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This book is both a satire of the civil rights problems in the United States in the late 60s and a serious attempt to focus on the issue of black militancy.

If there were an emergency number for adulthood, Matt Kincaid would have dialed it months ago. Raising his kid brother alone is already an uphill battle, never mind when an ugly gang initiation lands the teen in lockup. Again. Only, this time for a hate crime against a local fight club, where settling debts isn't taken lightly. When the club offers to let Matt risk everything in a long-shot match with a man who's as brutally handsome as he is tough, he jumps at the chance. If Matt wins, all will be forgiven. If not? Well, he might as well move in, because 'The Law' will own his ass...for a very long time. There are no limits to what Lawson 'The Law' Gaumond will do to protect the club he and his former lovers built. An inner-city sanctuary where Anniston Falls' gay leather culture thrives, The Asylum Fight Club isn't an easy place, but it's home. Taking on a local hothead whose younger brother vandalized the space isn't high on his priority list, but there's something about Matt that cries out for a firm hand. Lawson's never backed down from a fight, and he's not about to start when there's no way he can lose. When renewed gang violence erupts, spilling blood over The Asylum, Lawson and Matt must confront their pasts to find a way forward. Gunshots and knives should be harder to survive than this rough love, but coming to the ring armed with nothing but the truth is their greatest challenge of all.

Based on Evan Wright's National Magazine Award-winning story in Rolling Stone, this is the raw, firsthand account of the 2003 Iraq invasion that inspired the HBO® original mini-series. Within hours of 9/11, America's war on terrorism fell to those like the twenty-three Marines of the First Recon Battalion, the first generation dispatched into open-ended combat since Vietnam. They were a new pop-culture breed of American warrior unrecognizable to their forebears—soldiers raised on hip hop, video games and The Real World. Cocky, brave, headstrong, wary and mostly unprepared for the physical, emotional and moral horrors ahead, the "First Suicide Battalion" would spearhead the blitzkrieg on Iraq, and fight against the hardest resistance Saddam had to offer. Hailed as "one of the best books to come out of the Iraq war" (Financial Times), Generation Kill is the funny, frightening, and profane firsthand account of these remarkable men, of the personal toll of victory, and of the randomness, brutality and camaraderie of a new American War.

Learn to play the game. Knights of ice and Masters in the bedroom, The Dartmouth Cobras struggle to save their franchise while losing their hearts to the only women who can handle how hard and fast they live. Between corrupt owners, pressure from

fans and the media, and desires beyond the norm, they have to fight to make their mark as a hockey team. All the men share a common goal. Giving their all on the ice. And in love. GAME MISCONDUCT (The Dartmouth Cobras #1) DEFENSIVE ZONE (The Dartmouth Cobras #2) BREAKAWAY (The Dartmouth Cobras #3) You can also pick up Volume 2 (books 4-6)

Not all fights are one on one. In a team, no man should stand alone. 'You can't keep me.' Shawn 'Easy' Pischlar has given his speech so often, it should be written on the white board in the Dartmouth Cobra's locker room. Too many of his own teammates have heard the words. And the games he's played are finally catching up to him. To hang on to his freedom, Shawn gave up on ever having someone to call his own. A young woman who expects nothing from him slips into his life and has him ready to toss the rulebook. While the man he loves tempts him to burn it. Keeping them both would be easy, only...caring about them isn't. Because when he lets himself care, he remembers why he wrote the rules in the first place. Every lover, from the casual, to those who steal a piece of his heart, shouldn't expect more than pleasure. More than passion. Playing the game, on and off the ice, is his whole world. One he isn't ready to change. Except, life doesn't stop for the game. And when old scars are ripped open, and he's left bloody and beaten, the rules won't help him put the pieces of his life back together. To win this fight, he'll have to break each and every one.

Silver Delgado has gained control of The Dartmouth Cobras—and lost control of her life. Hockey might be the family business, but it's never interested Silver. Until her father's health decline thrusts responsibility for the team he owns straight into her hands. Now she has to find a way to get the team more fans, and establish herself as the new owner. Which means standing up to Dean Richter, the general manager and the advisor her father has forced on her. The fact that their 'business relationship' started with her over his lap at his BDSM club shouldn't be too much of a problem. Their hot one night stand meant nothing! But how can she earn his respect when he sees her as submissive? Can they separate work and the lifestyle she's curious to explore? Balancing her new life away from Hollywood, living among people who see her as the selfish Delgado princess, has her feeling lost and alone until Landon Bower, the Cobras new Goalie slips into her life and becomes her best—and only—friend. The time they spend together makes everything else bearable, but before long his eyes meet hers with more than friendship, reflecting what she feels. Which could ruin everything. Two Dominant men who see past her pretty mask and the shallow image she portrayed to the flashing cameras. A gentle attack from both sides that she can't hope to block unless she learns how to play. But she's getting the

hang of the game.

