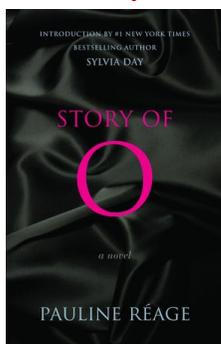


# MAKE ME BLUSH: A ROMANCE READERS BOOK GROUP

First Thursday of the Month at 6:30pm  
2020

The Book for January is

## The Story of O by Pauline Réage

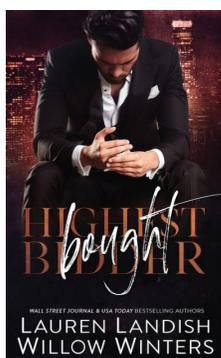


How far will a woman go to express her love? In this exquisite novel of passion and desire, the answer emerges through a daring exploration of the deepest bonds of sensual domination. "O" is a beautiful Parisian fashion photographer, determined to understand and prove her consuming devotion to her lover, René, through complete submission to his every whim, his every desire.

It is a journey of forbidden, dangerous choices that sweeps her through the secret gardens of the sexual underground. From the inner sanctum of a private club where willing women are schooled in the art of subjugation to the excruciating embraces of René's friend Sir Stephen, O tests the outermost limits of pleasure. For as O discovers, true freedom lies in her pure and complete willingness to do anything for love.

The Book for February is

## Bought by Lauren Landish



Everything has a price ... and I'm willing to pay.

I trust no one. I thrive with control and I've learned to be ruthless and cold-hearted. I'm not interested in love, but I still have desires.

That's where Dahlia comes in. She's never been a submissive before and I'm eager to train her. When I saw her on stage at the auction, dressed in gold, I knew I had to have her. She was meant to be a distraction. Nothing more. Then one lie changed everything. A lie she told to hide how broken she really is. I own her for now. She's mine for an entire month.

But a month isn't long enough for what I want to do with her. I don't care what the contract says. I bought her and now she's mine.

The Book for March is

## Skyscraper by Zane



Most corporations hand out bonus checks or gift certificates for Christmas, but Wolfe Industries hands out drama. *Skyscraper* chronicles the week before the annual Christmas party at Wolfe Industries, an African American-owned automobile manufacturer.

The week leading up to the Wolfe Industries annual Christmas party is unforgettable, as the lives of four people who have barely interacted with one another in the past begin to cross paths in the most disturbing ways. By the time the party is over, they will be lucky if the skyscraper is still standing.

The Book for April is

## Red, White & Royal Blue by Casey McQuiston



When his mother became President, Alex Claremont-Diaz was promptly cast as the American equivalent of a young royal. Handsome, charismatic, genius—his image is pure millennial-marketing gold for the White House. There's only one problem: Alex has a beef with the actual prince, Henry, across the pond. And when the tabloids get hold of a photo involving an Alex-Henry altercation, U.S./British relations take a turn for the worse.

Heads of family, state, and other handlers devise a plan for damage control: staging a truce between the two rivals. What at first begins as a fake, Instagramable friendship grows deeper, and more dangerous, than either Alex or Henry could have imagined. Soon Alex finds himself hurtling into a secret romance with a surprisingly unstuffy Henry that could derail the campaign and upend two nations and begs the question: Can love save the world after all? Where do we find the courage, and the power, to be the people we are meant to be? And how can we learn to let our true colors shine through?