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When she was a child, Avery Harmen watched her father die at the hands of a Glower–a breed of demon that feeds on dreams of fame and glory. Now she secretly protects the rising stars of Los Angeles from the demons that prey on them, determined to make sure her clients never suffer the same fate.

Then Avery finds herself assigned to Colin Ryder, a young indie rocker who just landed a major label deal. Colin is cocky, rebellious, a brilliant musician, and already in the Glowers' sights. He's also far too hot for Avery to ignore the chemistry between them—especially when she gets to know the tender side behind his celebrity facade. Though Avery knows she's falling too fast, she's willing to risk heartbreak if fanning the flames of attraction distracts Colin from his Glower-tempting antics. But Colin is keeping a secret of his own, one so big it will put both her heart and his soul on the line.

The first book in The Glower Chronicles, a steamy New Adult paranormal series.

Each book in The Glower Chronicles contains a stand-alone romance, but it is recommended that you read them in order to best appreciate the ongoing subplots.

Caught in the Glow Details

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From Reader Review Caught in the Glow for online ebook

Kari (BookandCoffeeLover) says

I received a copy of this book from the author in exchange for an honest review.

Though the plot of the book had me intrigued, the romance had me wary. However, I was pleasantly surprised! Caught in the Glow was interesting and the paranormal aspect was explained well without being overwhelming. The characters were great and were fleshed out nicely. The romance was believable and realistic. A fast paced, enjoyable paranormal romance.

Dianne says

What could be better than a contemporary romance with a troubled rockstar? Add a touch of the paranormal, some great dialogue, one feisty female who bows to no one and of course, the troubled, yet talented rockstar who is keeping as many secrets as our leading lady. Pretty much, you have a delightful smorgasbord of great elements, great writing and great reading called **Caught in the Glow** by Eva Chase.

Not everyone can see the Glowers, nasty demons who feed on dreams of fame and glory. What better place to start than with rising stars? Avery's job is to keep these people safe, serving undercover as an assistant/bodyguard. When she was assigned to stick to Colin like grass stains on white shorts, his most endearing quality was NOT his arrogance, excess or rebellious side. Oh wait, he didn't have any endearing qualities. The Glowers are following him and only Avery can keep them at bay, but there is a another facet to Colin, two actually, his kind and generous side and the secretive side, the one that could destroy more than Avery's heart.

It's all about the chemistry and these two have it, in spades, thanks to the talented pen of Eva Chase! Ms. Chase has created a romance with a twist, nothing drastic, but definitely a positive one. Avery is a treat, one of those characters you wish would show up for a visit. Colin, a bit of manwhore, but deep down, this talented guy is good, he just needs to learn to trust. Will he find that trust with Avery?

From start to finish, Eva Chase had me, sometimes chuckling, sometimes getting frustrated and sometimes saying "awwww." That is what creating a story and presenting it well is all about, it leaves us wanting more! I received this edition from Eva Chase in exchange for my honest review.

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Emmeline (The Book Herald) says

I kindly received a copy of this book from Ink Spark Press via NG in return for an honest review.

Rating- 3.5 stars.

"I saw my first Glower when i was seven years old...that was when i learned that artistic passion could consume a person, literally."

Avery Harmen is part of the Tether Society,

A secret society who protects artists with brilliant talents from the demons/Glower who would mark them, sucking the life and joy away from them until the artist kills themselves.

No one knows this happens.

No one believes in demons in this day and age.

The only way someone can see a glower is if they saw someone dying at the hands of the demons.

Avery is sent to 'tether' Colin Ryder, an upcoming rock star.

His talent is unbelievable, everybody loves him, everyone wants to be him.

And there lies the danger.

The Glowers have their eyes on Colin, and it's Avery's job to protect him at all cost.

Well this was really original!!

Wow.

This book is most definitely NA, it has language and sexual situations and scenes. fair warning.

This book blew my mind in terms of originality, I mean, we always hear about the intense depression artists in Hollywood have. They take drugs, drink too much and sometimes, die of an overdose.

But why does this happen?

What compels someone who has such great possessions, someone who is rolling in money and living the dream from suddenly being so unhappy.

The Glowers.

I just thought it was an ingenious idea.

