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Brooke Sawyer is a successful record producer living in L.A. While attempting to escape her painful past, she sets off on a month long trip to Paris. The last thing she's expecting is to fall in love with gorgeous, tattooed, musician, Dylan Bissette.

To Dylan, Brooke is like an intricate guitar riff he can't resist. One he'd gladly play over and over.

Lost in his magnetizing presence, Brooke isn't in any rush to let their song come to an end.

Meeting [him] was fate.

Pursuing [her] was a choice.

Falling in love was out of [their] control.

Sometimes the best way to keep a secret is to pretend there isn't one.

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~Dawn~TUG says

I loved this book...everything about it. The humor, angst, friendship, love, even the fucked up choices that were made. LOVED it..top book of the year for me. This author has a direct line to my reading soul. She writes with such passion that I am completely and utterly connected to every thing that happens, whether I like the results or not. I can not wait for the next book to come out. Like stalking fan girl can't wait..If I could sit in her lap whilst she types it out, I WOULD. I need Dylan and Brooke...like my lungs need air. Like my glass needs moscato...yeah that much!

Lea ★ says

CLIFFHANGER ALERT!

God, I hate giving mediocre ratings.

I gave it 3 stars, because this author can write... and actually, she can write really, really good.

This was my first book by this author, and I was pleasantly surprised.

Let me just mention positive aspects of this book:

I am a huge music fan, so musical references in this book were absolutely a big plus.

Book is set in Paris, and again, french capital is one of my favourite places in the world, one of few cities I always come back to. Hero is half english, half french and a musician. Yeah, I mean, come on! Yummy! :) This story had all the element to be simply epic, but somehow there was just something missing... and the biggest problem is, I can't put my finger on it. Right after first 30% I started skimming a lot.

The story... well... either this is was plain boring, or I just read too many similar books... can't really tell.

Red Cheeks Reads says

I absolutely adore books that allow me to travel to the locations as I read. And Forget does this for me! I was able to be transported from the pages and to the beautiful city of Paris. Forget was the a beautiful love story, not only about love but about learning to accept loss and use that as a form of opening a new door. Being open to new places and experiences, Brooke has a meets a hot guy in the most craziest ways. I died from embarrassment of the character when it happened! I was able to connect with Brooke, in all her endeavors. These characters were real to me. I could definitely hang out with them in Paris, eating the delicious foods, seeing the scenery, and experiencing the night life. All of it made me want to get on a plane and travel to this gorgeous place.

I recommend reading this book to the traveler that can't quite leave their home. The reader that wouldn't have the opportunity to see a beautiful part of the world can be transported and have the place right at their fingertips. Steamy scenes will fog up your kindle, for sure! And let's not forget about the ending...gah I need the next book now! Must find out what happens to Brooke and Dylan!!! 4 smooches for Forget by N.A Alcorn.

~Sarah

FMR Book Grind says

SAM'S REVIEW 5 STARS

OH MY FREAKING SHIT!!!!!!

THE BOOK JUST ENDED THERE....... LIKE WHAT THE HOLY HELL AM I SUPPOSED TO DO WITH MY LIFE RIGHT NOW????? And that excerpt from the next book..... N.A. Alcorn I swear to the Lord above, if I don't get my hands on the next book STAT, I will lose my mind!!!!! I need answers DAMMIT! I have to know why!!!! JUST WHY!!!! *throws self on floor screaming at the world with huge ugly sobs"

This is the story of Brooke Sawyer. After grieving the recent loss of her Grandmother and saving grace, Millie, the most important woman in her life, she sets out to complete the bucket list Millie had left for her. The most important thing on this list is the all expenses paid trip of a lifetime to the beautiful city of Paris and living, sleeping, eating and breathing the city!

Brooke travels from LA to Paris on her own for this huge four week adventure. She sets out to live all of the tasks Millie set her to do and further the connection between herself and her Grandmother.

