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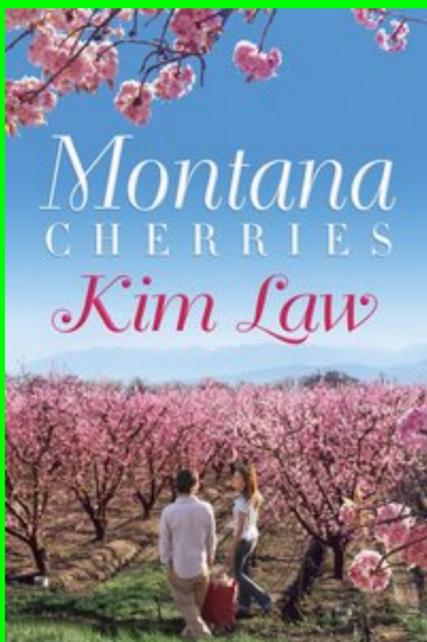
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Have you met the love of your dreams? At a special event? Do you like to attend events in your town? Do you go to other towns to do so? I have gone to many: grilled cheese events, Renaissance festivals, concerts. I love being a tourist. My mind relaxes and I have a marvelous time!

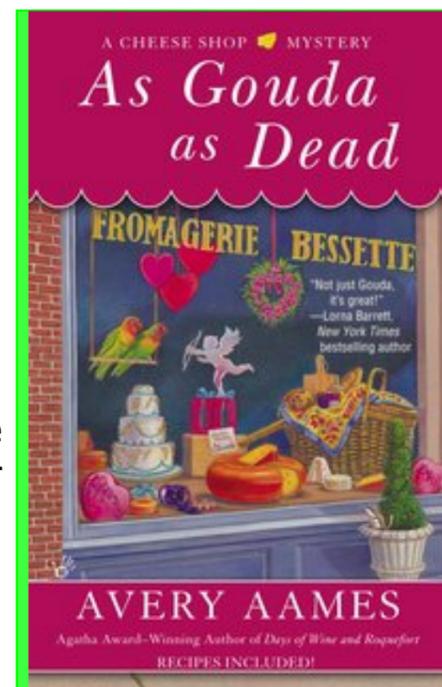
Right now, in my latest release **AS GOUDA AS DEAD**, love is in the air!!! The mayor of the fictional town of Providence, Ohio, has put together a Lovers Trail Festival. So much fun! Cheese tastings, wine tastings, chocolate tastings, sleigh rides, ice skating competitions, weddings, and more. Perfect for February!

But things might not always be rosy because trouble is stirring...

When a beloved bar owner is discovered murdered on her fiancé's farm, Charlotte Bessette is deeply troubled, as is her betrothed—artisanal cheese farmer Jordan Pace—who believes they should reschedule their upcoming wedding, given the grim turn of events. With the whole town celebrating Valentine's Day with weeklong events, including lovers' baskets with heart-shaped cheeses at Fromagerie Bessette, Charlotte is heartsick over the postponement—and more determined than ever to contain the killer. But when a second murder occurs, it's clear someone is not feeling the love. As Charlotte plunges headlong into the investigation, is she in danger of getting in over her head?

Praise for the Cheese Shop Mystery Series

"A mouthwatering mystery ...a plot that twists and turns... Enticing and intriguing."—*New York Times* bestselling author



As Gouda as Dead
Avery Aames

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“Delightful...lovely...not just gouda, it’s great!”—*New York Times* bestselling author Lorna Barrett

Read **AS GOUDA AS DEAD**’s first chapter **HERE**.

Watch **AS GOUDA AS DEAD** trailer **HERE**.

Note for new readers: While **AS GOUDA AS DEAD** is the 6th title in my series of *Cheese Shop Mysteries*, you can read it as a stand-alone. Just think! If you like it, you will have 5 more books to enjoy. Yay! Click **HERE** to see the titles in order.

Giveaway



What is the most favorite event you’ve ever attended? Tell me in the comments and you will be entered to win this beautiful heart-shaped necklace with pink stone, designed by I Love Dogs Jewelry.

You’ll be glad to know that the jewelry sales for I Love Dogs Jewelry improve the lives of homeless and abused animals through sheltering, adoption, education and advocacy, as well as the prevention of animal cruelty.

You will also win an autographed copy of your choice of a Cheese Shop Mystery, even **AS GOUDA AS DEAD** if you’d like, plus some fun swag.

Savor the mystery!

Sincerely, **Avery Aames** aka **Daryl Wood Gerber**...author of the *Cookbook Nook Mysteries*

Visit Daryl aka Avery at her **website**.

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Apple Bacon Gouda Quiche

Cheese Pops, perfect for parties

Chicken Potpie, individuals, also gluten-free

Goat Cheese sugar cookies, divine with a hint of tart!

