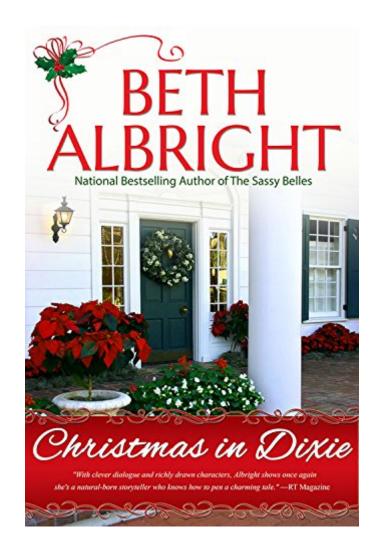
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# Christmas In Dixie (In Dixie Series Book 2)





#### Synopsis

â œChristmas gifts arenâ <sup>™</sup>t always just a fun surprise. Sometimes they totally take your breath away.â ⊷ Blake Oâ ™Hara BartholomewFrom National Bestselling and award winning Author Beth Albright, comes a new, funny, heartwarming southern Christmas tale â "told as only Beth Albright can tell. Inheriting this old southern mansion might have been the best thing to ever happen to Hollywood chef Rhonda Cartwright. It brought her back home to Tuscaloosa, Alabama, her long lost hometown. Restoring the old place to all its former glory, she is ready for the house to make its debut as Tuscaloosaâ <sup>™</sup>s new finest B&B. The Tuscaloosa Christmas Gala will be the stage for it all and itâ <sup>TM</sup>s only a few days away. With her new lover and old best friends surrounding her, she is poised to finally get the life she has always dreamed of: safe and secure and predictable. But just when Rhonda Cartwright thinks she has finally uncovered the last of the family secrets, a woman from the past shows up on her doorstep with secrets of her own. And just wait till Rhondaâ ™s unpredictable, unapologetic mother appears at the Christmas Gala with a surprise date. Christmas chaos ensues and Rhonda and her group of Belles will be on the case, trying to pull it all together before the big night of the Gala. Christmastime in the Deep South is almost always full of surprises. Just not this kind of surprise. Rhonda needs a miracle to pull off the Gala, or a real life Santaâ "well maybe sheâ <sup>™</sup>II find both, right here in Dixie.Beth Albright is at her southern best with this new series of sexy romance, laugh out loud comedy, and edge of your seat mysteryâ "exactly what we have come to love in the Beth Albright brand! So grab your girlfriends and put on your seatbelts for this series, IN DIXIE, an exciting joyride through the Deep South that will keep you guessing laughing and crying until the final shocking pages. Praise & Accolades for author Beth AlbrightDOUBLE Finalist for the RT REVIEWERS AwardsThe Sassy Belles for BEST CONTEMPORARY ROMANCEWedding Belles for BEST Contemporary Love and LaughterThe Sassy Belles WINNER: Best Debut Novel from the Book Junkie Choice Awards The Sassy Bellesâ "\*Finalist BEST DEBUT NOVEL, RT REVIEWERS AWARDS, 2014\*Top Five Summer Pick â " Deep South Magazine\*Finalist: Best Debut Novel â " Book Junkie Choice AwardsPraise For The Novels of Beth AlbrightDripping with southern charm and colloquialisms, the novel once again proves Albrightâ <sup>™</sup>s firsthand knowledge of southern culture. The women in Albrightâ <sup>™</sup>s novels are especially well written a "happy to challenge the status guo when necessary but also aware of that old adage, â œYou catch more flies with honey.â • This delightfully campy and romantic read will satisfy fans of Mary Kay Andrews, Alexandra Potter, and Lisa Jewell. Booklist Review for Wedding BellesBy turns tender, witty, steamy, and sharp, Albright's debut novel proves she's a gifted storyteller with intimate knowledge of southern culture. This charming tale is tailor-made for

fans of Mary Kay Andrews and Anne George." â "Booklist Review for The Sassy Bellesâ |with distinct nods to the strength of family, the friendship sisterhood and the indomitable Southern spirit...Albright's first novel is a frothy, frolicking story..." â "Kirkus Review for The Sassy Bellesâ œAlbright good-naturedly displays her inner redneck while steering this giddy Dixie romp with ease-leaving lots of room at the happy ending for another adventure starring these steel magnolias" â "Publisher's Weekly Review for The Sassy Bellesâ œReaders will find some sexy, Southern fun for Christmas with The Sassy Belles.â • â " Library Journal for Sleigh Belles

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### **Customer Reviews**

More delightful reading from Beth Albright. The Sassy Belle saga continues with another spellbinding southern tale in Tuscaloosa of Rhonda and her newly renovated southern mansion, bed and breakfast about to open during the Christmas holiday. The belles all all rally round to help her through a problem arising to thwart her upcoming wedding to her childhood sweetheart and her new business venture. This novel has it all... I read it cover to cover , day after Thanksgiving while the "men" watched football..

I love her books! Fun, easy reads. Except for Marci, ugh. I love to hate her. The characters are so fun and full of life. The first book in this series is even better than this one! Take a chance on this author, I was glad I did. Oh, and Roll Tide ;-)

Beth Albright hasa wonderful way of capturing you! You feel, hear & smell everything she descibes! I love the Sassy Belle stories! Once I start her books I cant put them dowm! Christmas in Dixie is no different!! You see the house, the big tree,& want to be there to punch a certain someone!! LOL a must read for the holidays!! Great job once again!!!

Beth Albright's "In Dixie" series is delightful! And "Christmas in Dixie" is even better than "Magic in Dixie" since we get to learn more about these wonderful Sassy Belles! I have always admired the author's descriptive ability as she makes you feel that you are actually there in the place with the characters. You even feel like you can smell the fragrance of the flowers in the room! The secrets that are revealed never fail to surprise you and you keep wondering what will be the next big news. Always entertaining, funny, touching, and well written. If you want to take a delightful journey with these smart, caring, and strong women, then buy your ticket, jump aboard and hold onto your hat - it will be a wild and worthwhile trip.

Always enjoy reading Beth's books. Like how she weaves the different Tuscaloosa landmarks and people into her stories. She always leaves me excited and waiting for the next episodes in these Sassy Belles lives. Never a dull moment!

Wonderfully written as usual by Beth Albright!! She has a fun way of making you feel like you are right there watching everything in the book happen as she describes every little detail so we don't miss a thing!! The Belles trilogy was wonder but the Dixie series is even better!! I love how she uses the characters from her other books to introduce new characters and give continuity to all of her books!! Keep them coming Beth!!

I love how Beth's characters and the settings come to life! Being a native of Tuscaloosa made Christmas in Dixie jump off the pages and come to life in my head. I can not wait for Daydreams in Dixie!! First of all, let me say that my version (Kindle) of this book must not have been edited. There were so many misspelled words and grammar errors. It was really odd. Words that obviously should have been in a sentence were just left out.I was just disappointed in this book. There was page after page about Rhonda having the same thoughts over and over. "Jack was all hers" ad nauseum. We get it. Jack didn't do much better. I am not a fan of romance novels, so perhaps that is why I really didn't care for this book. Page after page of love scenes. I was interested in the other characters, who were pushed to the background. The trouble with Marci was interesting, but could have been more developed, and Rhonda was just plain mean to her mother even after her mom had given her the money to keep the mansion (the first book.) I live in Alabama and am a huge fan of the Crimson Tide, but Nick Saban coming to the Gala? Really? I won't read any more of this series. I really wish I liked these books more.

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