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CRADLE OF DREAMS

Keta Diablo

With visions of battle still fresh in his mind, Roane Bradfield returns home to find the woman he loves betrothed to another. He corners Kendrick Moreland at Dowager Huggins' Grand Ball and whiskers her into the secluded library. One way or the other, he will know the reason the duplicitous beauty cut him from her life when she promised to wait forever.

Kendrick can't believe her eyes when Roane suddenly appears at the ball. Has he truly risen from the dead? Amid wagging tongues and hushed murmurs, the fantasy of her every dream whiskers her from the ballroom. And the expression on his face is anything but loving. Revenge, danger and powerful love collide in the Cradle of Dreams.

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A LOVE SOUL DEEP

Amber Scott

If only Sara had known no man would ever make her feel like Crew did, she would have let him love her. A regret that can never be undone. His death haunts her dreams, and her wishful thinking only reminds her of everything she has lost.

Years later, a visit to an antique store in sultry Savannah changes everything and makes her deepest wish come true. Her beloved returns to her. Her every fantasy gets the chance to be fulfilled. But she wants more than one night. She wants a lifetime and wonders what magic will let her keep A Love Soul Deep.

Want to know more about Amber Scott's books? Visit her here: <http://amberscottbooks.com>

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ONE RUB MORE

Elise Hepner

Flynn has been cursed for over a century for a social slight he never committed. A voodoo priestess hexed him and forced him into a teapot where he could be summoned by the rub of a woman's palm. Once free, he grants these women three sexual favors—and cuts off his own emotions in the process. Unable to break free from an invisible cage of lust and sex to fall in love again he's resigned to being a sex object and nothing more.

Helena has been house sitting far, far away from her complicated past in England—including her former childhood sweetheart, who wasn't satisfied when Helena didn't want to be barefoot and pregnant. She's resigned to leave behind the complications of men and sex. She hopes logic will win out over her unreliable emotions—but she's put to the test when she accidentally summons Flynn from his teapot prison.

More about Elise's Books here: <http://celise91writer.blogspot.com/?z...>

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‘TILL WE MEET AGAIN

Stacey Kennedy

Ethan Thomas has spent years alone?forever trapped between worlds. Once a soldier in the Civil War, he's now a ghost bound to a chaise lounge that once belonged to him. He's spent centuries lingering in Savannah, Georgia, waiting to be saved...

Cassandra Cole is an interior designer hired to restore an old Victorian home. As she begins to furnish the house, strange happenings erupt around her. She suspects the house is haunted. Determined to find out, Cassie sets out to discover who the ghost is, why she feels a connection to him, and what she has to do to free him. The answers will surprise her in ways she never imagined.

Want to know more about Stacey's books? Go here: - <http://www.staceykennedy.com>

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Andrea Guy says

This is one of the first ebooks that I've ever been drawn to because of the cover. It is simply stunning. The four stories are super short, all around 25 pages long. So in some cases it feels like a bit of a wham bam thank you ma'am sort of thing, but oh are they steamy.

All of the stories center around an antique store in Savannah, GA and the items for sale or purchased there.

In Keta's Cradle of Dreams a love story from the past comes to the present. The story centers around a civil war soldier who returns home to find his love betrothed to another.

Roane was a bit of an angry and horny alpha male. In some ways I could understand his anger at Kendrick for moving on, but it was also unreasonable.

I loved the historical aspect of this story. Roane was a bit more than a domineering soldier back from the war. You could really feel his frustrations. I wasn't as fond of Kendrick though. It was obvious that she was in love with Roane. Betrothed to another or not, I couldn't understand her actions toward Roane at times.

The sex between those two was explosive and well written. Definitely a get hot and bothered story.

The return to the present was a nice touch. I also loved Calypso, who seemed to be in two time frames.

Amber Scott is one of my favorite Indie authors, and she was the main reason I wanted to read this anthology. Again, she did not disappoint. "A Love Soul Deep" is just a gorgeous, sexy story about a second chance.

I'm not quite sure how the love affair in this story really worked out..was the guy with Sara a ghost? Either way, Sara got the chance to fulfill her dream of making love to Crew, the boyfriend that was killed in a car accident years earlier.

This story was truly heartbreakingly emotional. The love between Sara and Crew really transcended life and death. This was my favorite story of the bunch. It managed to heat things up but it also tugged at the heartstrings. And the ending! OMG I won't give it away, but even though the ending isn't quite the happily ever after most would expect, the ending is perfect! This is a must read story!!

