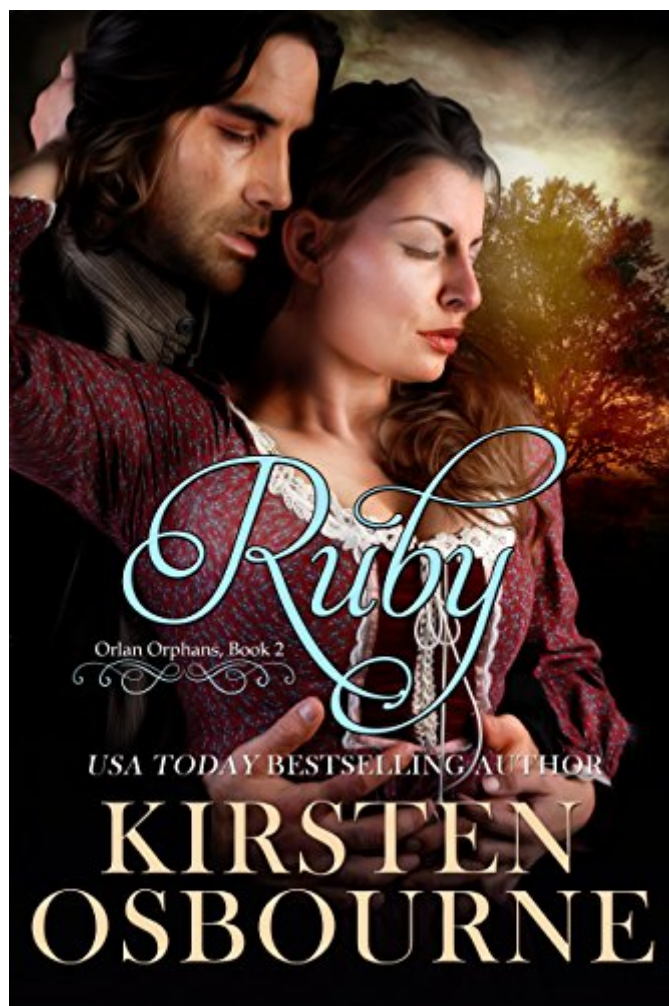


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## Ruby (Orlan Orphans Book 2)



## Synopsis

Eighteen year old Ruby has known for years that she would eventually marry her childhood sweetheart. When she's forced to move to Texas, it throws a kink in her plans, but she still knows that David will send for her, and they'll marry. After a year of living in Texas she receives a letter changing her whole world. Lewis moves to Nowhere, Texas, to start a new life with his sons after his wife leaves him for another man. When he's introduced to Ruby, he feels strongly that she would be the perfect wife and new mother for his boys. The only problem is she's engaged to someone else. When he finds out Ruby is no longer engaged, he takes the opportunity to make his move, asking her to marry him immediately. Will Ruby ever get over her feelings for her former fiancé and fall for Lewis? Or will they spend their lives trapped in a loveless marriage?

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## Customer Reviews

I've been waiting for this book since THE MATRON (Book #1 from the Orlan Orphans)... and Kirsten Osbourne did not disappoint! She so easily tells her stories with so much fervor and leads you along a well written story of hope and love. It cracked me up when Miss Edna Petunia refers to the mother

and quick marriages from the Suitors in Seattle Series. (That is a must read series, in which I first read Kirsten's work. The Orphan Orphans is a spin off from The Suitors in Seattle and it wouldn't surprise me that Kirsten keeps up with one of the eight sister's from that series. In fact, Dr. Harvey is the youngest daughter of that series.) Kirsten Osbourne is an excellent story teller, and she does not disappoint! She has several different series with regency, historical western and contemporary. I can guarantee you will find something to read for whatever era you're interested in or in the mood to read. Keep up your AWESOME work Kirsten, you do not disappoint!

It is a short novella type book and makes for a quick read. Ruby and her sister, Opal, are orphan twins being raised by a couple who love the girls. Ruby works as a seamstress in a store owned by Lewis Darcy. For the rest of the story, you will have to get the book. The book has a bit of adventure and romance.

I choose 5 stars because the characters had me lol; especially Edna Petunia and Cletus. Lewis, his two sons and Ruby made the perfect family. All of the adopted girls have their own story and I am looking forward to reading about how Edna Petunia and Cletus will deal with each of them. I received book 4 through B& N, and read it before reading this one, but each book is a standalone (Petunia and Cletus was funny in Sarah Jane's story). \*\*\*\*vrnb\*\*\*\*

So glad to be reunited with Edna Petunia again. A wonderful short story filled with heart break and love. Kirsten is a gifted story teller. Highly recommend. Happy Reading

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This is book 2 and it is a great story. Ruby is one of 15 girls sent to Nowhere TX from their orphanage in New York she had a beau and didn't want to leave but she had nowhere else to go, when they arrive there is no house for them as promised but Edna Petunia and her husband take the girls in and adopt them. Ruby and her beau write and she works trying to save money for their future, her beau writes that he is marrying someone else and this is when the story takes off the owner of the mercantile wants to marry her and she agrees this book grabbed me from the start and I could not put it down I loved it

This is a wonderful story about childhood love .Ruby grew up in a orphanage and is sure she will

marry David another orphan but suddenly Cassie and the girls are throw out with a bus taking them to Nowhere Texas . One day Ruby gets a letter from David saying he loves another and Ruby is devastated she also knew the whole town knew she was waiting for David to send for her but she don't want everyone to know she has been jilted can Lewis the story owner give her a way out or is she too devastated to hear him out.

What a sweetheart story, can not imagine being an orphan and having life work out at all. With fifteen female orphans I expect more awesome stories.

Great character development, Kirsten Osbourne is a great writer. You feel like these people are your family. Can't wait to read the next one in the series.

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