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Debra says

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When a man leaves with no way to contact him, he has no right to be angry when he finds out that he is a father years later. That is the bases of this story. The hero comes back from Africa and ends up working with the same woman he'd slept with before he left. He had run to Africa to get away from the demons of his past. But now that he is back what will he do about the son he just found out about?

Diana Tidlund says

Louisa Heaton's A Father This Christmas?, is a wonderfully heartwarming story that'll bring a couple tears to your eyes but an ultimate smile on your face....

I have loved reading Louisa Heaton's work for quite a while now and she has never disappointed me and with her latest " A Father This Christmas? " she's once again captivated me with not only her writing but her characters as well.

Former loves Dr. Eva Corday and Dr. Jacob Dolan are reunited at work when Jacob comes back after 4 years doing medical aide work in Africa.

While Jacob may be happy to see Eva Eva is shocked to see him. And she was about to turn around and shock and surprise him right back by telling him that she has a little boy named Sebastian that is the spitting image of his father, Jacob. And more shocking was that their son is the little boy that he's working on after he was injured in a school bus accident.

Jacob may be shocked momentarily but hes not going to let his son live without him in his life and makes sure she knows it.

Eva has no problem letting Jacob into Sebastian's life the problem is keeping him from getting to close to her, especially since he abandoned her once already to go to Afria, unknowingly leaving her pregnant.

Besides, she knows she'll never have his love, that was buried 5 years ago with his fiance on their wedding day.

Can Jacob overcome his past and love Eva the way she deserves to be loved? Love her enough to give this former orphaned child the family she deserves but has never had?

Then, just when you think they are going to be able to get through this tragedy strikes , will they survive or will this be the final nail in the coffin for them?

You really should grab a copy of Louisa Heaton's A Father This Christmas and find out what happens, you won't be disappointed, I never have been.

Definitely a must read!

Louise Dawson says

Took me by surprise

I always thought of this type of book as being a bit tacky but I really shouldn't have judged them without reading them first! I loved this book from start to finish. Yes you know there is gonna be a happy ending but

that made me want to read it more quickly so I could experience the happy ever after feeling. It was easy to put down and pick up where you left it and wasn't so overly long that I wanted to skip pages to reach the end. I'm definitely a convert to these books now

Hina Tabassum says

The cover explicitly portrays who the main guy is!

The cute young boy is there from the very beginning of the story to steal the thunder from his parents. Being an adorable addition in a situation which would probably have been drab if not for him.

Dr Eva Corday and Dr Jacob Dolan meet after four years. The only time they met was the time when they created the cute little boy they both hold dear to their lives. A little boy who had been in accident.

A foster kid for as long as she remembered, Eva had always been made to believe that she was someone unwanted and thus always guarded her heart and never let anyone come near her emotionally. Jacob, on the other hand is busy carrying guilt for what happened with the woman he had once wanted to marry.

Knowing the abundance of happiness that is theirs for the taking, this one couple works head on. Keeping a clear mind even in times when emotions bubble and are about to gurgel out.

A story of parents who must keep the happiness of their child forefront even when looking for their own happiness, this story strikes very real with the struggles of parents and a life a doctor leads from the other side of the desk. It gives a peek into how a life is upended when a doctor finds himself or herself in a position when they have to be the ones waiting for news from doctors.

A very emotional, and in places completely heart wrenching, story.

Helen says

This is a beautifully written moving and emotional story that will have you grabbing for the tissues and smiling as well as Dr Eva Corday finds love and family and Dr Jacob Dolan comes to terms with things that have driven him from his past and little Seb has a mother and father.

Eva has never had a family she grew up through the foster care system but always dreamed of family and when one night of passion with Jacob leaves her pregnant and alone, although she searches for him she is unsuccessful so she carries on life to the fullest with her son never thinking that she would see Jacob again.

That one last night in England for Jacob was never forgotten Eva the gorgeous red head was always in his mind and when years later he finally comes to terms with his past he returns to England from Africa and finds Eva but what he discovers also will shock him but make him more determined to open up to Eva and his son Seb although with it being Christmas many memories are brought back.

