Master Gunnery Sergeant Bradley Harding arrives in the cozy coastal town of Blocker's Bluff, South Carolina, looking for a place to start a new life once his current enlistment ends. But hat all depends on finding—and confronting—a person from his past. In his search for truth, he discovers far more than he expected while renting a room at the quaint Baxter House. He uncovers long-buried secrets, and an elderly matriarch will do everything she can to keep them hidden from family and loved ones.

Still wrestling with his own demons from combat, Harding hopes to help out a former comrade who lost her arm during a mission he was leading. Wracked with guilt about her injury, he enlists the aid of Jessica’s roommate—as well as a very special canine.

Meanwhile, the chief of police must contend with a vicious attack on her husband and his dog. Normally able to restrain her emotions, the case takes its toll and makes her question if a career change might be in order.

Amidst a wealth of charming characters and compelling drama, Baxter House is an inspirational tale about love, pain, fear, hope, and the inextricable bond of family—with more than a few surprises along the way.