Biography: Megan Chance

Megan Chance is the bestselling, critically acclaimed author of several novels. Her novel *Bone River* was an Amazon Book of the Month, *A Drop of Ink* was an Editor's Choice from the Historical Novel Society, and *An Inconvenient Wife* was an IndieNext pick. Critics love the work of Megan Chance. *Booklist* calls her writing "Provocative and haunting." "Magical," says *The Kitsap Sun*. "Stellar characterization, terrific dialogue," praises *Publishers Weekly*. "Impossible to stop reading," raves the *Seattle Times*.

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- 1997 RT Bookelub nomination for Career Achievement in Innovative Romance
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- 1997 Greater Seattle Chapter RWA Emerald City Keeper Award for Best Historical Romance
- 1996 RT Bookclub Reviewer's Choice nomination for Best Victorian Romance
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