Gorgonzola Biscuits

Macaroni and Cheese appetizers, ala Timothy O’Shea’s Tavern

Triple Chocolate Pudding

Say Cheese! Click **HERE** for a free copy of more than a dozen of my tasty cheese recipes, including five-cheese mac `n cheese. Note: this booklet can take a bit to download, so be patient. Check my **MORSELS** drop-down menu for more recipes!

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A Cheese Shop Mystery #6

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- **Talia Hunter**
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- **Lavinia Kent**

Comments

62 comments posted.

Re: **Avery Aames | Savor the Love**

*Love this series and would love to win As Gouda As Dead.
Thanks for the chance to win
(**Rebecca Prazak** 1:41pm February 4)*

*Can't wait to read this one! That's for the chance to win the giveaway!
(**Kathy Dunn** 1:47pm February 4)*

*love your books - thanks for the chance to win this great giveaway
(**Jo Anne Vincenti** 3:15pm February 4)*

*My favorite event is when our kids and grandkids all get together, at least as many as can. We have been trying to do that in the summer for the last 5 years or so. They all live so far apart that we can only manage it once a year. We have a very good time!
(**Elaine Klingbeil** 3:25pm February 4)*

Rebecca, Kathy, and JoAnne, so lovely to see you here! Thanks for chiming in.

*Daryl aka Avery
Say cheese!
(**Daryl Wood Gerber** 3:25pm February 4)*

*What is the most favorite event you've ever attended?
i don't know if it was really a 'event' to anyone but me, but when i turned 50 i went to sea world to touch a dolphin. it was more amazing than i ever thought! thanks for your help so i could find this page!
(**Kat Sadi** 3:40pm February 4)*

*I always chose one day when the kids got to stay home from school and spend it with their grandparents. Everyone felt special!
(**MaryEllen Hanneman** 3:47pm February 4)*

Kat Sadi, touching a dolphin is amazing!!!

*Daryl / Avery
(**Daryl Wood Gerber** 3:49pm February 4)*

MaryEllen, what a sweet memory. ;)

*Daryl / Avery
(**Daryl Wood Gerber** 3:50pm February 4)*

*My favorite (ongoing) event is the Minneapolis Renfaire, which we've attended over the years with many of our closest friends.
(**Deb Philippon** 3:51pm February 4)*

*Would love to own this book because I want to try a couple of those recipes.
(**Andrea Abel** 5:08pm February 4)*

I've been lucky to attend many great events. A favorite is the annual Wine and Herb Festival around Cayuga Lake. At the first winery you receive a wine glass and garden design chart. At every winery on the trail (16) you get an herb plant, food made with

- Geri Krotow
- Shelly Laurenston
- Jade Lee
- Shannon Leigh
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- Patrice Lyle
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- Rebecca Zanetti

that herb, wine tastings to match, and the recipe! A wonderful event.

I love that the jewelry helps homeless pets too!
(**Kathleen Kaminski** 5:37pm February 4)

I've not attended many events----but one of my favorite day outings was a day at Disneyland many many moons ago.
(**Sue Farrell** 5:49pm February 4)

One of my favorite events is called "Train Days". For a couple of weekends every fall, Amtrak runs a special train so that the passengers can enjoy the fall foliage in the mountains and valleys of West Virginia. The train stops for 2 or 3 hours in my hometown of Hinton. So, the city closes off our main street for a couple of blocks and vendors come from all over the state and surrounding states to sell everything from cotton candy to local wine. It's a time to wander around, eating as you walk, examine the wares and reunite with friends you haven't seen since the last "Train Days". Thank you so much for the generous contest and I'll certainly pass along the information about the I Love Dogs Jewelry. And thank you for all the great recipes, they're almost enough to make me want to cook!
(**Betty Woodrum** 6:59pm February 4)

Seeing Wicked on Broadway is in my Top 10.
Judy Dee
(**Judy Dee** 7:11pm February 4)

I love cheese and your books have some of the best recipes. Food and a good mystery is the best way to spend a day that has nothing happening and you can just be lazy.
(**Sharon Baker** 7:36pm February 4)

i can remember my Grandpa and his fired chicken!! he also canned and made his own ketchup. it was so good . thanks for the recipes.
(**Jennifer Beck** 7:54pm February 4)

Can't wait to read it! Sitting with my cat on my lap and reading,that is heaven!
(**Terri Laviolette** 8:08pm February 4)

I went to a winter ball. My first ball with my hubby. I felt like Cinderella
(**Jess Dimovski** 8:29pm February 4)

My Dad's 80th birthday celebration.
(**Mary Chin** 8:36pm February 4)

my wedding
(**Denise Holcomb** 11:37pm February 4)

The books summary made me smile, a whole town celebrating Valentine's Day with a week of events? Too cool. It rivals my favorite local event of a month celebrating a chosen book. The local library does a kickoff handing out free copies to guests and there is a month of events connected to the book/story/author.
(**G. Bisbjerg** 11:49pm February 4)

Wow, I love all these special events. The Train Days sounds amazing. A library week to choose a book sounds like so much fun. A winter ball and feeling like Cinderella? Too cool! You've all given me some great ideas for future books!! Thanks for chiming in!