The winning contender always has an edge. Even up against the ropes, Curtis Smith can tip the odds in his favor with his devil-may-care attitude. A long and happy life has always been a long shot, so he faces every comer with his own brand of beat-down. He can claim victory in almost any situation. Except figuring out how to win at love. You have to go all in. A loss in the ring can have its own challenges. And rewards. But as the submissive of two of The Asylum's core owners, the label 'club royal' doesn't leave many options for how Reed Dane can get his 'crown' to fit. Sweets and sparkles don't exactly go with craving the darker side of kink. Sometimes fate stacks the odds. When disaster strands Reed in a sea of familiar faces, only one man's care can keep him from losing the biggest fight of all—to survive. But without Curtis, how can he avoid a lasting knockout? If the house has reached its limit.

A pace ahead of the play can send you back to the start. And put everything you've worked for at risk. Single mother and submissive Rebecca Bower abandoned her career as a sports reporter to become a media consultant with her brother's hockey team. A failed marriage to a selfish man makes her wary of getting involved with another. Unfortunately, chemistry is hard to deny, and all her hormones are dancing when she gets close to the Cobra's sniper, Scott Demyan. Zachary Pearce 'came out' to the world last season to shift attention away from a teammate. And his one night with Scott Demyan had been unsettling. There could be more there, if only Scott was a different person. Instead, a night of sensual BDSM play with Becky leaves him wanting more, but she thinks he's gay and questions his interest. It's been a long time since a woman has attracted him both as a man and a Dom, and he'll do everything in his power to prove she's the only one he needs. Or wants. His one time with Scott was a mistake. Scott might have forgotten what happened in his childhood, but the effects linger, and he specializes in drunken one-night stands...until he meets Zach and Becky and sees what he's missing. But neither one believes Scott can be faithful. Although he's trying hard to clean up his act to avoid getting kicked off the team, they want more from him. He's willing to make changes, but the most important one—putting their happiness before his own—means he'll probably end up alone. Warning This e-book contains material not suitable for readers under 18. It also contains scenes that some may find objectionable, including BDSM, ménage sex, bondage, anal sex, sex toys, and one man erroneously labeled as vanilla. Author strongly advises care be taken when using ladders and gym equipment in ways other than originally intended. And sex on cruise ships whenever possible. The author advises that as well.

One of the most vexing issues that has faced the international community since the end of the Cold War has been the use of force by the United Nations peacekeeping forces. UN intervention in civil wars, as in Somalia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, and Rwanda, has thrown into stark relief the difficulty of peacekeepers operating in situations where consent to their presence and activities is fragile or incomplete and where there is little peace to keep. Complex questions arise in these circumstances. When and how should peacekeepers use force to protect themselves, to protect their mission, or, most troublingly, to ensure compliance by recalcitrant parties with peace accords? Is a peace enforcement role for peacekeepers possible or is this simply war by another name? Is there a grey zone between peacekeeping and peace enforcement? Trevor Findlay reveals the history of the use of force by UN peacekeepers from Sinai in the 1950s to Haiti in the 1990s. He untangles the arguments about the use of force in peace operations and sets these within the broader context of military doc-

trine and practice. Drawing on these insights the author examines proposals for future conduct of UN operations, including the formulation of UN peacekeeping doctrine and the establishment of a UN rapid reaction force.

Creating The Roughhouse Cafe is Matt Kincaid's dream come true. Even when the local gang gets too close for comfort. Or when a 'helpful' popstar's promo efforts have customers lining up around the block. Matt's totally got this. Maybe. The Asylum subs come to the rescue, breaking a few rules in the process. And there's no keeping secrets from the Doms for long. Kink and coffee apparently go together real well. Both best when served up hot.