If Amber's was the best story, Elise Hepner's "One More Rub" had to be the most fun. A genie that grants 3 sexy/naughty wishes. Yes, please! More, please!

The concept was adorable and a cold shower is a must after all the steamy sex between Flynn and Helena! I liked the backstory about the curse that landed Flynn in the teapot as well. This story was sexy cute!

The last story is "Til We Meet Again" this is another "ghost lover" story. I actually wanted more of this one because I thought it needed more. Not that I disliked anything in the story. I loved Ethan and Cassie, I just wanted to get to know them both better. When the story ended, I felt let down that I didn't know either of them enough.

I really enjoyed all 4 of the stories in this anthology, in varying degrees. I just wish they were all a bit longer. They weren't really novellas because they were only about 25 pages each. I look forward to reading full lengths by the three authors that are new to me from this, and as always, if there is anything by Amber Scott out there, I suggest everyone read it.

Belinda Boring says

Well I don't think I've ever reviewed an anthology before so I'm not sure how to do this. Do I do just a blanket "OMGSH this was the best book ever"? Or should I look at each book? Hmm.. I think I might do a bit of both *laughs*

This was SUCH a pleasure to read! I love the whole concept of an anthology - different authors you may not be familiar with give you, the reader, a taste of their work. When I've bought a collection of books like this, it's generally because a favorite author is part of it and I just have to have her story for my library. Sometimes I like the other authors and sometimes.. *meh* not so much. So going into KISSED FROM BEYOND, I was dying to see what Stacey Kennedy wrote, knowing that it would rock my socks off, make me cry and make me want to swoon all over the place. As always, she MORE than delivered! Keta Diablo, Amber Scott and Elise Hepner were relatively new to me and seeing as I'm always on the lookout for new romance with delicious Alpha males, I started reading with a hopeful heart. Holy heck! When I finally came to the end, I thought I'd been hit by a runaway train - these stories had strong story lines that grabbed me and beat me over the head with a romance stick! Honestly, if you read only one anthology... this would be the one I recommend and here's why.

Cradle of Dreams by Keta Diablo

My gosh this author KNOWS how to write smoldering bad boy. She knows her tortured alphas because Roane had me BEGGING from the moment I met him. Roane had been presumed dead and returning home was angered to see that the woman he'd given his heart and soul to, had become engaged to another. Unaware that Kendrick mourned deeply over his death, to the point where she no longer wanted to live, he makes his powerful entrance at a social gala and drags her off to another room. Locking the door, he gives in to his anger and betrayal, determined to claim her. I will never forget him commanding her to strip or telling her that it wasn't that he "thinks" what he's doing - he knows. He unleashes all his passion and it was HOT. I mean I will NEVER look at another sofa the same again! Kendrick, that lucky, lucky girl - is she scared by the crazed man with lust in his eyes? Oh heck no! Like a woman after my own heart, she loves the roughness she hears in his voice and I'm surprised the house didn't set on fire! Lots of great emotion in this story, lots of phrases that had me either in a swoon or goosebumps and I was left speechless. I seriously thought "Man that was an amazing read" and then BAM! Keta throws in one more thing and I was speechless. She's now an author I will most definitely read and the next book I'm waiting to devour of hers is Where The Rain Is Made. This is an author to hunt down everyone because she knows her stuff!

Rating - COMPLETELY SEDUCED

A Love Soul Deep by Amber Scott

Still reeling from Keta's story, I began reading A Love Soul Deep and it wasn't long before I started getting those goosebumps again. I had a hitch in my breath as I felt with Sara her heartache at losing her beloved Crew. To love someone so completely and have him taken suddenly, I can't imagine the torture and with Sara, she felt she needed to keep her secret longings to herself because people felt it was time to move on. But she couldn't - they were in love and there were things that she wished she'd have done with him. On a trip with friends, they go into a store where Sara comes in contact with a locket destined to be hers. Sure the

locket is beautiful but it's the photos inside that catch her attention - the man looks like Crew. Buying it, things take a change for the better because somehow, through some kind of magic, Crew has returned but his time is limited. They're able to spend an unforgettable time - sharing both an emotional connection and some HOT lovin'. Wouldn't you let go and give into every fantasy if you were given one more chance to be with your soulmate? This story touched my heart. I could feel Sara's sadness and feel her joy as she was able to touch Crew again. I loved the sweet touch at the end, that although the story didn't have THE type of ending I wanted, Amber gave me something just as good. This was the perfect blend of heat and romance and I have to say - I'm reading her latest release, Fierce Dawn, and my gosh! I want my husband to have wings like Elijah. *realizes I'm about to go into full on gush about another book and stops* LOL That's for another review. I'm excited to have discovered Amber as a new favorite.

