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She's spent her life avoiding love

Captain Charlotte “Charlie” O'Brien, a doctor in the United States Navy, returns to her home in North Salem, Massachusetts to visit her family and make an important decision about her future. Mother Nature has other plans when a hurricane strikes, flooding the town and throwing Jake Sherbrooke in Charlie's path. Initially she believes Jake is nothing more than a rich playboy, but quickly, she learns that he is so much more.

The media calls him Prince Charming

Jake Sherbrooke has never been one to follow the path laid out by his parents. That is why he started the Falmouth Foundation, a non-profit disaster relief organization rather than enter politics. When he learns of the destruction in North Salem, he immediately travels there to offer aid and meets Charlie O'Brien. Charlie is unlike any woman he has ever meet and he can not help but be drawn to her.

Soon neither can ignore the incredible chemistry between them. But will his reputation as a billionaire playboy damage their budding romance?

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PSUDST says

My rating wavered between two a three stars (which would have been a round up from 2.5 stars).

The heroine of this story, Charlotte (Charlie) could have been a really strong yet sassy character considering that she was a Navy physician. Instead, she presented as emotionally stilted and annoyingly indecisive. While she had her reasons, the story failed to show her evolving from her hesitance towards accepting of Jake.

Ah, Jake, the hero. The billionaire playboy who wasn't really a playboy meaning that although he dated a new woman every other day, he didn't sleep with them so it's okay. Appropriately sexy, Jake worked hard to show that he was just a regular guy and throughout the book, he expressed exasperation with the problems that his fame caused him in his life and his relationships. He was more or less a likable guy.

What I liked about the book was that Charlie quickly realized that her assumptions about Jake were inaccurate and she took a leap of faith and went with his flow in terms of spending time with him. Which is why it was beyond confusing that Charlie was so quick to believe the tabloids when stories about Jake were published. Jake was ticked and rightfully so.

But about that. Jake considered Charlie to be naive about the tabloids so really, he should have better prepared her for what being in a relationship would be like. He didn't. He was laissez faire about the press and managed to demonstrate the rich, entitled, oblivious side of his character that the writer was trying so hard to prove didn't exist.

There were some loose ends in the story that I felt needed to be explored, resolved, or omitted from the beginning. Much was made about Charlie feeling like an outsider within her own family. Although Charlie had a somewhat revealing chat with her mother, she really should have had a sit down with her brother. The author hinted that there were hard feelings that needed to be hashed out but nothing happened.

Another example is when Jake expressed frustration that a family friend was going to be at his sister's wedding and the friend's behaviour towards Jake was characterized as "obsessive". Nothing came of that though so what was the point of mentioning it? The friend didn't even make an appearance in the story beyond being alluded to.

Finally, while I mostly enjoyed the story, I felt it was a bit of a stretch for Jake to be the son of the U.S. President. The story would have seemed a bit more realistic had he been the son of a senator perhaps.

Lu Bielefeld *read.laugh.love* says

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Alyson LaBarge says

Jake is portrayed as the stereotypical spoiled, rich playboy which leaves Captain Charlotte "Charlie" O'Brien wanting nothing to do with him. Jake, on the other hand, finds her air of confidence and cool indifference intriguing. Jake, determined to put off the image the world has of him and truly help after a Hurricane blows through, digs in and gets his hands dirty, a fact not missed by Charlie. And that's when the fun begins.

The Good: This is the first time I have read a book by Christina Tetreault and I have *loved* every minute of it. These are the kind of characters I love to see ... strong-willed and determined to let nothing get in the way of them getting what they want out of life yet strangely hesitant when it comes to love. Both Jake and Charlie are good people. Flawed perhaps, but good. I liked that the storyline started right at the beginning of the book - no waiting around, hoping for the story to move on here. The rest of the story unfolded gently, a little at a time at just the right pace. The other characters moved in and out of the storyline seamlessly and the drama fit in just as it was meant to be. The Billionaire Playboy is an entirely enjoyable read!

The Bad: I didn't like the way that Charlie kept assuming the worst about Jake. I understood *why* but I didn't like it. Sometimes I wanted to just shake her too, for always trying to protect her heart. Again, Ms. Tetreault made it clear *why* Charlie felt the way she did but it went on a little long for my taste. Other than that, I have no other complaints. The book was very well done.

