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Hot on the heels of a nasty break-up, Natalie's truck dies and strands her deep in Louisiana's sweltering backwoods. A glow beyond the trees and a haunting melody lead her to what she hopes is salvation.

The Shivaree is more than a bar. It's a mysterious oasis where people go to escape into a cold drink and lose themselves against a warm body on the dance floor. Gabriel is its resident musician, gifted with unnerving talent and intoxicating sexual charisma. The only thing standing between Natalie and the perfect rebound is Gabriel's possessive and domineering lover, and Natalie's not afraid of a bully. Certainly not one built like Shane Broussard. She's ready to discover the perfect remedy for heartache—two hot male bodies, one long, sultry, southern night.

## Shivaree Details

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## From Reader Review Shivaree for online ebook

**Karla says**

**5 SCRUMPTIOUS STARS!! Two's company and three's...scorching hot!! A sandwich is a sandwich, but MANWICH is a meal!! Lip smackin' good!**

At the conclusion of Backwoods Gabriel expressed to Shane his desire to be with a woman. Shane agrees, as long he approves of her and he gets to watch, but he little does he know he will become very involved. Natalie comes to Shivaree looking for help when her truck breaks down. She's immediately drawn to Gabriel while he singing on stage, their eyes meet and she falls under his spell. The man is intoxicating, sensual, deeeelicious!! On Gabriel's urging Shane agrees to look at Natalie's truck and offers her a place to stay and what she gets is an eyeful...the men in the throes of ecstasy. \*\*spritz, spritz, spritz....whirrrrr\* Okay I'm better. Then it's her turn. You will get no more out of me, but what happens will have you squirming in your seat.

I loved how Natalie was the voice of reason and how she connected with Shane. She is the only person who knows of their relationship and has seen them in action. Shane has such a harsh exterior, but he is all goodness inside. He's torn about his need for Gabriel and indirectly punishes him, because he's angry with himself. This is the only man he's ever had sex with, yet Natalie stirs something in him that he thought was lost. Gabriel oozes sexuality! He's like a fine piece of chocolate, the kind that melts in your mouth, where you need your tongue to wipe your lips and when it's gone, you **HAVE** to have more.

*"How's your truck?" Gabriel asked. Such simple, innocuous words...yet they may as well have been whispered against her pussy, for the shiver that traced her spine."*

Wow, Cara McKenna has a way with words; boy oh boy did she stir things up in me. That's right the dustbowl became a fully fledged tornado!! I'm shameless!! On to Getaway, I just love to torture myself!

\*\* If you have not read Backwoods it is **NECESSARY** to read that first, in order to understand the delicate and complex relationship between Gabriel and Shane. You will appreciate this book so much more. \*\*

I posted these pics on my review of Backwoods, but I'm doing it again, because I think they fit the characters perfectly and I like looking at them...so there!! Annoying, aren't I?!

**Shane**

**Gabriel**

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## **Judith says**

4 Stars

Quick review as I need to get straight onto the next one.

Shane and Gabriel are as hot as ever in this one. I WAS NOT HAPPY about Natalie getting inbetween my men, in more ways than one!! And Gabriel's actions annoyed me at times.

Still, though, a great series. I seriously can't get enough of these 2 men!!!!

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## **Isa Lavinia says**

This was really good!

Honestly, I can see why people would like him, but I really couldn't get into Gabriel, I never can get into this kind of characters, otherwise this would have been a 4 star book.

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## **Kim Bailey says**

Short. Sweet. Sexy.

Cara McKenna knows how to write smut, with heart. Very glad there are more books in this story though. I want to know more about these characters, especially Shane.

Terrific, quick read!♥

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## **Michelle says**

Just what Shane and Gabriel need in their already fucked up relationship. A third.

When Natalie breaks down just outside of Shane's bar she never imagined stopping in for a beer and finding a mechanic would turn into three days of sexual heat and the best rebound fuck a girl could ask for.

Instantly Natalie is memorized by Gabriel and even with Shane's possessiveness and warnings, she can't seem to say no. But Shane made a deal with Gabriel, he could have other women, he just need to ask for it.