Rating - COMPLETELY SEDUCED

One Rub More by Elise Hepner

Okay. Is it ok to say that I'm still not sure about this one? I really loved the concept for the story and there was so much potential. Helena finds herself the new owner of an antique teapot that she just had to have. When she gets home to use it, she notices that there's an inscription that tells the person to rub it. Helena's feeling pretty strange and fights the urge to do it but no surprises, the pot is eventually rubbed and out comes glorious Flynn who inflicts on her the most intense orgasmic pleasure she has ever experienced. This man is sexy and I'm happy to say snarky, but who wouldn't be? He's been treated horribly and has spent a very long time cooped up, allowed out only to sexually pleasure the person with the pot. Truthfully, this is where I got a little lost. There was so much potential because I could see the tension building between Flynn and Helena - there was great sparkage. But I felt that Helena spent more time in her head, thinking it out and being logical about it and there wasn't enough of the heat and interaction that I love. I know that it was part of who she was, I just found it too much and *whispers* I skimmed some of it. I just wasn't able to make the connection and I'm not sure why. It may have been coming off the rollercoaster gushfest from the first two books... I don't know. I just couldn't get into the story. I'll definitely give it another try later on and if I feel differently, I'll post an update. I've just spent so much time in my head that although I love to know the thought process of my heroines, there comes a point where it's too much. Maybe the author has another book that might catch my heart better... we'll see.

Rating - SLIGHTLY GIDDY

'Till We Meet Again by Stacey Kennedy

GGGGGGUUUUUUUSSSSSSSSHHHHHHHH Seriously, what did you expect? LOL I think that pretty much sums it up to! This was the PERFECT story to end the book - P.E.R.F.E.C.T! I'd been scorched, I'd been swooned and Stacey's Ethan... that man laid me down and SMOLDERED all over me. My gosh, I remember saying once that reading Kyden was like being dipped in chocolate and having it licked slowly off your body. This whole story had that same feel *checks arm and holds it up to the screen* See? Goosebumps. This story had this real intense feeling to it, an amazing heat and the sweetest, softest, swoonworthy ending EVER! We start by meeting Ethan, he is a Civil War soldier who had died and for some reason his spirit bonded with a chaise chair. Staying in an antique dealers store, he's kinda passing by his afterlife when in walks Cassie, an interior designer there to refurbish a home. She feels this vibe from the chair (hello.. sexy ghost attached) and takes it with her. This is where the sweet love and fun begin. Even though they're not visible to each other, there's a definite connection and Cassie soon realizes that she'd dealing with a very curious ghost (LOL he likes to watch!) She finds a way to bring him back so she can help send him on and ladies, this is where you will need a fan and a HUGE box of heavy duty tissues. When Ethan is able to come, the emotion and sizzle between them??? I was sitting there begging for them to be together forever because they were just so beautiful. Great story (like there was ever any doubt) and Stacey once again captured my heart. This story had it all but honestly, I loved the ending... after great build up.. an explosive coming together... I loved the gentle hush when it was over. To Stacey I say... NEXT!

Rating - COMPLETELY SEDUCED

So overall, this book was amazing and a MUST READ! I went into this book expecting at least one thrilling story and I walked away with two extra and a truck load of new books to devour as I start to buy the authors other work. This anthology is the perfect blend of magic - you not only have strong women, sexy as heck men, SMOKIN' HOT chemistry but also swoonworthy, heart pounding, "my gosh I'm going to cry" romance. I'd recommend this to ALL romance readers - Happy reading!

Renee Rearden says

Have you ever wondered what it would be like to travel back in time, communicate with a lost loved one, find your own genie in a bottle, or talk to a real ghost? If you answered yes to any of these examples, then keep reading!

KISSED FROM BEYOND is an anthology of four sizzling paranormal stories that evolve from one common thread: an antique shop run by Mrs. Higgins. This sweet, little old lady knows every antique in the shop has a story, and she loves matching the right object with the right person.

Cradle of Dreams, A Love Soul Deep, One More Rub, and 'Til We Meet Again are all different stories, each capturing the reader's attention by the author's unique voice and imaginative storyline.