There's fighting to win. Fighting for love. And... Fighting to survive. At The Asylum a submissive might kneel to the right man, but a collar doesn't make him weak. Between lovers and found family, the core has created a foundation that nothing can break. More than can be contained between four walls. The journey begins at home. But it doesn't end there. No Good Very Bad Day at The Asylum Danny DiMarco made one huge mistake that morning. One he really wishes he could take back before another disaster strikes. He shouldn't have gotten out of bed. Long Winding Road Trip Away from The Asylum 'There's no place like home'. Maybe if Wren Gibson repeats that often enough, he'll eventually get back there. If he survives the next pit stop. A Little Roughed Up at The Asylum Safehouse Throughout Quint Templeton's life, he's had a few different jobs. Soldier. Doctor. Mercenary. But he's about to tackle the most important one of all. Is 'sub wrangler' an official title? BONUS SHORT-Baby, it's Cold inside The Asylum Nothing could be worse than the one holiday season that shall never be spoken of again. Not power outages. Or all out brawls. Or...explosives? All right, who pissed off Santa?

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Gravity is just another force to overcome. Renowned aerial artist Avery Dylan has a secret. He's not who he seems to be. A mercenary by trade, he's been activated by his handlers in a desperate move to bring down an impossible-to-reach target inside the infamous Asylum Fight Club. When his high wire act proves easier to execute than one elusive submissive, Avery must resort to more than slithering silks and suggestive moves to breach the club's defenses. Infiltrating its security requires sneaking past its most carefully guarded boundary—Rhodey Leonov's heart. But this is one drop that could kill. When emotions distract from a mission, it never ends well. For the other guy. There are more headstones in Rhodey Leonov's past than notches on his belt, which is a track record he lives with. Literally. Being unstoppable keeps his family safe. They may hate his methods, but so long as they're in one

piece, he can live with that. Until an attack on The Asylum's newest member reveals a weakness Rhodey can't let stand. Having Avery recover in his bed for a few days could be a lethal mistake, though Rhodey's not quite ready to reach for the shovel... Unless it's to dig himself into the dark pit he's escaped for so long. With a sub whose sweetness might be nothing but venom. For both men, love isn't an option, because falling only leads to one place... A shallow grave.

The final volume of the trilogy chronicles the Allied victory in Western Europe, from the brutal struggles in Normandy and at the Battle of the Bulge to the freeing of Paris, as experienced by participants from every level of the military.

Raised and trained by The Asylum Fight Club's most infamous owner, Reed Dane is almost untouchable. Might sound dope, but there are disadvantages to his 'privileged' status. His guardian's reputation makes a serious relationship impossible—turns out the club's members are addicted to breathing—and the one man Reed truly wants sees him only as a stray his former lover brought home. An endless string of one-night stands lacks the intimacy Reed craves, but at least edgy post-fight hookups distract him from what he'll never have. Until he takes a wrecking ball to the walls that set him apart. Curtis Smith is a lot of things—MMA fighter, club owner...son of a drug lord—but one thing he's not is prepared to face temptation exploding past his carefully built boundaries. Reed is forbidden, to him most of all, but resisting what they both want becomes impossible with the sub challenging him at every turn. And with his past threatening everything The Asylum has been built to protect, Curtis can't afford to be addicted to Reed's brand of candy coated sin. He can't deny himself one taste before his stolen time runs out. Because when it does, all that will be left behind for Reed is a memory... And his heart.

Nothing could stop Tim Rowe, the assistant coach of the Dartmouth Cobras, from falling in love with Madeline, but love alone can't satisfy every need. Sometimes, to reach the goal, you have to take the chance with a . . . Blind Pass. *Previously released as part of the anthology *Seduced by The Game*

Ambition can be deadly. The right kind of exposure is all porn star Keiran Stone needs to reach his ultimate goal of opening his own restaurant, until an ill-fated audition ends with a near-deadly confrontation on the doorstep of Anniston Falls, New York's infamous gay fight club. Rescued by one of the club's members, Kerian is offered a job as The Asylum's chef, and taken under the club's protection. He finds more than a recipe for success. Top-tier fighter, Dallas Stephens, enjoys a variety when it comes to play outside the ring. As a switch, he finds satisfaction at both ends of the whip. Commitment never appealed to him with relationships or careers, but Keiran's sweet temptations whet Dallas's appetite for more than a one-night-stand. Inside and outside of the sub's kitchen. Ordering off the menu can be dangerous. As Keiran fights to establish his own place within The Asylum, threats to the club's foundation leave both men caught in the crossfire. Love and loyalty show them they're exactly where they belong, in the most important battle either will ever face. Surviving it is another story.