The Snuggly: The chemistry between Jake and Charlie was exciting. You could almost see the sparks! And it just kept building *and* building. I loved all of the sensual thoughts that kept running through each of their minds. It only served to turn the heat up, notch by notch. I'm serious! It made my mouth get dry and I kept getting a hitch in my breathing - and no, I don't have Asthma! lol It was just *that hot*. And all they had barely done was *kiss. In public. In broad daylight*. Wow! I was going to give this book a 2 in the Snuggly department but I just can't do it. Sitting here, thinking about it all again as I write, all those same feelings are coming back. Yeah, it was *that* good. Oh and the *s.e.x.*? Hehehehe....just you wait!;)

The Rest: In a nutshell, I loved this book. I love the characters, especially Charlie and Jake and I loved their relationship. I would not hesitate to re-read this book either. The story has enough of a 'suspended in time' feeling that it would not get old. I would say it is for ages 18 and older due to the intimacy and the *depth* of the feelings and emotions involved but otherwise it is a clean, well-written book. Romance readers will love it!

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Judy says

This is the 1st story I have read in the series and look forward to reading from the beginning. This story is about Charlie O'Brien a Captain Navy Doctor on leave while a hurricane hits her small town of North Salem, MA. She is home trying to decide if she should re-enlist or retire into civilian life. During the cleanup Jake Sherbrooke who is the President's son shows up offering his help from the Falmouth Foundation, an

organization that helps with disasters. Charlie recognizes Jake and does not pay him much attention believing he is a playboy the media portrays him to be. Jake is pleasantly surprised how Charlie seems to be a leader among the town and finds himself very attracted to her. Charlie starts to doubt the media as Jake gets his hands dirty with all the help he does. As these two work together cleaning up they get closer and start a relationship not knowing after his time in town what will happen. There is a undeniable connection between them and as Jake and Charlie continue their relationship they become closer and Jake even takes Charlie to a family wedding. When things become complicated and Charlie believes the media do things fall apart. Will Jake ever get the chance to get Charlie to see what really happened? Can these two strong minded people find a way back to one another? I voluntarily reviewed an Advanced Reader Copy of this book.

Jennifer Gallagher says

Christina Tetreault is a very good author.. I loved the first book in this series.. All about the Sherbrooke family..They are an fantastic and interesting group of people Loved especially the way the interacted with each other..I have to say Christina has done it again.. and actually did it better than the first time with this book..which I never thought could be possible..Charlie and Jake's romance was hard fought but so worth the outcome.. you have to read these books..

Jacqueline says

I really enjoyed this book the second book I have read from this series if I did not know that the story continues on into the start of the next book I would comment on how the book ended to quickly. Back to this book it wasn't your typical rich guy meets average girl and falls in love there is nothing average about Charlie she is a dr on leave from the navy trying to decide if she should retire or re-enlist when a hurricane blows through her town and the local dam breaks. Enter Jake the rich guy of earlier comment who is the boss of a foundation he set up to help areas where a disaster hits.I don't want to say more as I don't want to spoil the book for anyone.

Cindy says

This and other reviews can be found on my blog at <http://bookaholicfaggots.blogspot.com>

Even though the Billionaire Playboy's main characters were practically adults, and I like to read teen romances, I must say, this isn't a bad read. It's romantic. Charlotte and Jake doesn't carry their romance off that far. The plot is new and fresh. Like I like how there is Jake's sister's wedding and all that. I like how Charlotte gets jealous of the girls around Jake. It's all good. Even though it isn't my average teen romance book.

Rate: (1-10) 8.99!

Donna ~ The Romance Cover says

Romance romance romance, just my cup of tea..loved it, a good light read.

Maria says

I received a complimentary copy of this book as a part of a book tour in exchange for a fair and honest review. I rated it 3.5 out of 5 Stars -

For some, love or the fear of being in love can be an emotional storm as strong as a hurricane. In Christine Tetreault's *The Billionaire Playboy*, it's an actual hurricane which brings the young lovers together. With likable characters, a sweet romance and plenty of angst, Ms. Tetreault's story transported me to a picturesque town where two characters, with backgrounds as different as night and day, meet, fall in love and entertained me for the day.

Captain Charlotte "Charlie" O'Brien is home on leave while trying to decide what to do with her future, should she re-enlist in the Navy or take a chance and head into public practice. While staying at her mother's bed and breakfast, a hurricane sweeps through the small town of North Salem, and Charlie finds herself doing what she does best - taking charge of the situation. She never expected to meet Jake Sherbrooke, a man known as "The Billionaire Playboy" or on falling in love with the man he reveals himself to be.

Jake Sherbrooke has spent his whole life trying to carve out a life of his own separate from his wealthy and politically powerful family. Establishing "The Sherbrooke Foundation" was supposed to help him do what he loves, reach out to those in need, and establish him as a serious philanthropist. Unfortunately the paparazzi is determined to simply portray him as the President's young, rich and handsome son. When he learns of the hurricane and the damage it's done to North Salem, he personally visits the town to help as much as he can. He never planned on falling in love with a gorgeous redhead who's different from anyone he's ever dated before.