Whether our heroine is traveling back through time to right a wrong from the past, reuniting with the love of her life years after his death, discovering she's been granted three wishes by a very naughty genie, or communicating with a lost soul and granting him his greatest wish, the emotional connections these heroines make will tug your heartstrings. The amazing, mind-blowing sexual connections will set your pulse racing and your temperature skyrocketing!

Choosing my favorite story was tough. I really liked One Rub More, but I have to say, I loved A Love Soul Deep. When two people love each other so deeply the strength of that bond carries into the hereinafter, there's no doubt this couple are soul mates. I experienced Sara's longing, yearning, and agony of separation. When Crew reappeared in her life, my heart cheered at their reunion. When he made love to her with such fierce devotion, I expected their hot, steamy passion to set off the fire alarm in my house! When Crew burned his memory into her, leaving her part of himself, my soul sighed with completion.

I don't usually read anthologies. I like time to learn about characters and warm up to them. KISSED FROM BEYOND told me everything I needed to know about these wonderful heroes and heroines—and I warmed up to them in a hurry. If you read this anthology, I bet you will, too!

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Wenj says

3.5 STARS

Review provided by Black Lagoon Reviews:

The novella, Kissed From Beyond starts off with *Cradle of Dreams* by Keta Diablo, quite possibly one of the strongest and most enjoyable read of the entire collection. There was a great sense of detail to the story with a great back story as well as multiple layers spanning not only the present, but the distant past, creating an enthralling tale that had me captivated. I loved the twist of a soldier coming back from war only to find that everyone thinks that he died on the battlefield. The emotionality was great spanning the gap between rage, sadness, and deep seeded need. The erotic appeal of this novel was wonderful, springing from the great connection between the characters and fiercely dominate male that I couldn't help but drool over a bit. The writing itself was fluid, with nice world building despite the shortness of the story. This was definitely a great read that I would have loved to see be a little longer, just so I could see more of these appealing characters.

A Love Soul Deep by Amber Scott, however, was definitely the most emotional of the collection. There was a heavy sense of grief about the story as a woman struggles to come to terms with the loss of her boyfriend, a man she was only able to spend a short time with before his untimely death. That said though, I'm not sure that I really liked the main character, Sara. She's a bit obsessed and unwilling to let go of a man she shared so brief a time with. Truly, at times I thought she needed to see a phsycologist, yet I could sympathize with her feelings of loss and despair. But, there was definitely a nice sense of romance between the characters as their love for one another was perfectly evident. This also had a slower pace, but the world building was nicely done creating a story that really hit hard yet left you with that slight feeling of unease about the ending.

One Rub More by Elise Hepner was the one that I found to be a little harder to get in to. While I liked the concept of a genie who grants naughty wishes, this one just seemed to lack so much for me, starting with the main character, Sara. While a good soul, there's just too much over-thinking in this novel for my tastes. From the beginning, she just analyses everything right in to the ground. Flynn on the other hand was interesting with a tragic past that landed him cursed, forever doomed to bring pleasure to others while taking none for himself. The odd connection between these two has very little emotional appeal with only a minimal romantic appeal that even seemed to lack a bit in the erotic appeal.

'Till We Meet Again by Stacey Kennedy was definitely a good story to bring this anthology to a close. There was something a wistful appeal about that had me hooked as the main character, Cassie tries to set Ethan's ghostly form to rest. Add to this the fact that Ethan is a virgin in need of sexual release before he moves on to the great beyond was somehow kind of sweet. Especially considering his quick connection to Cassie. The characterization in this one was wonderful with some great emotional appeal that drew me into the story. The writing style was wonderfully fluid creating a wonderful tone and atmosphere about the story. While the ending is somewhat bitter sweet, I can't think of a better way to end this ethereal collection!

Overall?, this was a spooktacular read full of great emotion and some really steamy romance! With some wonderfully talented authors, this is definitely a great read that will have you discovering some must read authors. While some of these may not have been exactly my cup of tea, there is definitely something here for everyone, but take note, this is not for the light hearted as there's lots of intense romance, hot sex, and heart wrenching emotions.

