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Greetings from a frosty, generally chilly but very pleasant Sussex!

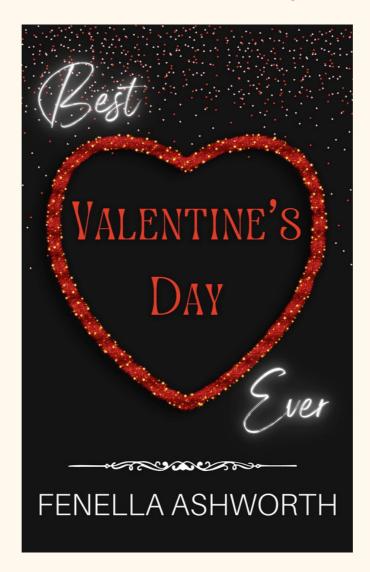
Well, 2023 has been quite a year for me so far, and not in a good way! Many of you will be aware that Amazon closed my account on New Year's Eve, sending me into quite a tail-spin, to say the least. I managed to fight hard enough to get it reopened five days later, but for much of January, I've been trying to fix the problems I now have with my account.

My first task was to upload all 50 of my ebooks because Amazon had restored old versions. My second task was to re-create all 100 of my paperbacks, because Amazon told me this was a task I had to complete because they couldn't restore them on my behalf. I spent several days completing this task, only to discover a week later that all the original paperback versions were starting to reappear! Aaarrrggghhhhh! In short, it's a bit of a mess because some titles now have one ebook version and four paperback versions (2 standard print and 2 large print). However, I think I've largely got things as much back to normal as they are ever going to be now, although I do need to lie down in a dark room!

In all seriousness though, I do want to thank all of my wonderful readers who took the time to offer kind words and support during what was a very tricky time for me. I **seriously** appreciate each and every one of you.

The entire debacle made it clear to me that I am overly reliant on Amazon Kindle Unlimited. Therefore during the course of this year, you will see me moving many of my titles to a wider audience (B&N, Kobo, Google, Apple, etc). I'll keep you updated on the progress of this. All the very best, Fenella x

Valentine's Day



I'm thrilled to announce that I've just published "Best Valentine's Day Ever', which is a steamy novella that will ultimately form part of the sixth Black Lace & Promises series.

This story is available from <u>Amazon.com</u>, <u>Amazon.co.uk</u> and Kindle Unlimited. Alternatively, I will send it out free to anyone who signs up to my patreon by 14th February (see overleaf for more info!) I wish you a very happy Valentine's Day! Enjoy x

This Valentine's Day starts the same as every other for Laura; uneventfully, alone and with her mind immersed in her work. Little does she know that her life is about to be turned upside down by the delectable Finn. Teasing, sexy AF and unafraid to challenge her customary sass, Finn will ensure that Laura is destined to enjoy her Best Valentine's Day Ever!

This is a steamy Valentine's novella with plenty of playful anticipation and a metric tonne of lustful, passionate desire.

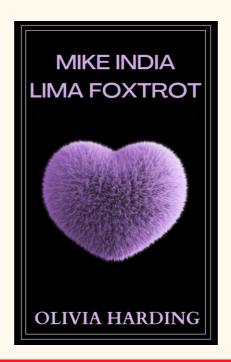
Patrons



As a direct result of my Amazon woes, I've set up something called a Patron. Details can be found on my <u>website</u>, but in short it is a monthly subscription you can sign up to, to support an author/artist etc.

From \$5 a month, I am offering to send you all the short stories and novellas I write as a thank you for your generous support, prior to their publication. I haven't had it running for a month yet, and already I've sent my patrons a short story (Mike India Lima Foxtrot by Olivia Harding) and a Black Lace & Promises novella (Best Valentine's Day Ever by Fenella Ashworth). I hope to share at least one story each month with you.

Of course, these stories can still be purchased directly from <u>Amazon.co.uk</u> and <u>Amazon.com</u> too. Here is the Olivia Harding offering which is a reverse age gap short story - i.e. the woman is older than the guy.



Freebies!



As I mentioned, I'm pulling a number of titles out of Kindle Unlimited over the next few months. These include:

- To Love, Honour and Oh Pay the entire series
- A Very Rural Affair the entire series
- An Accidental Affair
- Animal Attraction
- Bad Boys go to Heaven
- Better Fate Than Never
- Highland Games
- I put a spell on you
- Just Another Winter's Tale
- Time for a quick one?
- Virtually Lovers

To celebrate my efforts to reduce my dependence on Amazon, I'm going to offer two freebies during February and March. These are:

Educating Daisy

Free to download between 11-15th February from Amazon.com and Amazon.co.uk

Highland Games

Free to download between 11-15th March from Amazon.com and Amazon.co.uk

If you do happen to download and read one of these titles for free, please do consider leaving a review? Thank you in advance.

How many have you read?

My list of published titles includes:

- To Love, Honour and...Oh Pay Books 1 to 3
- The Daniel Lawson Series Books 1 to 8
- A Very Rural Affair A Trilogy
- The Canis Hall Series Books 1 to 12
- Black Lace Short Stories Volumes 1 to 5
- An Accidental Affair?
- Animal Attraction
- Bad Boys go to Heaven
- Better Fate Than Never
- Date 38
- Educating Daisy
- Experimental Pleasures
- Fictional Fantasies (The Exxxtended Version)
- Highland Games
- I Put a Spell on You
- Just Another Winter's Tale
- Management Skills
- One Hot Wynter's Night
- · Patients is a Virtue
- Right Hand Man
- Three Times Moor Pleasure
- Too Much Pleasure
- Time for a Quick One? A compilation of shorter erotic stories
- Virtually Lovers
- Various smutty short stories (Olivia Harding pen name)
- Various romance-only books (Sarah Fennel pen name)

