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Beautiful Laurie Dodd was perfectly happy with her life. Raised by her loving aunt, she was ready to discover life out on her own. A new town, a new teaching job, a new apartment, and new friends. Finding a new man was not on her list, especially not one with the reputation of a player.

Rob McDonald, a local firefighter, had grown tired of one-night stands, but had no desire to be paired with the new woman in town. Until he met her. One look was all it took and Rob knew that Laurie was the one for him, but he was going to have to work to convince her that he was a changed man. One that was worthy of her.

A fire at the elementary school brought them together, but illness and deceit threatened to tear them apart. Will Rob be able to find the missing pieces of Laurie's past to help her fight for her future? Will Laurie be able to forgive Rob's deceit in order to have a future with him?

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Maryann Jordan says

As an author, we always fall in love with our characters. I fell in love with the town of Fairfield and all of the inhabitants there. This story takes us on the journey of Laurie (Emma's niece) and her moving to a new town to have the opportunity to find herself. She immediately meets Rob, a notorious player, and she refuses to be his next conquest. But Rob is maturing and has definitely taken a hard look at himself and what he wants for his future. Their story is one of love, finding yourself, changing in a relationship, realizing what is important in life, and finding the happily ever after!

Myckel Anne says

Have you ever needed time to discover who you are and who you are meant to be? "Laurie's Time" takes you along with Laurie as she starts a new journey in her life. On her journey she catches the eye of well known heartthrob and player, Rob McDonald. How as we all know, not all journeys are rainbows and butterflies.

Maryann Jordan does not disappointment in her second book in her Fairfield Series. As in "Emma's Home", these characters are ordinary people living their ordinary lives. When I read this story, I was blown away by the story line. It encompasses everything that I love about a good book; love, mystery, and a hot guy that knows what he wants!! Even though the story is titled "Laurie's Time", I believe that Rob grows leaps and bounds in his self-discovery that he was not anticipating.

I highly recommend this book by a wonderful author!

Estelle Martinez says

I received and ARC and loved every moment reading all about Laurie and Rob. Laurie who just moved to Fairfield and is a first grade teacher. She was raised by her aunt After loosing bother her grandmother and mother in a car accident. She never new her father and believe he couldn't miss what she never had. Rob who is a fireman an town player does a complete 180 when he meets Laurie. He realizes that he wants something he's never wanted and he wants it with her.

In the story Laurie has many obstacles to over come. She also learns to open her heart to new love. I don't want to give much away because that would just spoil it but with the help of new friends and her aunt, Laurie has what she never could imagine a big family of friends a job she loves and so much more. So get ready for an amazingly sweet read.

Sandi says

Just when I thought I couldn't love a book more than Emma's Home (1st book in this series) I was wrong. I fell in love with this story even more. Wow, who wouldn't love a HOT fireman and the steamy sex scenes. Rob and Laurie are both strong characters that you would want to be friends with if Fairfield was a really existed. We travel through their relationship with them as they have many hurdles to jump over as they fall in love and try to make it work, having to overcome his past and a lifelong illness. I feel like I am part of this town as I get to know all the people who live there. Thank you again for the HEA and the prologue. I love getting to see a little into their future. I will be waiting for the next installment of The Fairfield Series.

Vashti says

This was my first time reading this author and I was very happy that I came across this book. What a sweet romance about an ordinary couple, no billionaires here ,and a lovely little town that I would not mind living in.

Kayla Mccoy says

This is the second book in the Fairfield Series and it was incredible. First, the prologue was so emotional but it was also where we learn so much about Laurie and the downs she has had in her young life. I fell head over heels in love with Rob. He is a player but as soon as he meets Laurie he knows he will change to be with this women! He is funny, charming, and a firefighter (yes this is considered a trait). Laurie has had a hard life. She lost her mother and grandmother at the same time and was raised by her Aunt Emma who we meet in the first book in the series. Laurie is scared of love that much is true! She is scared she will end up like her mother. She and Rob meet after Laurie moves to Fairfield for a job. They are immediately attracted to each other but Laurie is looking for her Prince Charming not a player. Laurie doesn't make it easy for Rob. They each have to make sacrifices and work hard to be with each other. When Laurie has some difficult events happen in her life Rob is right there helping and supporting her. There are a lot of surprises in this book and a lot of sadness but also so much happiness and self discovery! I read this book in just a few hours. It had me hooked from the first page. I can't wait for Carol's book!