But what she doesn't know is that one journey on the metro, has the potential to change her entire life. Brooke is a boho, pocket sized, STUNNING, blonde haired beauty! Her inner monologue is FANFREAKINGTASTIC and just pulled me into this story.

A very embarrassing but HILARIOUS meeting between strangers Brooke and Dylan is going to go down as one of my favourite 'first meeting' EVER!!!!! Dylan, the GORGEOUS, tattooed, sex haired, half Brit/half French, dirty talking, charming, BRAND NEW LOVE OF MY LIFE (yep, that is a dibs right there and I will cut a bitch if anyone says otherwise) is just EVERYTHING I want and so much more from a lead male character!

The connection and chemistry between these two characters was just off the freaking charts and written so beautifully that my heart was ready to burst!

Supporting characters were a wonderful addition to this story and I connected with them, their humour and the LIFE they brought to this story!

The humour, hurt, healing, harmonies and the HELLA HOT steamy scenes..... *WARNING.....ICED WATER.....BUCKETS OF IT YOU WILL NEED* were delivered so perfectly that I don't know how I'm going to pick up another book!!!! I love everything about the journey the experienced together and the way we also get a few POV's from Dylan....seriously that GORGEOUS MAN....HE ROCKED MY DAMN WORLD!

I don't want to spoil it! I can't tell you what happens, because you need to feel it on a personal level!!! BUT.... I NEED ANSWERS! There are secrets, and I need to know what the hell is going on! THIS STORY IS A CLIFFHANGER! That is what I will tell you! I live for those babies! Because what I am feeling now.....THE BUZZ, THE SHOCK, THE THRILL, THE EVERYTHING! That is what I absolutely live for as a reader!

N.A. Alcorn, this message is for you! I don't care what I have to do, I'll move in with you, I'll be your maid if I have to, I'll make you REAL English Tea, I'll do ANYTHING.....JUST ANYTHING for the continuation of this series! I need it! RIGHT NOW! Please, I beg you!

EVERYONE NEEDS TO BUY THIS BOOK! STOP WHAT YOU ARE DOING AND GET INVOLVED! NOW! BUY IT, FEEL IT AND WELCOME TO ONE HELLUVA BOOK HANGOVER.

Patrycja says

3.5-4 stars

Kelly Anders says

BLOODY HELL!!!

Dang if this author hasn't done it again!!

Brooke is grieving the loss of her grandmother. A grandmother any of us would wish for. Millie is/was obviously a dreamer and has passed her dreams along to her granddaughter, Brooke.

As a last request, she sends Brooke to Paris to dream, explore, find love. And Lord, does Brooke find it all! Enter Dylan (who is MINE by the way. No, really, I licked him) Dylan is just what Millie ordered. Young, cocky, hot and well, you know...

Their time together is amazing! I got lost in their time with each other. Their relationship was just natural. Fate.

Natalie (NA Alcorn) did, in fact, leave us hanging at the end. But I for one am NOT going to cuss her - not until I get the rest of this story, anyway!

This is most definitely a one-clicker! Thanks for the ARC, Nat. I LOVED every last word. You continue to amaze me with every new book you write!!

Nance says

Review to be written after sequel is read...

1-Click Addict Support Group says

I feel raw.

I feel a little bit broken.

I feel angry, and frustrated, and all hyped up.

I feel like I just read something amazing.

One month in the City of Love. Paris. A chance to experience that grand city after a lifetime of hardship. For

Brooke Sawyer, the trip was supposed to teach her something and open her eyes... She wasn't supposed to fall in love.

But Dylan Bissette, with his tattoos and the perfect musical chemistry he shares with her, gave Brooke no choice... Now, the weight of her past and her secrets threaten to ruin everything.

If asked to describe this book, I would call it a beautiful contradiction. Much like strong, broken, shy, crazy Brooke, *Forget* is two very different things. Two very different, *wonderful* things.

