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## **Editorial Review**

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**\*Starred Review\*** Thorn Dautry doesn't need an interior design consultant; he needs a miracle worker. At least, that is Lady Xenobia India St. Clair's initial assessment when Thorn's stepmother, Eleanor, hires India to redecorate Starberry Court, the rundown country estate Thorn has recently purchased. Thorn is certain that his acquisition of Starberry Court will convince Laetitia Rainsford to accept his offer of marriage. India is equally convinced that if the ramshackle country estate doesn't scare Laetitia away, Thorn's own rough-around-the-edges appearance (not to mention his ancestry) will certainly do the trick. However, Eleanor is one of her dearest friends, and India has never yet backed down from a challenge. So, if all she has is three weeks to transform Starberry Court into a properly running home and turn Thorn into a civilized gentleman, India will just have to make it work. This tale is loosely linked to RITA Award-winning James' popular Desperate Duchesses series (Thorn is the son of the Duke of Villiers, the hero of *A Duke of Her Own*, 2009), and her gift for creating complex, richly layered characters pays off with spectacular dividends in her latest scintillating and exquisitely written historical novel, a romantic tour de force. --John Charles

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"Romance writing does not get much better than this." (People)

"Eloisa James writes with a captivating blend of charm, style, and grace that never fails to leave the reader sighing and smiling and falling in love. Her style is exquisite, her prose pure magic. Nothing gets me to a bookstore faster than a new novel by Eloisa James." (Julia Quinn)

"Eloisa James is extraordinary. With her sensuous and elegant style, inventive plotting and warm, human characters, she makes every book a treasure. A novel by Eloisa is a delicious treat that shouldn't be missed. A wonderfully original voice in romance fiction!" (New York Times bestselling author Lisa Kleypas)

"Clever plotting and equally clever dialog make Thorn and India's story a page-turning winner." (New York Journal of Books)

"Smart heroines, sensual heroes, witty repartee and a penchant for delicious romance have made James a fan favorite...Readers will be hooked from beginning to end." (RT Book Reviews (top pick))

"James' seventh Desperate Duchesses historical (after *A Duke of her Own*) is her most enticing work to date, replete with sizzling romance and riveting characters...James' wonderful cast and effortless plotting make this a delicious romance to be savored again and again." (Publishers Weekly (starred review))

"Emotionally rewarding and elegantly written, with textured characters and a captivating plot, this is James at her best" (Kirkus Reviews (starred review))

"her gift for creating complex, richly layered characters pays off with spectacular dividends in her latest scintillating and exquisitely written historical novel, a romantic tour de force. (Booklist (starred review))

"Eloisa is also a brilliant writer [...] readers will be enthralled by Lady X and Thorn Dautry as soon as they meet these two willful, formidable characters. (USA Today, Happily Ever After)

"Sharp, smart protagonists, dazzling in everything but love, eventually sort things out in this witty,

deliciously sexy charmer that reprises some favorite characters from James's "Desperate Duchesses" series and leaves the door open for more tales of Villiers's kids." (Library Journal (starred review))

#### About the Author

Eloisa James is a *USA Today* and *New York Times* bestselling author and professor of English literature, who lives with her family in New York, but can sometimes be found in Paris or Italy. She is the mother of two and, in a particularly delicious irony for a romance writer, is married to a genuine Italian knight. Visit her at [www.eloisajames.com](http://www.eloisajames.com).

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