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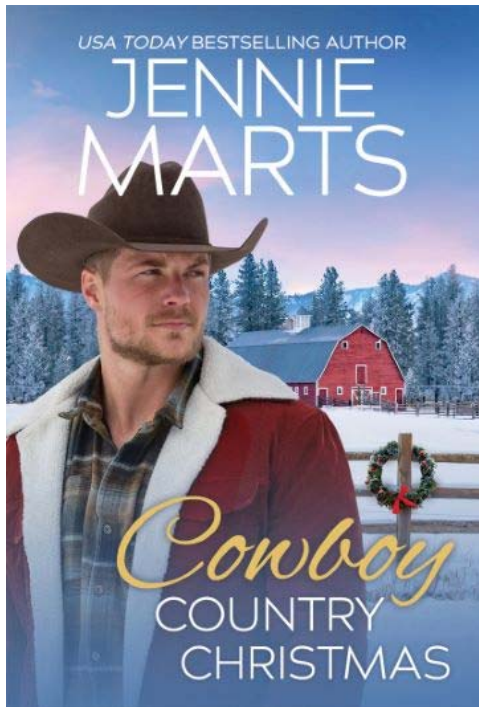
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A Cowboy Country Christmas

by Jennie Marts

There's no better time than Christmas to open your heart. Holt Callahan used to love the holidays, but getting dumped on Christmas Eve with a ring tucked in your pocket would turn anyone into a Grinch. Now he hates Christmas and all the holly jolly shenanigans that go with it. When he moves back to his cousin's ranch in Creedence, Colorado, the last thing he expects is to come face to face with the one who got away and all of her holiday cheer.

Lainey McBride is all about Christmas, and despite running her family's ranch festivities while her grandfather is in rehab, she hasn't lost her holiday spirit. Not even when the horse that was supposed to offer snowy sleigh rides can't be found. She couldn't be happier to see a cowboy riding up with her missing horse, or more shocked to see that cowboy is Holt Callahan. But the holidays have their own way of healing, and a Christmas in Creedence just might be the merry magic that brings these two broken hearts back together again.

Praise for Jennie Marts's cowboy romances:

Full of hope, humor, and undeniable swoon." - A.J. Pine, USA TODAY bestselling author, for HOW TO COWBOY

"Funny, complicated, and irresistible. Sometimes a cowboy isn't perfect but you got to love him anyway." - Jodi Thomas, NEW YORK TIMES bestselling author, for CAUGHT UP IN A COWBOY

"Deliciously steamy but still sweet, with a secret at its heart." - Joanne Kennedy for WISH UPON A COWBOY

"The definition of a swoon-worthy, must-read romance." - Sara Richardson for NEVER ENOUGH COWBOY

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Fiction / Romance / Western

Series: Creedence Horse Rescue

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Author Bio

Jennie Marts is the USA TODAY bestselling author of award-winning books filled with love, laughter, and always a happily ever after. Readers call her books laugh out loud" funny and the "perfect mix of romance, humor, and steam." FIC CENTRAL claimed one of her books was "the most fun I've had reading in years."

She is living her own happily ever after in the mountains of Colorado with her husband, two dogs, and a parakeet who loves to tweet to the oldies. She's seen every episode of Survivor and loves macaroni and cheese. She's addicted to Diet Coke, adores Cheetos, and believes you can't have too many books, shoes, or friends.

Her books range from Western romance to cozy mysteries but they all have the charm and appeal of quirky small town life. She loves genre-mashups, like adding romance to her Page Turners cozy mysteries and creating the hockey-playing cowboys in the Cowboys of Creedence. The same small town



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Her Wolf for the Holidays

by Terry Spear

Thrilling adventure and sexy holiday fun in the Scottish Highlands.

When a new she-wolf moves in next door, only one alpha wolf can give her everything she wants for Christmas and more.