This was hot, no doubt, but it was also a little painful to read. Given just how much of an asshole Shane can be, there was this vulnerability about him and having to experience this with Natalie tossed into the mix was hard to stomach at times. Typically a m/m romance that tosses a woman into the mix does not leave me feeling like a jilted lover, but there was something about the way Gabriel behaved that left me wanting to slap the fuck out of him. The things he said to Natalie in the bathroom about picturing her while... well fuck you very much. Hate was the only thing I was thinking for a good solid ten minutes.

But what this installment did for me was endear me to Shane completely. Sure he had his own issues that prevented him from really having what he wanted, but I just couldn't lay too much of the blame at his feet.

Although I did get twitchy with jealousy, this was a hot as fuck read. I loved getting a chance to see Shane and Gabriel together through Natalie's eyes – it added a dimension to the relationship that was not present before. POV shifts serve a purpose in stories and Ms. McKenna proves that with the way she chose to give that scene from Natalie's perspective.

Even though I might not be as in love with Gabriel as I wanted to be, I am still in utter lust with this story and can't wait to see what the future holds for these two men.

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## **April says**

WARNING .... this book contains M/M, M/M/F, M/F

Months have passed since the ending of Backwood, but Shane and Gabriel are still together, exploring this new unlabelled-relationship.

Shane, seems to have come to terms with his fling with Gabriel, but isn't ready for the world outside of the two of them to know.

Gabriel seems to be searching for something. He tells Shane that he needs more, and that more includes sexual relations with a woman.

The only stipulation is that Gabriel has to have Shane's permission before hand.

Gabriel seems to want to push Shane's buttons and does just that when Shane sees him with a woman.

Natalie is passing through town when her truck breaks down; she sees Gabriel performing at Shivaree, and like everyone else, she's explicitly drawn to him.

So let the flirting begin.

Now, let me just say that I love a M/F/M story BUT ..... the main relationship here is between Shane and Gabriel. That's it, AND, as far as I'm concerned, NO ONE else is invited (unless it's me)!!!!!!

She ends up camping out on Shane's couch and during the night, she seeks a peek at Shane and Gabriel "together"; now I can just imagine what she saw ..... all I can say is that it would've been pretty fucking HOT!!!

Now this is where we enter the M/F portion of the story ..... yeah, don't want to comment on it. I'm not even a character in the story and I was JEALOUS, and jealous for Shane.

The next morning, Shane helps Natalie out with getting her car fixed and my guess is that he wants her G-O-N-E, and really, I don't blame him ;D

That evening, during Gabriel's performance, her and Shane hang out, chat, eat and drink while enjoying the

show.

Cue, additional M/F scene.

I think what I didn't mind about this one was Natalie asks Shane to describe in detail his first time with Gabriel; it's quite hot and my mind is going places.

AND, those are my thoughts.

I have a sinking feeling about the final book, Getaway, but I'm sucking it up and going in.

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### **Alex is The Romance Fox says**

The beginning of Shivarree really got me going!!!!!!! I could see the scene so clearly in my head – Natalie stranded in the Louisiana backwoods and suddenly hearing the music and seeing the lights through the trees. And holding my breath knowing that something will happen and affect her life as she draws closer to the mysterious place named Shivarree.

I loved Backwoods, the first book in this series and I never thought I would continue being enthralled by the characters, Gabriel and Shane. But was I???

I found it impossible to put down this book. This continues to be the most sensual and deeply emotional story, Love, obsession, lust, erotic sex with intense characters that just blew me away.

Shane just got into my heart. He's this strong male who feels powerless when it comes for the intense feelings he has for Gabriel. He's tormented as he watches Gabriel going with other people and there's so much pain as he tries to deal with being attracted to a man for the first time in his life. Going as far as agreeing to share Natalie, who finds herself powerful attracted to both men, with Gabriel. He will do anything to have Gabriel in his life and if this is what makes it work, so be it.

I'm still unsure about Gabriel. There's something very dark inside him which makes him so totally disconnected with anyone except sexually. Something so deep torments him too. I can understand the attraction of Gabriel, he's just such a beautiful and mysterious and damn sexy man. But I felt as if he was using Natalie in order to get Shane to admit his feelings and submit to his desires and wants.

