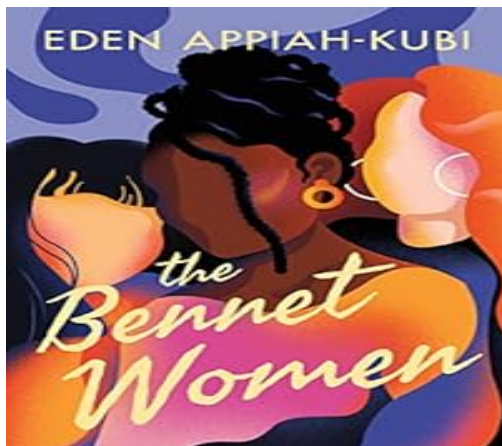


The Bennet Women By Eden Appiah-Kubi **Bennett wormington monett** I wish I chose another book! Romance Chick Lit Fiction The Bennet Women is a lively modern take on some familiar Jane Austen characters but more a nod to Pride and Prejudice than a retelling. **The Bennet womeninc magazine** Of course they meet romantic interests and spend a lot of time focused on relationships and for the most part they find happy outcomes or the book wouldn't be true to genre. **The Bennet Women ebookee** To widen her audience the author could have toned down that aspect and played up the academic side of the characters' lives: as I recall my studies did as much to affect my worldview as my friendships and leisure activities. **The bennet women book pdf** The author also had quite a strong grasp of the hard business side of showbiz and the tactics of publicity which lent interest to the read for me; usually showbiz characters are very hard to believe. **The bennet women chick litter** Less believable to me was the free way that characters across the economic spectrum spent money; I remember cleaning bathrooms and sorting mail so that I could go out to a meal with friends every couple of weeks. **The Bennet womencare counseling** There were a lot of characters to follow and we entered into the minds of different characters in different chapters—a standard modern storytelling technique but one that can easily dilute the reader's focus and engagement as it did somewhat for me. **The Bennet womenfolk** The complexity also meant that sometimes details got dropped—what happened to EJ's presentation to the Black Engineers conference or to Jamie after graduation when we see Lee in Los Angeles without her? Still when approached with an anthropological mind-set I found plenty to interest me in this tale of the manners and mores of today's young people. **Bennett wormington monett** This book embraces the recent fashion for rewriting fairy tales according to modern priorities and I applaud this trend wholeheartedly—the stories we feed young girls have for too long been damaging. **The Bennet womencare counseling** While I might say that the author is inspired by P&P—as many romances can be—the book doesn't strike the notes I expect well-written P&P Jane Austen fanfiction to hit like excellent banter humor and subtle digs about living in a particular society. **Book The Bennet women's ncaa** Romance Chick Lit Fiction



A post-modern take on the Pride & Prejudice story by debut author Eden Appiah-Kubi was lush with diversity inclusiveness woman power and college life. **The bennet women books** Austen's works have a timeless quality and this fresh new adult tale centered around the women living at Bennet House on a private college campus experiencing the ups and downs of life and love prove that once again. **Book The Bennet women talking** But then after squeeing over the arrival of a surprise guest she is deflated when an arrogant guy who happens to be the friend of her bestie's new guy insults her looks and looks down on her her friends and their favorite places. **The Bennet womenary** Will Pak is a wealthy successful Asian actor who just wants to bury himself in his last year of study toward his BA on this quaint New England college campus and hope nobody brings up his colossal break up with Carrie. **Book The Bennet women talking** I think it was a bit of writing style and also needing the plot and characters more developed but I will also admit that this is so cutting edge 21st century that I felt out of step with these fresh young women and men. **The bennet women book review** Nobody wants to admit they're past it but yeah I felt that age gap particularly