Daryl / Avery
(**Daryl Wood Gerber** 9:22am February 5)

My favorite event I've attended so far is a Lunar New Year "Family Day" event where all

the families gathered to celebrate the different cultures (Korean, Japanese, Chinese, Himalayan etc...) as well as sample the traditional foods served during new years.
(**Lisa L.** 9:23am February 5)

The Food and Wine Festival at Epcot in Florida.
(**Pam Howell** 9:23am February 5)

By the way, so lovely to see so many of my regular readers as well as some "new to me" names!!!

Daryl aka Avery
(**Daryl Wood Gerber** 9:23am February 5)

My favorite event is always our vacations to the beach each year.
(**Rachael Brown** 9:54am February 5)

I look forward to the Art and Craft Festivals that they hold in town every Summer. Being an avid knitter, crocheter, and crafter, it's nice to walk up and down our main street, which they close down, to look at the wares for sale, get ideas, and sometimes purchase items for sale. There is also one other thing that I got to get involved in last year for the first time and it's called the World's largest Garage Sale. It stretches for miles along the one side of our State, and I'm not sure if it goes any further or not, but the sale is huge!! My Husband and I only drove for about 50 miles or so, and stopped at the harbor, to take in the boats, which made for a beautiful day!! I'm looking forward to reading your latest book, which sounds like another event which can't be missed!! Congratulations!!
(**Peggy Roberson** 10:39am February 5)

Favourite event??? The RNA conference last year in Telford. It was an eye opener!
(**Manda Ward** 12:07pm February 5)

Probably when I went to see maroon 5 in October of 2013
(**Genevieve Meredith** 12:35pm February 5)

My most favorite event personally attended with me participating was a BOSTON CREM PIE competition yes, in Boston, where there were two categories one for professional chefs/bakers and one for amateur. Long story short, I came in third with hundreds of entries and honestly, how the judges could taste that many Boston Cream Pies (showing your printed recipe) was beyond me. Only first prize won anything and I also had my hand painted cake platter go missing but it was a long but fun day seeing all the professional chefs who were participating and being there watching the judging.

I always loved local cooking competitions and recipe and food contests, having won a lot of them which I totally loved to do. But it has been a long time since all of these events but I do have vivid memories of them to fall back on.
Thank you for the lovely giveaway pendant contest.

Sincerely,
Cynthia
(**Cynthia Blain** 1:50pm February 5)

I love it when all of my family gets to gather for xmas
(**Tamara Lawson** 7:45pm February 5)

I love the name of the book and I would love to read it.
(**Sheila Cohen** 8:23pm February 5)

family wedding
(**L Lam** 11:51pm February 5)

My favorite event is either the Georgia Renaissance Festival or Paolo Nutini's concert. The book sounds cool! Cheese and mystery!

(Heather Rizzuti 7:53am February 6)

So many events. I guess the Minnesota State Fair. It is a family tradition.

Love the title.

(Leona Olson 10:22am February 6)

I love to read as often as possible. At age 70 am now using a walker and cannot attend many activities as before. Used to love going to the youth fair but it is too much walking for me.

(Maria Pucko 10:59am February 6)

I used to live in Ninety Six, SC and every year they have a Civil war reenactment. It's so much fun to see how they lived in the Civil war era and the people there are so nice. Thank you so much for the contest. Question, where do you get the titles for your books? Very clever.

(Val Pearson 11:12am February 6)

One of the best "events" I've ever been to was Harambe Nights at Disney's Animal Kingdom. Our dear friends from Canada, my youngest daughter and I attended one of the special programs in celebration of the 20th anniversary of The Lion King. It was a truly amazing performance.

(Joanne Kocourek 12:56pm February 6)

My favorite event? Our family vacation each year sometimes its very special - we went to Egypt last summer and sometimes its simpler - the year before was Mount Rushmore. I also try to learn something new wherever we go and of course, pass it on to my children.

(Janis Milford 1:02pm February 6)

My favorite event so far was attending a football game between the NY Giants and the Washington Redskins. I had won the tickets. A friend of mine suggested I bring her fiance with me since he really loves football, and I didn't know a whole lot. Oh, did I mention that one of the executives at the small company where I worked was an avid Washington Redskins fan - he thought it should be illegal to give free tickets to someone who knows nothing about football. It was cold, but we had a great time watching the NY Giants not only win the game over the Redskins, but also get a spot in the playoffs!