??™ says

... Somewhere in time I came to realize Love never goes - Somewhere In Time lyrics by John Barry

Kissed From Beyond is a collection of paranormal erotica novellas from four bestselling and award-winning authors:

- * Cradle of Dreams by Keta Diablo -a cashier has a slight mishap. while unconscious, she dreams of the past, wakes up and realizes her dreams' connection to the present
- * A Love Soul Deep by Amber Scott -a woman loses the only man she has ever loved to a car accident and her desire to see him again is fulfilled
- * One Rub More by Elise Hepner -a genie is released from his teapot prison and rediscovers intimacy after some millenia
- * 'Til We Meet Again by Stacey Kennedy -an interior decorator encounters a ghost and helps him cross over to the light

in one of my recent posts, i mentioned that i am fairly new to the erotic romance genre. i still am. after reading this anthology, i had my first taste of paranormal erotica and i could say that i had a fairly good time. i could not help but think of the movie Somewhere In Time while i was reading. in fact, i even had to play the movie's soundtrack just to get myself in the mood.

though the four stories have different plots, they are linked together by some common elements. all the events take place in Savannah, Georgia. the protagonists either work at or happen to stop by a quaint antique shop owned by a Mrs. Higgins. among her merchandise are some objects that have supernatural properties which trigger paranormal activity.

i loved the Southern setting and the smattering of historical details in a couple of the stories. these added some authenticity to the whole book. i felt that one story was good but three of them really stood out for me. i was also expecting that aside from Mrs. Higgins the other female characters would make brief appearances or would be mentioned in the other stories. in my opinion, this would have added more cohesion and a deeper connection among the four novellas.

overall, Kissed From Beyond would make for a great introduction to those who wish to explore the paranormal with a steamy slant to it.

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Jodie says

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Please note – This book is for 18 and over only! (Erotic Romance)

I haven't ever read an erotic romance before so I didn't know what to expect at all. I decided to read and review this book as I thought this would be a good book for my first erotic romance as it had 4 different little stories within a book so if I didn't get on with one story I could skip it and read the next one. Well, I did actually read all the stories and even though I enjoyed some more than others I liked this book over all.

Cradle Of Dreams - Keta Diablo

4/5

This one put my mind to rest on whether I would like this book at all just because of Keta's writing, I really liked her style and it made her story easy to read. The story line wasn't too confusing and I actually found it quite of a page turner which is hard when the story is only around 60 pages long! This story had quite a bit of romance in and the emotions that the characters had were well developed.

A Love Soul Deep - Amber Scott

4/5

This was another page turner which I did enjoy and like Keta's story, had quite a bit of emotion in it. I felt sorry for Sara, who lost her boyfriend. I liked how this story slowly revealed things as the story got further into it and I found Amber a great writer.

One More Rub - Elise Hepner

3.5/4

I did enjoy this one but it was probably the one which I struggled to connect with in any emotion sense, there was emotion in it but not emotion which I could feel for myself. I enjoyed it, an easy read with a story line which did get more fun to read about. Very different.

Till We Meet Again - Stacey Kennedy

3.5/4

This was the last one in the book (obviously) and although I read it and enjoyed it I found it the hardest to connect with in the way where it didn't feel very real. Would she really do any of that for someone she has just met? I guess when your story is only 60 pages long you don't have enough time for relationship development. Still, it was a unique idea and I did enjoy it! Stacey has some great ideas

Overall I did enjoy this book, it will make you hot under the collar at quite a few points but for me that's not all of what this book was about. It did have in depth storylines which were interesting and all unique.

Peni Astiti says

Oke. Ini buku kedua di rak erotika :D

Saya lebih suka nyebut buku ini buku romance, sebenarnya. Cuma, rada kaget juga, sih. Ternyata ini buku paranormal-romance. Atau paranormal erotica, ya? Pokoknya gitu, deh! Yang kirim buku ini nggak bilang, kalo buku ini semacam ada hantu-hantunya gitu.

Berhubung buku ini adalah antologi alias kumpulan cerpen, pastinya cerita-cerita di dalamnya nggak sebanyak di novel. Kebanyakan ending dari buku ini terkesan maksa atau ngegantung.

Cradle of Dreams, by Keta Diablo

Seorang gadis bernama Kendra, yang bermimpi masuk ke masa lalu, bercerita tentang hubungan Kendrick dan Roane di tahun 1800-an. Roane yang diberitakan tewas karena Civil War, ternyata masih hidup dan datang lagi, berusaha meyakinkan Kendrick, bahwa bukan laki-laki yang akan dinikahinya yang diinginkannya, tapi dirinya.

