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# TJ SHAW

TJ Shaw is a multi award-winning and Amazon #1 bestselling author who writes from her heart by incorporating her dreams and experiences to create strong, passionate characters who must overcome personal flaws to survive against the challenges of traversing through magical realms, undiscovered planets, and apocalyptic catastrophes.

TJ is a member of Romance Writers of America and Fantasy, Futuristic, and Paranormal Romance Writers.



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## AT a GLANCE

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### Alpha Dragon Awakes, part three – Genre: High Fantasy Romance

(Published November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018)

Part three and the exciting conclusion to the epic fantasy romance serial trilogy, *Rogue Dragon Rising*, marking the beginning of the *Outside the Veil* series.

With no memories to guide her, Amari Hawke seeks to discover the identity of the animal trapped inside her. Days away from Trinity, when her beast will appear for the first time, she must learn to communicate with her animal or she'll turn rogue from an unsuccessful shift.

Both Jaxon Blackthorn and his stubborn dragon have succumbed to Amari's charms even though her animal designation is unknown. Determined to use the power of his beast, Jaxon faces the impossible challenge of saving Amari while protecting her from rogue shifters determined to capture her.

Can the strength of their love achieve what has never been attempted in the shifter realm, a successful transition of Amari's animal and acceptance of her true heritage?



Accepting a dragon's love to forge a new future.

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## **Sleeping Dragon Stirs, part two** – Genre: High Fantasy Romance

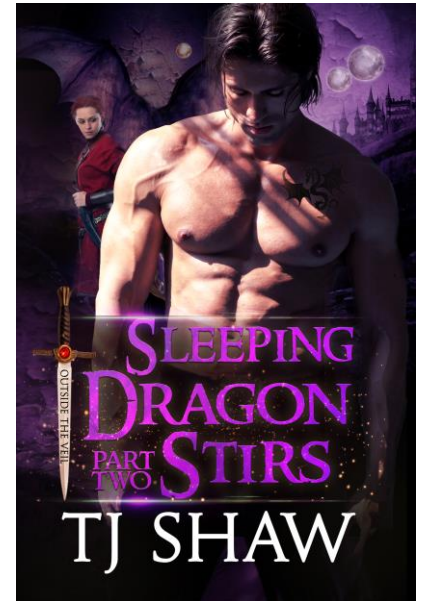
(Published October 08<sup>th</sup>, 2018)

Part two in the exciting epic fantasy romance serial trilogy, *Rogue Dragon Rising*.

As the day of her awakening nears, Amari Hawke struggles to control the beast inside her. Basking in the energy of the approaching Trinity moon, her animal's strength has increased to the point it can control Amari's mind and body. Fearing she is about to slip into madness, Amari is forced into a tough choice.

In a desperate attempt to save Amari and her beast, Jaxon Blackthorn encourages his cadre, the men in his trusted circle, to establish mental links with her, but when his plans fail and Amari's animal exerts control, he must fight for the beautiful woman who is lost to her beast.

Together, can Amari and Jaxon's developing bond for each other overcome the urges driving Amari's animal as they also thwart an unseen enemy vying to keep them apart?



Seeking a dragon's trust to survive the coming days.

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## **Rogue Dragon Rising, part one** – Genre: High Fantasy Romance

(Published September 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018)

Twenty-three year old, Amari Hawke, is thrust into the world of two-soul shifters when she is injured and kidnapped by trackers outside the veil, beyond the safety of her homeland. Unable to remember her past, she trusts no one and relies on instinct to survive. As her awakening approaches, the first time she will transition into her animal, she must evade rogue shifters trying to capture her.

Now free from the King's Army, powerful dragon lord, Jaxon Blackthorn, seeks a peaceful life. Intent on building his lands into a viable plantation, away from war and bloodshed, he is reluctantly pulled back into the fight when he defends the mysterious shifter with no past against an unseen enemy.

As evil threatens to destroy the entire realm, can the battle-hardened warrior and coming-of-age noblewoman accept their differences to forge an alliance that will ultimately unite the shifter nations?



Taming a dragon's heart to protect a fragile past.

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## **Divergent Bloodline** – Genre: Paranormal Romance

(Published December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2015)

While tracking down a killer, clues lead homicide detective, Viviane Taylor to suspect, Julian DeMatteo. From the get-go, DeMatteo unsettles and irritates her. He is a force she has never encountered, someone who excites her even though he's forbidden. Her instincts warn that he is hiding something and she is determined to uncover those secrets.

As king of the vampires, Julian DeMatteo protects the immortal clans. So, when the beautiful, bullheaded cop embroils herself within his world, he must choose between the woman who reminds him of the humanity he has lost or his loyalty to his people.

As confusing emotions awaken inside her, Viviane can either accept her fate as the one chosen to save the immortal race or lose her soul to darkness. With Julian's help, she fights an evil that would rip her apart in order to forge a new future with the homicide suspect who has stolen her heart.