The scenes between Charlie and Jake are entertaining and they have great verbal and physical chemistry. Coming from two very different social backgrounds, Jake has lived a privileged life while Charlie has struggled for everything she's ever received, they soon realize they have more in common than they thought. They fit together. Unused to the attention the media brings to anyone in Jake's life, Charlie is unprepared to deal with the realities of dating someone who's famous more for who they are than what they do. Ms. Tetreault did a great job developing both Charlie and Jake's characters; we get to see what makes them tick as individuals and as a couple. The biggest problem their relationship has is their fear, Jake's fear of being judged for his birthright and Charlie's childhood fear of being abandoned by another man.

When photos appear making it appear as if Jake is being unfaithful, will Charlie give him a chance to explain? Will Charlie and Jake's fears tear them apart? You'll have to read *The Billionaire Playboy* to find out. It's a light romance and fun book to read.

Michelle Louise says

Disappointing

There's a saying in cooking, the presentation has to be great. In writing, the presentation is in how well a book is edited and formatted. This book falls down in that respect.

Billionaire and son of the current sitting president, Jake Sherbrooke has a reputation in the tabloids as a playboy. The reality couldn't be further from the truth. He's a hands on philanthropist and engineer who runs his own foundation from the front lines. It's on the front lines of a hurricane which decimated part of New England where he meets navy doctor Charlie. Charlie is home on leave and facing an important decision when the hurricane hits. But then Jake breezes into her life and nothing is the same.

To say I had a lot of problems with this story is underselling it.

The grammar was so haphazard I wonder if the book received any editing. If it did, the editor needs to be fired. So many comma problems. So, so many. It was almost unreadable.

The author didn't do a whole lot of research. Just as an FYI, most A named storms aren't that powerful... Andrew was an exception... And New England never gets a direct hit from the first storm of the season. They may get the remnants. But never a full fledged direct hit. It has to do with water and air temperatures.

The lack of research carried into Charlie's career. Based on the fact that she's considering retiring and that the navy paid for her degree in medicine, she has to be in her early 40s. The navy requires this because they don't want to be used just for an education and then lose their doctors to much more lucrative private practice. There are contracts and the navy's website spells this out. And while I am all for a reverse age gap, that needed to be stated and Charlie acts nothing like a mature 40 year old woman.

Then there are the characters. Jake is so generic that I can't really tell you much about him. Charlie is also fairly generic and what personality is there is pretty annoying.

The plot is predictable and several subplots are just left hanging. Like the stuff with Charlie's family. There's no resolution. Speaking of, the sex also cuts off midway. You get all of the foreplay in lurid detail, but no actual penetration. Just the morning after. It's at the point where I can't call this a clean romance... The foreplay is too descriptive. But I can't call it steamy either. It's a cop out.

In all I was super disappointed with this book and I won't bother checking out the rest of the series.

Two stars... And that's only because there was no out and out egregious offense.

Gloria Wenman says

Another enjoyable read. I am going through the whole series, and now feel part of the family! Jake is such a likeable character, even in bk 1 (Jake's brother Dylons story) Not too much detail in the bedroom scenes in any of the books I have read so far, but just enough to get the tension, emotion and atmosphere for the reader perked up and rearing to go. A good lesson here, is not to judge a book by its cover... people too. Well worth

a read.

Deb Diem says

The Billionaire Playboy by Christina Tetreault is a great read. This is a fairly short read, perfect for those with limited time for reading. Ms Tetreault has delivered a well-written book. The characters are fantastic. Charlotte (Charlie) and Jake's story is stuffed with drama, action, humor and sizzle. I totally enjoyed this book and look forward to my next read by Christina Tetreault. The Billionaire Playboy is book 2 of The Serbrookes Of Newport Series but can be read as a standalone. This is a complete book, not a cliff-hanger.

Bette Hansen says

Excellent

Excellent story of a billionaire who's reputation was nothing like the man he really was. Great chemistry between Jake and Charlie made this very enjoyable. Recommended read.

Melissa Maxwell says

I really enjoyed this story. Charlie and Jake's romance was hard fought but worth the out come. I can't say I like it better than book one but the story was a great compliment to book one. I love how similar in values both character while different in other ways. I am super excited for Sara's story because you know she has been hurt but the depths she holds that hurt shows how mush love she is capable of giving.

Suzy Baba says

Sweet story.