Abruptly being thrust into power of his family's billion dollar corporation is overwhelming for socially awkward university student, Miguel Berger, but it's nothing compared to keeping three toddlers and their equally rambunctious puppies alive. He made a huge mistake when he gave the entire staff two weeks off. The house is a disaster. His nephews are out of control... And one of the puppies is missing. His savior comes in the form of an incredibly handsome former Marine, Ward Neuman, who brings the puppy home and offers to help train the triplet's furry companions. The only problem is Miguel struggles with accepting help and

Ward won't put up with his rich-boy attitude. There's no way the two could get along, even if the arrangement would be perfect. Ward is great with kids, and he can't turn his back on the little puppy he saved, but he's had enough of "high society" and the way they treat people. But when Miguel desperately reaches out and offers him a temporary position caring for the pups and the little boys, he can't say no. He won't be tempted by his new boss. He will respect the rules Miguel sets for all his employees. Unless Miguel breaks them. Then all bets are off.

Volume 5, *Deep Maneuver: Historical Case Studies of Maneuver in Large-Scale Combat Operations*, presents eleven case studies from World War II through Operation Iraqi Freedom focusing on deep maneuver in terms of time, space and purpose. Deep operations require boldness and audacity, and yet carry an element of risk of overextension - especially in light of the independent factors of geography and weather that are ever-present. As a result, the case studies address not only successes, but also failure and shortfalls that result when conducting deep operations. The final two chapters address these considerations for future *Deep Maneuver*.

The only role of Rosemary's nest of men is to feed her insatiable hunger, but that's not what she wants for them. Or what they want from her. While Rosemary presses for them to live their own lives, they each find ways to steal into her heart. With the threat of her mother's nest hanging over them, Rosemary decides to surrender to the love they offer and focus on building their combined strength to stand against the inevitable attacks. When her control over her powers slips, another problem arises. The nest is incomplete. A prince must be chosen, and if he is not among her men, she'll be forced to let one of them go. She once feared her heart wasn't big enough to hold them all. Now she fears she's not strong enough to release even one. Even if it costs her her life. Includes Bonus Short Story "Rosemary & Mistletoe" After surviving a battle with her mother, Rosemary is excited about her nest's first Christmas together. She has grown to love all seven men, even more than she needs them to feed her hunger. When they surprise her with a trip, just her and her Prince, she refuses. But does she really want to fight against the seven men who know not only what her heart wants, but also what she needs?

The authoritative account of the rise of Amazon and its intensely driven founder, Jeff Bezos, praised by the *Seattle Times* as "the definitive account of how a tech icon came to life." Amazon.com started off delivering books through the mail. But its visionary founder, Jeff Bezos, wasn't content with being a bookseller. He wanted Amazon to become the everything store, offering limitless selection and seductive convenience at disruptively low prices. To do so, he developed a corporate culture of relentless ambition and secrecy that's never been cracked. Until now. Brad Stone enjoyed unprecedented access to current and former Amazon employees and Bezos family members, giving readers the first in-depth, fly-on-the-wall account of life at Amazon. Compared to tech's other elite innovators -- Jobs, Gates, Zuckerberg -- Bezos is a private man. But he stands out for his restless pursuit of new markets, leading Amazon into risky new ventures like the Kindle and cloud computing, and transforming retail in the same way Henry Ford revolutionized manufacturing. The *Everything Store* is the revealing, definitive biography of the company that placed one of the first and largest bets on the Internet and forever changed the way we shop and read.

Braxton Richards has always seen the goal clearly, knows the steps to take to reach it, except when it comes to relationships. But that kind of distraction can mess up his game if he's not careful. And he's got a very bad habit he needs to find a way to kick. Falling for the wrong man. Self-discipline isn't usually a problem

for Detective Ryan Hamilton. When he indulges in something for his own pleasure, he has no trouble walking away. Hell, he managed to walk away from Braxton once. But he couldn't forget him. One night of temptation leads to another, until both men are in too deep to care about the risks. The only problem is they can't be ignored for long. If what they have is worth keeping, they have to face off against the challenges that spill over into both their lives. Finally take that chance... Of coming out with a win.

