



The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1)

By Julia Quinn

Download now

Read Online ➔

The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) By Julia Quinn

Simon Basset, the irresistible Duke of Hastings, has hatched a plan to keep himself free from the town's marriage-minded society mothers. He pretends to be engaged to the lovely Daphne Bridgerton. After all, it isn't as if the brooding rogue has any real plans to marry - though there is something about the alluring Miss Bridgerton that sets Simon's heart beating a bit faster. And as for Daphne, surely the clever debutante will attract some very worthy suitors now that it seems a duke has declared her desirable. But as Daphne waltzes across ballroom after ballroom with Simon, she soon forgets that their courtship is a complete sham. And now she has to do the impossible and keep herself from losing her heart and soul completely to the handsome hell-raiser who has sworn off marriage forever!

📄 [Download The Duke and I \(Bridgerton Series, Book 1\) ...pdf](#)

📖 [Read Online The Duke and I \(Bridgerton Series, Book 1\) ...pdf](#)

The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1)

By Julia Quinn

The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) By Julia Quinn

Simon Basset, the irresistible Duke of Hastings, has hatched a plan to keep himself free from the town's marriage-minded society mothers. He pretends to be engaged to the lovely Daphne Bridgerton. After all, it isn't as if the brooding rogue has any real plans to marry - though there is something about the alluring Miss Bridgerton that sets Simon's heart beating a bit faster. And as for Daphne, surely the clever debutante will attract some very worthy suitors now that it seems a duke has declared her desirable. But as Daphne waltzes across ballroom after ballroom with Simon, she soon forgets that their courtship is a complete sham. And now she has to do the impossible and keep herself from losing her heart and soul completely to the handsome hell-raiser who has sworn off marriage forever!

The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) By Julia Quinn Bibliography

- Sales Rank: #382546 in Books
- Brand: Avon
- Published on: 2006-06-27
- Released on: 2006-06-27
- Original language: English
- Number of items: 1
- Dimensions: 6.93" h x 1.04" w x 4.19" l, .41 pounds
- Binding: Mass Market Paperback
- 384 pages

 [Download The Duke and I \(Bridgerton Series, Book 1\) ...pdf](#)

 [Read Online The Duke and I \(Bridgerton Series, Book 1\) ...pdf](#)

Editorial Review

Amazon.com Review

Setting: Regency England

Sensuality Rating: 7

Relentlessly pursued by match-making mamas and their charges, Simon Bassett, the handsome Duke of Hastings, has grown tired of the societal chase. Tired too is the lovely Daphne Bridgerton, whose matrimonially minded mother is set on finding her daughter the perfect husband. Neither Simon nor Daphne is happy with this annoying state of affairs and both would give anything for a little peace and quiet. Their mutual wish for a respite from the ton's marriage mart leads to a pretend engagement--a scheme that is threatened with exposure by Daphne's suspicious older brother, who happens to know Simon's way with women very well. The two never anticipated that a mutual attraction would lead to the very thing they set out to avoid--a wedding. But Simon fears that his painful past may keep him from being able to truly love anyone. And though Daphne cares for him deeply, she won't settle for anything less than his heart.

The Duke and I is rich with author Julia Quinn's trademark humor and engaging dialogue. Beneath the Regency charm of this novel, however, dwells an insightful exploration of the impact of childhood trauma and the healing power of love. Quinn just keeps getting better and better, a fact that's sure to delight readers. --Lois Faye Dyer

Review

"The Duke and I has everything a romance reader could want: gentle humor, superb writing, a good woman, and a slightly misguided man... The Duke and I is one memorable read."--"Oakland Press"Quinn will give you pleasant dreams." ---"Romantic Times"Ms. Quinn writes delightfully fast-paced, funny, sparkling, and bright romance." --"Romantic Times

About the Author

Julia Quinn is the *New York Times* bestselling author of twenty-five novels for Avon Books, and one of only sixteen authors ever to be inducted in the Romance Writers of America Hall of Fame. She lives in the Pacific Northwest with her family.

Users Review

From reader reviews:

David Guyton:

The ability that you get from *The Duke and I* (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) is the more deep you digging the information that hide inside words the more you get serious about reading it. It does not mean that this book is hard to know but *The Duke and I* (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) giving you excitement feeling of reading. The article writer conveys their point in certain way that can be understood by anyone who read it because the author of this publication is well-known enough. This specific book also makes your vocabulary increase well. Therefore it is easy to understand then can go to you, both in printed or e-book style are available. We advise you for having this *The Duke and I* (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) instantly.

Eric Beasley:

Playing with family within a park, coming to see the marine world or hanging out with buddies is thing that usually you will have done when you have spare time, after that why you don't try thing that really opposite from that. Just one activity that make you not experience tired but still relaxing, trilling like on roller coaster you are ride on and with addition info. Even you love The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1), you are able to enjoy both. It is fine combination right, you still would like to miss it? What kind of hangout type is it? Oh seriously its mind hangout fellas. What? Still don't buy it, oh come on its referred to as reading friends.

Barbra Poole:

Don't be worry when you are afraid that this book will probably filled the space in your house, you could have it in e-book means, more simple and reachable. That The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) can give you a lot of good friends because by you taking a look at this one book you have matter that they don't and make an individual more like an interesting person. That book can be one of one step for you to get success. This reserve offer you information that perhaps your friend doesn't recognize, by knowing more than different make you to be great people. So , why hesitate? We should have The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1).

Angie Blakney:

That e-book can make you to feel relax. This kind of book The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) was colourful and of course has pictures on there. As we know that book The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) has many kinds or style. Start from kids until young adults. For example Naruto or Detective Conan you can read and feel that you are the character on there. Therefore , not at all of book are generally make you bored, any it offers up you feel happy, fun and relax. Try to choose the best book for yourself and try to like reading this.

Download and Read Online The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) By Julia Quinn #8C37QJBSFHG

Read The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) By Julia Quinn for online ebook

The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) By Julia Quinn Free PDF d0wnl0ad, audio books, books to read, good books to read, cheap books, good books, online books, books online, book reviews epub, read books online, books to read online, online library, greatbooks to read, PDF best books to read, top books to read The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) By Julia Quinn books to read online.

Online The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) By Julia Quinn ebook PDF download

The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) By Julia Quinn Doc

The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) By Julia Quinn Mobipocket

The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) By Julia Quinn EPub

8C37QJBSFHG: The Duke and I (Bridgerton Series, Book 1) By Julia Quinn