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In *The Gentleman's Guide to Getting Lucky*, Monty's epic grand tour may be over, but now that he and Percy are finally a couple, he realizes there is something more nerve-wracking than being chased across Europe: getting together with the person you love. Will the romantic allure of Santorini make his first time with Percy magical, or will all the anticipation and build-up completely spoil the mood?

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## From Reader Review The Gentleman's Guide to Getting Lucky for online ebook

**I. says**

Smashing that Ladies' Guide pre-order button harder than Monty wants to smash Percy

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**? jamieson ? says**

WHEN will a man as sweet and tall as Percy Newton come into my life? I relate to bi disaster Monty so much but where's MY sweet bf/gf who kill give me soft kisses all the time :/ anyway this was cute & funny thats all I have to say on that

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**Brianna says**

Monty & Percy are disastrous idiots and they're so in love and I! AM! THRIVING!

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**Kai says**

I'm ready for the gay

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**Kaylin (The Re-Read Queen) says**

Monty is such a disaster bi

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**Virginia Ronan ♥ Herondale ♥ says**

**WAIT!**

What!?! O\_o

Hold a second!

**When** did this become a thing and why the freaking hell didn't I know about it?!

I need more Monty and Percy in my life!!

I'm soo going to savour this!!

Well, as soon as I get my own copy of course! ;-P

Mackenzi you make me very happy! XD

I hope you know that. \*lol\*

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## **C.G. Drews says**

This was entirely adorable and so utterly awkward it was hilarious! I actually could read an infinitely long series about Percy and Monty, juuuust saying in case the bookish gods want to grant that request. It is pretty much 50pgs of Monty and Percy trying to have sex and everything of ever going wrong. ?It made me laugh out loud though. I love their banter and Monty's panic meltdowns and the fact that the worst thing in the world that's ever happened to him is getting his hair wet in the ocean.

Anyway, aww, this is the cutest and I am so excited for Felicity's book.

Because the list of things I am capable of has been thoroughly exhausted in the last month:  
sunbathing and sleeping late and looking handsome while eating grapes.

"You're my reward."

"Shit reward I am."

"Why do you think everyone needs some sort of recompense for being around you?" he says,  
his voice so gentle I almost start to cry.

MONTY WHO PANICS WHEN ASKED TO TALK ABOUT HIS FEELINGS ??

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## **chandler ainsley \* says**

### **not enough sex**

i feel PLAYED. ok not really, i knew that i couldn't possibly expect a torrid love scene in a historical fiction YA. but sometimes a girl just wants to dream.

this was really sweet & just reinforced everything we already know. percy is a sweet cinnamon roll & monty has **feelings** that he is bad at letting out. this didn't add much in the way of character development or story but it was cute. and they're cute.

the end.

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## **?Hayley says**

**WE HATE RICHARD PEELE!**

Ugh, this was ridiculously cute and hilarious and I can die happy now. My heart is so full and my stomach hurts from laughing.

If you didn't already know, I fucking *adore* Monty and Percy. I love them and The Gentleman's Guide so much that I'm still, after six months and reading it three times, unable to write a review because I don't think I can write down just how much I love **everything** about these characters and these books and how important I think they are. I could seriously pick it up right this moment, like I want to, and delight in it just as much as I did the first time. I LURVE it.

Anyways, the novella. Really it's more of a short story because it's really very short, 50 pages, but omg it was sooo fucking cute and such a perfect morsel of love, happiness and humor and I'm just SO HAPPY ABOUT IT. I love the small references that Mackenzi made back to Gent's Guide, it made me feel like I was sharing an inside joke with friends. There was a lot of talking going on between Monty and Percy, which I was so happy about because they are extremely bad at talking about their feelings, and I loved seeing them starting to create the foundation for a strong, honest, and communicative relationship. Monty and Percy were so sweet and in love, and I couldn't stop swooning and laughing at the situations they were putting themselves in. There were multiple times when I whispered aloud "oh dear God Monty!".

