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Romance: Amish

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A Fruitful Vine By Carrie Bender

Read by Jill Ferris Reading time 5 hours, 9 minutes
The summer her mother dies, Miriam, an unmarried forty-year-old Amish
woman, takes a job as a housekeeper to a young widower and begins this
journal. Miriam worries over and becomes emotional about the romantic lives of
others, including her employer. She even offers to pretend to date her neighbor
to pique the interest of his sometimes girlfriend. Then Miriam falls in love.
Prequel to A Winding Path (RC 41119).

<u>Download from BARD: A Fruitful Vine</u> Also available on cassette RC041118

A Cousin's Promise Indiana Cousins Book 1 By Wanda E. Brunstetter Read by Michael McCullough Reading time 8 hours, 56 minutes Wayne Lambright loses his leg in a car accident during a weekend getaway from his Indiana Amish community. Afraid his injuries will prevent him from being a good husband, Wayne breaks his engagement to Loraine Miller. Loraine hopes to reconcile, but the return of her ex-boyfriend complicates her feelings. 2009.

<u>Download from BARD: A Cousin's Promise Indiana Cousins Book 1</u> Also available on digital cartridge DB070301

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The Journey By Wanda E. Brunstetter

Read by Theresa Conkin Reading time 10 hours, 35 minutes Amish carpenter Titus Fisher of Pennsylvania is brokenhearted when his girlfriend Phoebe cannot commit to him or his Amish faith. Titus moves to a Kentucky settlement where he meets his employer's unconventional daughter Suzanne, who would rather build furniture than cook. 2011.

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Lancaster Brides Romance Drives the Buggy in Four Inspiring Novels By

Wanda E. Brunstetter

Read by Catherine Byers Reading time 21 hours, 49 minutes Four Pennsylvania Amish women fall in love. In A Merry Heart Miriam's dream man is marrying another girl. In Looking for a Miracle wheelchair-using Rebekah desires acceptance. Outsider Laura, in Plain and Fancy, comes to Lancaster and falls for Eli. Rachel, in The Hope Chest, wants her sister's boyfriend. 1997.

<u>Download from BARD: Lancaster Brides Romance Drives the Buggy...</u>
Also available on cassette RC061984

The Keeper By Suzanne Woods Fisher

Read by Amy Rubinate Reading time 9 hours, 6 minutes
After Julie Lapp's fiancé Paul Fisher postpones their wedding for a second time,
Julie blames bachelor Roman Troyer--a beekeeper who travels among the
Amish farms in Ohio and Pennsylvania with his hives--for encouraging the
communities' young men to remain single. Commercial audiobook. 2012.

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Also available on digital cartridge DB074103

Dark Harvest: A Maplecreek Amish Novel By Karen Harper

Read by Madelyn Buzzard Reading time 12 hours, 6 minutes Unknown assailants target the Amish residents of Maplecreek, Ohio. Community leader and widowed father Luke Brand breaks custom and seeks help from local police. Officer Kat Lindley, a newcomer with a painful past, poses as Luke's fiancée to help him find the culprit. Some violence. 2004.

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The Fiddler By Beverly Lewis

Read by Anne Hancock Reading time 8 hours, 14 minutes When her car gets a flat tire, classical violin prodigy Amelia is rescued by Michael, a young Amish man. Amelia, who secretly fiddles in a country band, stays at Hickory Hollow, Pennsylvania, for a few days before returning to the English world. But she misses the simple life. 2012.

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Also available on digital cartridge DB074860

The Parting By Beverly Lewis

Read by Gabriella Cavallero Reading time 8 hours, 16 minutes Nellie Mae Fisher, still struggling with guilt and grief over her younger sister's death, dreams of marrying handsome Caleb Yoder. But some people in their Pennsylvania Amish community don't want them together--including Caleb's father. Rebellion against Old Order ways threatens to tear them, and their church, apart. 2007.

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Also available on digital cartridge DB066456

The Preacher's Daughter: Annie's People, Book 1 By Beverly Lewis Read by Mary Kane Reading time 9 hours, 29 minutes Twenty-year-old Annie Zook of Paradise, Pennsylvania, is torn between accepting her family's Amish lifestyle or dedicating her life to her art--a sin in her community. When her Englisher pen pal Louisa Stratford comes to visit, Annie learns about the outside world and discovers a nonbeliever is interested in her. 2005.

<u>Download from BARD: The Preacher's Daughter: Annie's People, Book 1</u>
Also available on digital cartridge DB062283
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An Amish Love By Kelly Long

Read by Catherine Byers Reading time 12 hours, 29 minutes
Three novellas of Amish romance. In What the Heart Sees Christopher Miller is
shunned by his community after a car accident kills his girlfriend Caroline and
blinds Ellie Chupp--an event Chris took to the Englisch police. Five years later
Chris returns home and reconnects with Ellie, 2010.

<u>Download from BARD: An Amish Love</u> Also available on digital cartridge DB075101

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Sarah's Garden By Kelly Long

Read by Christine Williams Reading time 8 hours, 48 minutes Allegheny Mountains, Pennsylvania. Amish gardener Sarah King is attracted to her new neighbor, "Englisch" veterinarian Grant Williams. But a romance will cause problems with another man, family, and her church. Commercial audiobook. 2010.

<u>Download from BARD: Sarah's Garden</u> Also available on digital cartridge DB076852

Leah's Choice By Marta Perry

Read by Tanya Eby Sirois Reading time 8 hours, 14 minutes Leah, a teacher in the Amish community of Pleasant Valley, is attracted to Daniel, a widower with three children who recently relocated there to farm. But when her former fiance Johnny returns to patch things up, Leah is torn between the two men. Commercial audiobook. 2009.

<u>Download from BARD: Leah's Choice</u> Also available on digital cartridge DB070094

Sommerfeld Trilogy By Kim Vogel Sawyer

Read by Theresa Conkin Reading time 27 hours, 54 minutes In Bygones Marie Quinn returns to Sommerfeld, Kansas, after twenty years, unsure of the reception she will get from her Mennonite family who rejected her. In Beginnings Marie's daughter Beth has two suitors from different backgrounds. In Blessings Trina wants to become a veterinarian despite her faith's opposition. 2007.

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When the Heart Cries By Cindy Woodsmall

Read by Kristin Allison Reading time 9 hours, 9 minutes Hannah Lapp agrees to marry Paul Waddell, a Mennonite college student, even though her Pennsylvania Amish family will disapprove. Following their engagement, Paul leaves for school, and Hannah is raped by a stranger. Hannah attempts to cope while keeping the attack secret from Paul and her community. 2006.

<u>Download from BARD: When the Heart Cries</u> Also available on cassette RC065580

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