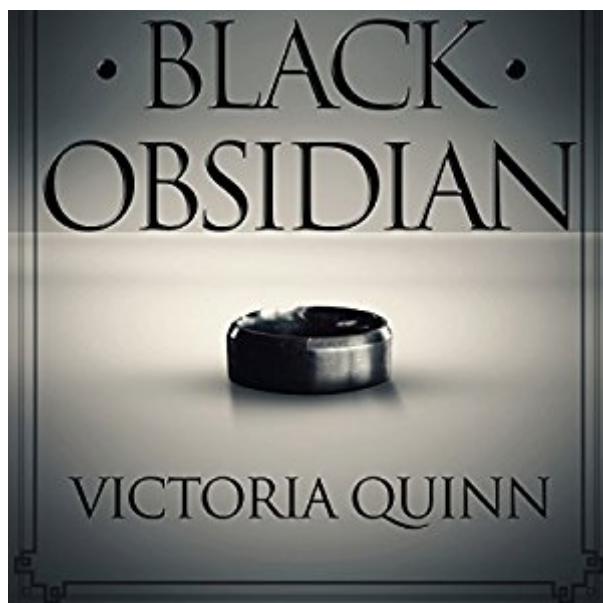


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# Black Obsidian



## Synopsis

I was standing at the bar and waiting for a friend when it happened. When my life changed forever. She strutted inside with her head held high with grace, not pretentiousness. With legs that reached her neck, and an hourglass frame perfect for gripping, she got me hard instantly. And those green eyes got the rest of my body hard too. Mistaking me for the man who cheated on her friend, she walked up to me, those green eyes burning with fire, and she slapped me so hard my skin bubbled. And damn, it felt good. She slapped me two more times, using her petite size to gain momentum as her palm crushed into my skin. I never wanted it to end. I'd never met a woman who made pain feel so good. I'd never met a woman as strong as myself. I'd never met a woman I wanted to dominate more. I'd never met a woman like her. Rome Moretti. My next submissive.

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## Customer Reviews

I was hooked from the very first words of Victoria Quinn's story, Black Obsidian. In this book, we're introduced to Rome and Calloway - two very well written, complex, deep and well thought out characters. Rome is a strong, beautiful woman that doesn't let anyone walk all over her. She a woman loves deeply, with her whole heart, and is very loyal to those who deserve it. When she mistakes Calloway for a man she thought hurt her best friend..Sparks fly. Meanwhile, Calloway was drawn in to the beautiful Rome the moment he sees her enter the bar. Drawn in like a moth to a flame, her strength became his obsession. Never before had he needed a woman the way he needed her. And his life would never be the same. I will admit, there was a sense of familiarity to this

book. The Dom/Sub story we've all come to compare to another story written by another author. However, I found myself expecting certain things to happen...that just didn't happen. Their story was different, and I found myself hard pressed to putting their story down. I loved the dual perspectives. How confident Cal is with his end goal. And you can tell just how into Cal Rome is despite her past.. You, as a reader.. can see they're perfect for each other. They each make sacrifices for each other without even realizing it. I found myself caring for each character, seeing their development with each other. Seeing how much they've fallen for each other. This is the type of love story that I LOVE.

I have been seeing this book for awhile now and wanting to read it, but passing it by because the sequels were each months in between and I would have to wait to read them. I couldn't stand it anymore and decided to dive in. The cover alone had me intrigued, I loved it. The book does not disappoint. I was glued to it and finished it in 24 hours. Although Calloway had me cringing at times with on the border of abusive controlling actions, he still stopped short of crossing the line. Rome's like of slapping him was a little uncomfortable as well. But when reading a book about BDSM lifestyle, you have to expect a little of this. My only complaint, and thus the four star rating, was that it felt like the book followed an outline of Fifty Shades. A man with an abusive adult during his younger years embraces the BDSM lifestyle, wants to make her his submissive but ends up only doing "vanilla" sex and being confused as to why he is settling for this with her. He is controlling and wanting to protect her, etc. People in the lifestyle with him telling him he can't live without that in his life, etc. Him having night mares and being broken and her standing up to him not letting him treat her that way. As I said, it was like an outline of Fifty Shades but changed enough to make it interesting. I would still recommend this book to anyone who loved the Fifty Shades series because you will enjoy this book. I hate to compare every BDSM book to the previously mentioned, but I want to be honest in my review. It didn't take away from me being glued to the story and I will definitely be waiting for the release of the second book!

So after reading the summary of this book and trilogy, I bought all three books right off the bat. Now I'm irritated that I did. First book started off okay, but about half way through it. Just started being a repeat of the same scenes over and over again. There is a lot of similarities to FSOG that the author tries to rework, and it just doesn't come off right. Didn't care for Calloway at all, I mean I get the whole troubled and broken guy with issues, but it was just boring after awhile, and if he used the endearment Sweetheart one more time I was going to throw up! Jackson was an ass, and Isabella

just needed to get a freaking life. Skipped through a few parts because it was the same thing over and over again, and quite frankly it just lacked any kind of interest or emotion at all. I thought that the second book would be better, but found myself jumping farther ahead than I did with the first book. I finally just gave up. Now I need to figure out who to give these three books too, I have no intention of reading the final book. Sadly, I wouldn't recommend this book to anyone...

The dual voices of Rome and Calloway give us an inside look at two broken people finding each other and trying to make sense of their instant attraction and obsession. This is the once-in-a-lifetime love you hope the characters recognize before it's too late. I highly recommend this book, but be aware that Calloway has some rough edges and possessive tendencies. If you don't like your book boyfriends to have that edginess in them, this book won't be for you. If you do, you'll love the book as much as I do and be anxiously awaiting the release of the next one.

I love Calloway and Rome. They are good together but I fear they'll be pulled apart by differences. I can't wait for the next book.

No spoilers! The main characters in this book are so likable. Calloway is strong and sexy and Rome is his equal in every way. The author does a great job pacing the book and revealing bits of they're past in such a natural way. The more you read the more you want to read. Calloway and Rome are on fire. He demands and she stands up to him. This is the best Dom/sub book I have read in a while and that's because there is so much more to their story and because of the writing. Don't miss out. You won't regret the buy!

I really enjoyed the story line, however I would have loved to get more of Rome's internal thoughts. Some of the conflicts were simply resolved to quickly with out a lot of work being done. The end of the book just happened with out a HEA, or a real cliff hanger. I want to know what happens next but not sure if it's worth the money to keep buying the series at around \$7 a book.

I've read a multitude of passable romance novels in a similar vein, but this one stands out. Both main characters are believable and highly principled and strong. There is no sappy dialog. There are virtually no grammatical errors. The dual POV is well-done. I've purchased the next three novels and they are equally good.

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