# Pretend You're Mine: A Novel of Passionate Deception and Forbidden Desire

Jodi Picoult's latest novel, *Pretend You're Mine*, is a story of passionate deception and forbidden desire. It follows the story of a woman who假装嫁给了一个她不爱的人,却发现自己爱上了他。 This novel explores the boundaries of love, marriage, and fidelity, and what happens when we deceive ourselves and others.



#### Pretend You're Mine: BWWM ROMANCE (As You Are

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Laurel is a successful lawyer who has always put her career first. She's intelligent, ambitious, and driven. But she's also lonely. She's never been able to find a man who can keep up with her, both intellectually and emotionally.

One day, Laurel meets David, a brilliant surgeon who is everything she's ever wanted in a man. He's smart, handsome, and charming. But he's also

married. Laurel knows that she can't have a relationship with David, but she can't help herself from falling in love with him.

Laurel and David begin an affair. They meet in secret, and they pretend that they're married. They pretend that they're happy. But they're not. Laurel knows that she's living a lie, and she's afraid that she's going to get caught.

One day, Laurel's husband finds out about her affair. He's furious, and he demands a divorce. Laurel is devastated. She doesn't want to lose her husband, but she also doesn't want to give up David.

Laurel is torn between her head and her heart. She knows that she should end her affair with David, but she can't bring herself to do it. She loves him too much. Laurel is trapped in a web of her own deception, and she doesn't know how to get out.

Pretend You're Mine is a gripping and thought-provoking novel that explores the boundaries of love, marriage, and fidelity. It's a story about the choices we make, the secrets we keep, and the consequences of our actions.

#### Characters

- Laurel is a successful lawyer who is intelligent, ambitious, and driven. She's lonely and has never been able to find a man who can keep up with her.
- David is a brilliant surgeon who is everything Laurel has ever wanted in a man. He's smart, handsome, and charming. But he's also married.

 Laurel's husband is a kind and supportive man. He loves Laurel and wants to make her happy.

#### **Themes**

- **Love**: *Pretend You're Mine* is a story about love in all its forms. It's about the love between a husband and wife, the love between a man and his mistress, and the love between a parent and a child.
- Marriage: Pretend You're Mine is also a story about marriage. It's about the challenges and rewards of marriage, and the choices we make when our marriages are tested.
- **Fidelity**: *Pretend You're Mine* is a story about fidelity. It's about the choices we make when we're tempted to be unfaithful, and the consequences of our actions.

Pretend You're Mine is a complex and thought-provoking novel that explores the boundaries of love, marriage, and fidelity. It's a story about the choices we make, the secrets we keep, and the consequences of our actions. Jodi Picoult has written a gripping and unforgettable novel that will stay with you long after you finish it.

**Trigger warning:** *Pretend You're Mine* contains scenes of domestic violence and infidelity.



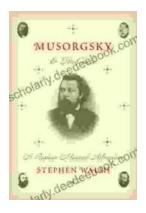
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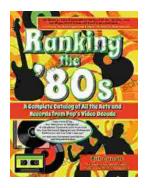
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