

The *Ambition & Destiny* Newsletter

You are receiving this email following your interest in *Condemned by Fate*,
(the prequel to The *Ambition & Destiny* Series)



Hi there!

I hope you are well. I have a few things to mention this month, and if you can spare a minute, I'd also like your help:

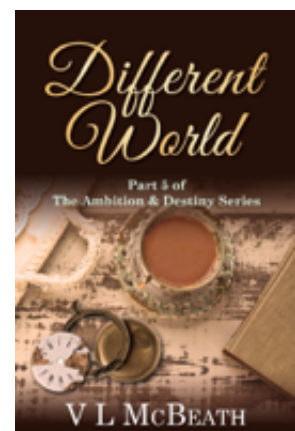
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Part 5: *Different World* - Paperback Update

It seems to have taken a long time, but I now have the final formatted document for the paperback of *Different World*.

I loaded it onto the system today and as soon as I've checked my proof copy, I'll make it available for purchase.

Based on current timelines, I hope it should be available before the end of the month, but I'll let you know once it goes 'live'.



Could you Leave a Review?

If you've read and enjoyed any of the books in the series, it would be wonderful if you could

leave a review on Amazon. They don't have to be long or complicated, something as simple as 'I enjoyed this book' would be perfectly good.

Amazon is more likely to promote books based on reviews but it is the number of reviews and the overall star rating they consider most. If you could find the time it would be really helpful.

[Link to the Amazon Series Page](#)

Audiobook Survey

With the whole series now complete and available as ebooks and in paperback, I've been wondering about producing an audio version for each book.

I know it's becoming a popular way to 'read' books, but because they are expensive to produce I'd like to gauge the need for them. To give me an idea, I've pulled together a very short, anonymous, survey (7 multiple choice questions) that should only take a minute to complete.

It would really help me to understand the demand for such books and so if you could click the link and follow the instructions, it would be really appreciated.

[Click here to complete the survey](#)

Thank you!

New Website and Blog Posts:

I've put a couple of new posts up this month.

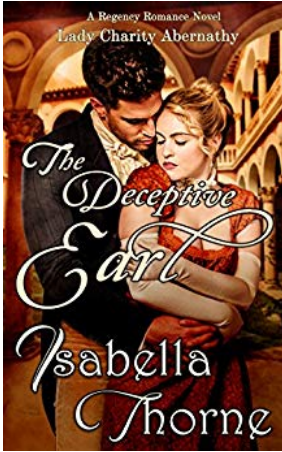
One is on my website and describes the [Victorian Medicine - Vin Mariani](#).

For those of you who have read *When Time Runs Out*, this is the tonic wine Mr Wetherby gets for Mary when she is ill. It certainly improved her well-being, but when you look at the contents, it is hardly surprising!

The second is a post I put on my blog entitled: [The Story is Complete!](#)



Other books you may be interested in



The Deceptive Earl: A Regency Romance

Lady Charity is the last of her friends to marry, and this summer, she finds Bath lonely.

When Lady Charity Abernathy meets Lord Neville Wentwell, she thinks he is a rogue and a scoundrel who has ruined more than one Lady. She wants nothing but to give him the cut.

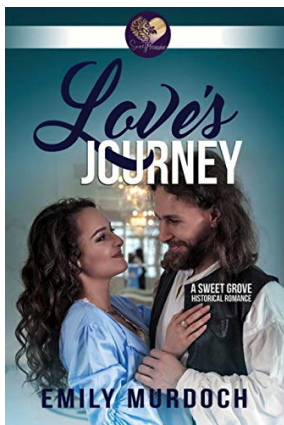
Lord Neville Wentwell thinks Lady Charity is outrageous; a woman on the prowl for a husband, and he will have none of it. He has been hurt before... He will not play by her rules, or the ton's.

But when Lady Charity needs his help, Neville understands and rallies and Charity wonders if she had made a mistake that she cannot repair.

Can love flourish amidst the problems of Neville's PTSD suffering brother and her Alzheimer's ridden father? Add in two future mother's-in-law who would make Napoleon seem like a sweetheart and their happily ever after seems absolutely impossible. But of course, nothing is impossible to a woman like Charity.

Once Charity has seen the man behind Neville's devil may care exterior, nothing can keep her from having him, not war nor disease, not even her mother or his!

Click here for further information: [The Deceptive Earl](#)



Love's Journey: Sweet Grove Beginnings

Elizabeth Morrison has inherited a small fortune, but a woman in 1840 doesn't usually go it alone.

With her sister Katherine missing and both parents gone to be with the Lord, she has no choice but to find her own way. Her journey takes her through an abandoned orchard, and she falls in love with derelict Sweet Grove – and its previous owner, Jonathan Bryant.

No longer the owner of Sweet Grove but just a laborer, his bitterness hasn't been sweetened by the fruit of his labour.

Can Elizabeth carve her own journey and make a home for herself while her sister is still

missing? Can Jonathan be brave enough to put the past behind him and find purpose again?

Or will they both learn that life never goes in the direction you think, and love is always ready to take you on a different journey?

This is the first in the Sweet Grove Beginnings series that explores just how the town of Sweet Grove was planted.

Click here for further information: [Love's Journey](#)

Thank you for your continuing support.

Best wishes

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