Edeen Campbell has heard many wild stories about the MacQuarrie clan living in the castle closest to her new home. She is determined - not even Lachlan MacQuarrie, the pack leader's brother, can ruin her holiday plans, no matter how hard he may try or how intrigued she is by him. But as Lachlan proves to her over and over that he is a wolf to be trusted, Edeen begins to change her mind about the pack and the very handsome wolf dedicated to making her first Highland Christmas a special one.

Everyone loves Terry Spear's shifter romances!

Essential reading for werewolf romance fans." - BOOKLIST for ALPHAWOLF
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"Spear takes readers on a pulse-pounding ride." - PUBLISHERS WEEKLY for SEAL WOLF CHRISTMAS

"Plenty of action and romantic chemistry." - BOOKPAGE for A VERY JAGUAR CHRISTMAS

"[A] feel-good holiday read." - LIBRARY JOURNAL for JINGLE BELL WOLF

Author Bio

USA Today bestselling author Terry Spear has written over a hundred paranormal and medieval Highland romances. One of her bestselling titles, Heart of the Wolf was named a Publishers Weekly Best Book of the Year. She is an award-winning author with 2 Paranormal Excellence Awards for Romantic Literature. A retired officer of the U.S. Army Reserves, Terry also creates award-winning teddy bears that have found homes all over the world, helps out with her grandchildren, and enjoys her two Havanese dogs. She lives in Spring, Texas.

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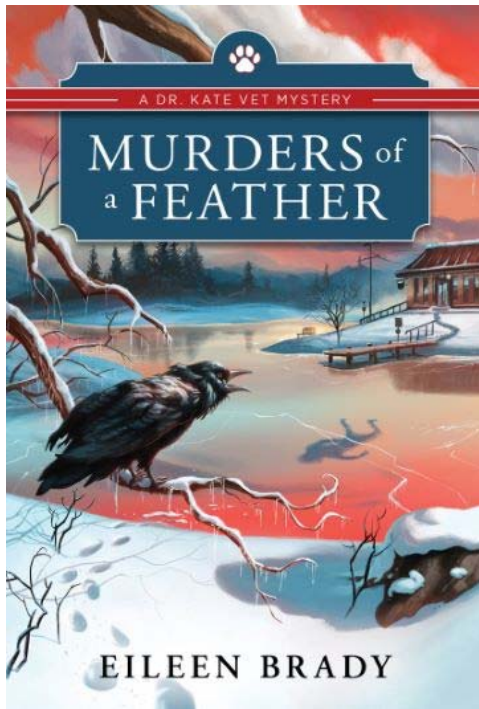
Fic / Romance / Paranormal / Shifters

Series: Highland Wolf

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Murders of a Feather

by Eileen Brady

It's February in the Hudson Valley and Oak Falls veterinarian Dr. Kate is once again up to her galoshes in corpses. Hudson Valley winters can be brutal. . . and deadly! Dr. Kate is once again on the case (not to mention thin ice) after discovering a young engaged couple frozen to death in the lake. To make matters worse, her temporary receptionist appears to have overdosed from a recreational sedative used at the animal hospital. Kate barely has time to dread Valentine's Day (and the fact that she's alone on this holiday, once again) as the police investigation shows that all three fatalities are in fact homicides.

But who would want the young couple dead, just as they were embarking on a new life together? And who pumped the temp employee full of enough animal tranquilizers to drop an ox? Kate doesn't know where to begin until she stumbles upon a connection between the three victims and decides she needs to investigate further. But will her investigation leave her any time to get to know the handsome large animal vet she's just met on a house call? And is the injured wild crow she's taken under her wing in fact an omen of more bad things to come?

Author Bio

Eileen Brady is a veterinarian living in Scottsdale, Arizona. She is a wife and mother of two daughters and often has to chase her six cats and two dogs away from her laptop keyboard. The Kate Turner, DVM Mysteries is her first series.