The connection between the three is emotional and explosive filled with the most sensual and erotic sex scenes. Jealousy, possessiveness, submission, control - so much emotional darkness at times that I wondered how the three would survive these feelings.

Strong characters, great dialogue and fantastic story line that just makes this series such an incredible and compelling read.

I did feel a bit sad at the end of the story but could there be any other way for it to be??

I love this author's writing and can't wait to read the next book, Gateway.

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**Snow says**

**5 whoa stars**

**This novella....**

**Whoa....**

**Ok, let me try again...**

**Whoa...fuckin hawt m/m,**

**m/f**

**oh, yeah, just good ol' regular...**

**m/f/m,**

**m/m/f**

combinations that will fuckin stir your imagination and set off the fucking magic.

I really jumped into this after i ve devoured **Blackwoods**, a prequel to this story...

We already know about the carnal magic between **Shane and Gabriel**..but here, Gabriel brought another person into the mix.

**Natalie.**

After her truck died on her in the middle of nowhere she walk straight into the bar.

**Shane's bar.**

### **Gabriel's magical music.**

His sways of hips made her storm into the desires she could not fight against.  
And in the end she didnt want to...

They shared three nights of passion, heat, infatuation of carnal bliss...but that s all she can take from the encounter.

There s another world, another universe these 2 men share with each other...even if they wont admit it to themselves...

or at least one of them has an inner struggle within himself considering the unknown feelings, unprepared for consequences, hard on accepting the reality of what is that he actually WANTS, NEEDS, belongs with and to.

there s no actual space for anyone else...

**Absolutly fantastically described sex scenes...sensuality mixed with the pulsation and the beat of flesh to flesh inside the passion twist...makes one helluva way to enter another level of human physical and emotional sphere where not all questions are answered but you still thrive to obtain.**

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### **Menna says**

3,5 stars!

I Loved Gabriel and shane and their chemistry and freaking HOT interaction as usual.....

However i like me some threesome from time to time here in this case i didn't like it much.....maybe because i felt she was intruding and didn't feel her chemistry with them.....what they have is so strong and focused on each other to the point that it didn't allow anything (anyone) in between!

Anyway i enjoyed it!

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### **Kathleen says**

Story Rating 5 Stars

Character Rating 5 Stars

Romance Rating 3.5 Stars

Heat Level 5 Stars

Overall Rating 5 Stars

Shivaree is book 2 of this series and take place right where Backwood's leaves off.

In this book Natalie joins Shane and Gabriel. Natalie's truck broke down so she walks into the Shivaree and



is instantly attracted to Gabriel. Shane is so jealous but he still wants to help her with her truck and reluctantly let's her stay at his place for the night warning her that Gabriel is his and to leave him alone. The men go into their room and have HOT HARD SEX while she's spying through the door slats ( Dam I'd have LOVED to see that too, hahahaha ). The next morning Shane takes off and when he returns Gabriel and Natalie are going at it. He decides to join in and OH - MY - MY - MY, this book just keeps getting HOTTER.

Moving along because I don't want to explain the whole story which YEP has a few more extremely HOT scenes, Natalie say's her goodbye's and move's on to her destination.

This is where Book 3 take's place but 6 month's later.

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**CC says**

**4.5 Stars!**

After breaking up with her boyfriend, Natalie Foster decides to relocate and head back home; however, as luck would have it, her pick up truck breaks down in the middle of nowhere. Hiking a mile to the nearest inhabited structure, she finds an inviting southern home with a wrap around patio. As she nears the home, music emanates from the walls and windows and she soon realizes, it is a local bar. Once inside, the sultry music continues to lure Natalie until she focuses on the musician playing the mandolin and the man with a voice equivalent to foreplay.

“She wanted this man to sing to her. She wanted him to do everything to her, with an urgency that made her blush and made the damp, hot air feel cold against her fevery skin.”

Of Cuban descent, Gabriel exudes the confidence of a 1930's jazz musician with his dark trousers, starched shirt and fedora. From the stage, Gabriel sees Natalie and the attraction is immediate. It doesn't take long for Gabriel to seduce Natalie on the dance floor but a complication is watching the scene unfold and his name is Shane Broussard, owner of Shivaree.

