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Lexi Jewell left Scarlet Springs twelve years ago, vowing never to return to the eccentric Colorado mountain town where she grew up. Now, here she is—over thirty, out of a job and with little choice but to move back in with her father. Lexi knows it's just a matter of time before she runs into Austin Taylor, her first boyfriend and her first heartbreak. She's determined to show him she's over him—until he steps out of a pickup truck and back into her life, looking sexy as hell in his mountain ranger uniform.

As far as Austin is concerned, Lexi can turn her snazzy little convertible around and drive back to Chicago. After all, she ripped his teenage heart apart and turned her back on the town he loves. But from the moment he sees her again, he can't get her out of his mind. Even her smile messes with his head.

When an evening of conversation turns into something else, Lexi and Austin agree to be friends again—with benefits. But as Lexi starts making plans to return to the big city, Austin realizes he'll lose her a second time unless he can show her that what she's searching for has been right here all along.

Note to readers: This is straight contemporary romance, not romantic suspense.

## **Barely Breathing Details**

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## Dali says

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***Blazing hot, sweet and exciting. With Pamela Clare you know you'll be getting contemporary romance at its best kicking off this appealing series with a delicious hero, a cute heroine and a full cast endearing supporting characters you'll be sure to fall for.***

Lexi Jewell didn't just leave her tiny home town of Scarlet Springs twelve years ago, she practically ran to Chicago, leaving her family and her first love without looking back. But now she's back to help her father, not quite sure what to do with the rest of her life and knowing she'll run into Austin sooner or later. Can she disregard the sexy man he's become?

Austin could not care less whether Lexi is back in town or not, right up until the moment he walks up to her on the side of road. His brain reminds him she broke his heart, but his body and heart have other ideas. Can he convince her to stay in the town he loves with him?

Pamela Clare was one of the first authors I read when I decided to graduate from YA paranormal to Contemporary Romance and let me say that she set the bar pretty high. I've read most of her books and loved all of them. She's definitely an automatic one click author who I know I can count on for deliciously sweet romance laced with excitement. Barely Breathing is no exception. It's a smooth flowing, fun easy read I didn't want to put down.

Although I admit angst is sometimes necessary, it's not my favorite emotion and I'm not a big fan so I was very pleased with how Lexi and Austin relationship developed. Wanting to ignore each other in the beginning because of their young mistakes and the hurt they caused one another but failing, to them being completely being unable to ignore their attraction and slowly and maturely rekindling their romance without unnecessary drama.

I really liked Austin and Lexi separately too. He's caring and swoony, she's smart and endearing and the chemistry they share is off the charts.

The secondary characters were equally appealing. Pamela introduces a bunch of interesting men and woman who I'm sure I'll love to get to know. I'm especially curious about Austin's best friend and hot fire fighter Eric Hawke. I also need to mention how much I LOVED having cameos of Gabe Rossiter (Naked Edge – I-Team #4) and Zach McBride (Breaking Point – I-Team #5) and all the excitement that Pamela is exceptionally skilled at.

Barely Breathing is book #1 in the Colorado High Country series by Pamela Clare. It's a standalone, contemporary romance full of fun and sexiness with a happy ending.

4.5 stars

\* I was given an ARC of this book courtesy of the author via NetGalley. The excerpts are from that copy. \*

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## **Beanbag Love says**

And Pamela Clare owns another romance genre.

When she announced she was writing a new contemporary romance series set in a small Colorado town and focusing on rescue workers in the mountains, I was thrilled. I don't always love contemporary romance, but I figured the odds of Pamela Clare getting it right were pretty good.

I was right to trust. The rescue and climbing elements were well researched and integrated organically which made the story come to life on a level beyond the romance. The setting is engaging and makes me want to visit the town (crucial for me to like a small town romance series). The romance itself is well rendered and sexy as hell.

Austin and Lexie were high school sweethearts until one fateful night when she tripped his abandonment issue trigger and they ended in a horrible breakup not long before she left for college and never came back. They haven't really been around each other for twelve years. She always wanted to leave their small town, but he always planned to stay. She's back because her dad needs her, but she doesn't plan to hang around more than a few weeks. He's part of the Mountain Rescue Team and he's a total hotshot climber while she's a CPA currently living in Chicago (and loving it) and planning her next move after leaving her job. Even with that obstacle and their past in place, their chemistry pops immediately and their relationship progresses believably. Their sexy times are fun and hot and they are very well suited in many ways.

