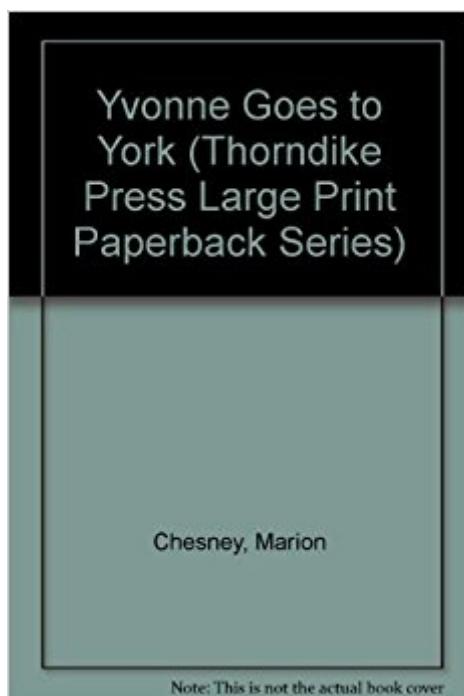


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Synopsis

[Read by Helen Lisanti] Intrepid spinster Miss Hannah Pym has the opportunity to try her matchmaking skills on a beautiful fugitive of the French Revolution. A former employer's legacy of £5,000 has allowed spinster Hannah Pym to resign from housekeeping and enjoy traveling the English countryside by coach. But adventure soon finds Miss Pym in the form of runaway brides, spirited heiresses, and international refugees, who continue to test her expert matchmaking skills. The shy Miss Yvonne Grenier, a beautiful fugitive of the French Revolution, is quite terrified when a dangerous enemy boards her coach to York. Luckily, Miss Hannah Pym is also on board. Ever the matchmaker, Miss Pym sees the answer to Yvonne's plight in the hands and heart of another passenger -- the Marquis of Ware. Handsome and tailored to perfection, the marquis has birth and fortune enough to defend Yvonne. Although the girl is of the French bourgeoisie and below his rank, Miss Pym is certain that Yvonne's Gallic graces and quick wit have more than piqued his interest. Miss Pym will propose a plan that enlists the marquis' aid, and soon he will be proposing. After all, a maiden in distress is irresistible -- even to a confirmed bachelor. --This text refers to the MP3 CD edition.

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Customer Reviews

Nicely atmospheric, most notable for its gentle humour and adventurous spirit Publishers Weekly
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M. C. Beaton has won international acclaim for her bestselling Hamish Macbeth mysteries and Agatha Raisin mysteries. She has also written more than one hundred romance titles and romantic suspense novels. --This text refers to the MP3 CD edition.

I can't believe the series has ended. I wonder how Ms. Beaton felt when she wrote those final words after being so close to Miss Pym and Benjamin for so long. I've done my reading on my iPad, but I enjoyed the series so much, I might buy the hard copies to put on my bookshelf. Thank you so much, Ms. Beaton, for hours and hours of pure enjoyment.

I love the Traveling Matchmaker series and was very happy to have it in ebook format. Miss Hannah Pym is a spinster who has come into a comfortable legacy that allows her to indulge her lifelong dream of traveling on the Flying Coach. She goes through various adventures and is an excellent matchmaker, all while suffering from unrequited love herself. In this the final book, she is involved in scandal, betrayal, danger, kidnapping, a daring rescue that takes a completely unexpected turn and finally --- well you will have to read it to find out whether or not Miss Pym is doomed to a life alone or not.

Once again, the stage coach is the impetus for this story. A young French girl, an international intrigue, some aristocrats and we have another tale in Regency England. The mystery of it all is exciting and once again Miss Pym is in hot water. She sets our to find her former employer, mrs. Clarence, rumored to be in York. If you have read this far, I would be wrong to tell you the ending for Miss Pym. Too bad we cannot have more miss Pym books.

I love all of M.C. Beaton's novels when I want something light and quick to read. This was no exception. I was getting bogged down in the middle of a long serious novel and said enough of this, give me something fun to read so I started on Yvonne Goes to York and as usual couldn't put it down until I finished the last page. It probably helped that I'd read the other books in this series so I was familiar with the characters and interested in the continuing story but really none of her books require that, each will stand on it's own. It was a fast paced page turner that was fun to read

M.C. Beaton is one of my favorite authors and always makes me laugh and learn. Historical information about 18th century England is delightful and extremely timely for the story setting. Her

characters in the Traveling Matchmaker series seem real and adventure in this time frame is quite different. The challenges they face secondary to societal restrictions are unique in ways I never realized. This author amazes me with her many stories and different settings. Her research into the era and application to her stories is superb and informative. History shouldn't be so much fun.

This and the first book in the series, and one other in the middle are the three I enjoyed the most. The first, as it introduces Miss Pym and sets up the reason for her traveling. This, the final book, as it encapsulates more than one match, the reader learns more about the Clarence family, and, of course, a happy ending.

Old stories written by dead authors, new stories written by authors still alive, can be just as good to read today as they were when written. Reading about Regency England is my favorite time period to enjoy. I picked this story because the author's style of storytelling matches my reading interest level. An easy story for an easy read.

I really enjoyed all the books in this series - I'm sad to see it end, but this last book really wrapped everything up nicely. These books are a light read - a little romance, likable characters, a little mystery and I thought the author did a nice job of tying in a little real history and fun facts as the stories unfolded. Very well done!

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