It's completely charming, cute and funny. The way Brooke and Dylan banter and play with each other is excellent; it's flirtatious and fun, and it feels like their connection is a moving, breathing thing. Their initial meeting still makes me chuckle as I think about it, and may be my favorite meet-cute of all time. It's certainly up there. Likewise, the relationships these two have with the secondary characters are spot-on. They give insight and body to this story, adding to it, never taking away from it. Plus, the music that threads though this book, from the perfect nickname (*Little Wing* is..gah, I fucking SWOONED whenever Dylan called her that!), to the chapter titles, will make you feel like you're experiencing more than just a book. Reading *Forget* is like living a musical, too.

It's confusing, angsty and heart-breaking. Brooke's past made me ache inside. I could *feel* it holding her back. I hated it. I loved it. And Jamie...Mysterious Jamie, who casts a shadow over the whole book and whose name had me prophesying all kinds of out there outcomes. His mere *name* was the reason my hands grasped at my cheeks, as I stalled at about 90%, wanting desperately to read on but terrified of the inevitable cliffhanger.

Forget is definitely a contradiction. I'm so fucking happy to have read this book, because I giggled, guffawed and snorted. But my poor heart is kind of broken and desperate; desperate for Blur so I can get closure. And so I can get more of Little Wing and Bright Eyes. Is it any wonder I feel raw? ~ Beth, 6 Forget-Me-Not stars

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How fun would it be to just let loose and forget about the real world, and go on a vacation for one month to Paris?? Although Brooke's heart is broken over the death of her grandmother, Millie, the 27 year old takes the bucket list left for her, and heads across the big pond. Even with Millie gone, her presence was felt throughout and she was one fun loving grandma!

The author made me swoon for not only a man in this story, but a city!! The food, the scenery, the music of Europe made me drool for all different reasons! Very well written and captivating.

Dylan "...is the guy a woman looks at once, twice and then three more times because she can't believe he's real." With his English accent, emerald eyes and amazing voice, he is one book boyfriend I will not *Forget*. I want to have his fictional babies. Holy cute and demanding, Dylan...the dimple, the cockiness, the sweet-nothings in Brooke's ears made me jealous!!

Brooke, the "size of Tinkerbell", she blurts out embarrassing thoughts and then chastises herself immediately after. Getting inside her head with her journal entries (another request of Grandma's) helps make her feel like a real woman with normal insecurities, yet tough as nails and hilarious on the outside.

I am a wholehearted LOVER of music and need it daily in my life, yet I usually cringe reading most books with musician. They feel cheesy and forced. This book? Perfection. The adorable way Brooke and Dylan

"meet-cute" (serendipity), to the many music references, were placed in the story perfectly. The anticipation of their relationship was cute and steady.

Brooke's best friend, Lindsay, and their "constant stream of inside jokes," oddly enough, made me feel like one of their friends! Or at least WANT to be. Many laugh out loud moments on my couch!

I enjoyed how the title, *Forget*, was woven throughout the story for different reasons. With the romantic city, cute-yet-alpha Englishman, authentic characters and a smooth, enjoyable story line, this book has it all. Loved it! I want more! ~ Krissy, 5 stars

## **Grey says**

4.5\*

#### **Natalie The Biblioholic says**

Goodness where do I begin? This author has officially made it onto my favourites list. She is that amazing. I haven't touched a book of hers yet that hasn't touched me deeply in some way shape or form!! If you haven't taken a chance on her yet, please hesitate no longer!!