This is the first in a series so many new characters and settings are introduced. PC does a good job of bringing them into the story in a way that doesn't overwhelm but intrigues. One place that gets some attention is a wildlife rescue center and I hope that continues to play a role. Mainly because I love wildlife and the work such centers do. But also ... a tiny fawn! Bobcat kittens! A pet wolf! Come on!

This is an independently published book and while there were a couple of minor typos, it's more polished than most pro-published books I've seen in a while. The price is right at \$4.99 and the story and series launch is well worth more.

I can't wait to read more about this setting and these characters. Highly recommended.

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## **Claire Robinson says**

5 - "We care about our own in this town." Stars!

*Barely Breathing* was a book of firsts for me in that it's the start of a new series, and it was also the first book I have read by Pamela Clare. Hugely impressed are the first words that come to mind. I have seen a lot

of positive feedback for this author over the years, so it was nice to read what all the fuss has been about, and I was not disappointed.

Lexi Jewell and Austin Taylor are your perfect couple for a second-chance romance. As teens, they were inseparable, but college came a-calling and one left town with a view of permanence to pursue a future in the city, while the other came home and lived the life they had envisaged them both sharing. Harsh words were spoken, and young hearts were broken. But it's pretty clear from their first meeting that that old burn of attraction is still glowing strong between them. But Lexi is only planning on being in town for a couple of months, and although Austin wants her to stay, he will take whatever he can get while she's in town, and work on trying to keep her around for as long as possible.

**"Let's just enjoy each others company-no expectations, no strings."**

There is a lot going on in this book, new town, new characters and a lot of back stories and past to be interspersed within the relationship rebuilding between the main pair and I think the author did really well, nothing was confusing and everyone was bought in at a pace that you remembered who they were and what their place in the story was as it progressed.

**"You give head with that dirty mouth?"**

The banter between the Search & Rescue guys was absolutely spot on, and I just loved the locale and descriptions that the author gave, it was easy to picture and I really did travel to Scarlet Springs, Colorado in my head for the time I was reading. The sexy-times between Autin and Lexi were imaginative, plentiful and at times funny and the suspense aspect played out really well too, it was just really good all-round reading for me.

As I said this book was a first for me, it definitely won't be my last. I will be waiting (im) patiently for Pamela to deliver up more books from the *Colorado High Country* Series, and looking to familiarize myself with some of her already published work as well.

ARC generously provided via Netgalley, and it was a pleasure to provide the above honest review.

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## **Jonetta says**

*Originally posted on The Book Nympho*

Lexie Jewel returns home to Scarlet, Colorado when her father's marriage falls apart and her own career unravels. She left twelve years ago with no intention of ever going back, especially after the heartbreaking end of her relationship with Austin Taylor, now a park ranger and member of the Rocky Mountain Search & Rescue Team. Both blame the other but neither really wanted it to end.

At first I didn't think this story was going to be all that interesting given the set up (communication misunderstandings that take forever to resolve). Well, shame on me for not remembering this author's stellar writing chops. She wastes no time moving the story along and having Lexie and Austin behave like adults.

And, these two turn the heat up beyond any temperature reading you can register. Loved how their relationship developed and these were two very likable, admirable characters.

I also enjoyed learning about the intricacies of mountain climbing, both in the contexts of search & rescue and professional climbing. I've a whole new respect for the engineering and athleticism.

There's just a smidgen of a suspense element that occurs at the right time in the story and bolsters the other aspects. The sense of community within the town and the team resonates strongly, which I found highly appealing. Everything about this story worked for me and I'm excited about the prospects of future books in the series.

(I received an ARC from NetGalley in exchange for an honest review)

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## Jo says

***What was it about Lexi that got to him like this? How did she make him want her so badly that he could never get enough? She was an addiction, an obsession, a disease.***

Now this is my kind of second chance romance!!! Second chance romances are not a favorite of mine, but when it's done right, like this book, I love it.

Lexi and Austin were teenagers when they fell in love, and broke each other's hearts. They were way too young to realise and appreciate what they had, and now it is twelve years later and both are still hurt by what happened between them.