The characters were very likable, Colin had that vulnerable glow around him that just made your heart ache. However, I will admit that the romance was really fast, One minute he's glaring at her and the next he's moon-eyed. It just felt really fast.

I liked Avery a lot too, she's a cool, no-nonsense character that I can appreciate.

It kind of ended on a cliff- hanger though. So be prepared!

Stay awesome!

-The Book Herald

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Shelia Williams says

Loved the characters and the storyline. It have me on the edge of my seat from start to finish. Avery and Colin was awesome. I just love paranormal contemporary romances and Eva wrote a good one. It is a highly must read and I will be recommending it to my friends.

Amity says

I stayed up till 2 am to finish this. I liked it. I really liked it.

Caught in the Glow is about an organization that protects artist from a breed of demon that feeds on dreams of fame and glory. Avery was assigned to Colin Ryder, a young indie rocker who just landed a major label deal.

I ended up thinking about two things while reading this:

- 1. I have always loved this genre. I like how authors mix contemporary with the supernatural. It was exciting and well written.
- 2. This reminds me a lot of actual celebrities and artist with great careers that ended up badly through suicide or drug overdose. It's a supernatural story but it is also really realistic.

I can't wait for the next book.

LovesAllThingsBooks Book Reviews says

I thought this was a great first book. It was unlike anything I've read before. The story was entertaining and kept me on the edge waiting to see what would happen next.

Avery has the ability to see the demons that feed off of the joy that comes from fame and she works hard to protect her clients from harm. When she is assigned to Colin Ryder emotions get caught up in the mix.

At first I wasn't a big fan of Colin, he has that cocky bad-boy rocker thing going on but when he began to show his true personality I feel in love.

I enjoyed this book and look forward to reading the rest of the series.

Coco.V says

FREE on Amazon today (10/19/2017)!

Christina J. says

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Caught in the Glow was one nice surprise!

It's like a New Adult book, but mixed with just the right amount of paranormal.

Avery Harmens' father died when she was just a child, he died at the hands of Glower- demons that feed on fame and glory. Now she wants to make sure that what happened to her father won't happen to others. She gets assigned to Colin Ryder, who is already in the Glower's sights. She has to make sure that he won't lose his major record deal while keeping him away from the Glowers.

As her and Colin get closer it's hard to ignore the attraction between them, Avery is more determined than ever to keep the Glowers away from him and keep him safe, no matter what.

But Colin is hiding a secret that changes everything.

This book has so many things going for it that made me beyond excited. First who doesn't love a good paranormal book-check. Mix in some new adult you get some steamy scenes and then you add one hot cocky rockstar and kickass heroine. Overall you get one amazing book!

The book is in Avery's POV which I loved, really fit that it was just her because of the secret Colin was hiding, not knowing his thoughts added more excitement to what his deal was sometimes. I love single POV's where you can just dive into the book and kind of become that person, seeing what they're seeing and feeling. Made it easy enough since Avery was pretty awesome, she's an amazing drummer and she has some tricks to fight off the Glower's, she's tough and overall just awesome really.

On the surface Colin puts on that cocky rocker who can do whatever he wants act, but there's more to him, takes a while for it to come out, but it's great slowly getting to know him and why he is the way he is. Althought I wasn't really complaining when he was the cocky rocker, that was pretty fun as well. I also loved the chemistry between Colin and Avery, it's the kind where you just sit and wait for something to happen cause you know it can't be avoided, no way can those two stay away from eachother.

To sum up, Caught in the Glow was an amazing book, well written with one awesome story and unique in the best way possible.

I, for one, can't wait to read the next one.

Brianna Maddox says

I received an ARC copy in exchange for an honest review from the author. It does not affect my opinion of the book or the content of my review.

^{*}Spoiler free*

Full Review on Brianna's Bookish Confessions.

I thoroughly enjoyed this book! When the author contacted me about her book and told me it was new adult romance with a paranormal element, I was all in. I'm not that familiar with new adult paranormal; only YA. YA paranormal is one of my all time favorite genres and I have Twilight to thank for that. This was a great paranormal read! Demon-like creatures who suck your passion out of you? COUNT ME IN!