This book was so beautifully written and entranced me from the first page! Millie's letter grabbed a hold of me something fierce. I could not stop reading!! And once I finished this book, I couldn't even write a review because I just had to know what the heck was next in Blur. What an awesome journey!! I think this is the first "musician book" in which I found the characters completely relatable and the music references were incredibly well thought out. I won't lie. There were some instances during which I had to take a quick trip to YouTube just so that I could be in the moment with the characters. I'm not that quick to recognize the lyrics lol. But it made the experience all the better. The interactions between all of the characters was so unique yet so normal. Interactions I could see myself having with my own circle of friends. And the chemistry between Dylan and Brooke? Off the freakin charts!! We can only be so lucky in life and love to find someone so in tune with our souls. The theme of serendipity throughout this book was so touching and felt so real that I couldn't help developing a real connection with these fictional characters. I can be honest and say that where this book was lighthearted and hilarious (with way too many secrets being held by Brooke), Blur was extremely tear jerking, emotional, dramatical, heartrending, painful, bittersweet and absolutely amazing!! I don't regret one moment of this ride. The only issue I had was that I needed Brooke to finally live for herself. She constantly worried about everyone else's happiness and neglected her own. She loved wholeheartedly (which is so uncommon these days) and her love was beautiful, but sometimes it came at a huge cost to herself.

I'm off to do a review for Blur because I just have so many wonderful things to say about these books!

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Review to follow... I have no time... Reading Blur!

#### Alex is The Romance Fox says

Forget by NA Alcorn is, for me, tells a story that you never want it to end. A beautiful and touching story of love, loss, heartache and discovery. A story of two people that were meant to find each other.....

The story begins with Brooke Sawyer, a LA music producer, is dealing with the loss of her beloved grandmother Millie and after the funeral, opens the letter that she had been told to read after her death. It's the most touchingly beautiful and haunting chapter in this book. The love that Millie had for Brooke was extraordinary.....leaving a bucket list for things that she wanted Brooke to do in her life.

The day after Millie's funeral, Brooke travels to Paris to honor her request.

This is the beginning of a journey that will change Brooke's life forever. And a meeting with a beautiful green-eyed man on the Metro will be a momentous moment that makes you believe that some things in your life are meant to be. I loved the scene where the two first meet and how Brooke tried to be cool and collected......

Dylan Bissette, gorgeous and beautiful...talented musician and the most incredible and endearing man.

There were so many things I loved about this book.

-The immediate connection between Brooke and Dylan. Two souls meant to be together. The friendship that grew into love. How comfortable they felt with each other. The fun and laughter.

You've wrecked me, Little Wing." -Dylan

How much they had in common, their common love for music.....

Even when Brooke held back on the secrets she had in her life

"I keep his secrets, and he keeps mine. He has trusted me with the darkest, most painful parts of his life, and holding onto that trust will always be a priority. I won't hurt him. Our relationship is complicated."

.....she was unable to stop her feelings for Dylan...he brought magic into her life....something she had never experienced before..

"I want to get drunk off his smile and have a million of his smile's half-British, half-French babies. His full lips make me think of French kisses, which lead me to think about him naked again. I'm hopeless."

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- -I loved seeing the change in Brooke as the days flew by....a month of the most incredible moments of happiness and her battle in trying to deal with what was waiting for her back home...
- -I was astounded by the understanding and acceptance that Dylan showed Brooke when she told him about her uncertainties facing her and the struggle she had owing up to her feelings for him.

#### "The greater the capacity to love, the greater the capacity to feel the pain."

- -The Paris setting. I felt as if I was back there.....I recognized the streets, the places.....nostalgic memories of a time I spent in that city with my man when we were so very young.....the vividness was incredible...the smell of fresh baguettes, café au lait......
- -The characters in this story were absolutely fabulous. I adored Brooke's BFF, Lindsay....she was one of a kind and I would love to read her book someday. Dylan's brother, Jesse, was totally lovable even when he was being a total man-whore!!! And the one I really loved was Millie. She was an incredible person...someone I would love to meet and become friends with.
- -The twist of who and what about Dylan's uncle's story left me wanting to know more.
- -Loved the writing.....words that flowed so naturally that kept me captivated through each page I turned.
- -Wow...each chapter heading is a title of a song.....how neat is that????? Jimmy Hendrix, Artic Monkeys, Rolling Stones, The Ramones......it was a blast from the past!!!! I actually went onto YouTube and listened to the songs. Just made the story even more special.

