

**Chapter 1 : Inked Promise (Blue-Eyed Four, #3) by Tierney O'Malley**

*Read "Inked Promise" by Tierney O'Malley with Rakuten Kobo. In bed or out of bed, it's worth breaking all the rules for her. For many years, the pain of shattered dreams has haunted.*

But her plan changes when she learns that her ex-lover, Nolan Keats, and his friends will be sharing the house with them. When Nolan proposes that they not talk about the past or future and only live for the present, Gypsy also decides to hide the truth from him. Years of running from his hurtful past finally catches up to Nolan—unexpectedly. This time hotter and deeper than the last. Like fever flowing in his blood, he must possess her. On beautiful Shaw Island, Nolan and Gypsy boldly ignore their present situation for a blazing, forbidden passion. More than anything, he wants her back in his life. But for that to happen it will hurt another. Inked Promise is a very touching story about true, undying love. In the beginning, the story went way too fast. I quickly realized that it moved so quickly so the author could focus more on the important parts of the book. I really like most of the characters. The main female character, Gypsy, is very intelligent for a young woman. She is thrown into motherhood at a fairly young age and let to raise the child on her own because her lover, Nolan, is a selfish prick. Obviously he is not one of the characters that I like. When Gypsy and Nolan meet again several years later, things get interesting. They are funny and really add to the story. The setting and details in this book are great. It felt as if I was watching a movie instead of reading a book. I could almost smell certain scenes. I love when an author takes time to add very detailed settings because it makes it more realistic. I really like this book. After reading it, I am interested in reading the other books in the Blue Eyed Four series.

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The early signs look good. Amid the neon lights of establishments like Club Pussycat, Foxy Lady, and Pleasure Palace sits a government office building, home of the elections board and the housing agency. Police headquarters and the district courthouse are on the next block east. Local legislators, city office workers, cops, and court clerks rub shoulders with hookers, hustlers, and hard guys, and trundle by doormen beckoning them to check out the ladies, who now dance fully nude, courtesy of a recent court ruling. Residents fled "more than , during the s alone. Properly, he has made crime his first priority. Crime is starting to decline, and the first stirrings of a private sector revival are giving the city a glimmer of hope. The task of renewal will be huge, but for the first time in years, the city looks like it has a chance. That Baltimore failed to flourish under his mayoralty, despite the initial press enthusiasm that hailed the handsome Yale, Oxford, and Harvard Law School grad as a rising black political star, is a considerable understatement. Cops dragged one contender off to court on an outstanding felony warrant after spotting her during a mayoral forum. Another had a year-long criminal record that included convictions for larceny and impersonating a police officer. If any city needed quality-of-life policing, though, it was Baltimore. Enthusiastically endorsing the idea of policing as social work, Schموke had all but decriminalized drug use, insisting that it was a health, not a criminal, problem. Cops grew frustrated arresting druggies only to find them back on the streets a short time later, ostensibly in rehab but in fact selling their wares in menacing open-air drug markets. According to the now-famous broken-windows theory behind quality-of-life policing, widespread tolerance of this kind of uncivil behavior signals a breakdown in the social order, encouraging more serious criminals to act on their darker impulses. An urban environment where cops crack down on the drug dealers sends the opposite message: The contrasting experiences of Baltimore and New York bear the theory out. But both Bell and Stokes ran race-baiting campaigns so over the top that the two candidates self-destructed. The candidate, surrounding himself with menacing Nation of Islam bodyguards, called for black voters to "vote for someone who looks like you. Stokes played the race card too, though not quite so crudely. A new approach, however, was exactly what voters wanted. The best days in life are those when, out of failure and despair, you take on a new challenge. And you feel alive with the promise of what might be. The city has a strong-executive model of government, which gives the mayor power to set budgetary priorities with little threat of opposition: As long as the mayor can maintain the loyalty of ten or more councilmen, his agenda can safely sail through the lawmaking process. The mayor also controls three of the five votes on the Board of Estimates, a powerful entity that must approve most city spending. For decades, Baltimore has pursued a development strategy that brought it economic trophies that were part of a Potemkin economy, masking underlying failure. Baltimore has been one of the few cities in the nation that still have an economy organized around winning clout in Washington in order to funnel federal grant money back home. Democratic senators Paul Sarbanes and Barbara Mikulski, both former Baltimore city legislators, make sure their old town gets treated well in the national budgetary process, Sarbanes from his perch as ranking Democrat on the Banking Committee and Mikulski as the key senator on the HUD budget. Together, the two senators have helped make sure that every unworkable federal program "from Urban Development Action Grants to Empowerment Zones" showers funds upon the city. The city uses the public funds to subsidize well-connected businesses and developers in public-private partnerships. In Baltimore, the saying goes, the definition of developer is an acronym: He turned to federal grants and city bonds to finance various development projects, and when those monies proved insufficient, he even created his own city bank to seed development: The fund financed itself by selling city property and then leasing it back to itself, and by selling bonds that would stick future taxpayers with much of the bill. A single example can stand for many: Yet the Inner Harbor, for all its glittering facade, is emblematic of the potential pitfalls of state capitalism. Rowe Price and Alex Brown. State capitalism in Baltimore has a still darker underside, too: The feds had to shut down their Urban Development Action Grants

