April Awakenings: A Month of Love in Bloom

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Welcome Note

Thank you for being here with me this spring—and for being part of the Books By Karlene family. Whether you've been with me from the start or just joined, I'm thrilled to share this journey of love, renewal, and storytelling with you.

Spring Fling: Romance in the Air

There's something about spring—the sun lingers a little longer, the flowers start to bloom, and suddenly, anything feels possible... especially falling in love.

Second Chances & Fresh Starts

Spring is a season of renewal-flowers bloom, the air warms, and the world feels brand new.

Rainy Day Reads & Cozy Love

April showers may keep us indoors, but for romance lovers, that's just another reason to cozy up with a heartwarming story.

Blooming Romance: Love That Grows

Some love stories take their time—just like flowers, they bloom slowly and beautifully.

Spring Romance Reading Tracker

Book Title

Read

Rating

Second-Chance Reflection Prompt

Have you ever experienced a second chance at love?

What would your perfect reunion scene look like?

Rainy Day Favorites List

Cozy Activities

Favorite Comfort Reads

Ideal Rainy Day Date Ideas

Slow-Burn Scene Builder

Where does the tension start to rise?

What are they not saying?

What's the emotional turning point?

Personal Spring Inspiration Page

What's blooming in my life right now?

Three ways I can romance myself this season...

Sneak Peek: No Ordinary Girl 2 – The Sweetest Surprise

Beatrice Staring at the stick in my trembling hand, I feel paralyzed. It must be mistaken; Brent and I used protection. How could I have been so foolish? I try to place the stick on the side of the sink, but it drops onto the floor and clangs as it does... [Excerpt continues...]

A Special Note to My Lovely Newsletter Subscribers

Thank you for being here with me this spring—and for being part of the Books By Karlene family. I hope these stories, book recs, and writing prompts have brought joy to your season.

P.S. My favorite spring treat? A relaxing day at the spa!

Notes & Love Letters				