I really liked Lexi. She's very hardworking, caring and hesitant to love. I think after losing her mother, basically having her father check out after her death, and a stepmother who didn't treat the little girls right, Lexi wasn't used to love and didn't quite know how to handle it.

Pamela Clare has written another great hero with Austin. He's a bit gruff and broody in the beginning, upset by seeing Lexi again, and realising that the feelings he had so long ago for her is still there. But he was so sexy with how serious he took his work, and how hard he tried to not fall for Lexi again.

The romance was just as fantastic as I've come to expect from this author. The sexy times were as scorching as always, and the romance sweet and spicy. I especially liked the handcuffs scene ;-) (view spoiler)

I really enjoyed the plot with all the mountain climbing, it was very fascinating. I absolutely love Ms. Clare's romantic suspense series and although this was a bit more contemporary romance she still added her trademark suspense to keep things interesting.

I loved all the secondary characters, especially Eric Hawke and Lexi's best friend Victoria. I really hope they get a book. And I was so happy that Zach McBride made an appearance!! Yay :-D

I am such a huge fan of this author, and once again she has written a winner. Her romances are always so hot and romantic and riveting. I love it!! A definite must read for all fans of this author, and if you haven't read her yet, WHAT ARE YOU WAITING FOR??!!

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## **Anne OK says**

Following a long line of her top-rated books, Pamela Clare debuts a new series with a great mixture of her witty dialogues, wonderfully drawn characters, breathless Colorado mountaintops, and a brand new team of search & rescuers – the SAR Team – all rolled into a second chance at love romance. As a huge fan of this author, it was a safe bet that I would immediately be pulled in by her writing skills and intensely researched and detailed storyline. I wasn't disappointed. I'm in for the long haul.

The first book focuses on Austin and Lexi - although readers will be introduced to a multitude of new characters that I'm assuming will reappear in future books and even get stories of their own. Set in a small mountain town, Lexi is returning after a 12-year absence. As high school sweethearts, things ended badly between them and she left. Even after so many years apart, encountering each other again sends sparks flying and, although maybe a tad too instantaneously, the heat is back on hotter than ever! And we all know that this author excels at sealing the deal for her couples!

A sexy and spicy page-turner with edge-of-your-seat rock climbing experiences to keep the adrenaline pumping on high and Clare's amazing ability to add the right amount of her trademark humor between her characters, satisfaction is guaranteed.

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## **Kathleen says**

**Story Rating ~ 5 HUGE STARS!**

**Hero Rating ~ 5 GIGANTIC STARS!**

**Heroine Rating ~ 5 ENORMOUS STARS!**

**Heat Level ~ 3.75 These two were SCORCHING HOT!!**

**Ending ~ 5+++ STARS!**

**Overall Rating ~ ALL THE STARS IN THE SKY!!**

OMG Ladies, I LOVED this one HARD!! I just finished and I have tears in my eyes, it was THAT GOOD!!

This is a second chance at love romance and I LOVED EVERY SINGLE MOMENT!!! This book was AMAZING! Well of course it was, after all it's a Pamela Clare book! Pamela Clare took me somewhere where she never has before, a small town romance.

Lexi Jewell has been away from her home town of Scarlet Springs for 12 years. She never thought she'd be going back but certain circumstances had her headed back to help her father out of a mess he's made. Lexi also knew that she would end up running into the first love of her life Austin Taylor. When they broke it off all those years ago, they both felt the pain of it. It doesn't take long for these two to meet up and the same attraction is still there. They decide that since Lexi has no plans of staying in Scarlet Springs that they would just share a friend with benefits type of relationship while she was there. Once that agreement was made, these two could NOT keep their hands and other things away from each other. YOWZA! PC definitely

brought the heat with this one and I devoured every single love scene and throbbed through them all.

I LOVED both Lexi and Austin. They were FANTASTIC characters and had SO many great qualities about them. There were also some excellent secondary characters added in, SO MANY!

At one point, I thought, I'm missing the usual suspense that Pamela has written and done oh so well. Near the end she added a bit into the story line giving me the excitement I usually crave in her reads.

I know I'm not going into much of the story line, I don't want to give anything away. Trust me ladies when I say **YOU REALLY SHOULD NOT MISS OUT ON THIS ONE!!** Especially if you enjoy an AMAZING and OH SO SEXY contemporary romance.