A Love Soul Deep by Amber Scott

Sara, yang baru saja kehilangan kekasihnya, Crew, sering berharap didatangi oleh Crew. Dompet antik yang didapatnya dari sebuah toko barang antik telah membuatnya berharap Crew hadir ke dalam hidupnya. Termasuk ketika dia ketemu cowok yang mengingatkannya pada Crew di sebuah bar.

One Rub More by Elise Hepner

Helena yang nemu poci teh di toko barang antik Mrs. Higgins, lalu menemukan jin ganteng bernama Flynn, karena Helena menggosok poci teh itu di dapur temannya :D

'Til We Meet Again by Stacey Kennedy

Cassie yang dapat tugas buat ngerjain interior salah satu pelanggannya, ketemu hantu bernama Ethan yang menginginkan dirinya. Ethan ini tewas dalam masa tugasnya di Civil War.

Adegan erotisnya gimana? Yah, gitu-gitu aja, kok. Hot? Lumayan. Haha...

Cuma, pas baca cerita pertama, Cradle of Dreams, agak eneg juga, sih. Abis ini di situ mah, si Kendrick dipaksa mau berhubungan badan sama Roane. Emang, sih, si Kendrick pengen Roane. Tapi yang bikin jengkel, Roane sama sekali nggak menghargai usaha Kendrick jaga kehormatannya. Beuh! Sebel! Sebel juga ama adegan berikutnya, yang bikin Roane jadi duel satu lawan satu sama tunangan Kendrick.

Tiga cerita lainnya mah adegan kipas-kipasnya lumayan, sih. Cuma, yah, itu. Ketiganya punya kesamaan. Sama-sama berhubungan dengan jurig a.k.a hantu a.k.a ghost. Kecuali cerita ketiga, ketang. Sama jin. Tapi, tetep, weh. Rasanya gimana gitu. Hahaha. Apalagi ada yang hamil sama hantu, siah! Gimana wujud anaknya ntar? Kayak Casper, kah? -____-

Oya. Keempat cerita ini sebenarnya ada benang merahnya. Bukan cerita yang berdiri sendiri masing-masing gitu. Keempat cerita ini dihubungkan oleh benda antik koleksi toko Mrs. Higgins. Dan si madam ini kayak tahu "kebutuhan" keempat gadis yang datang ke tokonya :D

Yah, so far, meski rada sebal baca cerita pertama, yang laen oke-oke aja, kok. Mungkin karena saya belum terlalu familiar ama paranormal stories, jadi saya masih agak merinding bulu kuduk gitu, kalo ngebayanginnya.

Di cerita keempat, lumayan ada adegan bodornya. Jadi, waktu Cassie pengen bantu Ethan memunculkan wujudnya sebagai manusia jadi-jadian, salah satu syaratnya adalah si Cassie kudu bugil di kuburan Ethan. Kebayang, weh, kalo ternyata Christine, paranormal yang menghubungkan Cassie ama si hantu Ethan, tuh ngebohongin dia. Bawa baju Cassie, trus ga balik lagi. Belum lagi, kalo orang-orang lewat ngeliatin ada cewek bugil di atas kuburan salah satu veteran. Orang-orang pasti mikir, ini cewek cantik tapi horny sama mayat? Apalagi kerjaan Cassie kan lumayan terhormat, tuh. Desainer interior! Rasanya aneh juga, ya, kalo dia percaya ama beginian... :D *ngakak*

Temen saya yang ngasih buku ini sih bilang, "you'll be shocked reading the erotic part."

Ahahaha.. *noted*

Jadi, karena saya udah siap-siap aja dengan segala warningnya, yah, ga terlalu mangap, lah, pas baca :))

Kristy says

I really enjoyed this anthology. I am a big fan of Stacey Kennedy and love reading her books. I was not disappointed by these stories they were all enticing and left you very satisfied. I read this anthology in one night. I did not want to put it down.

Stephanie says

What did I think . . well! To start with, let me just say . . when I purchased this book, I bought it because I love everything I have read by Stacey Kennedy so far. Now, in order to get to her story . . I had to work through the writings of three other authors.

Cradle of Dreams by Keta Diablo

What a cute story! Take a short trip back in time with Kendra/Kendrick. Get wrapped up in the feelings of a lover lost/lover found. This short story has heat, but nothing you shouldn't be able to hide if you wanna read on the beach or at the park.

A Love Soul Deep by Amber Scott

Sara, lost in her depression over the loss of love so young, so new. Can her heart ever be repaired? This book has a little more heat than the first story . . maybe you should read it at home.