Avery watched her dad die and as you guessed, by a Glower. Now sworn to destroy the things that killed her father, she secretly helps protect famous musicians from having the same fate as her dad. She is currently to protect Colin Ryder. She knows all too well who Colin Ryder is. She went to school with him at one point, but not that he would notice. He has a thing for the ladies and he makes that very clear to Avery when she comes to protect him. He has a bad temper and it doesn't take much for him to be set off. But neither of the 2 can ignore the chemistry building between the 2.

I'm a hardcore romance addict- that much is true. So it is without a doubt I LOVEDDD the romance between Colin and Avery. I love my bad-boy/rocker types and Colin was just that. I loved his character! Avery's as well; though at times I just wanted to slap her for taking SOO long. But what can a girl do?

Mandy Parmenter says

A Glower is a demon that feeds of humans - specifically their dreams, triumphs and glory achieved - usually in the area of arts and music. Avery Harmen watcher her famous musician father die at the hands of one when she was a child, so is now working for an organisation that uses people like Avery who have seen them to protect rising stars from the Glowers.

Colin Ryder is a young rocker who is on the up having landed his first big contract. Avery is assigned to protect him but has to deal with him being awkward and reckless, while trying to contain her growing attraction to him.

A great story which is a great start to this new series. Well written and an original story - I can't wait to read the next one in the series now.

CeeCeeSugaPie says

I liked the premise, but I just didn't feel connected to the characters. I wish there has been more back & forth between the 2 MCs leading up to the more romantic parts.

Lily's says

I would like thank Netgalley, Patchwork Press and the author Eva Chase for a free digital copy of this book in exchange for my honest opinion

Caught in the Glow is a Contemporary and Paranormal book about a rock star and demons. What a great

combination.

Avery, is daughter of a rocker dad who overdosed when she was seven. She's now nineteen and in the *Tether Society*, she helps does who are artistically talented from having Glowers suck the energy out of them, that's what happened to her dad. The *Glowers* try to convince the target to like what they're doing to enjoy its presence, getting them comfortable, seducing them and once they have been marked, there's no way to detach the connection of the Glowers from it's target. Averys new client is young nineteen year old, up and coming rockstar *Colin Ryder*. She has to live with him in his penthouse while she's working with him. The problem is that he doesn't like to listen to Tethers. Avery has to keep him out of trouble and away from the Glowers. He has to make an album or he might lose his record deal. At the moment he's being rebellious, partying, drinking, doing drugs, and bringing girls over to his place, not focusing on his work. He might not be focusing but a Glower sure has noticed him and Avery will do her best to keep her away.

Through out the book, *Avery* tries to keep Ryder/Colin, what ever you want to call him, safe. It wasn't easy, he would run off leaving Ave having to go after him. Her dads the reason she does what she does, she takes it seriously. Even though Ryder was sometimes difficult to work with, she never gave up on him. She gets to know him better and starts caring for him.

Colin was trouble from the start. He was very stubborn, doing the typical rock star things, messing around. I compared him to Justin Bieber, when he was doing all those crazy things. What Avery didn't expect was for him to have a vulnerable side, and to have secrets that could hurt him.

I enjoyed reading **Caught in the Glow**. It's not that often that I read about rock stars and demons together, okay that hardly happens. I did like this two combinations and that it had a contemporary/Paranormal/Romance feel to it. I knew it would take a bit of time to get to know Colin better. He was cocky and stubborn but we did see that he had other things on his mind besides the music and the girls. I don't know if I liked that or not. Avery gave up music because she was afraid to end up like her dad, and started working as a Tether to try and prevent another death. And Colin knowing that, still wanted to run head first into the problem knowing the consequences and Avery was okay with it. I wasn't okay with that. I mean I guess it's his choice but sheesh. Besides that, I think it was a great book, I thought Avery was mature for her age, Colin, it took a bit to get into him, I did like the chemistry between those two though. Great book, great story, I hope the other books are just like this one.

Eva Chase says

Hey readers! I can't wait to share *Caught in the Glow* with you. :) You can click the "Download eBook" link above to check out the first two chapters!

