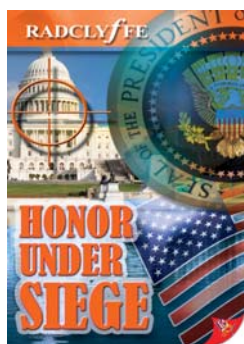


## Book Review: August 2007

by RLYnne (reviewer at JAW)



### **Honor Under Siege**

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In *Honor Under Siege*, Radclyffe has once again given her fans a fast paced thriller, with a heart stopping ending. First daughter Blair Powell and her lover Secret Service Agent Cameron Roberts are in seclusion after the almost fatal attempt on Blair's life. Masterminded by Matheson, a traitor within the nation's security system, the attempt has shaken both Blair and Cam, as well as injured members of their team. The hunt to find the traitor has set everyone, including the President, on edge.

Now, word is out that Cam's former lover, Valerie Lawrence, might hold the link to finding Matheson. Valerie, who works for The Company, has gone into hiding. Cam wants to use Blair's best friend, and Valerie's current lover for bait.

Radclyffe has written a rich, spell binding novel full of intrigue, and the luscious sex scenes for which she's known! She has also written with understanding of how personal lives and loyalties can become tied into knots when national security is involved. The Honor Series has introduced the main characters in this novel, and her fans love and understand them. However Radclyffe has given her readers a wonderful new character in the form of Valerie Lawrence. She's clever, likeable, and a survivor. I hope Radclyffe brings her back again.

Radclyffe is a well known author who delivers an enjoyable read every time!

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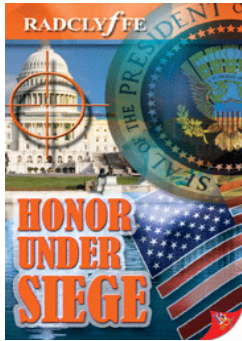
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*Honor Under Siege*, the sixth book in Radclyffe's **Honor series**, is unpredictable and explosive. Just when I started to figure out where the plot was going, Radclyffe threw in another curve, making this the most complex novel in the series and compelling this reviewer to devour the story in one sitting.

Radclyffe's fans beg her for another sequel each time she publishes an Honor book, and she always delivers brilliantly, not an easy feat. *Honor Under Siege* continues to present Cam and Blair's story in the forefront, and we learn so much from their continued character growth that we never tire of them. In this story we also get to know Valerie better and see how conflicted she is with her life, her judgments, and her past.

The series incorporates a very small window of time similar to what JD Robb does in her "Death" books and what the TV show, *24*, does. *Honor Under Siege* occurs in one week's time, making the action feel like real-time events and the character development concentrated. Since the first book, *Above All, Honor*, the series has taken some unexpected turns because it was written before 9/11. Radclyffe has integrated the present state of affairs with sensitivity, aplomb, and maturity that few authors could accomplish. As an added bonus, the reader is always treated to a romance within a Radclyffe tale. She consistently uses lovemaking to soothe the tensions of the day and help each character connect deeply to one another, thus giving the reader several romantic stories that complement the intrigue. The interplay of the subplots demonstrates a very powerful side of love, and the characters become more alive to us.

I like this series more and more with each new novel. The stories are innovative, and it is evident how hard Radclyffe works to bring us an unconventional action-packed romance each time. The telling is well thought out and makes us anxious to know the outcome. I can't wait for the next Honor book.

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