One Rub More by Elise Hepner

Helena never thought that simply house sitting would turn into . . . WOW. This one just may have every woman in America on the look for a silver teapot. Most assuredly this has some heat to it . . but, you should be able to not blush . . maybe!

'Til We Meet Again by Stacey Kennedy

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Overall, I enjoyed the book very much and would totally recommend it for anyone looking for a few quick reads that are easy enough to follow and still offer a little emotional pull.

Keta says

KISSED FROM BEYOND – Anthology

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Donna (BLHmistress) says

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I have debated how to review this book with never reviewing an anthology before so I thought it would be best if I reviewed each story.

I have never read anything by Keta before and let me say she had me from the first page. Loved the characters immediately well for exception of Roane I wasn't too sure of him , I love the bad boy but I thought he was a bit cruel at first but it didn't take long for me to change my mind of him and Wow! the sex scenes were smoking hot.

I both envied Kendrick and felt sorry for her at the same time, Poor thing didn't know what to do or think when Roane suddenly appears again.

She had me on the edge of my seat til the very end and speaking of the end it was so nice and sweet. Will I read more of Keta absolutely , will I recommend? Yes without a doubt.

Til We Meet Again by Stacey Kennedy

Remind me to add a chaise lounge to my long list . Wow is all I can say. Most of you know Stacey is one of new favorite authors' and boy she didn't disappoint me with this story.

Imagine what would you do if you had a chance to be with a ghost? Would you do it ? I am thinking I would if he looked as hot as Ethan especially if you had a chance too-- well I can't say it would be spoiling it but lets just say it surprised me. The steamy scenes were just that and more.

IF you haven't read any of Stacey's work you please do you won't be sorry.

One Rub More by Elise Hepner

Can I just say I will never drink tea again without thinking of this story. Can I find a teapot like this ? I loved this story a different take on the genie in the bottle in this case a teapot.

This is another new author to me and I am glad I have a chance to read her novella in this anthology. And I will be surely looking at her other works. Would I recommend? Yes

A Love Soul Deep by Amber Scott

I will admit this story had me in tears, what person wouldn't want another chance with someone they loved and lost. You just wanted it to somehow to work out for Sara.

This story was a mixture of heartbreak and heated moments and the ending will surprise you I know it did me in not ways you might suspect. Read it and see what I am talking about.

I so wanted there be a way for it to work out but it still left me with a smile. I have read two stories by Amber and she is quickly becoming a favorite author. Would I recommend ? If you haven't read any of Amber's book I would yes highly recommend her.

Overall Review:

Anthologies and I have a love hate relationship and I must say this one rates in the love category not one story did I find I didn't like. If fact I needed to stop to cool off for a few moments that's how steamy some scenes were. Would I recommend this book ? A resounding yes! Your hubby/boyfriend might thank you later when you do.

Meanwhile I am booking a flight to Georgia and find me some antique stores, that have a painting ,locket, teapot and chaise lounge.

Ronda Tutt says

Absolutely Fabulous!

What a great combination of stories wrapped around the theme of this anthology Kissed From Beyond. Every story was unique with its own style of writing leaving you with wanting more in the end. I loved how each story brought back the old soul/spirit/genie/ghost from the past into the present to bring pleasure to their destined lovers. The erotica scenes were HOT leaving my mind's sexual hunger in sensory overload and my husband enjoying the repercussions. All the stories were fast reads and I loved all the characters to the point that I only wanted more of their story to continue.

My rating for each story are as follows:

Cradle of Dreams by Keta Diablo – 4 stars

I have to omit something about this paranormal historical read and that is that I usually do not read historical reads but this one changed my mind (loved it) and made me want to try more historical reads. Sexual scene includes anal sex

A Love Soul Deep – 3 stars

This one was a good story, a little eerie because the spirit from the past really didn't exist in the end but the lover ended up pregnant which was totally wicked. Sexual scene includes anal sex

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This story was cute and loved how the genie's cures were broken.

Til We Meet Again – 4 stars

This story awed me in the end and I wanted it to last longer than it did.

Excellent Read!

