Diversify Your Reading

**Big Girl Panties by Stephanie Evanovich**
A young widow, Holly Brennan, takes up personal trainer Logan Montgomery’s offer to get her into shape. Holly realizes she needs to work on both her inner and outer selves before she’s ready to love again.

**The Bride Test by Helen Hoang**
Khai Deip struggles to make connections with people. His family knows he can love—he just does it differently because he falls within the autism spectrum. When his mother travels to Vietnam and brings home a prospective bride, Khai is confronted with romantic feelings for the first time.

**Days of Distraction by Alexandra Chang**
An overlooked staff writer at a major tech company, a young woman follows her boyfriend across the U.S. to live on the East Coast and soon feels lost amongst unknown people—especially as a young Asian woman in today’s society.

**An Extraordinary Union by Alyssa Cole**
Both Elle and Malcolm are spies for the Union Cause during the Civil War. When a plot is uncovered that may prove deadly for Union troops, these two spies must put their budding romance to the side to thwart the Confederacy at all costs.

**Get a Life, Chloe Brown by Talia Hibbert**
After a near-death experience, Chloe decides to change her life. She enlists a “bad boy” handyman named Red to show her how to live—and not like a chronically-ill computer geek—but as a free-living young woman not suffering from fibromyalgia.

**Island Affair by Priscilla Oliveras**
Sara, a popular social media influencer, is recovering from an eating disorder when she must hire a stand-in boyfriend for an important social event. Set in Key West and full of Latinx culture, Sara and her new “boyfriend” soon find real sparks in a fake relationship.
The Lady’s Guide to Celestial Mechanics by Olivia Waite

When the Countess of Moth invites Lucy to London to assist her in translating French astronomy text, sparks fly between two women living in a time period where females were unable to love each other openly.

Paris Metro: a novel by Wendell Steavenson

An American journalist stationed in the Middle East reports on the lives of different cultures and soon falls in love with an Iraqi diplomat. After moving her family to Paris, she finds herself and her child in the middle of the Paris terrorist attacks. She soon begins to question her beliefs, her career, and her place in the world.

Pride, Prejudice, and Other Flavors by Dev Sonali

Dr. Trisha Raje is an Indian woman who’s family are royal descendants. When she meets a chef from humble beginnings, sparks fly but she lets prejudice color her opinion of him and he is too prideful to show his attraction towards her. Soon, life gets in the way and the two must work together.

The Plum Tree by Ellen Marie Wiseman

A German domestic falls in love and begins a relationship with the wealthy son of a Jewish family before WWII, but with the rise of the Gestapo, their relationship is illegal. The couple’s love, and lives are tested during Hitler’s Reign of Terror.

Red, White, & Royal Blue by Casey McQuiston

When the son of a U.S. President gets in a social media war with a British royal, they soon have to make peace. What started out as a fake friendship for the media soon turns into more as two young men go from unlikely friends to romantic partners.

The Story of Beautiful Girl by Rachel Simon

In 1968, two people find love in an institution—a young white woman with a developmental disability, an African American deaf man. The couple run away and find shelter for themselves and their baby with a widowed teacher. When the couple are separated, the baby is left behind. Will their family ever be whole again?