This is such a gorgeous story I have been lucky enough to always have family but Eva hadn't and to feel her joy as Jacob, Seb and her get closer is amazing and to see Jacob come to terms with what had happened to

him and re-uniting with his family will have you smiling, Seb is such a beautiful little boy and of course I do love Christmas stories especially set in the cooler climates my recommendation is don't miss this one I loved it.

Dottie says

A lovely medical romance that brings back together two people that spent one Christmas eve together that changed their whole life. Dr. Eva Corday has a 3 year old son Seb who was conceived on that memorable night, the father was Dr. Jacob Dolan, however he doesn't know that because even though Eva searched for him he was not to be found. He said he was going to Africa and so here three years later he is standing in the hall of the hospital where she works. How does she tell him she had his son, what does she say at all. Life throws some difficult things at people and this is one that both will have to deal with. Jacob had his reasons for leaving and Eva has her ghosts from the past. However Louisa Heaton brings them together with the help of the cutest little boy and everyone will enjoy this reunion, once the dust clears. A very sweet enjoyable book.

Melody Cox says

4.5 Stars

What a gem! I adored his book. The characters were refreshing and the story line was emotional and tugged at my heart.

We meet Dr. Eva Corday who thought she would never again lay eyes on the gorgeous Dr. Jacob Dolan, the man who stole her heart in one sizzling night of passion only to find him gone when she awoke. He left her a brief note saying that he was leaving for Africa and shortly thereafter Eva discovers she's pregnant with his child without any contact info. Eva did her best to find Jacob to inform him of her pregnancy but no one she contacted knew his whereabouts. She searched repeatedly without any luck and after exhausting every avenue she was aware of she finally gave up.

Now, Dr. Dolan has a lot of heartbreak in his past (don't we all) and he is dealing with strong conflicting feelings about the woman he was once to have married. But she was not the woman he thought she was and she came very close to destroying him. He was left with a life filled with tremendous guilt and angst.

I loved this book, I truly did. I highly recommend it. Was there anything negative about the story? Yes. Our heroine did a lot of self thought and self talk and it did become redundant. Other than that it was perfect!

Amanda says

Dr. Eva Corday spent one hot Christmas Eve night in the arms of Dr. Jacob Dolan four years. But when Jacob leaves her bed the next day without her knowing, he leaves a part of himself with her unknowingly. Eva gets pregnant and delivers a beautiful baby boy named Seb. And when Eva thinks she'd never see Jacob again, now years later he is back and standing in her ER department looking as handsome as ever. As the

story unfolds we see the characters grow, we see them overcome the issues that crops up between them, we see Seb, that beautiful little boy play a vital role in bringing his parents together. We see love blossom and memories made and we see Eva and Jacob attain their happy ending by working out their problems together... A Father This Christmas by Louisa Heaton is a warm cozy read filled with emotional intensity amid the backdrop of medical drama. Ms. Heaton's unique writing style garners the readers full attention from page one.

Recommended
5 Stars

Vintage says

The moral of this story is sticks and stones may break your bones, but words will never hurt you. A lesson our pity-party throwing hero should take to heart.

After leaving for bloody Africa, you know the dark continent, for four years after a one night stand where he leaves a note (what a guy), Jacob the hero leads with the refrain, *You've withheld my son from me, you selfish witch*. I paraphrased; he's not quite that harsh. On top of that he hasn't been in touch with his own parents for four years. FOUR YEARS. Four years in Africa and never called his parents once. If it were my son, I would have tracked his ass down and delivered the lecture of the millennium, "You call your mother, Dr. Mr. Big Britches."

Eva whose glass is never quite even half full is the product of years spent in various homes and foster families, and has continually been let down. Even when the H is trying to explain about his dead fiancée and says he doesn't know if ever really loved her, Eva is still set on doubting how he feels about her. Leaving her for Africa with only a one line note probably didn't help.