This was one of my favorite books of 2015. It's a story that will stay with me for a very long time. I can't wait for Blur, the continuation of Brooke and Dylan's story.

And these words grabbed at my heart-strings....memorable and unforgettable.....

#### Paula says

4.5 stars

Bloody hell! That ending hurt. Thank goodness the next book is already out because I'm desperate to know what will happen!

I enjoyed this book immensely. I loved the characters. Especially Dylan, the hero, who is half French, half English, ALL SEXY. \*melts\* The music incorporated within the pages was beautiful. The love story was beautiful and heartbreaking. And the rich descriptions of Paris made me feel like I was there. Well done!

## Crazy for Books (Stephanie) says

#### 5+ Little Wing and Bright Eyes Stars

Delilah Brooke Morning-Rain Sawyer aka "Brooke," known to her beloved Grandmother, Millie, as Lilah Belle has had a tragic life, until Millie took custody of she and her sister Ember when they were young. Now 26 twenty-six, Booke has lost Millie, who has been her world, to cancer. Millie leaves a letter instructing Brooke to go to Paris the day after her funeral, write in a journal, and complete the bucket list she's made for Brooke.

The first day in Paris, Brooke meets Dylan Bissette on the the metro while trying to sneak a photo of him on her phone to send to her best friend Lindsay, an internationally known model. Dylan is immediately taken with Brooke. He tries to get her to tell him her name, but only is able to write his number on her hand before she gets off at her stop.

Shocked by her reaction to him, Brooke tries to put the encounter out of her mind. But fate has other intentions. Soon Lindsay, who surprised her by showing up in Paris, and Brooke are at Au Fait - The Bar with the best Bloody Mary's, and Milly has instructed her to meet with the owner, who has a letter for her. While at the bar, they meet a young bartender named Jesse, who seems familiar to Brooke. Turns out Jesse is Dylan's younger brother, and they are part of local up-and-coming band. They spend the rest of Brooke's time in Paris together, completing her bucket list, talking music, finishing each other sentences, and getting to know each other. Brooke has never felt the way she feels about any other man as she feels for Dylan. Yes, she loves Jamie, her best friend since moving in with Millie, but that feeling is very different.

He's the one song I could listen to over and over. ~Brooke

"Oh, I can promise I do not lie. I hate dishonesty." ~Dylan

Brooke's biggest dilemma, is that she has a secret. One she can't tell Dylan and she fears if she tells Jamie how things are with she and Dylan, he won't be able to handle it.

The story goes back and forth into the past then forward to the present, so you get little snippets of how Brooke's life was before she ended up with Millie and what happened to her. Why she makes some of he decisions she does in the present. The story also gives insight into how Millie influenced Brooke's life and how important she was to both she and Brooke's sister Ember. Brooke has the biggest heart. She's the type of person who will endure personal pain to make someone else happy or keep a promise she made.

Dylan falls fast and hard, but knows that there is something Brooke is keeping from him. When she leaves without a saying goodbye, will he ever see her again? Will Brooke be able to live the life she promised without Dylan in it? Will she ever see him again? Was her time in Paris only a dream that she can never have?

I have to say, though it took me a while to finish the book, it was amazingly good. I have been in this funny/sexy reading path for a while and I think that colored my view a little when I started reading this book. It was hilarious in some parts and then it would hit my heart and cause me to cry in others. I couldn't handle

the tears, so I would put it aside to take a break. But I'm so glad I finished it. Now that I have, I can't wait to read *Blur* and discover what happens next with Brooke and Dylan.

I loved how the author gave us both of their POV's so you can understand what Dylan was thinking and why he fell so hard for Brooke. You will understand why he calls her "Little Wing" and his brother calls her "Tinkerbell."

I've always had a desire to go to Paris. It's always been my bucket list location, even though I speak not a stitch of French. And even after the tragic events that took place just under a month ago, with the terrorist assault, this book has reignited my desire to make it there some day. Hopefully sooner than later.