This is YA, and although I had a small hope, I knew I wasn't going to get the detailed scenes that I do in my adult MM but that being said.. This was pretty freaking good, and I just want to applaud Mackenzi for not only bringing such an amazing couple to YA, but also being like "Yep, I'm going to write a whole novella about them trying to have sex with each other, for teens to read, and it's going to be sweet and full of funny moments and loving words, and there \*mostly\* won't be any fade to black because THIS IS OKAY!!".

This review is getting long for a 50 page novella so short answer I FUCKING LOVED THIS! Monty, Percy, Felicity and their pirate companions are hilarious and I love hanging out with them. I want a million more stories about them because I would seriously read about them watching paint dry. While we're on the topic of Felicity I will say that I was mostly excited for her book to get more glimpses of Monty and Percy, hopefully making out in the background and sticking their hands down each other's trousers, but this made me love her so much more than I did in the first book, where she was very much a secondary character, and I'm really excited for her book and the shenanigans her and her girl gang get into!

*"You don't owe me sex. You don't owe me anything. I'm with you because I want to be. And if we're together, it'll be because we want to be. And we are going to London together because we want to. And it's going to be a disaster. But that's all right, because we'll have each other. We'll be disastrous together."*

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## **TheYALibrarian says**

Umm excuse me how did I not hear about this and why can't I get it on Amazon????!!!! Someone help I need this in my life!!!

Update 10/18/18

Well now I'm a little irked that I found out only people who pre-ordered TLGTPAP and sent an email to Lee got a copy of this ebook. So I guess all of us who had no idea just miss out?! Great...

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## Melissa says

The gang is back in this short, but sweet novella. It's abso-bloody-lutely FANTASTIC! Fans of The Gentleman's Guide to Vice and Virtue **will not** be disappointed. Mackenzi had me laughing, shrieking, and as usual sighing "Oh, Monty."

Also, if you've listened to the audio book and fell in love with Christian Coulson's voice like I have, he might sneak in narrating as you read.

Sum of feels in a gif

Don't sleep on this people! Go pre-order your copy of The Lady's Guide to Vice and Virtue today wherever books are sold. Hang on to your receipts to get the exclusive novella. *details to come*

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## Lily ?? says

I fell in love with Monty & Percy all over again, smiled so much that my cheeks are still a bit sore, and basically, this is the perfect novella, and I can't wait to read Felicity's book.

**"I would teach my body to regrow my heart each time I gave it to him, over and over and over again. Heart after heart after heart—every one of them his."**

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## April (Aprilius Maximus) says

omfg i love them so much it hurts

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## Mackenzi says

\*\*\*POST PUB UPDATE!\*\*\*

All the novellas have been sent! It is too late to submit, even if you didn't know about the preorder until now. Sorry!

Right now, we are unable to offer the novella for sale because of legal/contractual issues. Not to say it won't ever happen, but no plans right now.

PLEASE do not send me or my assistant rude or harassing emails if you didn't qualify to receive the novella. Especially my assistant--she's been doing a lot of work behind the scenes on this and is pretty forking amazing.

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## ????? ? says

Reading this novella is all fun and games until it makes you achingly aware of the lack of cuddling you're experiencing in your life.

So without further ado, **here's a list of iconic and memorable moments in this book!**