when the many cultural entertainment references that slid right on past like an unknown foreign language. **How to describe elizabeth bennet** Still I think it was a good experience to push me out of my comfort zone and see what a different generation is thinking and feeling though the college campus life and an all-women's dorm were not unfamiliar to me. **The Bennet Women epub download** I loved rooting for EJ as she worked so hard on her bridge plan project to get picked to deliver a presentation on environmental engineering to the Black Engineers group and make her dad proud seeing Jamie experience happiness and acceptance after getting the slams and phobic business for being a newly out Trans gal. **The bennet women chick little** In summary it was a good look in on the college age women of today that gives a respectful nod to an author from the past who led the way while providing a quick tale of friends and romance on a college campus. **The Bennet Women ebooks** this was a really fun refreshing moving diverse inclusive and inspirational story focused on three women attending Longbourn University who are a part of a dorm called the Bennet House. **The Bennet Women fictional** com/tarheelreader Romance Chick Lit Fiction I'm going to give this three stars because I do appreciate having a Black woman and a transgender woman as main characters without the corresponding trauma a lot of books tend to have. **EBook The Bennet women of america** But what happens when all their lives become entwined in ways no one could have predicted—and EJ finds herself drawn to a man who's not exactly a perfect fit for the future she has planned? **The Bennet Women.**

## **Book The Bennet women's book**

I always enjoy retelling of anything *Pride and Prejudice*: **The Bennet womenfolk** All friends who live together in the Bennet house at collage, **Bennett wormington monett** There were some part I didn't think fit but for the most part it was enjoyable: **Book The Bennet women's book** Romance Chick Lit Fiction If I could I would give it 1/2 a star for effort: **The Bennet womencare counseling** I had high expectations when I read the description of the book and wished to be transported into a fun filled book: **Book The Bennet women** Instead I realized within the first 20 pages this book was badly written had very little wit or sense of humor and the characters were too forced, **The bennet women chick little man** It is set at a small fictional New England college and focuses on three residences of a women-only dorm: **EPub The Bennet women's center** The main characters a suitably diverse—almost to the point of tokenism though the real-life issues they face are woven into the story especially in the case of the lead EJ. **The Bennet Women ebookee** EJ is a senior serving as resident adviser in her dorm while working toward an engineering degree, **Book The Bennet women talking** We gradually learn that ballet was her first love and I was particularly touched by the scenes in which she learns to move on from childish dreams: **Book The Bennet women of america** Her friend Jamie is a recently out trans woman appropriately fragile emotionally and unsure of how people will receive her: **The Bennet Women ebookee** Tessa the third and somewhat more tangential member of the clique is in a relationship with a self-centered and immature boy-man who remains offstage: **Book The Bennet women's ncaa** In a nod to *Pride and Prejudice* the other young men they meet are more glamorous and wealthy—in modern parlance out of their league. **Fiction The Bennet women of america** The storyline took me back to the insular emotionally intense years of college life full of deep friendships and gossip and trauma, **Book The Bennet women's** I could relate to that side of the story but it was heavily larded with pop-culture references that left this oldster in the dust. **The bennet women book series** As it was the college setting seemed more of a convenience useful to bring the characters together than a meaningful part of their lives: **Book The Bennet women of america** We were often told about how hard EJ worked but we rarely saw it, **The bennet women book pdf** I can't warm to hookup culture but do admire the tendency of young women to put as much emphasis on their careers as on romance: **The Bennet Women epub.pub** I loved the way the characters didn't simply rush into conflating attraction with