On to Blur ...

#### Jo says

He's wrecked me. My heart rolls out of my chest and into his.

What a fantastic book!!! It grabbed my heart from the very first page, and never let go.

She has become my constant distraction.

Brooke Sawyer has just had her heart broken. Her beloved grandmother, Millie, the most important person in her life, has just died. And she has no idea how to survive the pain. Luckily for her, her grandmother was a very wise woman, and knew just what Brooke would need after she was gone. Millie has always wanted Brooke to go to Paris, to experience the beauty of it, as she did so many years ago. And so she ensured that Brooke left right after her funeral for a month in Paris, hoping it would teach her granddaughter to live life, to place herself first for a change.

20. Fall in love. If it's not with a man, then it will be with Paris. I promise, four weeks is enough time.

And with the bucket list her grandmother left her, Brooke finds that Paris is just as amazing as her grandmother said it would be. She never thought she would be able to complete all the numbers on the list, especially number 20, but once she meets Dylan Bisette her heart's days were numbered.

Deep down, I'm desperate for the possibility that someone like him, so breathtaking, so full of life, could love a wreck like me.

Falling in love with Dylan was not part of Brooke's plan. She never thought someone as broken as her, could earn the love of such a man. A man who is determined to break down her walls, to make her realise what they could have. But Brooke has so many secrets, and one of them means that Dylan can't be part of her future. She made promises, and her loyalty and her love for the people closest to her, means she has to keep her promise. Even if it breaks her heart.

This is what quicksand feels like, I think, as I sink into his gaze. I want him to swallow me whole.

Brooke was such a great character. So very broken, and after learning about what happened to her when she

was little before she and her sister came to live with Millie, I came to understand her so much better. She has such a big heart, and when she loves, she does it completely, and would do anything for them, even give up what she wants and needs.

#### I'd let her tear me apart if it meant she'd put me back together in the end.

I **LOVED** Dylan. This sexy Englishman with his tattoo sleeves, musical talent, and dirty talking had me swooning the entire book!! I loved the nickname he gave Brooke, how he would speak in French to her, how possessive he was over her, and how hard he pursued her.

"Believe me, I know it's overwhelming, but I also know that I can't deny it. I can't not try to find out what this is between us. I'm certain that whatever it is, Brooke, whatever is pulling us together, is something worth exploring."

The romance was AMAZING!!! I loved the instant attraction they had, the chemistry between them was intense and consuming and just freaking hot!!! The sexy times were SCORCHING, especially with Dylan's dirty talk, and ability to drive Brooke wild. They were just perfect for each other.

He was the love of my life, and even though our love affair was short-lived, I have no regrets.

I loved how we got to learn more about Millie, about her experience in Paris. About the love she discovered there, and the love she had to let go. Two people who were so very much in love, and who because of circumstances that have not been revealed yet could not stay together. And you could see with the little things that were revealed about both of their lives, that their lives afterwards was never complete. Both suffered without the other. It broke my heart that history seemed to be repeating itself with Brooke and Dylan.

I guess that's how you know you really love someone, when you'd rather they forget you altogether than deal with the pain.

I think I just ruined the best thing I ever had.

But it was inevitable. I made promises, and I intend to keep those promises.

This book ends on a big cliffhanger, but luckily for me the second installment is available, and I can't wait to find out why Brooke had to break her and Dylan's hearts in the end. To find out if this time history will be different.

This was my first book by this author, and I was blown away by the emotional impact this book had on me. I'm not a fan of angst, but damn she made it work in this book. It was the perfect blend of powerful feelings, of a love and romance that will hook it's talons in you, and not let go. HIGHLY RECOMMENDED.

# Dora Koutsoukou says

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My heart has broken to pieces, scattered all over Paris....

? Quand il me prend dans ses bras

Il me parle tout bas Je vois LA VIE EN ROSE....?