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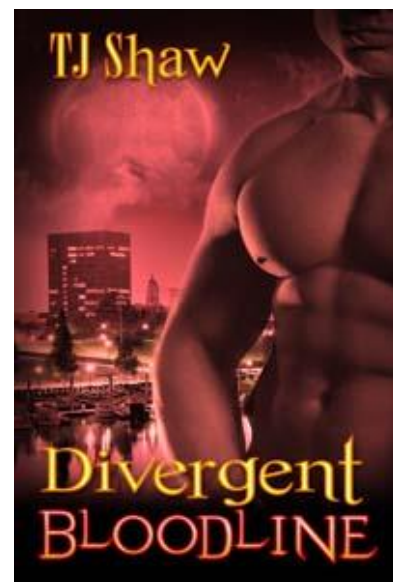
## **CALLER of LIGHT** – GENRE: Epic Fantasy Romance

(Published March 15<sup>th</sup>, 2013)

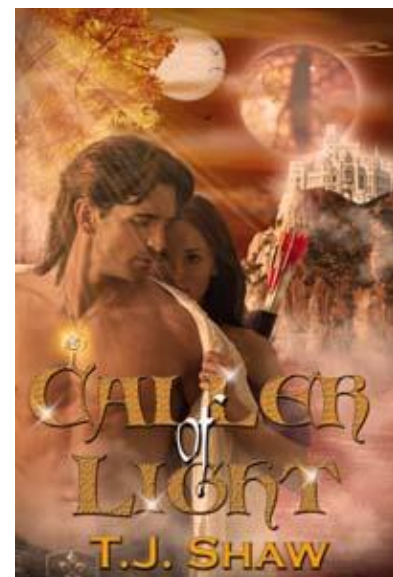
Carina McKay is an outsider. With one parent of royal blood, she's not nobility, yet not a servant either. The only comfort in her mundane existence is her love of Critons, the large fire-breathing creatures that protect the border of her homeland. But her destiny changes forever the day she catches the eye of King Marek Duncan.

Marek's heart is closed to love. After an arranged marriage withers to a bitter end, he dedicates his energy to protecting his kingdom. Yet he's searching for something more—the Caller of Light, the one who summons Critons.

Carina's beauty and willfulness intrigue Marek, and he's determined to have her. When his enemies try to come between them, he discovers just how much he will endure to protect her. Together, they can unlock a love that binds their souls, but only if they find the strength to follow their hearts.



Even the thin blue line bleeds shades of grey.



She wielded a power to save kingdoms, but only his love could save her soul.

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## AWARDS

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### ROGUE DRAGON RISING

- 2018 – Great Beginnings contest WINNER
- 2017 – TARA contest WINNER
- 2017 – Sheila contest WINNER
- 2017 – Rudy contest WINNER
- 2017 – Hook, Line, and Sinker second place contest finalist
- 2017 – Lone Star Writing Competition third place finalist

### DIVERGENT BLOODLINE

- 2014 – Golden Claddagh contest WINNER
- 2014 – The Sandy contest finalist
- 2014 – Great Beginnings contest finalist
- 2013 – Finish the Damn Book contest WINNER
- 2013 – Dixie Kane contest finalist

### CALLER of LIGHT

- 2012 – Yellow Rose Winter Rose contest WINNER
- 2012 – Touch of Magic contest finalist
- 2012 – Cleveland Rocks contest finalist
- 2012 – The Sandy contest finalist
- 2012 – Great Beginnings contest finality
- 2012 – Smoky Mountain Laurie contest finalist
- 2011 – Oklahoma Finally a Bride contest WINNER
- 2012 – Heart of the West contest finalist
- 2011 – Melody of Love contest finalist

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## REVIEWS

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### ALPHA DRAGON AWAKES

“TJ Shaw knows what real romance is, because she has created it here in spades! From the beginning of this book to the perfectly plotted ending, this one had me, heart and soul!” DIANNE from TOME TENDER BOOK BLOG

“As I said before, everything is happening at the same time and it took my breath away. I stayed up past my bedtime because no way could I go to sleep last night not knowing how this ended.” CAROL’S CRAZY BOOKISH WORLD

“Oh my gosh! This was a freaking amazing ending to this story! This was a deep emotional read in regards to the mental connections Amari must submit to, and even initiate herself. Talk about romance! When Jaxon reaches her through their mental link there is nothing to describe the beauty of his care for her and her animal.” GOODREADS REVIEWER

## SLEEPING DRAGON STIRS

“TJ Shaw had me melting at the beautiful relationship these two are forming with all that stands against their future. **SLEEPING DRAGON STIRS** is as much a love story as it is a struggle for survival. Part two is every bit as enchanting as part one and trust me, this is NOT just filler until the final book! This is a powerful stepping stone to Amari’s awakening!” DIANNE from TOME TENDER BOOK BLOG

