

# THE TENACIOUS ACT

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MARION DE RÉ



# ABOUT MARION

Marion De Ré is a closed-door romantic comedy author. She lives in the French countryside with her husband and adorable cat. You can expect all your beloved tropes in her writing as well as a good dose of humor and all the feels. When she's not reading or writing, you can find her on a plane to a far-away destination or in a Champagne cellar, indulging in a tasting of her favorite drink. Her favorite trope to write is Fake Relationship, although she has a sweet spot for Sports Romance.



*Marion De Ré*  
SASS ♥ SWOON ♥ SIZZLE

# A NOTE FROM MARION

Hi there!

Thank you so much for choosing my book for this month's book club! I'm so honored to be a part of it.

I hope you'll enjoy this swoony hockey romance.

Bookstagram (the bookish part of Instagram) was a huge inspiration for me when I decided to write this story. I wanted to shed a light on the positive aspects of social media and the wonderful friendships this community build.

You'll find a lot of bookish references in this book and this might be my favorite Body Positivity theme that I wrote. I also particularly love Maxime, the goofy male character.

Tropes, names, settings and character traits were voted on by my Bookstagram friends! Also, the author names mentioned in this series are a mix of their names.

This is my love letter to the community.

If you're not on Bookstagram, I hope it'll make you want to join. If you are, I hope you'll love all the references about our little corner of the internet!

Love,

*Marion De Ré*



# QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION

1. Do you feel you could relate to Hayley? Was she easy to root for?
2. The body positivity theme is strong in this book. Do you like books where the heroine has an unconventional body type, or does it make no difference to you?
3. This book is told in dual POV. Do you usually prefer single or dual POV books? How did the dual POV affected the story?
4. Do you enjoy pets as side characters in books? Did you think Mr. Darcy was a good addition to the story?
5. Were there any moments that made you tear up or snort-laugh your coffee?
6. How did you feel about Hayley and Maxime's chemistry and compatibility? Did the slow burn kept you on your toes?
7. Maxime is French. Did you like the fact that he was from a different country? Did it add anything to the story?
8. Do you have a favorite moment or scene? Or maybe a favorite quote from the book?
9. Did you read the book in one sitting or was it more a slow burn?
10. This book has the Sports Romance trope. Is it a trope you like? Did you think there was a good balance between the sports and the romance?
11. There is no third act breakup in this book. Did that bother you or did it make sense?
12. The friendship between the three girls is a big part of the story. Do you feel it was well-balanced with the romance?  
Did it make you want to read the other two stories?
13. Would you want to read another book by this author?
14. There's a list of reader expectations at the beginning of the book. Did you read it or skip it? Do you think it's important for authors to add expectations at the front of their books?
15. Give three adjectives to this book.

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