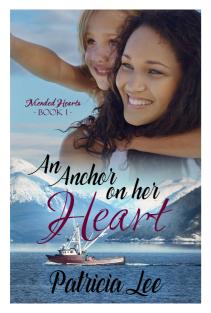


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Author Patricia Lee Addresses Marriage and Autism in Debut Novel Patricia Lee Releases An Anchor on Her Heart (Mended Hearts, #1)



WHITE SALMON, Wash., JULY 1, 2017 — Author Patricia Lee's fiction debut, contemporary romance *An Anchor on Her Heart*, sheds light on spousal neglect and autism awareness August 1, 2017.

McKenna Nicols is an abandoned, still married single mother raising her autistic daughter. While she promised to love her husband until death parted them, his emotional and physical absence grow heavier with each day. When Rudy Taylor, a stranger who understands the complexities of raising her daughter, steps into her life she doesn't know how much longer she can wait for her husband. While Rudy's friendship is a rock, McKenna and Rudy struggle to keep their motives and relationship pure, even in the wake of crushing loneliness. Can their friendship survive the storm of desires pulling them closer together?

Patricia Lee pulls from her own experiences to speak into the lives of parents with autistic children. In addition, she writes to women struggling to remain faithful through spousal abandonment and/or neglect due to unexpected difficulties with a child. An Anchor on Her Heart offers an excellent starting point for couples to discuss the dire need for mutual respect, support, and

communication—especially through obstacles. *An Anchor on Her Heart* can be used for book clubs and study groups seeking a warm and grace-covered approach to tough questions.

An Anchor on Her Heart can be ordered through Amazon.com on August 1, 2017 in Kindle e-book. An Anchor on Her Heart will be available in paperback through your favorite bookstore or online retailer after August 15, 2017. For more information, please e-mail the media contact below. An Anchor on Her Heart is book one in the MENDED HEARTS series. Look for book two, Love Calls Her Home, in early 2018.

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