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Taking a Page from History's Legendary Lovers

***NYT Bestselling Author Nicole Jordan Gives
Romeo & Juliet a Regency Spin***

Salt Lake City, UT—For generations, the fiery, passionate Wilde clan has cut a swatch through the bedrooms and ballrooms of Regency Europe. Now, in *New York Times* bestselling author Nicole Jordan's June novel, ***Lover Be Mine***, Lord Jack Wilde's bachelor status is severely threatened by his family's matchmaking cousins. Skye and Kate are determined that the incorrigible rake will find his perfect mate in commoner Sophie Fortin, in the tradition of *Romeo & Juliet*.

Lord Jack is convinced he will be able to resist Sophie's charms. After all, she is not only the daughter of his family's mortal enemy, she is also being courted by a duke hand-picked by her parents to restore dignity and fortune to their family.

To mollify his vexing cousins, Jack agrees to check out the lovely Sophie. He dresses as a swashbuckling pirate and crashes a ball staged by her parents to advance the duke's pursuit. Little does the devilishly scandalous Lord Jack know that with one kiss he'll be a goner. Duke or no duke, Jack becomes hell-bent on winning Sophie's hand. He launches a breathtaking seduction, climbing into her bedroom one night and ultimately abducting her to save her from marrying the rival nobleman.

If Jack is to succeed in his *Romeo & Juliet* courtship, he'll have to deliver more than the sweet passion that Sophie savors. The dutiful daughter is determined to aid her parents, which means forsaking the man she loves and marrying the widower duke. In order to win his "Juliet's" hand in marriage, Jack must reconcile with his father and claim the royal heritage he has scorned for years. For Sophie he'll risk all to turn a legacy of heartbreak into love ever after.

Lover Be Mine, on sale May 28, 2013 wherever books are sold, is the second in Jordan's entertaining *Legendary Lovers* series, which finds the notorious Wilde cousins seeking true love by enacting the courtships of legendary lovers.

The author of 29 historical novels, with six million books in print, Jordan was educated as a civil engineer. Before she started writing novels, she spent eight years as a manufacturing manager, making disposable diapers and toilet tissue. The avid horsewoman lives in Utah, along with her real life hero (her husband). When not writing, Jordan enjoys training and riding her beloved hunter and jumper horses.

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