

SYNOPSIS

The Lucky One was published on September 2008. *The Lucky One* tells the life of Logan Thibault is U.S Marine who finds a photograph of a smiling young woman half-buried in the dirt during his first deployment in the Iraq War. He carries the photo in his pocket and soon wins a streak of poker games, then survives a battle that kills two of his closest buddies. His best friend, Victor, seems to have an explanation for his good fortune: the photograph is his lucky charm.

Back home in Colorado, Thibault begins to believe that the woman in the photo somehow holds the key to his destiny. He sets out on a journey across the country with his German shepherd, Zeus, to find her and eventually encounters Elizabeth "Beth" Green, a divorced mother with a young son, Ben, in North Carolina. Caught off guard by the attraction he feels, Thibault keeps the story of the photo and his luck a secret. He and Beth begin a passionate love affair, but the secret of the photo soon threatens to tear them apart, and by continued interference in their lives by Beth's ex-husband, the town's Sheriff and son of town's most eminent person and businessman—destroying not only their deep and true passionate, romantic love but also their very lives.

The challenge which appears in Logan and Beth's relationship is the secret about the photo Logan find. That photo belonged to Drake, Beth's dead younger brother. After knows the truth, Beth is very disappointed in Logan, Beth feels if Logan is not serious about loving her. Beth feels Logan is only obsessed with his belief about the lucky charm of the photograph. Another problem that arises is Beth's ex-husband, Keith who doesn't accept Logan's presence as Beth's lover. Keith feels that only he deserves with Beth. Keith even uses Ben as an excuse to return to Beth. Keith even threatened Beth if she doesn't drive Logan, he would bring Ben to live with him. Ben, who heard his parents quarrel, felt disappointed and sad. So Ben decided to run away from home. When Ben ran away from home, Ben was caught in danger. He almost falls into a river that could make him sink. Keith tries to save him, and makes Keith lose his life for the sake of his son.

After Keith's death, Beth and Logan finally united. Logan and commits to being together forever. Logan also accepts Ben's being a child of the woman he loves. Beth also appreciates Keith for saving Ben and willing to die for their sons. Beth convinces Ben that his father is a very dear to him, willing to do anything for him. Beth wants Ben to remember that. After that, Logan and Beth live happily ever after with their son, Ben.