Lorna says

3.5/5 stars (PureTextuality.com)A new kind of demon, well at least new to me, and a story that takes place among rock celebrities? Count me in! At first, I wasn't really sure about the premise once I got into the book, but I stuck with it, and it really got better as I read.

Avery is the daughter of a rock legend, one that died way too soon. Avery and her mom witnessed the death,

as they walked in on the Glower that was draining his energy. Glowers are demons that feed off of artistic energy of any kind. The more special the talent, the more they are drawn to the musician or artist. First they have to mark them, then feed off of them, on and off, for awhile before ultimately draining their life away. Because Avery and her mom are two of the people that were actually able to see Glowers, they both work for an agency that is employed by different recording studios and the like, to get their talent to start getting work done-instead of getting hooked on drugs, groupies, and all the bad stuff that heads towards any celebrity. Not that the studios know anything about the Glowers, because they don't.

Avery is nineteen and is assigned to her second case, nineteen year old, rock god to be, Colin Ryder. He also happens to have gone to a school that Avery attended for a few months back in high school. She remembers him, but has no reason to think he would ever remember her. Avery has to move in with him and keep him in check, when all he wants to do is get into trouble. It's almost like he is on a collision course or something. Of course, Avery see's the Glowers, one in particular, almost everywhere Colin goes. It's her job to warn off the demon, who incidently knows what Avery's job is, and even at times dispel them away from the scene. I didn't like that she has no way of actually killing the demon, only a way to get them to leave for awhile. It doesn't help that Colin isn't cooperating with Avery.

Of course, this book ends up with a romance between the two. But there is a lot of angst in order to get there. And Colin is not exactly on board with behaving-to the point that I really didn't like him as much as you should like a main character, or love interest. There was a twist I really didn't see coming concerning this, as it turned out. Well I kinda did, but I wasn't sure.

In the end, is this a book that I want to read the sequel to? Not sure, but probably-if only to see where two other characters adventures with glowers take them. I really thought there should be more to this particular story, more scary moments, more bad encounters with the demons, a better way to get rid of them, etc.,so I was a bit shocked to see the follow ups are about other people that are friends/coworkers of Averys. Maybe we will see more about this couple in the other two books, because I didn't feel their story was really finished.

Recommended to adult paranormal romance fans. Adult due to steamy scenes.

A copy of this was given to me by Net Galley in exchange for a fair and honest review.

Stephanie (Bookfever) says

Caught in the Glow was one of those books I'm very glad to have accepted for review. The story was really great, I enjoyed it so much. It was intriguing, sexy with engaging characters and the writing was so damn good! I'm definitely a fan of this story and world!

This story is about Avery Harmen, who when she was a child witnessed her father dying at the hands of a Glower, which, as the synopsis says are "a breed of demon that feeds on dreams of fame and glory". Years later Avery works as a Tether and gets assigned to Colin Ryder, a new up and coming rockstar who's on the brink of losing his major label deal and self-destruction. As Avery does everything in her power to protect Colin she realises there's more behind him than the self-assured and defiant rockstar that everyone else sees and starts falling for him. But then a secret of Colin surfaces which makes Avery doubt that she can keep protecting him from the Glowers.

I loved Avery as well as Colin. Avery because she cared about Colin and not just as a client but really as a person and didn't want him to get hurt. She did literally everything to keep him from the Glowers. Also, she kicked ass at playing the drums, which was just beyond awesome! Colin because at first he seemed this typical cocky rockstar who brings a new girl home with him every week but once you get to know him, there's also a lot of depth within him + he was really talented even if he struggled with it.

The thing that I liked so much about this book was that it was a very unique concept. Sure, I've read other books that were new adult as well as paranormal that also featured rockstars but they weren't quite like this. The writing was really appealing to me, which made the story all the more enjoyable. And of course the romance was so very hot! Avery and Colin definitely had a lot of chemistry going on between them. I loved it.

I only wanted to read a little more about the side characters like Sterling, Fiona and Mateo. But of course this was before I found out Fiona and Mateo will actually get their own books so yay! Looking forward to those very much.

Overall, Caught in the Glow by Eva Chase was in one word: awesome! It had a lot of the things that I love in a good read — new adult, paranormal, rockstars and steamy romance! I can't wait for the next books featuring Fiona and Mateo!