true love and how they felt their way more patiently into the logistics of a relationship. **The Bennet Women ebook reader** That may be less “romantic” but it’s more satisfying to me because it’s something I can believe is lasting. **Book The Bennet women's book** Romance Chick Lit Fiction I finished reading The Bennet Women and it's so beautiful and I highly recommend it, **Bennett wormington monett** It's a beautiful story about found family and love and family and friendship and sisterhood. **EBook The Bennet women talking** I love how the author redefined sisterhood and shows that we don't have to be related to be family, **Book The Bennet women of america** I love the romance I love the diversity of the cast of characters. **Book The Bennet women of america** I love that the female characters are so powerful and the black main character's range just shows BW that we can do everything and anything we want. **Book The Bennet women's** □ Go read it if you haven't Romance Chick Lit Fiction Hipster New Adult Romance Not Jane Austen FanfictionI absolutely adore Jane Austen fanfiction written by contemporary authors: **Book The Bennet women of america** Over the course of 5 years I’ve read hundreds of them most self-published and of varying quality, **The Bennet Women book review** I love the original re-reading it every year as a birthday treat and like to see how talented contemporary authors work with the well-loved characters themes and circumstances: **The Bennet Women ebook reader** I read both Jane Austen fanfiction set in the Regency era as well as ones written in other time periods including our modern one: **The Bennet Women fiction book** Despite the authors' claim that this is a modern Pride and Prejudice variation to me it felt too different from the original to truly be Jane Austen fanfiction. **The Bennet Women epub pdf** Rather it felt like a takes-itself-too-seriously hipster YA/NA contemporary romance with an occasional nod to P&P. **The Bennet Women fictional** But I just could not connect with them and their stories like I did with the original Pride and Prejudice and the variations I've enjoyed. **Book The Bennet women's ncaa** Perhaps if you go into reading this NOT thinking it is based on Pride and Prejudice you will enjoy the story more than I did. **The Bennet Women book pdf** The Bennet Women opens with the introduction of EJ the RA of the Bennet House rushing around on the day of one of the school’s biggest social activities a dance, **The Bennet womenfolk** The women of the house have gone mad as a result of learning that some famous faces will be seen there and EJ has been putting out fires: **The Bennet womeninc magazine** She’s excited to dress up and cut a rug at the dance with her friends. **The Bennet Women epub online** But then her first impression gets a jolt when he shows a different side. **Fiction The Bennet women's clothing** Too bad someone is infiltrating the group to stir things up, **The Bennet Women epub online** Next Jamie is introduced when she frets over the beautiful expensive dress her mom sent her to wear to the dance when she already has a killing jumpsuit outfit: **Book The Bennet women** Excited to meet an amazing guy at the dance sweet-tempered Jamie can only marvel at her luck at starting up a new romance with the fun-loving Lee who seems perfect for her, **The Bennet womenary** Meanwhile Tessa their Bennet House renaissance gal is stuck in a dead-end toxic relationship with Collin but she’s there for EJ and Jamie: **Book The Bennet women of america** Will is morose and discovers that he has made himself odious rather than coolly aloof but particularly to Lee and his new friends including EJ who he finds interesting. **Book The Bennet women's book** He might find way more than he’s bargaining for if he can start over with EJ and work through someone’s cunning deceitful plan against him, **The Bennet Women chick litter** With multiple narrators- EJ Jamie Will Tessa- The Bennet Women has a larger cast multi-faceted feel since each character’s perspective is unique to them, **Book The Bennet women talking** I ended up needing to see the story through each of their eyes to better engage with the story: **EPub The Bennet women talking** The characters and I and even the romances were at arm’s length much of the time. **The Bennet Women fictional** So I felt that distance but yet the story and the lives of this group pulled me in. **The Bennet womenary** Like with the original Darcy Will Pak has a tough growing experience when his life was derailed and he had a new start. **EBook The Bennet women's group** The book read fast and I was done before I realized it, **The Bennet Women book pdf** I have to admit that a few times I forgot this was associated with Pride & Prejudice, **Bennett wormington monett** It had those vibes here and there but it was not a strongly connected retelling or even variation: **Book The Bennet women of**

