dropped to her knees and reached for his belt. You don't have to - Shut up. So he did. They have a great reunion though. Charlie is an amazing heroine. Loved). Very well done. 5 stars. I love the time period and the subject. At times I felt I was reading an engineering manual. There was almost no femininity left in her. And neither Parsons nor romance itself really changed her. The work was still the most important thing in her life. The romance changed him much more than it changed Charlie. He became much more appealing turning into almost beta-hero. IMHO he deserves a better woman than Charlie. The romance was not really romantic. Charlie as a STEM heroine means a LOT to me. 1) The hero is in love with the heroine's brain. 5) HOT SEX. Make it good ladies. When beautiful and skilled computer scientist Dr. And more importantly he's a man who sees the real her. He seems an unlikely romance hero. The two of them together are a perfect match. It doesn't stop her from

doing what she wants. He may be favorite romance hero ever. Parsons does not process or deal with emotions well. Charlie is an amazing and perfect match for Parsons. As I said this book is everything I wanted it to be. (And my expectations were super high.) English This was a very hard review to write. Charlie Eason is the program's latest and brilliant hire. "It would never be enough. I can see people not liking Charlie because she was hard. Moving on to Parsons Gene. SHE made the first pass. SHE chose to meet him. SHE chose later to end it. He didn't WANT to like her but he did. "When Parsons looked at her he saw her. He recognized her. But he understood her from her brain to her toes. He liked her. Oh hell. Together they might be something like it.

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