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### Jacqueline says

Solid read from PC. Even though I REALLY don't like second chance at love stories this was pretty enjoyable and here at least the way they broke up was different. I appreciated that they were adult about discussing it and accepting that they both held part of the blame although him a bit more than her.

I found all the climbing details dense dense dense. I skimmed them. The rest of the story was well done and the HEA believable. There were an awful lot of secondary characters though. I know this is going to be a series. Not sure that we needed to meet everybody in the first one though.

Still the quality of PC's writing will have me happily signing up to read any and all follow ups.

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### Jen says

#### 4 Stars

I need to start this review off by saying what a treat it was to read a new Pamela Clare novel. I adore the I-Team series (Unlawful Contact has a permanent spot on my favorites list) but I don't think I've ever had the pleasure of reading a straight contemporary romance by this author before. *Barely Breathing*, the first book in Ms. Clare's new *Colorado High Country* series, managed to take care of that problem for me.

Lexi Jewell and Austin Taylor grew up together in the small mountain town of Scarlet, CO. By the time these two hit seventeen and the hormones were in full effect, they'd fallen in love and were taking full advantage of Austin's pickup truck bed and the blow up mattress he kept handy. From a young age, Lexi's only goal was to get the hell out of Scarlet and her relationship with Austin never changed that objective. When their teenage love affair is no match for Lexi's envisioned future, both Austin and Lexi are left with broken hearts.

That above little ditty is exactly how I pictured a heartbroken Austin. **Is it that much more painful when the ultra-good looking get the sads?** I digress.



Fast forward 12 years and Lexi's home and trying to figure out her life, as well as to help her cantankerous father manage the family inn. She knows that, at some point, she's going to run into Austin but she didn't expect it to happen before she actually drives into town. What's obvious from their first adult encounter is that Austin has a massive case of the panty twists and any truce Lexi wants to call isn't going to come easy.

Austin's best intentions are to stay far away from the even more beautiful Lexi, but luckily for us that resolve doesn't last too long.

***Some part of him knew kissing her was stupid— really stupid, catastrophically stupid. But then she pressed her body hard against his, and he decided stupid could go fuck itself.***

Do you want to know what I loved best about *Barely Breathing*? This is a contemporary romance written for adults, by an adult. As simple as that sounds, in my experience it's hard to come by. These characters are thirty and they actually act like thirty year olds. No unnecessary miscommunication, no jumping to conclusions to cause an issue that didn't need to be there in the first place. This story is about two people finding their way to each other again and taking a chance, even though they both admit their relationship probably won't be permanent. They both lay their cards on the table and go from there. And the hot sex didn't hurt a ***damn thing***.

I also enjoyed the bit of suspense interwoven and I'm hoping the unresolved secondary story gets resolved by the end of the series *\*wink\* I'm thinking it will*. The only thing that left me a little glazed over was the rock climbing talk and lingo. Yes, there's a glossary given at the beginning of the book, but I'm admittedly lazy and I just skimmed most of those parts.

*Barely Breathing* ended up being a wonderful decompression read for me and I can't wait for the rest of the series. **Let me tell you, the secondary character hotness is strong with this one!** That's a whole lot to look forward to.

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## **Denisa says**

2.5 It's not you, it's me.

I think I'm in a bit of a weird moment when it comes to books, I just can't seem to find something I really enjoy. As a result, a book that everyone loved wasn't so much fun for me.

It was boring! The book was way too long, all of their problems could have been solved so much faster. Maybe most people love all the descriptions and stuff but I, for one, just skip them. I didn't really care about all those details.

So, yes, I skipped, like, 1/3 of the book.

Ah well, on to the next one!

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## **Pamela(AllHoney) says**

The first book in Pamela Clare's *Colorado High Country* series. Lexi Jewell returns to her home town of Scarlett Springs, Colorado, to help her dad. Not that her dad wants her help but since she lost her job and her boyfriend she has the time. Almost immediately she encounters Austin Taylor, the "boy" who broke her heart twelve years before. Austin is not a boy any longer. He is part of the Search and Rescue team.