Tera Northcutt says

Ok, I didn't think it was possible to like this book more than the last...but I DID!! Laurie's Time pulled me in enough that I picked up this book to read and never put it down until the end. I love Rob's sometimes overbearing nurturing ways, you felt true love coming from him. Laurie, tho she was loved all her life still had that one thing missing, the love of a father. There is only one negative thing I can say, I HATE HATE HATE having to wait for the next book!!!;0)

This is the 2nd in The Fairfield Series. You don't have to read the first to read this one, but trust me, it's just as good.

Rob is (and it was no secret from the first book) an excellent Alpha male/lover/guy in general. I LOVED how he and Laurie came about and thought that the whole story was just awesome. If you love a hot/steamy romance with excellent characters, a great possessive alpha that is also an entertaining story and super sweet - this is your book. Totally recommend.

Shadi ***save your ratings use disclaimers** says

[Standalone (hide spoiler)]

Denise Van plew says

This is the second book I have read from this very talented author but this time I do believe I am almost at a loss for words to really do this one justice. I fell in love with this quaint place called Fairfield in the first one so was quite happy to return. This time the focus is on Laurie and her quest for finding herself and her place. This book also I was glad to note can be read as a stand alone which makes it good for anyone who happens upon this one first. The beginning starts with opening the window for how things were when Laurie was in her younger years starting at the beginning which in this case is the hook that snags you holding you firmly in place so glad I had picked this up when I did not have to put it down anytime soon. Then it takes you to her life later on where she embarks on her future. She has been until now with her aunt Emma who stepped in with no qualms about it to finish raising her after her mother passed away in a accident. As per the title she is encouraged to take a job away in Fairfield when it comes up because it is her time all the way around. The talent of this author enables us the reader to also walk or run at times with Laurie in her time of life and discovery of herself and what it is she really can do and will want. Of course if you are familiar with small towns at all you know they can be quite friendly especially if you are young and unattached. The people in this town are quite the colorful characters brought to life by this author and the breath she breathes into them. She also quickly gets a new friend aka roommate Carol. Of course any good pal is going to introduce you around the crowd so you can feel right at home and none other than the bad boy of the crowd meaning hunk with looks to melt your bones notices right away the new girl, Rob learns later when they are finally formally introduced his socks will be the ones knocked off plus he has been warned that she is not a one night kind of girl so don't go there. Gotta love friends who look out for each other. But because of her past and when they have met lets his past stand in her way. Oh my that past is always such a trouble maker. So now as the reader I am privileged to having a journey right along with these two as their relationship builds with all their ups and downs. Their time together is not just holding hands either but a get down and truly discover each other to the soul kind that is done quite beautifully here. One of the biggest obstacles their relationship faces is a very real dangerous one or can be if not taken care of properly or diagnosed right-Lupus. Having several close friends in my life with this I know the struggles that can come from this and the special kind of person it takes to be with someone who has this and not walk away a coward. This author sheds the light so realistic on all of this when it comes to a relationship and one person has it the support system Laurie gets from everyone, it is hands down one of the best I have read in how two people deal with a real obstacle other than the run of the mill stuff like playing around and all that kind of stuff. The flow is the kind in this book with all the love, humor and tears by any and all portrayed in this book is the kind once you pick this up it will not be put down till the end is achieved and you find out if indeed she does achieve her time or not but finally leaving you after you find out that answere with you thirsty for more from this author and Fairfield. Received

Vanessa says

Maryann has done it again. Even though this the second book in the series it can read read as a stand alone. We are taken through another journey of one of the Ladies of Fairfield. Laurie's Time takes us through the life of Laurie. She has had a lot of love from her aunt but a lot of heartache and decision making. This is a story that will grab you at the beginning and hold you to the end. Hats off to Maryann for another great story that keeps you entertained through out the whole book.

