Laskin's Bluff By Tessa Harte But then she never expected her little brother Daniel to gamble with borrowed money! Now it's up to Lisel to set things right even though it means tangling with a man she has every reason to despise:

I read this book primarily because this author's fanfiction writing is awesome, I realize this is a romance novel and by being in that category I should not expect much: I found this book cliche boring paced too quickly and somewhat insulting to women. The main character is meant to be a strong female but it doesn't show as she is forced to marry a man primarily to save her brother: The man who is the stereotypical manly man comes across as creepy a rapist and slightly psychopathic, I'm hoping this author puts out another book actually showcasing her talent instead of this fluff piece, Lisel Garrick never expected to be stranded in Dawson Colorado at the mercy of a saloon-owning gambler named Brent Laskin, Scarred and without a woman for more years than he cares to count Brent Laskin insists on marriage as the only way Lisel can pay off the debt her brother owes: Lisel tells him no but he refuses to take no for an answer, One thing is certain: Lisel is more than a match for Brent. She comes across as pouty and rude. Tessa Harte His scars were visible. Hers weren't. The trouble is he might just have to. She is a woman with a past . . and with a mind of her own. Laskin's Bluff