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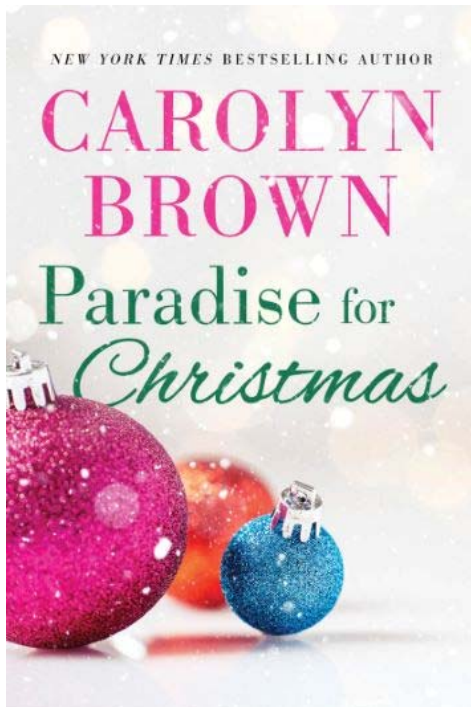
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Paradise for Christmas

by Carolyn Brown

Southern sass and spirit make every Christmas bright!

The oldest of seven sisters, Ursula Simmons has followed in her mother's footsteps as a novelist. With a bad case of writer's block, she brings her notebooks and computer home to the old brothel called Paradise where they all grew up, in the hope that being home for the holidays will inspire her - and since it's Christmas, all her sisters will be there too.

The sisters take the holidays very seriously, and as soon as they've celebrated Thanksgiving, it's on to decorating for Christmas. As all pitch in to make the spirits bright, younger sister Endora is dismayed to find some of the handsome men who've come to help doing more flirting than anything else. She's determined to show her sisters that no relationship is worth the heartbreak. But it might be Ursula who reminds the family that Christmas is a magical time, and finding new love is always a gift.

Praise for Carolyn Brown:

Fans. . . will flip for this charming small-town tale." - WOMAN'S WORLD for THE SISTERS CAFE

"Brown's characters easily inspire readers to care what happens to them." - PUBLISHERS WEEKLY for BRIDE FOR A DAY

"A sweet story about building family out of what life hands you." - KIRKUS REVIEWS for TALK COWBOY TO ME

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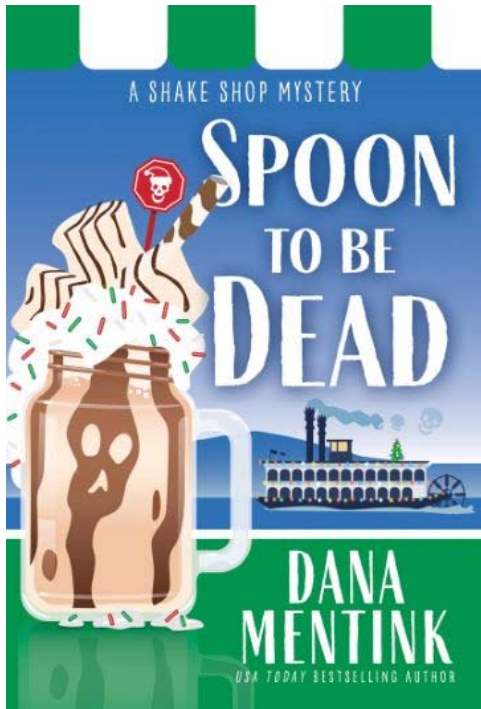
Author Bio

Carolyn Brown is a NEW YORK TIMES, USA TODAY, WALL STREET JOURNAL, PUBLISHER'S WEEKLY and #1 AMAZON and #1 WASHINGTON POST bestselling author. She is the author of more than 100 novels and several novellas. She's a recipient of the Bookseller's Best Award, Montlake Romance's prestigious Montlake Diamond Award, and a three-time recipient of the National Reader's Choice Award. Brown has been published for more than 25 years, and her books have been translated into 21 foreign languages, and have sold more than 10 million copies worldwide.

When she's not writing, she likes to take road trips with her husband, Mr. B, and her family, and she plots out new stories as they travel.