BecksBookPicks says

One reason I love anthologies is because you get more than one book in one book. I love that I can sit for an hour and usually finish one of the stories, put the book down and feel accomplished. I also love anthologies because you can read them between books. With that being said, I really enjoyed this book. This is actually an anthology that I sat down and read all four stories in a row. I got sucked into this book for its genre. Yes, most of my followers know I don't read a lot of paranormal anymore. I love contemporary romance. However, this book is paranormal, but it isn't vampires, werewolves, lephracuans, or anything like that. It deals with the past. Ghosts even if you want to call it that, or spirits, even a genie! There is one thing that ties all these books together and it is when they shop in an antique shop. Something they buy has secret powers to go deep into their souls to their desires. The stories are light hearted and short. Yet, even though they are short, you leave the stories feeling like you just read a whole novel. All four authors did a wonderful job. This book is erotica, so this is strongly recommended for readers who are over 18 as there is strong sexual content in this book.

I recommend this book to those who like their romance hot and heavy. I think this is very enjoyable for almost anyone to read.

Carmel (Rabid Reads) says

Reviewed by Rabid Reads

There are four novellas in this anthology and they fluctuate from one extreme to the next in quality. Some of them are scorching hot while as others could have benefited from additional editing. There was also a bit of a creepiness factor to the theme behind this compilation. I say this because all of the women in these stories are getting it on with dead men. The majority of the time it didn't bother me because the ghosts were strangers but there's one tale that involves a deceased boyfriend. I found this both sweet and troubling. Also, if you decide to read this book please keep in mind that it does fall under Paranormal Erotica so the characters spend most of their time shagging.

The first story is called Cradle of Dreams and it's the one that I enjoyed the most. It's very detailed for such a short novella. There are two different levels to the fantasy that unfolds and there's also a nice historical aspect too. If you enjoy men who take control and an intensity that's borderline violation then this story will definitely get your rocks off. I felt both scandalized and turned-on.

A Love Soul Deep is in a way about a miracle. It's very emotionally moving while still being dirty. Sara is a great character, I really sympathized with her. Although, I'm still not completely sure whether the events in this novella actually occurred or if it was all just in her head. Maybe that was Amber Scott's intention. Nevertheless, this is the story that I found creepy so be forewarned.

Next up is One Rub More which is a cute but simple tale. I mean come on; how fun would it be to score a sex genie who'd grant you three carnal wishes? My head was just buzzing with possibilities! The humor in

having a gorgeous genie-man pop out of a magic teapot is not lost on me either. Funny and quicky! Flynn has a few nifty tricks up his sleeves too that I wouldn't mind trying out. I'm pretty familiar with vampire and werewolf foreplay but the mojo in this story is new to me and I just might have to seek out more books on it. For research-only purposes of course!

This anthology concludes with 'Till We Meet Again which is probably my least favorite out of the four. There are just too many extremes in the plot. It bounces from interior decorating to witchcraft to weird sex. In addition, the characters and the chain of events that occur are just so beyond belief. Finally, to top it off, the nookie wasn't even that great. I had to force myself to finish the story and it's only slightly over 50 pages in length.

Kissed from Beyond doesn't require much thought and will have you feeling hot and bothered in no time. This anthology has both good and bad stories but it's a great way to get multiple yummy men doses in a short amount of time. You might also discover a new author to add to your to-be-read list. Half of the tales in this book deserve a higher rating than the one you see below but I can't in good conscience go too high because of the bad apples.

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This was a nice read. It starts off with a girl named Kendra who works in a bookstore. She was in the middle of reading Wuthering Heights when the bookstore's owner's cat scamper's off into the back of the store. Kendra gets knocked on the head by a picture frame and is knocked out and while she is unconscious she dreams of Roane and Kendrick. When she comes too she is being tended to by the bookstore's owner who looks exactly like Roane.

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This was my favorite book out of the anthology. When Sara and her friends take a vacation to Savannah Georgia they go shopping at an old shop in town. The shop owner has some very old pieces of jewelery. She gives Sara an old locket and when Sara opens the locket there are two pictures of a man and a woman. The man has an unremarkable resemblance to her dead love Crew. Wanting nothing more than to have him back with her she dreams about him. But what happens when your dreams come true?

A very sweet story about a love that you thought was lost coming back to you in more than ways than one. A very nice read.

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This wasn't my favorite story out of the anthology. It was nice but not a real page turner for me. I really enjoyed the ghost aspect of this one and Ethan's fascination with Cassie. It was a good read but not my favorite.

Are you looking for a hot read that will make you blush?? Kissed From Beyond is the anthology that you are looking for. Four amazing author's come together and delve into all of the secret fantasies that most would be shocked to admit. I really enjoyed this book and I recommend it to anyone who wants to get stuck in a world of sexual fantasies for a night. A quick but great read