Bookloverme says

Another wonderful book but I liked the first book more than this one. And to my safety friends, it didn't bother me but some of you might not like this one.

The story started a year before book 1 started. This book was about Rob, over 30 (I think he's 31) and Laurie, 24.

There's a prologue about Laurie's parents. How they met and what really happened. It's also about her younger years.

Laurie got a teaching job in Fairfield and she's on her way to move there leaving her Aunt Emma who encouraged her to move to experience life on her own for a while.

Rob and Laurie first saw each other at the grocery store, the day she arrived but they didn't have the chance to meet. More of a glimpse.

Rob's a local firefighter and he's a player. He defined his sex life as 'fuck and run'. And he had a rule not take a woman to his place.

The first time Rob and Laurie met and were introduced, a woman was hanging around him. And because of Laurie's past, she can't trust a player.

Rob realized it's time for him to change and be worthy of her. He tried his best to prove to her he's a changed man but it wasn't easy because there's always someone wanting her to know they had him first. At first she was jealous but she realized they never really had him. She's the only one who had his heart and that he's worth the trouble.

Another obstacle they had encountered was her having lupus. It was also the reason why Rob did something without her knowing (view spoiler). When she found out he lied and went behind her back, she got mad at him. She packed her things, left their house and stayed at her friend, Jean's house.

Talking to her Aunt Emma helped her realized Rob only did it because of his love for her and that she didn't want to live without him.

There's an epilogue and I loved it! I think Maryann Jordan writes the kind of epilogue I love.

SAFETY:

(view spoiler)

Tracey says

Laurie's Time was another hot read by Maryann. I was convinced after reading Emma's Home there couldn't be anymore hot guys in Fairfield...boy was I ever wrong!!! Rob-a-licous is a Hot fireman. Loved how protective, loving and sweet he was with Laurie. Laurie is your sweet, beautiful, school teacher that all the kids love. When these two get together fireworks go off. All I can say is its a definite read. I promise you won't be disappointed.

Lynn Smith says

Laurie's Time is the second book in the Fairfield Series by

Maryann Jordan Laurie grew up never knowing her father and her mother dying when she was young. She was raised to adulthood by her aunt Emma (1st book Emma's Home) She moves away from everything she has always known and takes a job in Fairfield teaching. Laurie's roommate Carol takes her out to met some friends. One of which turns out to be the handsome hunk of a man she has seen around town Rob McDonald a known player. Rob a firefighter and alpha male has also seen Laurie around town and wants to get to know her, but Laurie doesn't want a player. Sparks start to fly between the two. Rob realizes his past has caught up to him and knows he must change in order to get Laurie.

Laurie's Time is a wonderful read. Showing two people going through changes in their everyday life and learning to love. It can be read as a stand alone story which is actual my favorite kind (Stand alone series books). I love the series and getting to know other characters in town and falling in love with Fairfield.

Lost in Romance Books says

Laurie's Time is a stand-alone book in the Fairfield Series by Maryann Jordan. Most of the same town characters that were in Emma's Home are back in this story which gives the book a sense of continuity. This story focuses on Laurie, who is Emma's niece from Emma's Home, and her relationship with Rob. Most books that involve a player as their male lead, make no apologies for behavior that occurs before the hero meets the heroine. This author gives us a rare glimpse into an alpha male as he searches for love while understanding how his past behavior affects those around him. A very different, and refreshing perspective! You will follow Laurie and Rob as they build a relationship, find love, and find redemption. A great companion to Emma's Home and makes me want to move to Fairfield! Looking forward to the next book.