

One Candlelit Christmas comprises three enchanting Yuletide romances set in Regency England!

Christmas Wedding Wish by Julia Justiss

Historical romance readers the world over adore the spellbinding historical romances of Julia Justiss and *Christmas Wedding Wish* is a fabulous novella, featuring characters from her previous novels, which her many fans will not be able to resist!

Miss Meredyth Wellingford had sworn off love after her beloved fiancé had died during the war. Merry had always been perfectly happy being a spinster and leading a pleasant if placid life taking care of her family and friends. However, seeing all her sisters married to devastatingly attractive men has suddenly made her conscious of all the things she might have missed out on.

When her brother brings the dashing gentleman Allen Mansfell over for Christmas, Merry is instantly drawn to this charismatic and devastatingly attractive man and when the two exchange a passionate kiss under the mistletoe, Merry realizes that Allen has awoken feelings in her she never thought she would experience ever again.

But when she hears that Allen is solely looking for a suitable wife, Merry begins to question whether Allen will ever begin to see her as anything more than a mere convenience...

Well-written, poignant and densely plotted, this enthralling Regency novella is another example of Ms. Justiss' fine storytelling talents. Moving, engrossing and charming, *Christmas Wedding Wish* is a joy to read!

The Rake's Secret Son by Annie Burrows

If you haven't discovered the wonderful historical romances of Annie Burrows, then you are missing out on one of the most exciting voices of historical romance writing today!

In *The Rake's Secret Son*, Annie Burrows tells the story of Nell Tillotson, a young woman whose whole world came crashing down around her ears when her husband Carleton was hanged for spying. Condemned as a scarlet woman and forced to be treated with disdain by the people who live in her village, Nell's life is anything but easy. But with a young boy to look after and a roof to keep over their head, Nell gets on with life as best as she can.

But one day, Nell gets the shock of her life when her husband returns from the dead! It turns out that it wasn't Carleton who was hanged by the French for spying, but a prisoner of war who had valiantly taken his place. Nell is stunned to see the man she has never stopped loving back into her life. However, reconciliation with Carleton seems out of the question.

Carleton has never forgiven Nell for tricking him into marriage and for making a fool out of him by succumbing to the seduction of another man. Although Nell protests her innocence, Carleton refuses to hear her excuses.

But at Christmas time, the two find themselves drawn to one another again. Will Carleton and Nell finally realize that they are meant to be together? Or will their pasts prevent them from moving forward?

Enchanting, romantic, beguiling and heartwarming, *The Rake's Secret Son* is another extraordinary story from a writer whose stories just keep on getting better and better!

Blame It On The Mistletoe by Terri Brisbin

Two childhood sweethearts find their way back to one another in Terri Brisbin's entrancing novella, *Blame It on the Mistletoe*!

As a child, Julia Fairchild had been head over heels in love with Scotsman Iain MacLerie. But having had to leave the Highlands behind in order to live with her sister in London, Julia had to wave goodbye to the only man she has ever loved and try her best to make a suitable match.

Julia has never forgotten Iain and when he comes back into her life, her old feelings for him resurface. Thrown into close proximity together, Julia and Iain soon fall in love once more. But Iain refuses to make Julia his wife after a tragic accident during the war left him almost crippled.

A kiss under the mistletoe soon makes Julia realize that she wants Iain more than ever. Will she be able to convince him that he's the only man who could possibly make her happy?

A wonderfully emotional tale of second chances, new beginnings and eternal love that shines with powerful passion, poignant drama and lush prose, *Blame It on the Mistletoe* is another triumph for the hugely talented Terri Brisbin!

This Christmas, treat yourself or a loved one to this wonderful collection of spellbinding historical romances by three of historical romance's finest writers: Julia Justiss, Annie Burrows and Terri Brisbin!