Life in the wings has its disadvantages... One-time third-wheel in the boy-band Glam Grenade, Danny DiMarco's existed just shy of center stage for as long as he can remember—a supporting player to two best friends who depended on him to pull their weight. While they made bank, he's left reeling when his father's death tangles his future in the red tape of empty contracts and drained accounts. But the show must go on. Jackson 'Jacks' Turner wears many hats, most of them gathering dust. An ex-model and an in-denial fashion designer, what he doesn't plan to accessorize with is a newbie sub who shows up on his front doorstep looking for an introduction to the world of D/s inside Anniston Falls' exclusive gay, members-only club. Shea Warren is no stranger to covert ops. A Navy SEAL, he knows the ins and outs of hiding in plain sight. When Danny runs afoul of the club's most powerful cliques on his first...and second...night as his roommate's guest, the mission becomes clear. Protect the sweet, unassuming sub before he becomes a casualty of Jacks' wear-em-once style. There's no rehearsal for this next set. The Asylum might be more accepting of sequins and spandex than most, but Danny's not coming to come out. In fact, with sponsors whose conservative ties pay his bills, it's more than undesirable. It's impossible. Except, sometimes Cupid has other plans. Just when Danny needs to hide most, he's headed for the last place he ever wanted to be... In the spotlight. The one time geeky high school teacher, Rupert 'Rip' Martinez, tries to play the hero, it almost costs him his life. Maybe he should leave the rescuing to the tough guys, like the man who saved him, Otto Shriver. Tattoos, dog tags, and a heart of gold, Otto is exactly the type of man Rip would go for. In his dreams. When socially awkward meets carefree and confident, it's probably best they go their separate ways. Their only excuse to ever see one another again is an adorable pup in need of a good home. Unless they really don't need any excuses at all.

On the long trip back to Toronto from an art show in Detroit, Shawna's bus makes an unexpected stop in the middle of nowhere. When the bus is evacuated, she ends up alone with a man who's just as dark and dominant as the heroes in her favorite books. Her desires tempt her to let her guard down—to take a chance that he might be everything she needs—but how far is she willing to go? She's afraid to find out . . . and even more afraid not to.

The goal doesn't count until it crosses the line. Captain of the Dartmouth Cobras hockey team, Dominik Mason, believes his team can make a damn good playoff run. He and his men won't stop fighting until they win the ultimate prize. There's no doubt when it comes to The Game. Off the ice, there's nothing but uncertainty. His life has been in a holding pattern and it's time to move on. Which might be easier without the lifestyle that has lost its appeal. As much as he loved training subs, he's tired of giving his all only to go home alone. Tragedy once brought him closer to Sahara Dionne, the exquisite, yet fragile Ice Girl, but when her abusive-ex darkens her path once again, Dominik can't help but wonder if his friendship might not be the best thing for her. But she craves his touch, his dominance, and his possession. Everything he desires is finally within his reach. All he has to do is take the shot.

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A taste and then it was gone. Lydia sacrificed her body and her very sanity, surrendering her freedom to protect those she loves. Within the grasp of the evil she fought to escape, she risks losing all that she is in order to spare herself endless suffering. Death would be mercy. Death would make her sacrifice meaningless. Cyrus is more than willing to play with his old toys, leaving Lydia with no choice but to endure his twisted games. His kindness is worse than his cruelty, warping everything she once believed. When the only salvation is in the arms of her tormentor, her cage becomes a welcome place to hide. Love isn't to be trusted. But the chains will hold her, strong and sure. Agony becomes the sweetest relief. Pain is a language she understands. "Sometimes I almost wish I didn't want to hurt you so much. But just almost. You're most beautiful when you're fighting to stay alive. I want to keep you this beautiful forever." ~Cyrus

Hardcore Training leads to a winning team. Why should parenting be any different? Luke Carter has messed up a lot of things in the past, but being a dad and a husband? He's gonna get that right. Practice should help, except there are strategies on the ice that work with unexpected scenarios that come up with a baby. Or...two. But if this family can figure out how to juggle diaper changes, bottles, and alternating naps, maybe they can manage the next step. Making it down the aisle.

"Formerly known as the International Citation Manual"--p. xv.

The game has always cast a shadow over Oriana Delgado's life. She should hate the game. But she doesn't. The passion and the energy of the sport is part of her. But so is the urge to drop the role of the Dartmouth Cobra owner's 'good daughter' and find a less...conventional one. Playmaker, Max Perron, never expected a woman to accept him and his twisted desires. Oriana came close, but he wasn't surprised when she walked away. A girl like her needs normal. Which he can't give her. He's too much of a team player, and not just on the ice. But then Oriana's father goes too far in trying to control her and she decides to use exposure as blackmail. Just the implication of her spending the night with the Cobra's finest should get her father to back off. Turns out a team player is exactly what she needs. Warning This ebook contains material not suitable for readers under 18. In also contains scenes that some may find objectionable, including BDSM, mōnage sex, bondage, anal sex, sex toys, double penetration, voyeurism, edge play, and hockey equipment being used inappropriately.

