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Flint Hopkins finds the perfect tenant to rent the space above his Minneapolis-based law office.

All the t's are crossed and i's dotted on Ellen's application. Her references are good. And she's easy on the eyes.

Until ...

Flint discovers Ellen Rodgers, Board-Certified Music Therapist, plays music. Bongos, guitars, singing—not Beethoven administered through noise-cancelling headphones.

The cut-throat attorney serves up an eviction notice to the bubbly, constantly humming redhead who's too sexy for her own good. But luck is on Ellen's side when Flint's autistic son, Harrison, takes an instant liking to her. A single dad can't compete with guitars—and rats. Yes, she has pet rats.

This woman ...

She's annoyingly happy with a constant need to touch him—adjust his tie, button his shirt, invade his space, and mess with his mind.

Still ...

She must go.

*Their lust-hate relationship escalates into something beautiful and tragic. This sexy, romantic-comedy explores the things we want, the things we need, and the impossible decisions parents and children make to survive.*

## Look the Part Details

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## From Reader Review Look the Part for online ebook

~Mindy Lynn~ says

5 Stars!

Jewel E. Ann is another NTM author that I lucked out on. I really loved this book and it is the first FM book I have read this year that I have liked. LOL

I was worried that this would be depressing and Flint hanging on to his dead wife's memory would put a dark cloud over most of the story. It didn't. Did he continue to feel guilt, pain, and love for his wife? Yes. Did he let it get in his way of moving on with Ellen? Yes. BUT it was complicated and messy and right for this story. Why? Because this author was perfect at making it feel as realistic as possible. It just wasn't put in there to keep up the angst. Nope. This man was still struggling with his guilt and the author makes you feel it with him because of the way she started the book with the prologue. It put you there when his wife asks for their keys. You read his cocky response as you cringe because you know that this moment is going to haunt him. You hear her mention their 2 year old in the back seat. You feel it in your gut cause you hear her words and know the outcome. You know his guilt. You feel it. So when he goes forward only to go further backwards you really can't fault him his feelings. Plus as the story goes and you read about the love he has for his son and the lengths he goes to keep his son healthy and happy he becomes a bit of a hero in my eyes. I really enjoyed the relationship he had with his parents as well, especially his father. He was pretty funny. What I am trying to get out is that I completely loved Flint. I usually am a sucker for the grumpy alpha types and he totally fit the bill as they say.

Ellen was a bit of a mystery for the first part of the book. Still, I liked her. She annoyed the hell outta Flint which was entertaining. She was the light to his dark. The cheerful to his grump. The bright smile to his scowl. The perfect opposite he needed to bring back his laughter and lift the darkness he has been living in since the passing of his wife. But as the story goes we get to know Ellen more and learn about her ex-husband and why touch is so important to her. I loved her relationship with her father. I liked how pro-life she was and I especially loved her relationship she developed with Flints autistic son, Harrison. I laughed, got teary eyed, got mad, smirked, and all in all really enjoyed this fantastic story of loss and love.

Definitely going to try out some of this authors other books.

Happy reading dolls! xx

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**Paige says**

5 "This Life" Stars

A masterpiece. Just like Flint's suits. Look the Part played every single one of my emotions, and I loved it. Jewel E Ann is a genius of epic proportions. Her books always slay me and Look the Part is another romance that everyone needs to read.

Flint made a mistake. A huge one. And his life is never going to be the same because of it. Now he's doing all that he can do to get by and make the best life he can for his son. Until he meets Ellen. She's the exact

opposite of Flint in just about every way imaginable. And yet his new tenant has not only taken up a spot in his building, but also in his head. He cannot ignore her. And not just because her job as a music therapist is all noise all day. But because there is just something about her that he hasn't had in over 10 years. So for both those reasons, she's got to go. But that's easier said than done when she builds a relationship with his Autistic young son. Now he's not only got to wade into emotional waters he left long ago, but he has to figure out how his son's newly minted friendship with his annoyingly happy neighbor fits into his life.

Jewel E Ann is one of my most favorite authors. I have loved literally everything I've read of hers. Her stories are always fresh and imaginative. But also emotional with a sexiness that pulls me into each of her stories. Look the Part is no different. This story also had the added benefit of being a bit of a rom com. And while this story wasn't all sunshine and roses, I appreciated each character, their growth and their up front attitude. Their connection was obvious and while at times my heart hurt because of Flint's reluctance, that gave me time to really get to know and fall just as hard for Elle and her past as I did for Flint. Add in a cast of side characters that added layers and depth to the story and this new addition to Ms. Ann's catalogue is going to be one of my favorites this year I can already tell.