Visit her at www.carolynbrownbooks.com.





Spoon to be Dead

by Dana Mentink

A murder for the holidays is about to shake things up!

Trinidad Jones is starting the festive season with sugary confections and a heaping scoop of worry as her shake shop enters its first Oregon winter. With snow abound and tourists trickling through, she'll do anything to keep her milkshake dreams afloat, even if it means catering a holiday steamboat party for some new arrivals in town.

But when her good-for-nothing ex crashes through her shop's door claiming he's being charged with murder, things go sideways. With clues piling up like whipped cream on a sundae and motives abound, Trinidad and her fellow ex-wives must solve this murder before she's finally thrown for a scoop.

The third book in the Shake Shop Mysteries following Trinidad Jones who makes sweet confections and solves sticky situations in her small town!

Author Bio

Dana Mentink is a USA Today and Publishers Weekly bestselling author.

She's written over fifty titles in the suspense, lighthearted romance and mystery genres. She is pleased to write for Harlequin's Love Inspired

Suspense and Poisoned Pen Press. Her new Shake Shop mystery series features Trinidad Jones and her funky freakshakes! You can connect with

Dana via her website at danamentink.com, TikTok ([danamentinkauthor](https://www.tiktok.com/@danamentinkauthor)) and Instagram ([dana_mentink](https://www.instagram.com/dana_mentink)).

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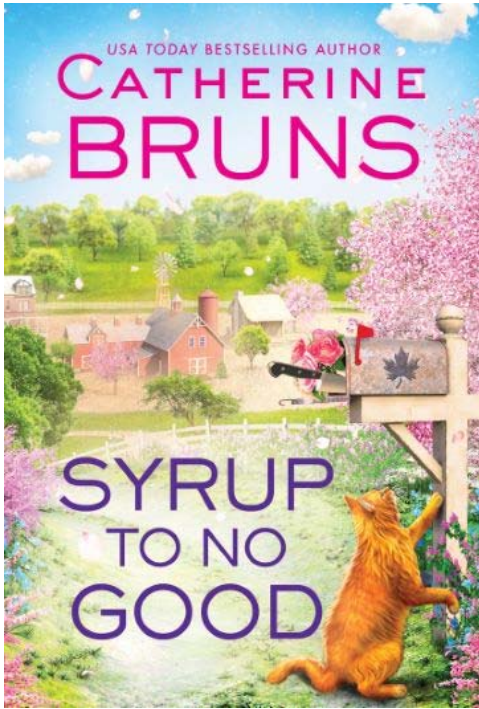
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Series: Shake Shop Mystery

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Syrup to No Good

by Catherine Bruns

Only a sap would try to ruin a bride's special day. . .

Spring has finally come to Sugar Ridge, Vermont, and with it the end of syrup-making season. But Leila Khoury, new owner of Sappy Endings Farm, won't be making like molasses any time soon. Her best friend Heather's wedding is coming up, and Leila will do anything to make sure it lives up to all her sweetest dreams.

Even with Leila's own romantic past stirring up trouble, everything is going to plan until the bridal shower ends up with a body count.

Heather's rich and backstabbing aunt had a whole orchard of enemies, so Leila will have her work cut out for her. Can she tap the killer before Heather's dream wedding becomes a nightmare?

Includes delicious Middle Eastern recipes!

Author Bio

USA Today bestselling author Catherine Bruns lives in Upstate New York with an all-male household that consists of her very patient husband, three sons, and several spoiled pets. Catherine has a B.A. in both English and Performing Arts and is a former newspaper reporter and press release writer. In her spare time, she loves to bake, read, and attend live theater performances. Over the past five years, she's written fifteen mystery novels plus several novellas and has many more stories waiting to be told. Readers are invited to visit her website at www.catherinebruns.net