They do bond over their plot moppet, a three year old with the verbal skills of an eight year old, and the romance develops like grass growing and is just as interesting, *Yes, I am being a cynical bitch about this warm and moving story of two hurt people bonding over their son, but I can't help it. I feel manipulated out the wazoo. Same feeling I had when I read The Fault in Our Stars*. Jacob has a big secret about the death of his fiancée, a secret he dare not speak because it's HIS fault she died.

(view spoiler)

I don't know why this triggered the evil, cynical bitch that lives within, but it did. The hero is a nice guy; the heroine is a sad but hopeful woman in need of a real family. Well written, but just for me.

Nas Dean says

A FATHER THIS CHRISTMAS by author Louisa Heaton is a Harlequin Medical Romance series release for November 2015.

Dr. Eva Corday had one passion-filled night on Christmas Eve four years ago. She had not forgotten that night and had a lovely reminder of Jacob Dolan in the form of her son, Seb.

Now four years later Dolan was standing in her ER department as the new doctor. He was back from Africa and was on a mission to find Eva, but what would happen when he finds that Eva had kept Seb a secret from him? He had missed the first three years of his son's life. Could that fact override the feelings they had for each other? Eva wanted to be loved and cherished for herself. Could Dolan forgive her and forget his own past while moving forward with Eva and Seb?

A FATHER THIS CHRISTMAS is a sweet romance filled with emotions to tug your heart. Dolan had his own demons to fight with before he could commit. And Eva, though a strong person, had her own insecurities which she had to overcome. Author Louisa Heaton has her own unique style with words and hooks a reader in charmingly with her story telling.

Highly recommended for all readers of medical romance.

Dawn Baxter says

Loved it

Loved reading this book. Thought I wouldn't get into this book but very happy I got into it. Fab book

Sarah says

Thanks to Goodreads and Louisa Heaton for a free copy of A Father This Christmas?

A Father This Christmas? is I think the first romance novel that I've actually, you know, *gotten*. Most of the time, by the time I reach the end of a book where romance features heavily, I'm frustrated and creeped out -- let's just say that the controlling alpha male love interest doesn't do it for me.

So, this book was really lovely to read. It's a sweet love story about two doctors and their son, but more than that, it's about family and belonging. There are some fantastic conflicts that move the story along in the first half, and while I thought there were a few plot points that were too coincidental, everything was wrapped up and explained by the end. And there are some interesting medical details worked in as well.

This is a great book to read while curled up inside on a snowy evening.

Anabel Hutchings says

Good light reading enjoyed

Jenny says

Dr Eva Corday and Dr Jacob Dolan have a one night stand that results in pregnancy. Jacob however doesn't know that because even though Eva searched for him he was in Africa and impossible to find. Now four years later Dolan is standing in her ER department as the new doctor. How will he react when he finds that Eva had kept Seb a secret from him? Will he let go of his guilt over the death of his childhood sweetheart Michelle? - the woman who betrayed him and died on their wedding day? Eva had a bad childhood. She went to ten different foster families. She'd been hurt so many times before and she longs to be a part of a family but she is afraid Jacob still loves his dead fiance. Does Michelle rule Jacob's heart? Will he ever let her go? is Eva trying to compete with a ghost?

A sweet medical romance. I loved Eva. I liked that she remained celibate and became a successful single parent. Despite her lonely childhood she is a strong person and a loving great mother. It takes confidence, resilience and courage parenting on your own. I admired her for that. I loved how Jacob's family embraced her and made her feel at home. She deserved it.

Great, quick read with an adorable epilogue.

Mary Stergioti says

Δεν ήταν σχήμο για το εδος του αλλ? η επεν?λυση των σκ?ψεων των πρωταγωνιστ?ν καθ?ς και η περ?λυση των χαρακτηριστικ?ν τους κο?ρασε. Βασικ? η ?λη ιστορ?α θα μπορο?σε να ε?ναι γραμμ?νη στις μισ?ς σελ?δες χωρ?ς να ?χει σημε?α που χ?νουν τον αναγν?στη.