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### **NMmomof4 says**

#### **4.5 Stars**

**Overall Opinion:** I really enjoyed this! I tried really hard not to get my expectations too high for this one, because I hate that disappointment I get when I do that sometimes -- But with that cover and blurb it instantly sold me! I have a 13 year old son with Asperger's syndrome/high functioning autism, so this was a joy to read about the perks and struggles of parenting such a child. Don't get me wrong -- every kid on the spectrum is different in their own special way (and the author says this herself in her author's note at the beginning) but it definitely felt like I was sharing a secret smile and laugh with these characters during their interactions with Harrison/Harry. I freaking loved the heck out of this book! Not very often I say that too, as I find I am always harder on my hs in my books. I felt like we got some good characterizations, some good depth in their stories, I felt a good connection between them and towards each character individually, and I was completely invested and rooting for their HEA! My only reason for not being a 5 star read was the ending. I was so darn invested that I just wanted more!! I also had a (type A and probably crazy) unanswered question that bugged me a little (see closure section below). Overall, I am very happy with this book!

**Brief Summary of the Storyline:** This is Elle and Flint's story. They meet when Elle is applying to rent the office space above Flint's office from him. Once Flint realizes his mistake in letting Elle run her noisy music therapy sessions while he is trying to get work done, he tries to evict her. But through Flint's 12 year old son on the autism spectrum, some guitar lessons, a group of pet rats, her constant touching and adjusting of his clothes, and their strong attraction/connection -- he finds it hard to get rid of her. They end up falling in love, but life throws some road blocks in their way that make it hard for them to get to their HEA (but they eventually do ?).

**POV:** This alternated between Elle and Flint's POV.

**Overall Pace of Story:** Good for the most part (see closure section). I never skimmed and I thought it flowed well.

**Instalove:** No, they take a while to develop stronger feelings.

**H rating:** 4.5 stars. Flint. I really liked him! I felt bad for his past, but I also appreciated how he was a good dad and cared for Elle (and after he stopped fighting it, how he didn't have a problem showing the depth of those feelings for her).

**h rating:** 5 stars. Elle. I loved her! She was quirky, patient, confident, and I loved how she demanded to be treated well!

**Sadness level:** Low/moderate. I teared up a few times, but no tissues were needed

**Push/Pull:** Yes (view spoiler)

**Heat level:** Low. They have some pretty good tension, chemistry, and scenes -- but not so much it takes away from the story. I'd say that most of the scenes are more about the emotional connection than the physical act, so kind of low on the steam factor (it didn't feel like that negatively impacted the story though).

**Descriptive sex:** Yes

**OW/OM drama:** Yes, but actually pretty mild (view spoiler)

**Sex scene with OW or OM:** No (view spoiler)

**Cheating:** No

**Separation:** Yes (view spoiler)

**Possible Triggers:** Yes (view spoiler)

**Closure:** This had okay closure and a pretty good epilogue with what I would call a HEA ending (view spoiler). I am obviously a greedy girl, because I simply wanted more!! I wanted more time with them navigating their new lives together, and more of their HEA! I was a disappointed with the epilogue, as I felt like there was so much awesome material to work with that it left me feeling jipped. I also really wanted to know how they navigated the Sandy issue (view spoiler). The closure and ending is the only reason I didn't rate it 5 stars tbh.

**Safety:** This one should be either Safe or Safe with exception for most safety gang readers depending on personal preferences.

(view spoiler)

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## Natalie The Biblioholic says

It took me roughly 10 days to come up with something to write that would do this story justice. Right now, I know there is nothing that I can say that will illustrate the captivating beauty and pain that leaked from these pages. There is nothing that I can type that will give you a glimpse of the feels, the heart-rocking emotions, the utter devastation, and the sublime bliss that I found in this book. But I'm going to try anyway.

***We should remember people in their most beautiful moments, but we don't. It's the etching of ugly and pain that leaves a lasting impression.***

Those lines right there? They were at the beginning of the book and pulled me right in and this story refused to let me go!