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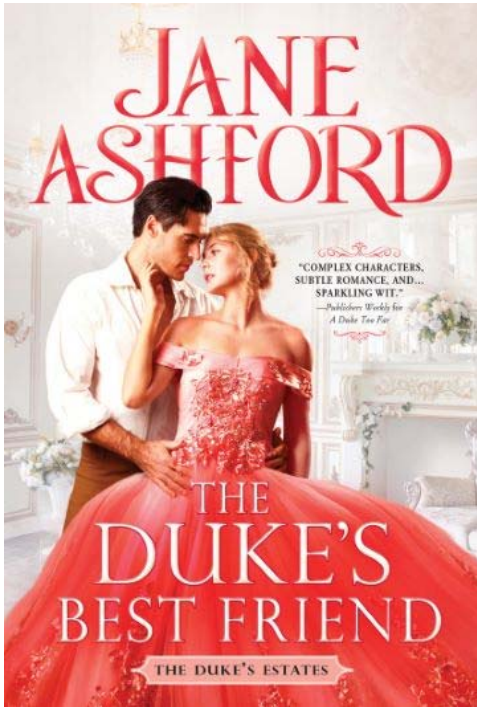
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Series: Maple Syrup Mysteries

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The Duke's Best Friend

by Jane Ashford

What's a lady to do when the man standing in her way might also be the man of her dreams?

Henry Deeping and Kate Meacham seem to clash every time they meet. Kate is frustrated by the change in her status following the death of her grandfather, a legendary figure in diplomatic circles. As a lone single woman, she is now effectively nobody, even though she knows everyone and has made important contributions to diplomacy in the past. Henry, just joining the Foreign Office, is wondering how to make his mark.

They agree to an exchange - Henry will serve as Kate's escort to important events to which she is no longer invited, and Kate will introduce him to the important people she knows so well. But when they spot a foreign agent they thought had been apprehended, they decide to investigate on their own, enlisting a motley group of friends and relying on each other to uncover the truth. . .

Praise for A DUKE TOO FAR :

An effervescent Regency romantic mystery." - KIRKUS REVIEWS

"Superbly executed. . . a daringly different kind of Regency historical." - BOOKLIST

"Complex characters, subtle romance, and all the sparkling wit and flirtatious banter of a Georgette Heyer novel." - PUBLISHERS WEEKLY

Author Bio

Jane Ashford discovered Georgette Heyer in junior high school and was captivated by the glittering world and witty language of Regency England. That delight was part of what led her to study English literature and travel widely. She's written historical and contemporary romances, and her books have been published all over Europe as well as in the United States. Jane has been nominated for a Career Achievement Award. Find her on the web at www.janeashford.com and facebook.com/janeashfordwriter. If you'd like to receive her monthly newsletter, you can sign up at either of those sites.

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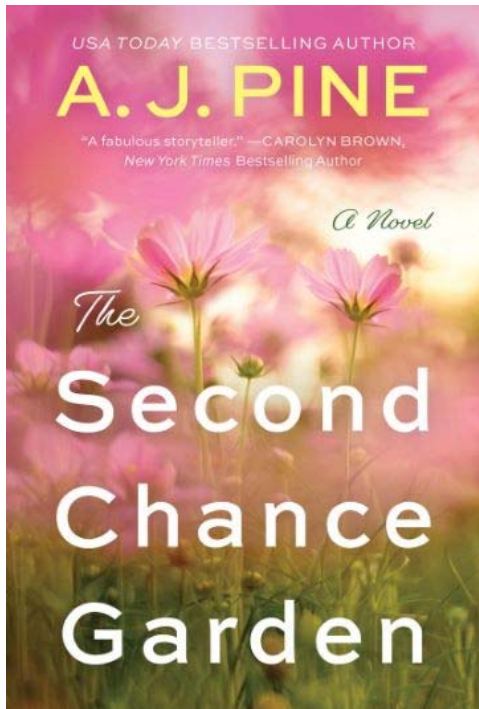
Fiction / Romance / Regency

