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Ellen Drake has seen firsthand how dangerous scandal can be. Her family was torn apart by an unjust accusation ten years ago, and now, working as a paid companion, Ellen must keep her reputation above reproach. Catching her employer's betrothed in a sizzling tryst is bad enough; even worse that Ellen should find herself so infernally enthralled by the spectacle! Ellen intends to prevent Alex Marshall, Lord Stanton, from dallying with other women before his wedding day, but the rogue turns the tables--with an invitation to be his paramour. It's a proposition that is too outrageous, too indecent...and strangely irresistible. With a single touch, Alex opens the door to a secret world of sensual desire, a world Ellen is burning to explore...

Alex intends to be faithful once he's married, but in the meantime, London offers so many tempting bed partners. Giving the prim Miss Drake a taste of the excitement she clearly craves will be a delightful diversion, nothing more. But their secret dalliance unleashes the vengeance of someone who is plotting revenge, someone whose own erotic pursuits are twisted with madness. And the scandal that destroyed Ellen's family is about to come calling once again...

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Mitzi says

Great

Bekki McClish says

it was asi asi - I don't think I would read it again, but I wasn't mad that I read it.

Adis says

1.5 stars

I rarely gave a books 1-2 stars. And I must admit I almost didn't finished this one.
The story was awful though the writing quite good. The book full of dysfunctional characters with questionable morality. I gave 0.5 stars because somehow the author gave us enjoyable EPI.

Dev says

<http://imaromancereader.blogspot.com/...>

Jane says

Actually I think this is one of Cheryl Holt's worst. It's very short, and seems like a skeleton of a novel instead of a completed one. I do agree with a previous reviewer, her plot is very repetitive with little variation.

Colleen (NerdyWoman) Kayter says

What happens in London stays in London...

I didn't think too highly of the first book in this series, Too Hot to Handle, and as I've stated before, I'm not a big fan of regencies. But all the reviews of **Too Tempting to Touch** seemed to indicate that this book was much better than the first. I am in complete agreement! In fact, I've given **Too Tempting to Touch** 5 stars which means that, at least for me, it is a memorable book.

This is not just the story of Alex and Ellen. It's also the story of Alex and Rebecca. Of James and Rebecca. Of Nicholas and Suzette. Of Lydia and Nicholas. And cousin Lydia is a delightfully evil woman.

There is never a dull moment in this book. The plots are well-woven, the characters colorful. There are plenty of copies available on PBS... Go for it and enjoy!

Roberta says

This author has earned a well-deserved place on my DNR list.

This book is well-written in terms of spelling and grammar but I've rarely seen a more miserable bunch of characters.* Even in books with numerous unpleasant characters, the hero reforms and/or the heroine learns the error of her ways. In this book she learns to tie the right knots for S&M.

I don't believe it's a spoiler to say that, in addition to sex for money and sex for revenge, and near rape, the main characters indulge in a little S&M, heterosexual incest (a female child seduces her father), homosexual incest (sisters) and even a character who couldn't get it up. Thank goodness there were no sheep in the book!

*OK, not counting any books in which the heroine kills her sex partners or books where characters eat each other.

Shae says

This is probably the best Cheryl Holt I've read so far (not saying much there, but it is). The characters were slightly more interesting, but as always, the plot and climax were flat as a pancake. Her books follow such a strict pattern and have a lot of the same elements. Some of the recurring type characters (the villain, the hussy, the insane jealous guy) are getting more and more kinky. It's kind of strange. I think to make the books different she just made some of her typical characters more twisted.

Tracey says

I like Cheryl Holts writing in the sense that she draws the reader in to the story with titillating details. And she is very insistent that all bad boys are really good boys underneath- for the right woman. However, I have recently read several of her books in a row and find that she tends to be formulaic, and therefore predictable. It doesn't matter if it's the governess, the young ward, the impoverished Lady, or the old maid stepdaughter - she will be debauched. While he tries to reject her for his roughish crimes 'to protect her' (really himself) and she will save him with love while he saves her from poverty and or danger.

Joshy Sensei says

Can't believe I read this at the age of 15 lol