Flint, a prominent attorney, rents his upstairs unit to Ellen, a music therapist. Too bad he didn't know what he was getting into. He really should have done some research on what a music therapist does. The racket upstairs is a huge distraction to him and despite how attached his slightly autistic son, Harrison, has become to his new tenant, he serves her with an eviction. However, Ellen isn't leaving without a fight.

***I want to be his greatest strength - and his greatest weakness. I want to be where he hides his lies and finds his truth.***

Flint was stoic, brooding and oh-so-sexy while Ellen was not only a gorgeous woman, but a positive force of energy. It was almost like she kept bouncing off of his forcefield of negativity in order to ultimately penetrate it. And penetrate it she did. While they embarked on their lust-hate relationship (not really that much hating going on though), they both found that they each had walls built up for protection, from pain that was more tragic than words. Neither of them expected the other to be the catalyst for those walls to come tumbling down.

***We're that moment of light and whisper of hope that sprouts from the barren ground after the end of the world. It's not him. It's not me. It's us. We defy the laws of existence. We are forgiveness and redemption. What we have is not a victory against all odds, it's the inevitable.***

I loved every single thing about this book. From Flint and Ellen's every interaction, be it casual, platonic or sexual, there was a fierce intensity to their connection, even when it wasn't always pretty. Ellen and Flint's interactions with Harrison were a highlight as well. I loved how he was different with each of them but they didn't begrudge the other but rather celebrated the many sides to him. And when they finally admitted to their fall... sigh... I don't think there was anything the author could have done to make me love these characters, and I mean all of them, any more. It's been 10 days and they haven't left my mind.

***I'm going to love you so hard, time won't matter. Distance won't matter. All you'll feel when you take each breath... is my love.***

The love in this book was profound. The love between Ellen and Flint, the love of their parents, the love everyone had for Harrison, it was picture perfect. I laughed, I cried, I cheered and I sighed. Again, words cannot properly express how much I loved this story or how incredible it really is, so I strongly recommend you read it to see for yourself.

## **Standalone**

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### **Bibi says**

When one is privileged to read books that leave an indelible mark on the mind, you attempt to prolong the reading of it. These opportunities are rare-once or twice a year finds, books such as It Ends with Us or The Gravity of Us or 53 Letters for My Lover, and now, this book.

Look the Part is filled with emotional and heartfelt scenes, perfectly balanced with some serious laugh-out-loud moments. In all, Jewel exceeded my expectations.

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### **Dilek VT says**

#### **My initial thoughts about the book before reading it**

- *Single dad*
- *Didn't let his wife drive while he was drunk and had an accident in which he and his son survived but his wife died*
- *Lives a life of guilt with his autistic son*
- *Has one-night stands but doesn't do relationships*
- *Thinks of his dead wife all the time*
- *Falls for the heroine slowly (enemies to lovers)*
- *Heroine is a much too positive woman (annoying maybe?)*
- *Unplanned pregnancy*

I don't think I will be able to forgive this hero and root for his happiness. I hate the unplanned pregnancy trope, as well :(

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#### **Change of mind**

Then I saw too many of my friends loving it, (*some loving it nearly as much as they loved "The Hating Game", which is one of my favorite books*) and finally, I gave in to my curiosity and with the encouragement of my friends, I started reading the book.

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#### **My thoughts after reading the book**

I am sorry but I hated the book.

Here are my reasons:

### **1. Firstly, I was dreadfully bored.**

After the first half of it, it got even more unbearable for me and the options for me were either "DNF it" or a "skim-scan & finish it quickly". I preferred to skim and scan the second half of the book to get to the end of it. I even couldn't read the epilogue properly. So very boring!

"Hero, heroine & a child" combination rarely works for me in my romance books. That's why, I always avoid such books. Sadly but not surprisingly, this book was no exception.

Harrison, the hero's son, plays one of the leading roles in the book. I like love stories that revolve around the hero & the heroine because when there is a child included, the romance loses its leading role in the story and it becomes more a family thing than a lovers thing, which makes it boring for me. Again, it's me, not the book.

Therefore, if you do not avoid romance books that revolve around children, just ignore this number 1 comment of mine :)

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### **2. Too easy!**

I like it when the hero works for it and the heroine makes him work for it. The other way around... uhm, nope, it doesn't work for me.

