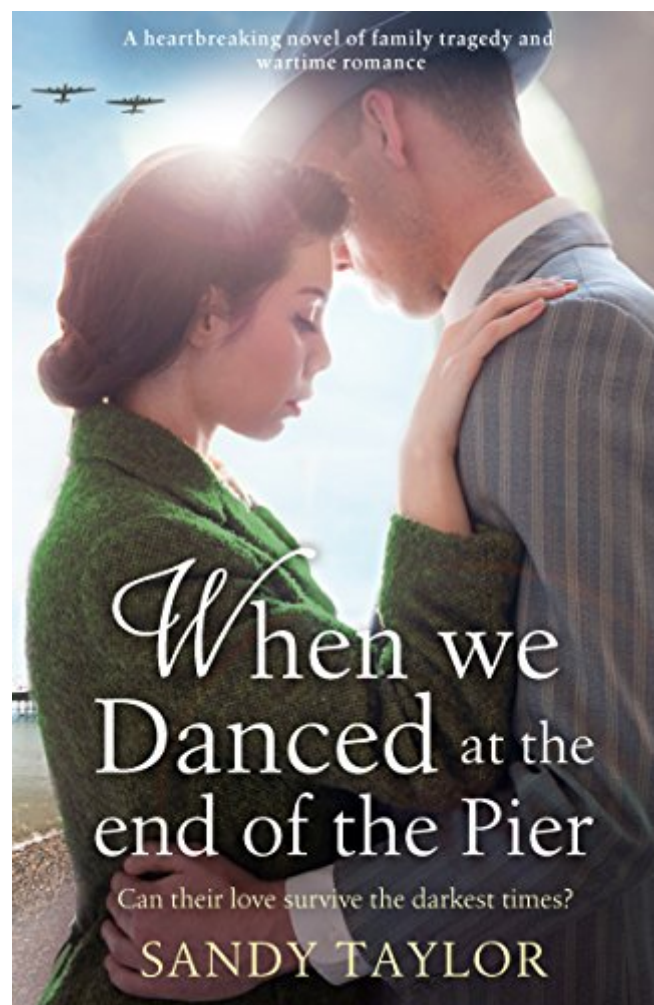


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# When We Danced At The End Of The Pier: A Heartbreaking Novel Of Family Tragedy And Wartime Romance (Brighton Girls Trilogy Book 1)





## Synopsis

Brighton 1930: Maureen O'Connell is a carefree girl, but her family is on the brink of tragedy, war is looming and life will never be the same again. Jack and Nelson have always been dear friends to Maureen. Despite their different backgrounds, they've seen each other through thick and thin. As Maureen blossoms from a little girl into a young woman, the candle she's always held for Jack burns bright. But just as she's found love, war wrenches them apart. The man she cherishes with all her heart is leaving. When the bombs start to fall, Maureen and her family find themselves living in the most dangerous of times. With Jack no longer by her side and Nelson at war, Maureen has never felt more alone. Can she look to a brighter future? And will she find the true happiness she's dreamt of? An utterly gripping and heart-wrenching story about the enduring power of love, hope and friendship during the darkest of days. Perfect for fans of Nadine Dorries, Diney Costeloe, Kitty Neale and Ellie Dean.

What readers are saying about *When We Danced at the End of the Pier*:  
^A beautiful and emotional read. I don't think I can remember the last time a book moved me to tears so many times whilst reading it. I shed tears of happiness as well as sadness. This is one author who creates characters that will totally capture the readers hearts and I know that them and their story will remain with me for a very long time to come.  
^By the Letter Book Reviews  
^What an amazing, sensitively written, emotional, poignant and absolutely wonderful story! The author's writing is exquisite and we are drawn into Maureen's world, feeling for all the characters every step of the way.  
^Renita D'Silva  
^Oh my word I honestly can't remember the last time a book made me feel so emotional. Well this book made me laugh one minute and bawl my eyes out the next. It was absolutely brilliant. Right from the first page I was glued to it and just didn't want to put it down. Sandy Taylor is one amazing writer and the way she writes and describes the character really pulls you into the story. I can't recommend this book highly enough. It is simply amazing.  
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^The story was deeply emotional and moving  
^All the characters are endearing and touching. The dramatic scenes are heart-wrenching  
^The author really managed to write a beautiful tale about family, true love and friendship. If you are a bit of a softie, expect a few tears rolling down your cheeks!  
^La Biblio De Caro

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One of those books which make you laugh, cry, dream and wish for better things. A beautiful story, albeit somewhat sad in parts, but that shouldn't stop anyone from reading it. I will look for more from this author. Highly recommended.

I read this entire series in just a few short days. In fact, hated to have to put them down to take care of family needs. Keep the Kleenex box handy! This is a series I will read again even knowing how it turns out at the end. I really do wish there were more books in this series.

This was really a page turner that kept my interest all through the book! Searching her mind to find a solution for a huge problem was very intriguing. Very well written!

I really love this book!! I love this family & felt their heartbreak, excitement, depth of commitment to each other! The author really brought the scenery to life, and she made me feel like I was right there, along for the journey. I can't wait to read the 2 sequels.

Wonderful story! Maureen made me laugh as I could relate to her relationship with her sister. Wonderful love triangle.

What a delightful glance into yesteryear and how sweet it is when one realizes how the "heart"

moves over and how blessings happen when you're really not looking.

I am sure I will enjoy this book, though I only got it yesterday. So I haven't had a chance to get into it, as I have started reading the Fatherland book.

This book was so good from beginning to end, I cried, laugh and remembered with them, and the characters each were so well written, can't wait to read more about them!!!

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