



# Inspirational Westerns

## [Light of My Heart](#) by Ginny Aiken (Book 1 in the *Silver Hills Trilogy*)

Dr. Letitia Morgan comes to Hartville, Colorado, in the late 1800s to follow her God-given calling to heal. Soon she becomes Hartville's ministering angel, reaching out to the children of the town drunk, and skillfully touching all who need her. But not everyone warms to the lovely new physician and Letty ruffles plenty of feathers when she takes on Hartville's thriving brothels. As she rescues first one then another young girl forced into the sordid trade, Letty becomes the target of some of the town's most powerful people. Eric Wagner, Hartville's newspaper editor, finds he got much more than he bargained for when he brought this female doctor to town. As Letty stirs more controversy with each passing day, he wonders if he can save the noble-minded doctor from herself. Continue the series with [Song of My Soul](#).

## [Defiant Heart](#) by Tracey Bateman (Book 1 in the *Westward Hearts Series*)

A first installment in a new trilogy finds a woman secretly joining a westbound wagon train with her two younger siblings in order to escape a cruel storekeeper, an effort that is challenged when the wagon master refuses to allow unmarried women on the trip. Continue the series with [Distant Heart](#).

## [One Step over the Border](#) by Stephen Bly

Having suffered nothing but setbacks in the years after falling in love with an elusive woman, Wyoming cowboy Hap Bowman, accompanied by faithful rodeo partner, Laramie Majors, sets out on a final journey throughout the Southwest in the hopes of finally winning the woman of his dreams.

## [Twice Loved](#) by Lori Copeland (Book 1 in the *Belles of Timber Creek Series*)

Schoolteacher Willow Madison confronts the possibility of entering a loveless marriage in order to rebuild her Civil War-torn home and protect her loved ones, a situation that is complicated by her feelings for a handsome sawmill owner. Continue the series with [Three Times Blessed](#).

## [Showdown](#) by Ted Dekker (Book 1 in the *Books of History Chronicles, Paradise Series*)

A stranger named Marsuvees Black appears and announces he has come to bring hope and grace to the mountain town, Paradise, offering dazzling love, faith, and fun to residents, but as dark clouds and sandstorms shut Paradise off from the rest of the world, the unthinkable happens in an ultimate collision between good and evil. Continue the series with [Saint](#).

## [Wagered Heart](#) by Robin Lee Hatcher

Bethany Silvertown cannot resist the challenge of persuading the most handsome cowboy in town into attending her father's new church, but she never dreamed that the cowboy would charm her.

## [A Clearing in the Wild](#) by Jane Kirkpatrick (Book 1 in the *Change and Cherish Series*)

Inspired by historical events, a best-selling and award-winning novelist presents a riveting account of one woman's search for influence and respect, and the unexpected consequences of getting what she wants. Continue the series with [A Tendering in the Storm](#).

**[Outlaw Marshal](#) by Al and JoAnna Lacy** (Book 1 in the *Return of the Stranger Trilogy*)

For Chief U.S. Marshal John Brockman, becoming a friend to former outlaw Whip Langford is easy. Saving his life is more complicated. With Brockman strongly encouraging him to accept salvation, former outlaw Whiple Langford determines to go straight. He won't turn his life over to Christ, but he won't go back to a life of robbing banks and trains either. It's not long before Whip is tracking old acquaintances, acting as a lawman without actually being one. Whip intercepts a train robbery and catches two of the thieves, but the two who escape frame him for murder. John must ride hard and fast to save his friend from the noose, because it's not only John Brockman who has grown fond of Whip. Beautiful widow Annabeth Cooper's heart is also at stake. Continue the series with [Deadlock](#).

**[Santa Fe Woman](#) by Gilbert Morris** (Book 1 in the *Wagon Wheel Series*)

When the severe economic depression of the 1800s destroys the Haydens' fortune, 22-year-old Jori Hayden and her family venture west along the Santa Fe Trail in search of a new livelihood, but despite the dangers they encounter at every turn, romance, faith, and family prove to be their biggest fortunes. Continue the series with [A Man for Temperance](#).

**[When Calls the Heart](#) by Janette Oke** (Book #1 in the *Canadian West series*)

Nothing in her cultured East Coast upbringing prepared Elizabeth for a teaching position on the Canadian frontier; yet, despite the constant hardships, she loves the children in her care. Determined to do the best job she can and fighting to survive the harsh land, Elizabeth is surprised to find her heart softening toward a certain member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. Continue the series with [When Comes the Spring](#).

**[Summer of the Midnight Sun](#) by Tracie Peterson** (Book 1 in the *Alaskan Quest Series*)

The Barringer family is happy in the Alaskan Territory. Confronted by an old flame, Leah realizes her feelings never went away and she is whisked away on an unforgettable journey. Continue the series with [Under the Northern Lights](#).

**[Ruby](#) by Lorraine Snelling** (Book 1 in the *Dakota Treasures series*)

Having received an inheritance from their long-lost father, Ruby Torvald and her young sister, Opal, journey to Dakota Territory, where they are shocked to discover that the inheritance is very different from the legacy of gold that they expected. Continue the series with [Pearl](#).

**[Sixteen Brides](#) by Stephanie Grace Whitson**

Sixteen Civil War widows settle in Nebraska after they are wooed by a land speculator, only to discover that they were lured there in hopes that they would accept marriage proposals shortly after their arrival.

**[Cassidy](#) by Lori Wick** (Book 1 in the *Big Sky Dreams Series*)

Token Creek, Montana Territory, 1880. Cassidy Norton is a fine seamstress who makes her living sewing for others. Amid the bustle of a busy frontier town, her life is rich. What time her business doesn't take, her friends and church family fill. But Cassidy hasn't always lived in Token Creek, and few people know her full story. So she struggles with a nagging unsettledness in her heart. Cassidy's friend Meg is married to a rancher and has a baby, something Cassidy wants for herself. But that would mean revealing the details of her life. Will Cassidy find the strength to take that risk? Continue the series with [Sabrina](#).