The heroine in this book, Ellen, practically jumped on Flint and offered sex whenever he wanted. I don't like it this way so the beginning of their affair was the kind I like the least.

Even Flint, the hero, told her not to be that easy!

Yikes!

***"You know, I don't require a fancy night out. I'm good with sex if that's what you need."***

***"You really should make guys work a little harder for it."***

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### **3. Heroine not my cuppa!**

In general, the heroine wasn't the type of person I could like. She felt too chirpy, too positive, too affectionate, too forgiving, too quirky etc.. - shortly, too unreal.

Her constant humming, her keeping a pack of rats as pets and her over the top easy-going manners totally annoyed me. I would never befriend such a person in real life. She is an unappealing character for me...

Also, she is obsessed with touching the hero here and there, fixing his tie, collar of his shirt etc. even before

they are together as lovers. However much I need touching, I would never do it on a person who didn't invite me to do it. That made her seem even more annoying to me.

**Actually, she is not a bad person, she is just not my person!**

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#### **4. Unlikable hero**

I didn't hate the hero as much as I expected I would. I just didn't like him.

I think it really is impossible for me to like a "*once a chauvinistic pig*", who refused to give the keys of his car to his wife when he was drunk and killed her in the accident he caused while drunk-driving.

It didn't matter how much he regretted. It was impossible for me to forgive and like him.

*He did feel guilty.*

*He did wish he had died himself rather than his wife in that accident.*

*He really missed his wife.*

*He really was awfully sorry.*

Too late buddy, too late! She is dead!

There are things in life I cannot forgive and I couldn't forgive the guy and therefore, I couldn't like him.

If a person causes an accident and as a result someone dies in this accident, it is another story. I wouldn't hold a grudge on the driver if it was just an accident.

However, I cannot forgive a person causing an accident while drunk and killing someone because of his recklessness.

**See? There is a difference.**

Long story short, I didn't root for his happiness.

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#### **5. No romance, no chemistry!**

The first kiss, the first sex and the rest of their intimate scenes meant nothing to me because I never felt their chemistry.

Although the book is written in dual point of view, I never got to understand why they found each other appealing or attractive.

I didn't understand when and how they fell for each other and it was because it started abruptly. I was just like this, "*Huh, what are they doing? Did I sleep over it and miss something?*"

She called him "Sex in a suit" from the very beginning of the book, telling him he was melting her panties. (*No, of course, they were not dating when she said that, she was flirting with him while he was trying to get rid of her*). So, I assume that she found him attractive but I just didn't feel their connection.

He found her beautiful, sexy but annoying and weird. So I assume he fell for her beauty first, and then, got used to her character and started to like her as a person, too. (*Well, at least, this is my best guess.*)

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## **6. The tone of the book was annoying!**

The tone of the book was too chirpy , which made it awkward for me. It felt as awkward as a laughter in a funeral.

The hero is an unhappy and grumpy man, so regretful of his past mistakes that he thinks he doesn't deserve happiness but the way he tells his story is full of humor. It is aimed to make us laugh.

The heroine was already a "too chirpy person" so the jokes she made all along didn't feel wrong - even though I never ever laughed at her jokes.

I think, as the book has a depressing theme, by adding humor and a light tone, the writer wanted to make it appealing to the reader but it just annoyed me more.

I strongly believe that the light tone of the book was wrong - or let's say not appropriate - or let's soften it and say that it didn't feel right to me.

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## **Please forgive me!**

I respect all readers and my dear friends who loved this book dearly. I am sorry it wasn't for me and I tried to explain my reasons as clearly as possible, risking that I might sound like a heartless bitch while doing so :)))

So, please go read this book and give it a chance if you are not obsessed with the issues I just listed above because so many people loved this book.

In this case, it seems that it wasn't the book, but it was me...

Or not?

Maybe? !

Oh, I really don't know...

Rant over!

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**~Anna's ?a?????g\$~ says**

## **5 STARS**

Funny thing how when one of the most kick-ass authors in the romance genre releases a new book nothing matters to you anymore.

I can't believe I'm saying this: It doesn't matter there's a dead wife.

Or this: It doesn't matter that one of the most *fantastic* heroes ever (Sorry, Flint. I just had to use that word) loved his dead wife beyond words.

All of a sudden, you stop being picky. All your triggers, pet peeves and things you usually avoid like the plague vanish into thin air.

