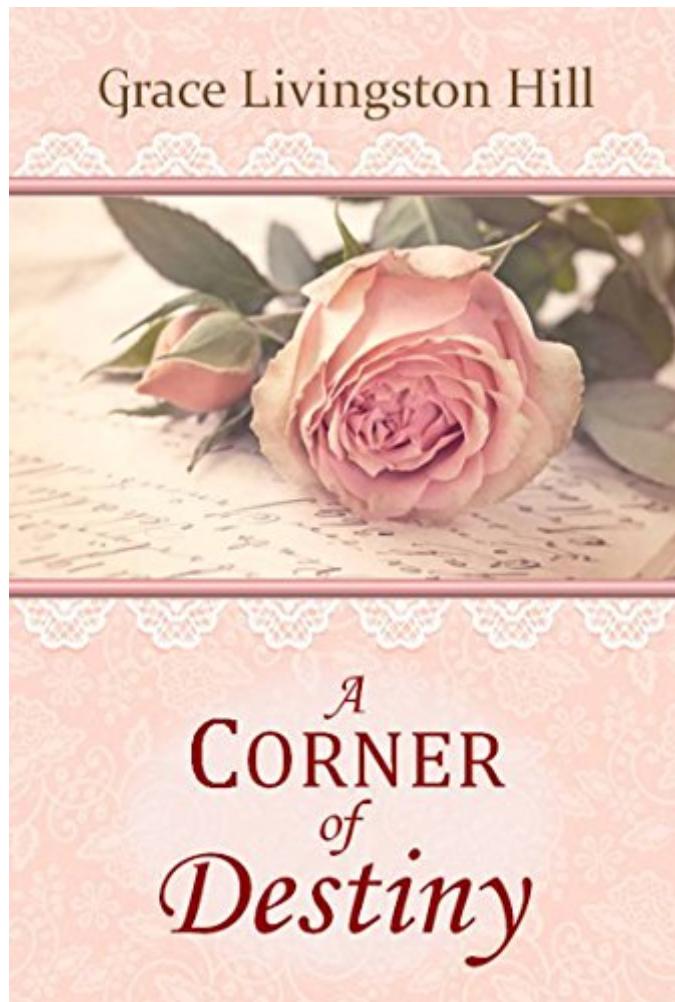


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A Corner Of Destiny



Synopsis

Carefree Pemberton Halsey meets Rosalie Wright when he bumps into her – literally! Feeling responsible for injuries she suffered from the accident, Pemberton tries to make things right for her. But his feelings soon turn to guilt when he realizes his carelessness caused more harm to Rosalie than a few broken bones. With a newly awakened conscience, Pemberton vows to do everything in his power to get Rosalie back on her feet. He'll intercede with her employer, find her a place to live, and help her make friends. But as he gets to know Rosalie and discovers her close walk with God, Pemberton begins to wonder if Rosalie might do him more good than he could ever hope to do for her. This early novel by beloved Christian fiction author Grace Livingston Hill was first published as a serial story in a 1904 Christian magazine.

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Customer Reviews

This is one of my favorite authors. I love how the "gentler" stories and this is one. You want the lead

characters to have a good and Godly life together regardless of the barriers put in their way. A Corner of Destiny is a nice story. I admit to balking a bit to pay \$3 for a short story however I knew Aunt Crete's Emancipation (another by Grace Livingston Hill) was an all-time favorite Keeper so anticipated another of the same ilk. The story-line, a busy young man inadvertently causes a young woman to hurt herself, lose her job, etc. Basically, Rosalie is a wonderful daughter working in the "big city" to help support her widowed mother. Her life is difficult and she is just barely keeping her head above water. Then, calamity -- a broken ankle prevents her from working, and the world starts to cave in upon her. The hero, Pemberton (don't you love that name?) comes to realize she's a wonderful gal. Rosalie is Real. She's not some artificial society gal and he falls for the gal he injured. His mom is against anything that does not reek of money or privilege. Ditto most of the rest of his family. There is however an older aunt (Aunt Faith) who plays a pivotal role in the tale. Anyway, that's the basics. Why Four instead of Five stars? Well, the story is quite emotional for me, and I rather prefer less tears. That's not to say I won't read it again. A Corner of Destiny is a Keeper. However, for this story you'll want to have tissues handy. Oh, and one more thing: The story did not feel "short" though I would have liked to have known the relationship between Rosalie's dad and Pemberton's father -- if there was one that is!

This is another of Grace Livingston Hill's typical Christian-based romance stories, which are all such gems and treasured by me. She's an author whose books can thankfully still be found and read. In this case, the book falls between a short story and a full-length one; I wanted there to be more. It was a completely wonderful story and makes you wish we could return to times when love between a man and a woman was pure and celibate until after marriage. I was so glad to find this "new" story since I already have nearly everything that Mrs. Hill has written. In fact, a couple of my hardback books were printed the late 1890s! This story is very similar to others in that it features a rich young man falling in love with a poor young girl; she in turn leads him to Jesus. You won't be disappointed with this story, and I highly recommend it.

What a wonderful surprise it was to find this book by GLH! I thought that I owned every single book she'd ever written and to discover this one was pleasant to say the least. Anyone who is a fan of this amazing author will be 'over the moon' with joy to read this work. Get cozy, curl up somewhere comfortable and prepare to read it from cover to cover - you won't be disappointed!

I love all of the Grace Livingston Hill books. Oh dear..when I saw this review request I realized I

either misplaced this book or not received it since I don't remember reading it, now I will have to hunt for it or possibly repurchase it since I bought it so long ago, then I'll for sure find it! one of the occasional but luckily rare "risks" of being an avid book lover/reader/bring 'em homer..lol!

Grace Livingston Hill is my favorite Christian author. She has a way of presenting her faith with clarity and truth. I love the era's and old fashion theories indicating the years.

A young woman facing many hardships and a young man needing to know Jesus run into each other with blessed results.

I have never read a Grace Livingston Hill book I didn't like.

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