First off I will start by saying this cannot be compared to her I-Team series. That was Romantic Suspense and this series is Contemporary Romance. I have to admit that I have a preference for RS but as far as CR goes I think this one stands well. There are really only a handful of CR authors that I have on my must-buy list. Authors such as Jill Shalvis and Lori Foster. Now, Pamela Clare has earned a spot on that list for me. There is not a cliffhanger, thank goodness! But I do suspect that certain issues will come up in future books. (view spoiler) We were introduced to some intriguing possible leading men and ladies that I look forward to reading about. Great start to the series!

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## **Jessica's Totally Over The Top Book Obsession says**

### **4.5 Sexy Lexi Stars**

What a cute, sexy read. Man I loved this book! From start to finish this book was entertaining , funny, and easy. I couldn't put down. I loved Austin. What a hero, he was sexy, sweet, the total package. When he showed he had a bit of kink in him I was melting. Damn but that man was sexy! Everything about him perfect. Lexi was amazing too. She was cute, endearing, and she could be a sexy little dirty girl too! I loved these two as a couple. I felt they had great chemistry. My God some of the sex scenes were smokin' hot.

***"I'm a firm believer in sex therapy." Blood surged into his cock. "Yeah?" He hadn't been expecting this. "In cases like this, fellatio is particularly effective."- Lexi and Austin***

***"You give head with that dirty mouth?"-Austin***

There was this scene with handcuffs that had me laughing so hard I had tears in my eyes. I loved that both Lexi and Austin were respectful and mature and didn't play games that caused over the top drama. I really didn't like Lexi's dad and step mom but in the end I felt they did a good job of starting to redeem themselves. This book has some great secondary characters that really made it stand out. I can already tell you who I am wanting to get their own book. I want Chaska, and Sasha to get a book. But OMG I am dying for Eric and Vic to get a book..... Please let their book be next I need it bad! The only reason this book didn't get 5 stars is It's missing an epilogue. I wanted an epilogue badly. I felt this book really needed that peek into their future. Overall I loved this book. I would recommend it to everyone and I can't wait til the next one comes out!

*"I'm going to fuck you so long and hard you'll have trouble remembering a time when my cock wasn't inside you."-Austin*

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## **WhiskeyintheJar/Kyrariker says**

2.5 stars

I received this book for free in exchange for an honest review. This does not affect my opinion of the book or the content of my review.

Lexi couldn't wait to leave her hometown in the dust after graduation but that also meant leaving her high school sweetheart Austin behind. Their breakup crushed them both and twelve years later, the feelings are still there. When Lexi's work life goes up in flames and her dad having a breakdown after his wife leaves him has her returning to Scarlet Springs, she's unprepared to see Austin again. Austin knew Lexi was returning but he still wasn't prepared to see her again. As circumstances throw them together, they realize that feelings of love never truly go away.

The first in a new series, *Barely Breathing*, introduces us to a Search and Rescue group in Scarlet Springs, Colorado. The first thirty percent of the story was a barrage of introductions to one hot heroic character after the next; it was slightly overwhelming with trying to keep track of everyone. I also understand that romance books are a fantasy but, I don't know, could someone be near sighted, have some split ends, or something? Having a group of around twelve characters whose hotness and goodness only gets topped by the next one, gets to be somewhat eye roll inducing when they keep coming one after the other. The setting up of all the characters also gave the beginning a crammed feeling as it fell to first book in a series syndrome.

Our main couple seemed to have had a solid relationship when they were in highschool, we don't get any flashbacks, only a recounting of how their breakup conversation went, and therefore their emotions and falling in love was missed. The relationship we do get to see was seeing each other for the first time in twelve years and thinking "Hey, they're even hotter than before!", "I wish we hadn't broken up", and "Sex with you is better than with anyone else." There just didn't seem to be a lot of emotion between the two, we're just told that they had it in highschool and the residual effects are still being felt today.

Lexi was a good character, she just felt kind of dry to me (I felt that way about the story as a whole). She had emotional trauma from losing her mother at a young age, an emotionally absent father, and distant stepmother but other than a few conflicting moments with her drunk father and snappy conversations with her stepmother, the depth of these issues was never delved into. Lexi also has a sister but their relationship was very much to the sidelines. Austin had the bullet points for being a great hero but he came off being a bit stiff. It was alluded to that he was angry at Lexi for the way things ended and even though it has been twelve years and his anger would have lessened, it felt like he just even keeled his way into being in love with Lexi again. There was no gradual build up either, they think each other is hot, remember how good the sex was in highschool, have sex, and then "Hey, I still love you."

