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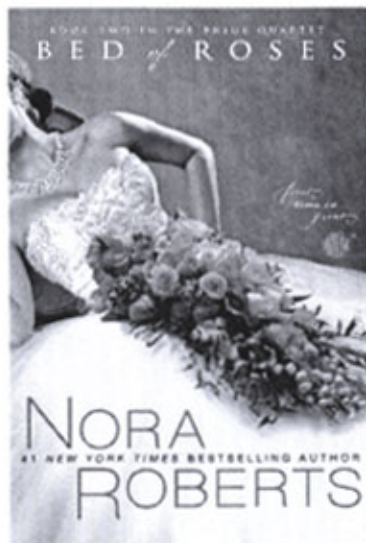
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Bed of Roses

BOOK TWO IN THE BRIDE QUARTET

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Berkley Books is delighted to continue beloved #1 *New York Times* bestselling author **Nora Roberts'** all-new original trade paperback series, *The Bride Quartet*. Set in the fun, fabulous and sometimes hectic world of wedding planning, Nora tells the story of four friends and their struggles with life, love and family as they build their wedding planning company, *Vows*.

Parker has inherited a huge, historic house in the small Connecticut town in which she grew up. Together with her three lifelong best friends — Mackensie, Laurel and Emma, — she decides to launch a wedding planning business and offer the house

as the perfect location for receptions. She'll handle the overall planning at Vows while the other girls take on their own specialties: photography, catering and cake design, and floral arrangements.

In *Vision in White* (Berkley, May 2009) readers were introduced to all four women at Vows, but the story centered on Mackensie "Mac" Elliot, the photographer of the group. Now in **BED OF ROSES: Book Two of The Bride Quartet** (Berkley Trade Paperback Original; October 27, 2009; \$26.00) we get a closer look at the florist of the group, Emma Grant.

Emma loves working with her friends and the success that Vows has brought them. She's also enjoying a thriving love life with men all around her asking for dates. But she hasn't managed to find Mr. Right yet.

Jack Cooke is a local architect who works closely with the women of Vows. In fact, he's around so much he's practically family to them. But lately his feelings for Emma have developed into much more than friendship. Could Emma's Mr. Right be hiding right under her nose?

"Nora Roberts just keeps getting better and better" (*Milwaukee Journal Sentinel*) and her latest is no exception. **BED OF ROSES** will be followed by two more books, *Savor the Moment* in May 2010 and *Happy Ever After* next fall.

ABOUT THE AUTHOR:

Nora Roberts is the #1 *New York Times* bestselling author of 170 novels, including *Angels Fall*, *Blue Smoke*, *Northern Lights*, and *Chesapeake Blue*. She is also the author of the bestselling futuristic suspense In Death series written under her pseudonym, J.D. Robb. There are more than 300 million copies of her books in print. Her website is www.noraroberts.com.

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