Gage Tackett comes off as a bad boy—detached and maybe a little dangerous. Definitely not Vet Sciences Professor Derek Paulson's type. When Gage arrives at Derek's veterinary clinic with a frostbitten stray dog, Derek realizes his most difficult student has a few things to teach him. Things he's more than willing to learn.

The game isn't over. Every win has cost the Dartmouth Cobras, but one family has paid more than any to see the team succeed. Including their control over the franchise. Which means the future of the team is out of their hands. Ford Delgado, heir to the dwindling Delgado fortune, sold the team to save it, but a legacy of deceit and crime puts everything he and his sisters fought for at risk. As a family, their bond has grown, but the threat of losing the one thing they share may tear them apart. Lorenzo Keane,

owner of the Dartmouth Cobras, faces the most difficult decision of his life. This team has destroyed one family, and he won't risk his own to save it. But his passion for the game makes abandoning his place in the Dartmouth Cobras legacy one of the most difficult choices he'll ever have to make. A losing streak might mean more than a short season. The team's fate rests in the hands of a man with more to lose than a game. Unless Ford can make a new deal. One that will have his family coming out on top. His methods might leave something to be desired, but he'll stop at nothing to bring home a win. He is a Delgado, after all.

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A little wicked isn't so bad... When you're part of the O'Rourke Clan, living up to the family name isn't optional. Groomed as a drug kingpin's youngest heir, Pike O'Rourke wasn't supposed to be in charge. Now, as the last man standing, it's up to him to make sure the legacy lives on. Even if it means betraying the first two men he's ever loved. Thoroughly debauched is better. Mercenary, Seth Bizenhofer, made a choice ten years ago that cost him everything. Now, when a mission is on the line, his heart is off the table. That is, until he's assigned to get intel from a mouthy sub

whose lust for trouble is as huge as his craving for love. Complicated doesn't begin to describe his relationship status, but no one ever said the job would be easy. If history repeats itself... A healer by training, Quint Templeton's heart is the only battlefield he'd ever expected to fight on. Even that has been a demilitarized zone since his only breakup. When his newest assignment places him firmly in the sights of the two men who broke his heart, he should say no—but with a price on his head, there's only one way out. Jumping into the trenches feet first, he'll make sure Pike and Seth aren't caught in the crossfire. The fallout could permanently blow their worlds apart.

A cross-section of the American experience on D-Day Unique perspective from the regimental level that also integrates strategic and tactical considerations Stories of largely forgotten acts of valor G. H. Bennett collects oral histories from the soldiers of three American regiments and weaves them into an intimate account of the D-Day invasion of June 6, 1944. Widely scattered during its drop into Normandy, the 507th Parachute Infantry Regiment (82nd Airborne Division) stopped the advance of an SS division. The untested 116th Infantry Regiment (29th Infantry Division) landed on bloody Omaha Beach, where it suffered more casualties than any other regiment that day. Meanwhile, the 22nd Infantry Regiment (4th Infantry Division) easily waded ashore on Utah Beach but faced savage fighting as it moved inland.

Breaking a few rules didn't seem like a huge deal. With his name on several government assassination lists, Wren Gibson's prison sentence might've been the shortest in hacker history, until an unlikely rescue lands him behind the sturdy brick walls of The Asylum Fight Club. Where everyone can game the rules, yet he's forbidden from even placing his piece on the board. But one Dom tempts him to gamble everything. The Asylum's resident, on-call medic, Jared "Doc" McCleod is familiar with the histories of every man who crosses the club's threshold. Their pain, their fear... Of them all, only Wren has held on to his secrets, a fascinating contrast with how completely he gives up control. As the general on the front lines of The Asylum's internal and external battles, it's Jared's duty to make certain the quiet sub with soulful brown eyes doesn't fly under his radar for long. Showing his hand could cost them both. When Jared takes on the task of helping Wren recover from an unexpected injury, Wren begins to wonder. While the Dom is tending to everyone else, who is there for him? To show Jared he can be the sub he needs, he would willingly light himself on fire. For an ex-con with a target on his back, risking that kind of notice is a dangerous strategy, but... Sometimes, getting what you want requires going all in.