# Lord Owen's Lady

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## Genre

Drama-Suspense-Action-Romance

# Logline

Two people from different cultures clash before overcome traditions and prejudice to discover love.

## **Tagline**

Love knows no boundaries!

#### **Possible Locations**

India, Wales

# **Synopsis**

Loyalty, betrayal, and cultures clash in this modern-day story when fate plays a dark hand. A landslide in a remote Welsh village sets in motion a dangerous rescue. **Lieutenant Owen Jenkins**, Welsh RAF helicopter pilot touches down in the center of the chaos and clashes with **Mena**, a take charge female American doctor. At Mena's insistence, Owen flies out the critically injured only to have the helicopter crash in the storm. Despite Owen's best efforts most die.

At the hospital, Mena's fiancé, **Rajesh**, stokes the fires of hatred by accusing Owen in the media of seeking personal glory at the expense of lives. When Mena visits an unconscious Owen, she's traumatized when she discovers her dead friend's bracelet, implicating Owen in her possible murder. Jealous of Mena's growing feelings for Owen, Rajesh convinces an angry mob that Owen will escape justice by fleeing to the UK unless they act. Owen's father, **Lord Kenneth Jenkins** spirits his son back to the UK setting off an international incidence. Political pressure forces Owen into a court martial on manslaughter charges. No person is safe as journalists hound Mena about her own culpability in the crash. Angry, Mena flies to the UK as a witness at Owen's trial. Her supportive family and fiancée accompany her.

At Owen's trial, suggestive photos of Owen and Mena sends the media into a frenzy. As evidence mounts, rescue team member, woman Petty Officer **Manjula** and Owen's father collaborate to expose the lies threatening Owen's future. During the trial's recess, Emily invites Mena to her quaint home in Wales to reflect and escape the relentless press accusations. Mena explores Welsh culture and discovers a gentler side of Owen. She wonders if she might be wrong in condemning the man she is so strongly attracted to. And to be sure about her feelings, Mena accepts an invitation by Lord Kenneth to the family estate where Mena and Owen explore their feelings for each other. Rajesh arrives with lies about Owen's motives and intentions. An angry Mena, believing the accusations, storms out in tears.

As the trial resumes, the outcome looks bleak until the damaged flight recorder raises doubt that Owen ever knew a land rescue was on their way and about the circumstances of Mena's friend's death. The court, succumbing to political pressure, finds Owen guilty of reckless judgment resulting in death. He's striped of his commission.

With no career, and the loss of Mena, Owen sinks into depression. Lord Kenneth sets up an unusual job interview, which will test his limits, at a prestigious Welsh Military Academy. Kenneth hires a private detective who discovers Rajesh is the cause of Mena's father's financial problems and a marriage to Mena will insure his control of a breakthrough technology. Eventually, Owen confronts Rajesh, Mena and her family with proof of Rajesh's deceit and treachery. Rajesh vows revenge. On returning to Lord Kenneth's estate, they encounter a crazed Rajesh seeking revenge. In a deadly confrontation, Kenneth sacrifices his own life allowing Owen to kill Rajesh and save Mena and his friends.

In a grand wedding, Owen assumes his father's title and Mena becomes Lord Owen's Lady.

# Characters

Owen – hero, male, Welsh, officer in Royal Navy
Menu – heroine, female, doctor, Indian
Manjula – teacher
Josh – teacher of kids in bus
Kenneth Jenkins – Lord of Llandough – Owen's father
Rajesh – engaged to Mena
Gavin Henson – visiting rugby coach, welsh nice guy

# **Background**

I have added atmosphere and the culture and excitement of Wales. In this scene the backdrop is the 2<sup>nd</sup> highest mountain in the UK and I turned it into a challenge.

- ✓ The recruits trained at the ACADEMY in the story are the BEST OF THE BEST (THESE WOULD BE LIKE AMERICA'S NAVY SEALS). For dramatic effect they would have to complete a DIFFICULT cross country course in a amazing time to prove both how tough they are and how resourceful they are. When I was in the USMC (Marine Corps) I was an athlete and one of my jobs was to train recruits for special forces RECON.
- ✓ This is the course in Wales the recruits would have to race under an hour in the movie. The race would have lots of drama. It would start at the water reservoir 'Llyn Cwm Llwch' where the challengers would have to swim across and back (1st Picture) then they would run up a hiking trail that leads from the far side of the reservoir (lake) up to 'Pen y Fan' (2nd Picture 2906 ft) then they would summit 'Corn Du' (3rd Picture 2864 ft) and run down and circle Tommy Jones Obelisk (4th & 5th Picture) where they reverse course and retrace the course. The catch is they were not told how to get back to the start. Again at the summit of 'Corn Du' (6th Picture & 7th Picture with Sheep) Owen, Josh and Pasha sees these sheep traversing the STEEP hillside and they take off down this treacherous drop off (line of site to the Finish Bell). Ahead Gavin and leaders see our three cutting down the slope and the bravest of them go off trail and the race is on to the finish line.