Why is that?

Maybe it's because you know you can *trust* her. You know you will finish her little piece of art with a smile on your lips. Stronger and wiser.

Because that's Jewel E. Ann, my friends.

And she is so, *so worth* the headache.

I don't think I've ever read a book she wrote that didn't shock me or majorly piss me off. But I never, not even for one second, thought of DNFing it. Whether it's her talented writing, her lovable and multilayered characters, her unusual and original story lines, her meaningful messages about life, or something else altogether, she NAILS it every freaking time. I just can't help but devour each and every one of her books inhaling their pages like a woman starved.

While this deceptively light book is fun and entertaining, it's also a very serious and difficult read.

But it's unbelievable how she can make tragic events look so normal, so *surmountable*.

It's unbelievable how perceptive she is.

It's unbelievable how optimistic and empowered I feel after I finish her books.

I loved the first part of this amazing book but I thought it wouldn't be my favorite.

I just couldn't relate to the heroine, which is a first for me. Her heroines are always super awesome. Intelligent, quirky, funny, annoyance level: zero.

This heroine has the same qualities. But I couldn't connect with her in the beginning. Maybe it's because of the lack of background information on her in the first half. Maybe it's her cheerfulness. Or her constant humming. Or her pet rats.

I don't know.

But then the last half happened. And I couldn't help but fall in love with her.

The hero is a different story. It was love at first word. I fell for him on page one.

I wish I could read about them every day.

Not to mention the secondary characters. The awesomest of all the awesome secondary characters I've met in a fictional world.

I'm not sure if it's obvious, but I loved this book.

And I love this author. I love her quirky humor. I love how she perceives the world. I love how she understands life.

## **QUICK REVIEW:**

Enjoyment: 4.75/5

Writing style: 5/5

Storyline: 5/5

Hero: 5/5

Heroine: 4/5

Secondary characters: 5/5

Hotness/steam: 3.5/5

Romance: 5/5

Angst: 4/5

Darkness level: 2/5

Humor: 4/5

Depth of the book: 5/5

POV: dual, 1st person

Triggers: (view spoiler)

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## **Jewel Ann says**

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Time to crack the cover and give you all an early peek at Look the Part ;)

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Coming January 29th,2018!!

There might be rats. Just saying.

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## **Corina Book Twins Reviews says**

This book deserves 6 stars!!

I was literally blown away by this novel.

Look the Part was my first book by Jewel E. Ann. But it won't be my last.

This book was A M A Z I N G!!

Everything about this book was perfection. From the story to the characters. Especially the characters. The author managed to write two fantastic main characters, as well as a supporting cast that blew me away. The dialogues, the teasing, the never ending good-natured back and forth had me chuckling and laughing out loud. Ellen's snarky and flirty personality, clashed with Flint's dry humor and sarcastic undertones. It was **PERFECT!!!**

This author has a way with words. It's hard to describe, but every dialogue was on point. I devoured every word that came out of Flint, Ellen, Amanda and Harry's mouth. I actually wanted to scream, where have you been all my life?

Flint's son Harry was adorable. And I would pay good money to get his story. It was so easy to fall in love with his personality, quirks, and autistic character traits. His no-nonsense answers had me cracking up. And

Flint's reaction to his son's brusque and matter-of-fact way of speaking was delightful, and made me swoon all over the place.

This novel was a stunning work of art.

It was PERFECTION!!! (I know I'm repeating myself but I just can't help myself. )

The chemistry, flirting, and sexual tension was delightful and a never ending source of joy. The story was heartbreakingly beautiful. Flint especially made my heart ache. I felt true sorrow and anguish for him and all I wanted to do was hug him and never let go.

I think this novel has been my most favorite of 2018 so far. It was just so perfectly balanced, with all the nuances I love and cherish in a romance novel. Strong and distinctive characters, a fantastic storyline and a supporting cast that was as memorable and as likable as the main characters.

There was NOTHING in this story that didn't' speak to me, or I would want to change. I'll be definitely reading this book again. It was that GOOD!!!

BTW I already downloaded When Life Happened. There is just no way that I'm not checking out the authors other work. And I bought the paperback copy of Look The Part, not only because of the cover, I just needed it on my shelf. I think I was 20% into the book when I hit the buy button. Like I said, this book was the PERFECT book for me.