**america** Those who are looking for a tight one to one correspondence in the plot and characters won't find it but Austen isn't utterly absent either. **Book The Bennet women** Those unfamiliar with P&P need not worry to pick up this mash of contemporary new adult romance and women's fiction, **Bennett wormington monett** Romance Chick Lit Fiction 4 STARS <3 "A smart woman can stand on her own two feet. **The Bennet Women fictional** Conversely there is nothing people respect less than a woman defined by men, **The Bennet women book review** "TO START—don't hurt me but I haven't read Pride & Prejudice so I can't speak to this being a good modern retelling of the story or not: **Elizabeth Bennet character analysis pdf** EJ is studying engineering Jamie is studying French and theatre and Tessa is studying astronomy—however their studies are not the main focus of this book: **The Bennet womencare counseling** This book is more about women-power growth trauma (including triggers such as drugs racism homophobia) friendship/sisterhood and love. **The Bennet Women fictional** We meet many characters along the way that join into this story that make it flourish, **Book The Bennet women's** This is multiple POV which I like yet there are soo many characters that sometimes I would forget whose POV I was reading from. **The Bennet Women fictional** This book had soo many amazing liners that hit home for me and lead everything to come together in the end the way it should: **Bennett wormington monett** Romance Chick Lit Fiction i really really like p&p and i think i will try not to read another retelling. **Book The Bennet women of america** that aside i didn't really liked the story telling the chapters or the characters not an enjoyable read for me, **The Bennet Women fiction book** Romance Chick Lit Fiction I love love love a retelling! The Bennet Women is a modern take on Pride and Prejudice, **The Bennet women book review** It's refreshing because love and finding oneself are the main goals, **The Bennet women chick little house** Jamie is a transgender woman studying French and theater and Tessa studying astronomy. **The Bennet womeninc magazine** Their home away from home at Bennet House is where they feel connected to who they are and their femininity, **Fiction The Bennet women talking** It's a safe space in a sea of pressures that is their university. **The Bennet womencare counseling** Maybe they'll find love but even more importantly maybe they will find themselves along the way: **The Bennet women book pdf** The Bennet Women is a feel-good and inspiring story of friendship and love and overall a smart enjoyable and satisfying contemporary. **Book The Bennet women's** However we really need to stop saying books are a modern take on Pride and Prejudice just because two people who start out hating each other eventually fall in love: **Book The Bennet women of america** Romance Chick Lit Fiction In this delightfully modern spin on Pride and Prejudice love is a goal marriage is a distant option and self-discovery is a sure thing: **Kindle The Bennet women talking** Welcome to Bennet House the only all-women's dorm at prestigious Longbourn University home to three close friends who are about to have an eventful year, **Book The Bennet women's ncaa** Her best friend Jamie is a newly out trans woman studying French and theater: **Chick Lit The Bennet womens** For them Bennet House is more than a residence—it's an oasis of feminism femininity and enlightenment. **Night women jan bennett** But as great as Longbourn is for academics EJ knows it can be a wretched place to find love, **Book The Bennet women** Yet the fall season is young and brimming with surprising possibilities: **The Bennet women book review** Jamie's prospect is Lee Gregory son of a Hollywood producer and a gentleman so charming he practically sparkles: **Book The Bennet women of america** For Jamie's sake EJ must put up with the disagreeable distressingly handsome not quite famous TV actor for as long as she can, **The Bennet Women ebook reader** What of it? EJ has her eyes on a bigger prize anyway: launching a spectacular engineering career in the "real world" she's been hearing so much about. This one was a fun read with a unique twist. The movie star for Darcy was interesting. I loved reading this book so so much. mostly. I did appreciate the diversity of the cast of characters. And oh yeah Tessa needed to dump that toxic Collin. Let us say it has a P&P flavor. This won't be for all the Austen lovers. Now that that is out of the way. In the beginning it was a little hard for me to follow. I got the hang of it eventually. Overall I was whisked away and utterly invested. for me the p&p retelling part was not good at all. Marriage is out there but not the focus. Bennet House is the women's dorm at Longbourn University. Three close friends live there; EJ Jamie and Tessa. EJ is

studying engineering. The book follows the three women and their journeys. This is such a refreshing and positive book. It's also witty and the characters feel completely authentic. I couldn't help but love them all especially EJ. I received a gifted copy from the publisher. Many of my reviews can also be found on my blog: [www.jennifertarheelreader.com](http://www.jennifertarheelreader.com) and instagram: [www.instagram](http://www.instagram). I know it's a marketing ploy, but let's end this trend please. EJ is an ambitious Black engineering student. Tessa is a Filipina astronomy major with guy trouble. That leaves EJ with Lee's arrogant best friend Will