“He looks...cruel,” she whispered. Gabriel laughed again. He drew his head back to study her anxious face. The edges of his eyes crinkled with mischief and satisfaction. “He's a beast.”

Gabriel and Shane have a unique relationship that is both passionate and tumultuous. Shane is the pragmatic one built like a soldier. Prior to Gabriel, Shane was straight but Gabriel has a certain magnetic appeal that entrances men and women. Because Gabriel is free spirit, Shane has learned, much to his chagrin, that

Gabriel cannot be caged but to enjoy what he can while it lasts. With Natalie, a distraction has been presented and Gabriel wants Shane's permission to be share.

"Fuck you," she said. "You're not his master." He pulled her body close, not caring if she felt his arousal. "That's exactly what I am." "What's your price then?" "You let me watch."

Upon being invited to Shane's home, Natalie soon witnesses the push/pull dynamic that Gabriel and Shane share and it only adds to their allure. Their chemistry is explosive and Shane is determined to punish Gabriel with pleasure for making him feel the way he does. When Natalie sees how hot they are together, she wants to experience what these men can offer.

"She wanted to be both of them at once. She wanted to fuck Gabriel and get fucked by Shane."

As their sexuality is explored in different variations, including M/M, M/M/F, M/F and M/F/M, I'm pretty sure my Kindle was smoking from all the damn hotness! Lol! In addition to the passion and pleasure, these scenes fortified the powerful connection between Shane, Natalie and Gabriel. In the beginning, I was totally enamored with Gabriel but then my feelings unexpectedly changed in a significant way for Shane. With that transition, the plot shifted and it added another dimension to the story.

"You're a big man, Shane Broussard." He clamped his fist over hers, making her strokes tight and rough. He pushed his face against her neck and moaned. "Make me come, darlin'." Make me forget. Just for a few minutes."

Cara McKenna is known to write erotica with heart and deep emotion and this novella is no different. The author has a natural way of conveying intimacy and a normalcy of characters that easily allow for compassion. In starting Shivaree, I was expecting quite a bit of sexy time, but I got so much more than I had ever anticipated and now I'm vested in these characters. I highly recommend this book!

Shivaree Novella Series:

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## **Too Many Books Too Little Time says**

Color me shocked, I liked this one a bit more than the last one.

Even with Natalie added to the mix. She serves a purpose, I suppose.

Shane continued to be an asshole.

But this one was still SUPER HOT. So there is that.

I'm holding out hope that Shane and Gabriel can get their shit together soon.

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## **K.J. Charles says**

/whimpers/

Very, very intense. Read Backwoods first, though. American Gothic sex with a deeply unnerving pair of men and a lovely strong female lead.

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## **Julia says**

### **5-the hot scenes - stars**

A nasty break up with your three-year boyfriend could lead to different things. But I'm quite sure Natalie never saw this one coming. She wanted a rebound and she got it in form not one but two super-hot-so-sexy-that-i-want-to-lick-them men.

Heading home, **Natalie** finds herself in a difficult situation. Her truck broke down and she couldn't do anything. Then she meets **Gabriel** who offers to help her, and his lover **Shane**, and all the fun begins.

Though being a quickie this story has its deep profound meaning. *Can a lover be caught? Can he stay honest?*

**Gabriel** is a handsome sexy man who attracts a lot of attention. He makes people wish things. Like a drug he hooks them and the withdrawal is impossible to bear. He is like wind, enjoyable at times but impossible to catch.

**Shane** is in refusal. He couldn't resist Gabriel. He is afraid and delighted of the emotions he feels. He doesn't want Gabriel to drift in and out but couldn't help it.

**Natalie is just a girl who was caught in Gabriel's webs. She is like a moth flying into fire. She knows it will end in nothing but she's drawn to them**

All in all I liked this book. It was the perfect quickie with a good plot and very sexy scenes. This book is absolutely one of my most favorite not-to-be-read-in-public books.

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**Sofia says**

What a hot mess.

Shane and Gabriel break my heart and I do not know what to do with Natalie.

McKenna has not allowed us deep insight of Gabriel yet. What does he want, what does he feel.

Came into this installment unsure and came out still unsure.

Straight onto Getaway as I have to find some calm in this tangle.

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