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### **Hulya Kara Yuksel says**

Flint, I know you don't like that word but this book was absolutely

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My Goodness, I laughed so bad while I was reading it. :) I LOVED Ellen & Flint's sense of humor so much. And don't let me started with their chemistry. It was hot as f@ck! :D

And this book is one of my favorites now and I highly recommend it to you. Trust me, you won't be regret for reading this book. <3

***"Will you open your heart to me?"***

***His hands move to the clasp of my bra while his gaze remains locked to mine.***

***"Yes."***

***"Good." I kiss his forehead, down his nose, and along his cheekbones.***

***"Because I'm going to love you so hard, time won't matter." I kiss one side of his mouth as he eases my bra off. "Distance won't matter." I kiss the other side of his mouth. "All you'll feel when you take each breath..." my lips hover over his "...is my love."***

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## **Jennifer Kyle says**

**4.5 - 5 Stars**

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## **KAT ? Kitty Kats Crazy About Books ? says**

**LOOK THE PART:** is a full length standalone contemporary romance novel by Jewel E. Ann. Spoken in 'Dual Perspectives'

The 'Prologue' grabbed my attention straight away, a birthday celebration ended tragically, a man left broken and shattered. A man locked in the past even though ten years have gone by he's still paying for the sins of his past.

In this we meet thirty five year old Flint Hopkins, a hot uptight lawyer with a long suffering assistant Amanda that gets fired on a daily basis, Flint is a single father to twelve year old mildly autistic son Harrison and landlord to Ellen Rodgers.

Thirty two recently divorced Ellen has just not long moved to Minneapolis and is a musical therapist who has just signed a lease with Flint to rent the space above his lawyers office, but the noise drifting downstairs drives Flint batshit crazy.

*"She's a music therapist, Flint. Please tell me you assumed music would be involved? Otherwise, I'm embarrassed for you."*

**Bang...Bang...Bang...Bang...Bang**

*"This isn't going to work."*

*"But seriously...you have to tell me what you thought a music therapist does."*

*"Comfy sofas and relaxing music played through noise-cancelling headphones."*

She smirks *"You should have done an internet search. Lots of videos showing exactly what happens at a music therapist's office. I'm a little surprised this one slid by you."*

With the ink has barely dried on her tenants agreement and he's issuing an eviction notice. But the only problem is, his son has taken a shine to Ellen.

And so their story begins...Numerous eviction threats, and that never ending push and pull on your heart strings will have you hooked on this story in no time.

I went into this not really knowing what to expect, but having read one other by this author previously which I loved my expectations were high. Those expectations were met tenfold, this was such a unique, laugh out loud, swoon worthy, all the feels, I want this life book!! There is NOTHING (rats included \*Shudders\*) that I would've changed about this book. I lost count the amount of times I giggled reading this, such a light hearted feels good to escape to giggles galore land.

I also lost my heart to Harry, god I loved what popped out of his mouth, I really really wish he gets his own story just for shits and giggles.

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### **Malene says**

There's a reason why Jewel E. Ann is one of my go to authors cause she never disappoints. I'm pretty sure that I always get a unique and highly emotional story. I was introduced to Flint Hopkins in the book called One and was instantly mesmerized by him. Look The Part can easily be read as a standalone.

Flint Hopkins and Ellen Rodgers carry this book beautifully. They crawled into my heart the moment they appeared in Look The Part. Their interactions and chemistry are incredible. Talk about characters that jump off the pages cause these two do. They're are so much fun and likable. They both carry the weight of a tragic past and together they find solace in each other. Flint is struggling with his own worth and what he thinks he deserves. His guilt is heartbreaking. He starts his own path to redemption thanks to the extraordinary and spunky Ellen. Her past is also sad but is such a positive person and tries the best she can to move on and her meeting with Flint changes everything. Her bantering with Flint is definitely a highlight of mine. Omg! So much heart and soul in every interaction between them. They both awaken something in one another. The need, want and lust for more in their lives.

The secondary characters are just as important as Flint and Ellen. Flint's son Harrison, Ellen and Flint's parents. I loved them so much. They're so important for the story, for Flint and Ellen's relationship. Ellen and her father Jon definitely made me tear up and so did Flint and his relationship with his autistic son Harrison. The change not only Ellen and Flint goes through but also Harrison, thanks to Ellen, are extraordinary and flawlessly executed.