Clare's writing is always good and she does make you want to keep reading but this story had a lot of rinse

and repeat. There was both a rescue mission or training exercise, the group would head out to have a few beers at the local bar, and then Lexi and Austin would go back to his place to have sex; this pattern was repeated numerous times and made the story extremely monotonous. As I mentioned, with the introduction of several characters with heroine/hero potential, this series looks to be shaping up to be a longer one. I'll definitely be giving the next one try, a guest appearance from a Chief Deputy U.S. Marshall Zach McBride and the remembered amazing way Clare wrote his book assures that, but I'll also be hoping for more depth, emotion, and showing not telling.

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## Alp says

Brilliantly perfect!

I just finished reading a book that touched my heart deeply. The story was thoroughly wonderful that I don't think my review can do it justice. I have so many things running through my mind but it's hard to put into words. Despite my high expectations, this book still managed to blow me away in a similar way to how Pamela Clare's other works did me. Barely Breathing is everything I could ever ask for in my reading experience.

This is a second-chance love story between Austin Taylor and Lexi Jewell.

After resigning from her accounting firm in Chicago, Lexi returned to Scarlet Springs, the town she left twelve years ago. She planned to stay there for a few weeks to help her father reconcile with her stepmother. Besides, she needed some time to sort out what she really wanted to do with her life before going back to Chicago.

Austin is a park ranger and part of Search and Rescue team. When the reporting party called in, he never thought he would run into his high school sweetheart who broke his heart badly. But after all these years, he never forgot his first love, never stopped loving her.

As Austin and Lexi spent more time together, it became clear to them that all the feelings that were once there between them even grew stronger and deeper with each passing day. Austin was a fool to let her go once, and it almost crushed him into pieces. He didn't know if he could do it again this time if Lexi decided to leave him and go back to Chicago. How could he survive losing her as he finally realized that he couldn't bear to live without her?

I fell head over heels in love with Austin when I read the scene (view spoiler) Austin's reaction wasn't what I expected. Instead of getting irritated or angry with her, he thought he was the luckiest man and then he pulled her into his arms. Aww...I really wanted to give him a big hug, he totally impressed me with his endlessly gentle response and optimistic attitude. He's very adorable, isn't he?

The author totally caught me off guard when (view spoiler). The whole scene was not only damn hot and sexy, but it was also sweet, spectacular, sensual, and full of passion. At that moment, it was not just about sex, it was about an intense emotional bond between two people, it was trust, care, and acceptance. Normally I'm not that much into this kind of scene, but the author has a wonderful way with words and she knows very well what the readers want. So, I found myself surprisingly enjoying it and it turned out to be one of my

favorite sex scenes I've ever read.

It was my memorable moment when Austin and the rescue team saved Lexi's life and carried her out of an abandoned mine shaft. The moment she saw the townspeople's faces and knew that they were there for her, and also her father and stepmother, I couldn't help but break into tears! I couldn't continue reading, my vision blurred as tears filled my eyes and they continued to cascade down my face. I felt so overwhelmed with emotions. Oh, it was so beautiful!

This was a great start to the series. I enjoyed every single page I read. The story was full of breathtaking romance, scorching passion, and tons of laughs. It was sweet, lovely, heartwarming—just right for me in every way. I wish I could give this book more than five stars. If you're looking for a good small-town, second-chance romance with a little bit of suspense, then this book is for you. It's certainly worth reading and you'll never be disappointed.

And now I can hardly wait for the next book!

LOVED IT!!!

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### **UniquelyMoi ~ BlithelyBookish says**

Updated: This book is no longer free, but at \$0.99 it's a steal. I did a re-read recently and fell in love with the Colorado High Country all over again. <http://amzn.to/2hqRPv>

Original review:

A great locale, amazing characters, and an exciting, romantic, VERY sexy story kick off Pamela Clare's new *Colorado High Country* series. From start to finish, *Barely Breathing* is a winner - which was not a surprise to me because *everything* Ms. Clare writes is awesome, so this was bound to be too!

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If you're already a Pamela Clare fan, or interested in learning more about her and her books, be sure to stop by our Pamela Clare Fan Group here on Goodreads!

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