



Non-Explicit Paranormal Romance Recommendations

The patron who requested this list enjoys paranormal romance authors like Patricia Briggs and Christine Feehan but is uncomfortable with explicit sexual content, which is a feature of many books in this genre, and had made it hard for her to find readalikes that she enjoyed. I ended up steering her toward YA paranormal romance series, for the most part, because they tend to have fewer content concerns.

- **Kelley Armstrong's books.** Her books often blend fantasy, mystery, and romance. She has a **Women of the Otherworld** series that focuses on vampires and werewolves, among other fantasy creatures, trying to blend into the regular world, as well as YA series (**Darkest Powers** and **Darkness Rising**) about supernatural scientists. Recommended for those who enjoy Patricia Briggs.
- **Amanda Ashley's books.** Paranormal romances, often focused on vampires. She herself has talked about how hard it is to find books in this genre that don't have explicit content, so she tends to avoid writing those scenes in her own work. We only have her stories in collections, but it's a good way to sample her work. Recommended for those who enjoy Christine Feehan.
- **Quinn Loftis's Grey Wolves series.** A YA series about werewolves and a girl who becomes involved with them. Recommended for those who enjoy Patricia Briggs.
- **Elisa S. Amore's Touched series.** Paranormal romance series translated from Italian. We have the first 2 books in the series.