Series: Duke's Estates

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Promotion





The Second Chance Garden

by A.J. Pine

A fabulous storyteller who will keep you turning pages and wishing for just one more chapter at the end." - Carolyn Brown, NEW YORK TIMES bestselling author

A small town is the perfect place to find love - but first there's work to do. . . When a tornado tears through her hometown of Summertown, Illinois, wreaking havoc on the people she loves, social media manager Emma Woods has no choice but to head back home from her life in the big city to help rebuild. She's determined to use her social media savvy to put Summertown back on the map in time for the annual Garden Fest with rival town Middlebrook. Summertown really needs that prize money now. And if she can only avoid Matteo Rourke - the reason she left Summertown in the first place - all the better.

Matteo can't help what happened that broke up his and Emma's relationship years ago. All he can do now that she's back in town is avoid her, but of course everywhere he goes, Emma is there.

Author Bio

A corporate trainer by day and USA Today bestselling author by night, A.J. Pine can't seem to escape the world of fiction, and she wouldn't have it any other way. When she finds that twenty-fifth hour in the day, she might indulge in a tiny bit of TV to nourish her undying love of K-Dramas, superheroes, and everything romance. She hails from the far-off galaxy of the Chicago suburbs.

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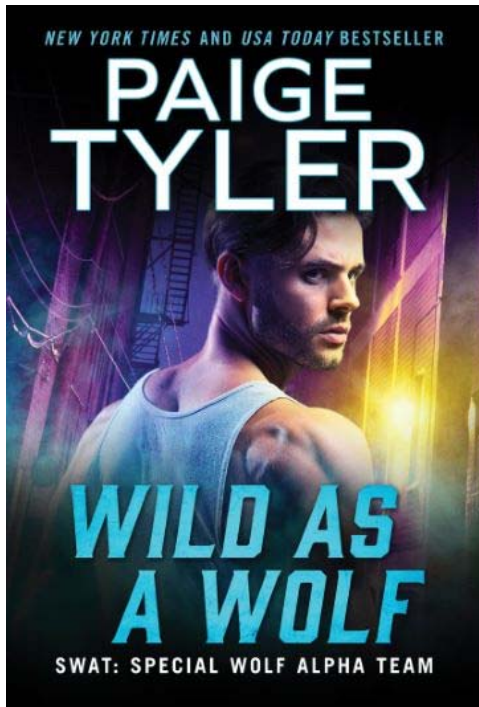
Fiction / Romance / Contemporary

Series: Heart of Summerville

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Wild As a Wolf

by Paige Tyler

Nothing is more powerful than a werewolf - excerpt perhaps a mighty warrior. Nothing surprises SWAT alpha Hale Delaney - he's seen almost everything since he became a werewolf. But when he goes head-to-head with Dallas's newest supernatural villain and is saved by the woman he loved and lost a decade ago, his world is turned upside down. Karissa Bonifay has always been fierce and capable, but now she's a sword-wielding warrior in her own right.

The more time Hale and Karissa spend together hunting the dangerous supernaturals terrorizing the city, the closer they come to the truth about what really came between them all those years ago. . .

Praise for Paige Tyler's paranormal romances:

A wild, hot, and sexy ride from beginning to end! I loved it!" - Terry Spear, USA TODAY bestselling author, for HER PERFECT MATE

"A steamy, action-packed walk on the wild side! The sexy wolves of SWAT are not to be missed!" - J.D. Tyler, bestselling author, for WOLF TROUBLE

"Signature tongue-in-cheek humor, paranormal action, and plenty of sizzle." - PUBLISHERS WEEKLY for THE WOLF IS MINE

Author Bio

Paige Tyler is the USA Today bestselling author of sexy, romantic fiction. She and her very own military hero (also known as her husband) live on the beautiful Florida coast with their adorable fur baby (also known as their dog). Paige graduated with a degree in education, but decided to pursue her passion and write books about hunky alpha males and the kickbutt heroines who fall in love with them. Visit www.paigetylertheauthor.com.

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Series: SWAT

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