(Joanne Schultz 3:29pm February 6)

My favorite event? A cruise of the Caribbean. It was absolutely amazing!

(Abigail Lo 8:47pm February 6)

sounds like fun

(Elaine Fisher 10:15pm February 6)

My favorite event is when a Friend and I went and stayed at an old Historical Hotel in Devon, rode the train, and visited Exeter including the famous Cathedral. The weather was lovely and cool...the fish and chips were great. I highly recommend it...

(Marilyn Watson 5:29am February 7)

My favorite event is getting to spend quality time with my two grandchildren, who are both Type 1 diabetic, the most recent event was a fund raiser for Children with life threatening disorders.

(Janie Prather 7:36am February 7)

I like a lot of events-- kite festivals, hockey games, plays, baseball games, street fairs, what-have-you. But it is a particular pleasure to me that my origami-making, hockey-playing son, now ten, loves to go to plays, including Boulder's Summer Shakespeare Festival. We missed that when he was too small for it!

(Mary Ann Dimand 12:38pm February 7)

The artwork on your book covers are so interesting. They are good enough to put in a picture frame and hang on the wall. The story inside of the book cover is fun too. lol.

(Lin Berda 12:51pm February 7)

What a fun giveaway! I am such a stay at home my favorite event is a new book or a book release on facebook!
(**Vikki Wright** 12:53pm February 7)

My favorite event is taking my grand-daughter to the county fair in Spokane she loves it and we have such fond memories.
(**Denise Austin** 1:18pm February 7)

My favorite event was attending school in Japan while in high school. I still have such fond memories of it!
(**Ashley Dzubak** 3:05pm February 7)

My fave event I ever attended was my graduation from law school! If that doesn't count, then it would be a governor's reception for the Florida Supreme Court at the governor's mansion in Tallahassee, it was pretty swanky and amazing
(**Rebecca Zoeller** 3:50pm February 7)

Any family gathering as my family is pretty spread out.
(**Mary Lynch** 5:14pm February 7)

I so enjoyed the Medford, Oregon "Pear Festival" in 2014, it was spectacular!
(**Carol Kaiser** 5:43pm February 7)

I like reading your books. I have been introduced to new cheeses that I have tried.
(**Joy Isley** 6:13pm February 7)

My fave event was a vacation to Maui. Rainbows, sunshine, and so much beauty everywhere.
The I Love Dogs Jewelry - what a great way to help abused and orphaned animals.
(**Sandra Martin** 7:19pm February 7)

My festivals usually surround the local area, but I find gems of food at the more fun tastings.
(**Renee Brown** 7:23pm February 7)

I know this is a cliché, but my daughter's wedding! I have food allergies and normally dread food events because of all I can't eat. But she had discussed it with the caterer ahead of time and arranged to have gourmet items that I still dream about!
(**Marcia Berbeza** 8:29pm February 7)

My favorite event that I have attended is the Holiday Folk Fair International in Milwaukee, WI. It's an indoor expo where you can sample foods from all over the world, see traditional dances from different countries, and buy goods at booths from lots of different countries. It is SO much fun, I've gone several times. My first time was with my German high school class and then I dragged several boyfriends along in later years. Now it's been over 15 years since I've been and I live six hours away, but I plan to take my family one of these years. I know they would love it! (Thanks for making me remember this event---maybe this will be the year!) Also, I would love to win one of your cheese shop mysteries!
(**Juli Lear** 8:35pm February 7)

I love jewelry and would love to win. My favorite 'events' are when I go to the Nursing Homes and 'entertain'. I line dance with a group of young ladies that are 60 years of age or older. We have a 'ball', it is so much fun. We started out as an exercise group getting together, now we feel like we are doing something for others also. Hope to win.
(**Joan Thrasher** 8:40pm February 7)

Very beautiful necklace. My favorite event that I attended, well I have to say was the Romantic Times Book Lovers Convention in Orlando several years ago. I had such a time meeting the authors and models. I was even asked to be a photographer at the event. I had brought my camera with me since I had read what would happen I wanted to get several good photos for prosperity sake. I sent in 12 discs of photos that I had taken and had

several printed in magazine as an attendees view of the event. I had period dresses that my mother made for the occasion. My friend Vicki and my mother were with me. We attended one of the author's chat sessions and some of the questions she asked our answers were put into stories in her books. Several of my answers she loved and we chatted for some time. It was so wonderful.

(**Tina Ullrich** 10:46pm February 7)

Hmmmmmm.... The birth of each child~ ALL 8!

(**Kelly Braun** 2:49am February 16)

Who won?

(**Kelly Knapp** 12:03pm March 11)

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