“*Sleeping Dragon Stirs* is book two in the series, *Outside the Veil*, by TJ Shaw. This series has me absolutely spellbound. TJ’s writing is so beautiful and I am completely engrossed in this world she has created, in Jaxon and Amari’s story. CAROL’S CRAZY BOOKISH WORLD

“This book is so beautifully written. With the richness of this author’s words to showcase the world these characters live in, as well as intense development between the hero and heroine as well as Jaxon’s cadre, I was completely swept up in this story. There was no way I was going to put this book aside for any reason. It ends on a cliffhanger with so much left unanswered and new drama on the horizon. Although I’ll be so freaking happy to get that final installment, I’m going to actually be sad for this story to end.” GOODREADS REVIEWER

## ROGUE DRAGON RISING

“I found the story intriguing.” EDITOR MARY ALTMAN, SOURCEBOOKS

“I was immediately drawn into the story and anxious to learn more about the heroine and hero.” EDITOR EL FELDER, THE WILD ROSE PRESS

“The author shows a perfected skill with dialogue that moves the plot ahead and reveals character in ways narrative and description cannot. The compulsion to turn the page stays with the reader from start to finish.” TARA CONTEST JUDGE

## DIVERGENT BLOODLINE

“TJ Shaw has all the darkness required to feel the grit and the tension while still managing to pull off an intense romance that almost ignites the pages.” DIANNE from TOME TENDER BOOK BLOG

“*Divergent Bloodline* is wonderfully fascinating book that I am hoping this author will branch out from and create a series. The world-building and writing is strong and we are provided with a visually enchanting story and a storyline filled with mystery and danger along with a beautiful romance. I am looking forward to more from this author. If you are a lover of the paranormal genre, I highly recommend this one.” LISA P REVIEWS

“If you like you vampires...ahem...Immortals... dark and broody, and you can see their fall coming at you hard and fast, one for you. If you like your heroines strong and independent, one of you. If you like an Immortal who is strong and will do anything for his mate, one for you. Really, I thoroughly enjoyed it!!” PARANORMAL ROMANCE and AUTHORS that ROCK

## CALLER of LIGHT

"*Caller of Light* by TJ Shaw is a delightful debut fantasy novel that introduces an excellent new voice of the genre. A beautifully crafted tale that is centered on a world containing fascinating creatures called Critons which exist in a society that is divided into multiple kingdoms vying for superiority." NIGHT OWL REVIEWS

"Magic permeates *Caller of Light*, with this very original, fascinating, pulse pounding read. TJ Shaw's imagination is amazing, her world building superb and her characters enchanting. What a fabulous new fantasy." DIANNE from TOME TENDER BOOK BLOG

"I thought my Nook was going to smoke at parts during this story. It isn't just the story between Carina and Marek that is awesome. The lands and the unique people they come across on their journey back to Marek's land is wonderful. I loved the visuals that are described both from land and air. Overall, this is a great start to a new series. It has a lot of potential and I can't wait to see what TJ Shaw does next." BOOKMAVEN BOOK BLOG

"The story is shown through well crafted visual imagery as well as narrative. The heroine is deftly portrayed from the very start." MARISA CORVISIERO, L. PERKINS AGENCY

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## ABOUT the AUTHOR

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As a child, TJ Shaw thrived in the Arizona desert. By the age of five, she was riding horses through cotton fields, and by eleven, bought her first motorcycle, a 125cc Honda dirt bike. Growing up with teachers as parents meant traveling during the summer. Hiking down to Phantom Ranch in the Grand Canyon; fly fishing in icy rivers surrounded by breathtaking mountains; backpacking through national parks; surviving an earthquake in Mexico City; climbing the El Castillo, a pyramid in the ruins of Chichen Itza; sidestepping giant iguanas in the ancient Mayan port of Tulum; to exploring the Sagrada Familia, a Gaudi church in Barcelona, Spain were just some of her adventures. An avid daydreamer, she would lose herself in mystical worlds and far off places limited only by her imagination.

Always athletic (400m state track champion, snow and water skier, boxer, swimmer), TJ garnered a scholarship offer to play college basketball, but chose an academic scholarship to Arizona State University instead. To put herself through undergrad and law school, she lifeguarded and coached swimmers before promoting into management for a multi-million dollar recreation facility. She worked as a researcher/bailiff for a criminal judge while studying to the bar exam, and ultimately accepted a position as a Deputy County Attorney, prosecuting felony crimes, until she decided to patrol the streets as a police officer. Currently, she tells officers what to do as the policy and procedure writer for a police department.

A writer at heart, she didn't attempt to get published until *Caller of Light*. After placing (and winning) in several Romance Writer's Association chapter contests, she accepted a contract to place her work with the Wild Rose Press. Since then she has branched out and also publishes with other houses. If there were additional hours in the day, TJ would tickle the ivories a little more, write about her dreams, and travel the world.