

"AUDACIOUS is at once a love letter to the birth of a nation, and a reminder that growth demands sacrifice, standing up to our greatest fears, and claiming what -- and who -- we love."

~ Lorrie Thomson, author of
EQUILIBRIUM and
WHAT'S LEFT BEHIND

Charlotte Hawkins is New York royalty with a rare talent for getting what she wants, courtesy of her grandfather's tutelage. Now, Charlotte will make sure Grandpapa pays for disinheriting her father and forcing her parents to abandon her. Charlotte holds the power to determine New York's allegiance to the Crown with her secret betrothal to Pierce Fairfax, son of the Loyalist leader -- Grandpapa's arch enemy. The only thing that could ruin her plans is Charlotte's treacherous longing for radical revolutionary Dirk Van Broeck VII.

Dirk Van Broeck VII, known as Brock, returns home after a long absence to a province polarized by dirty politics. Mobsters rule the streets of Manhattan, and his best friend, Pierce Fairfax, is a traitorous Loyalist. Years earlier, Brock had abandoned his father and duties as future manor lord of Broeckwyck after his humiliating blunder ignited a bloody tenant farmer riot in the Hudson Valley. Now, he's back to reclaim his true identity as a revolutionary leader, beginning with sabotaging Pierce Fairfax's betrothal to Charlotte Hawkins before the province at a horse race.

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"One of these days" is today...

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