Look The Part is another smash from Jewel E. Ann. She can do nothing wrong. Her character development is phenomenal. There's so much heart and soul in this story and the characters. I'm surprised how hard this story hit me. So beautiful, emotional and fun. Look The Part is another favorite of mine from the talented Jewel E. Ann.

5 BadAssDirtyHummingStars

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**Patty Belongs To Kellan~Jesse~Lautner~Miller~Jack~Racer~Rafe~Liam~Prince  
Nicholas~Hayes~Simon~Gianluca & Archer says**

\*\*\*\*\*4.5 STARS\*\*\*\*\*

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**We're that moment of light and whisper of hope that sprouts from the barren ground after the end of the world. It's not him. It's not me. It's us. We defy the laws of existence. We are forgiveness and redemption. What we have is not a victory against all odds, it's the inevitable.**

There are a few things that can be said of Jewel's books. They are unique and phenomenal. You can just tell she puts a lot of her soul into her writing and that she's one of those authors who takes the time to get it right instead of hitting "*Publish*" just to meet her quota! **LOOK THE PART** has a flawed Hero haunted by a tragic past. The Heroine has her unconventional quirks and an over the top sassy attitude. Their journey to love everlasting is filled with many obstacles and unexpected twists and that's what made this such an entertaining read.

Flint Hopkins is a successful lawyer and father of a twelve-year-old boy who is mildly autistic. His life was turned upside down ten years ago when his wife died in a car accident. Caring for his son, Harrison, has become Flint's life's purpose. There is no room in his heart for anyone else and he truly believes that he doesn't deserve another shot at happiness. He wasn't expecting that the new tenant in his office building was going to barrel through his world like a tornado and awaken something in him that he thought died along with his wife.

Ellen Rodgers is a music therapist who's moved to a new town in hopes of making a fresh start. She's been burned badly by love and doesn't think her heart could take another beating. The minute she meets her new landlord, her hormones take over her brain and she finds it nearly impossible to refrain from jumping his bones. She's a sucker for the beautiful man who looks killer in a three-piece suit. But the two don't necessarily get off on the right foot when Ellen's sessions with her patients immediately grate on Flint's nerves. Apparently, he didn't realize that part of her therapy sessions involves the playing of loud instruments.

The two have some heated arguments when Flint decides to evict her, but when Harrison starts to develop a friendship with Ellen over their music appreciation and her four pet rats, Flint realizes it's not going to be

that easy to get rid of her. And whenever these two get a moment alone, passion takes over and neither of them can fight it.

I loved how Ellen genuinely bonded with Harrison and that she never sugarcoated Flint's past for him. Her love was constant and unwavering. And Flint, he was surprising. At first, he seemed to be an uptight suit unable to show compassion but as the story unfolds and all his layers were peeled back, we see that this man has an unbelievably huge heart who would go to any lengths to protect and care for the people he loves.

Here are my overall ratings on the book:

**Heroes:** 4.5

**Heroine:** 4

**Plot:** 4

**Angst:** 4

**Steam:** 5

**Chemistry Between Hero & Heroine:** 4.5

**LOOK THE PART** is currently available! It's a no-brainer that this is a must-read!

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**Jenny••Steamy Reads Blog•• says**

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"Those who love you the most, will cherish what you cherish. They'll nurture what makes you -- you" I can easily say, I think this one will be one of my top reads this year. This book stole my attention from the very start. It pulled my heart in literally all directions and let me tell you, holy emotional overload..... I was high, I was low, I was in love, I hated, I laughed, I cried, I became impatient, I became overwhelmed, and holy hell did I love

I'm not one for writing long reviews, so of course, this one will be short. In saying that, finding the right words to justify this beautiful book is hard for me.

I fell in love with Flint Hopkins and Ellen Rodgers in this story, oh and Harry, Amanda, Jon, Gene, its cast of secondary characters is awesome. This story is a story of finding second chances, its about laughing again, about loving again even when you least expect it or think you don't deserve it. This book, its tragic, its so very complicated. Its definitely filled with its share of obstacles, yet it makes you laugh and cry literally at the same time. Its full of passion, and it is so very addictive. The writing is simply amazing

A beautiful, sweet, laugh out loud, dab your eyes kind of book, one that I highly recommend to you if you like those types ❤?

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