- First of all, nothing will ever come close to touching the humor and perfect execution of the question “do you mean to tell me that you have not actually fornicated yet?” being met with the incredulous and slightly indignant response “dear God, Felicity”
- I genuinely strive to cultivate the same holy union of eternal chill and unsubtle snark of Felicity Montague
- she radiates such mom energy I want her to embarrass me and make me breakfast
- “I stepped on a cockroach this morning when I got out of bed; did I tell you that?”  
“I know, I heard you scream”
- To be fair to Monty, anyone who says they’re not even moderately afraid of cockroaches is either lying or naïve
- Speaking of which, let’s have a discussion about Monty
- I love him. That’s it. That’s the discussion.
- Look, I didn’t ask to be a fan of Monty. I didn’t ask to have my life disrupted by a tiny meatball of a man who’s half 18th-century-version of a frat boy and half sensitive artist. Why this? Why me? I didn’t ask for this
- Monty telling Felicity Jesus would be mad at her for stealing his day when her birthday fell on Easter one year
- **Percy:** \*mentions how tiny Monty is\*
- Monty:** (? •?\_•?)?
- Monty solemnly stating that the only reason Odysseus resisted the sirens was because none of them had an ass as fantastic as Percy’s
- **Monty:** \*takes a deep breath\*
- Monty:** Percy—
- Anyone who has spent five seconds around Monty:** yes, Percy has a nice ass, we know, you love Percy’s ass. You could write a goddamn opera in honor of his ass WE KNOW WE GET IT YOU LOVE PERCY’S ASS
- **Monty, lamenting the lack of whoopee in his life:** “I’m a bit concerned my virginity is starting to grow back.”
- [puts both hands on Monty’s shoulders and gazes intently into his eyes] Monty, you fucking moron, that’s not how it works
- Monty unsubtly flexing while cuddling with Percy to impress him with his meaty arms I guess
- Monty factually maintaining that he would be “sporting a semi” if Percy so much as sneezes.... or breathes...or generally exists
- in Monty’s defense, no man will ever be as attractive as Percy emerging from the ocean shirtless, water dripping on his chest and a wide grin on his face, inviting Monty for a swim. That’s just a fact
- So I’m sure you’ve caught on that **this novella is pretty much just about Monty making commendable (if doomed) efforts to get laid**

- I wish I put as much effort into my college assignments as Monty did for such a noble cause
- Also, I can't overstate my appreciation for how committed Felicity was to assisting Monty in finally smashing Percy
- Not only did she come up with an ingeniously elaborate plan to get rid of the sailors aboard the ship, she also tidied up the room and lit candles and arranged for food on the table
- Are there..... are there real siblings like Felicity Montague.....? do they.....exist?
- **What I should have been worried about:** how I am going to pay for college
- What I'd been worried about:** how Monty & Percy will get it on without ruining their relationship
- Seriously. This novella should just be called "Two times Monty didn't get laid and the one time he di—what's that? That didn't work either? Well..."
- I'm actually slightly concerned about Monty, he was literally half-dead of blue balls by the end
- "In my defense, we were left unsupervised"
- I mean, look, that's relatable
- Plus being the gay human disaster of the family is hard work but someone (Monty) has to do it
- Also apparently, Percy Newton, the human manifestation of a condensed sunshine, reads erotic leaflets in his past-time
- I don't know what to do with this piece of information. Percy's my son. I've never thought about him like that and I never will. In fact, I already forgot about it. goodbye
- Jokes aside, I binge read this book and it was the best therapy session I've ever had
- Percy and Monty love each other so much which prompted a very awkward moment in which I realized the actual physical ache in my chest is because of the romance between two fictional characters
- I love them so much I don't really want to use words, just flail my arms and shriek in different pitches to express my feelings
- and I'm warm with the satisfaction of knowing that Monty and Percy will forever be okay because they've learned the most indispensable Relationship 101 lesson:
- you know what's ultimately so fucking hot? an open and healthy communication and feeling validated and understood and appreciated. Fuck yeah!!
- also, not gonna lie, I almost cried at Scipio fiercely apologizing to Monty for ever feeling like he had to hide who he is from him, and apologizing that the world makes him feel as though he has to
- a fictional pirate is literally a better father figure than most dads in the world

*"I wish I could travel backward in time and tell Monty of two years ago, lying on the lawn of his father's house with a bruised rib cage, realizing he was falling in love with the only person who gave him a reason to live, that he'd be here someday."*