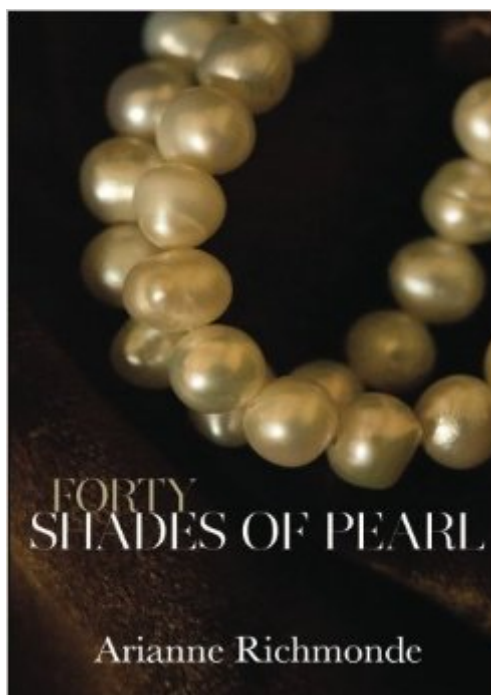


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Forty Shades Of Pearl (The Pearl Trilogy) (Volume 1)



Synopsis

USA TODAY bestseller! Top 10 bestseller in Contemporary Romance "Great read if you liked Fifty Shades of Grey and Bared to You. I would recommend this book. Can't wait to read the second part, Shadows of Pearl." ---Heather Gladfelter

Documentary producer, Pearl Robinson, is a beautiful and smart forty year-old divorcee but has not had a date for over two years. When she hears about Alexandre Chevalier, a young French, Internet success story, she assumes he is a nerd. But when she bumps into him face to face, she's stunned by his charm, beauty and sophistication, and startled by her strong feelings and desire for a man fifteen years her junior. His looks, wealth and worldwide triumph with his social media site, HookedUp, means he can get any woman he chooses, but there is something about Pearl he finds irresistible... The couple begins a passionate affair and Pearl's body is awakened in ways she never imagined possible. She is consumed by him and his magical touch. But secrets, jealous family members and other external forces are threatening to pull them apart.

Erotic Romance - full-length novel - (Part 1 of 5)

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Customer Reviews

I loved Forty Shades of Pearl. I really identified with the characters. It managed to capture the passion and essence of the intensity of first love, although the main character, Pearl, is a forty year-old divorcee and her protagonist, Alexandre is twenty-five. The relationship is charged,

intense and all-consuming - we are not sure if it because of the physical attraction they have for each other or a deeper, more spiritual connection. Either way, we are hooked by the story-line and premise. If Arianne Richmond writes book two I would read it to find out more about this interesting pair. This unlikely match makes for compulsive reading. Pearl Robinson is my kind of heroine - deliciously attractive and smart - strong yet vulnerable. Not that *Forty Shades of Pearl* should be compared to *Fifty Shades of Grey* as it is an entirely different story, but I will make a comparison anyway, simply because it is also an adult romance so the two books do have that in common. Although I enjoyed a couple of the sex scenes in *FSOG* I put the book down the second the BDSM thing started to overtake the novel. For me, that was so NOT a turn-on, it really put me off. Also, I simply didn't find it interesting. I think women out there must be under the impression that we guys want to spank and whip them, when in reality (I speak for myself and men I know) - nothing could be further from the truth. That's why I loved *Forty Shades of Pearl*. Yes, there is power play (Alexandre Chevalier is sexually dominant in his way) but the thread of it is more subtle. There is more intrigue. The book is also very well written both on an emotional level and in its descriptions. It makes you feel you are there, too, which is the point of a really great read. I also enjoyed the dialogue. This novel has it all.

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