development program in the city because of persistent abuses. With both long-term decline and a growing reliance on outside funding, Baltimore has lost control of its own institutions: Even the public schools have become a city-state hybrid, with the bulk of power now in state hands. Taking office in 1991, Schموke continued the policy of milking Annapolis and Washington for funds and handing out patronage. By most accounts, the Empowerment Zone has been a dismal letdown, just as a similar, though much older, neighborhood revitalization program in Baltimore, the Sandtown-Winchester Development Corporation, also failed, despite 25 years of generous Rouse foundation support and federal funding. First Henson, then Schموke himself, charged that racism motivated the inquiry. In the end, Schموke won: HUD secretary Andrew Cuomo pulled the plug on the probe, claiming it was indeed racially motivated. From 1991 to 1999, Baltimore lost 58,000 jobs, but the entire metropolitan area—Baltimore plus fast-growing suburban areas like Howard County—added a total of 62,000 jobs. The city began the decade with only 42,000 manufacturing jobs less than 10 percent of its economy and lost another 13,000, before the end of the nineties. But its economy also shrank in places that in other cities were growing. Rowe Price and Legg Mason. Even in the services sector, the fastest-growing of all major job categories nationally, the city performed poorly. By contrast, the rest of greater Baltimore boosted its services employment by 80,000 jobs during the nineties. Johns Hopkins, with its vast medical research complex, remained the largest employer in the city—helped out by the federal government, which made it the biggest recipient of federal research grants in the nation. If Hopkins were in California, it might have been a vast economic engine; instead, stranded in Baltimore, it was without greater economic impact: The city bureaucracy also exhibits a hostile attitude toward business interests. But political wrangling held up the project, and eventually Piper Marbury fled the city, taking mostly high-paying jobs with it to the suburbs. Even more telling were efforts to find a new use for the old, city-owned Memorial Stadium, where the Baltimore Orioles played before moving to their spectacular new home in Camden Yards. Instead, Schموke and his housing commissioner turned the site over to a nonprofit group that had landed an HUD grant to build senior-citizen housing, even though Baltimore, with its population drain, has a housing surplus. Several neighborhood groups, allowed a say on how to develop the site, weighed in for the nonprofit. One minority community member put it directly: Then we can talk—that is, if the jobs are going to be for high-skilled white yuppies rather than unskilled minorities, better no jobs at all. Recently, the state has scuttled the project, sending it back to the drawing board. The city had zoned the area strictly, allowing only for a foot-high building. Whitman Requardt requested a variance to build a foot-high building, which would contain the office space it needed. Since the mid-nineties, for example, rapidly growing T. Rowe Price has built five buildings in Owings Mill, Maryland, with 1,000,000 square feet of office space for 2,000 employees. The Price campus in Owings Mill adds to the nearly 5 million square feet of office space that developers have built in the suburb since the late 1980s, with yet another million square feet scheduled to go up in the near future. Over the last ten years, maybe longer, they were told, as a police department: In a city the Drug Enforcement Agency says has the worst heroin epidemic in the nation, and one of the worst crack problems, only 23 detectives were investigating narcotics cases citywide when Norris arrived. Similarly, when he took over the department, only four officers were assigned to track down suspects named in 54, open warrants—of them for murder or attempted murder. There were no surveillance vans here," he grumbles. He grew up in the Maryland suburbs of D.C. He first came to Baltimore in the mids to help Senator Mikulski win re-election. He attended law school, worked as a prosecutor, and in 1991 won the first of two terms in the City Council. He tried to force accountability in the spending of federal housing dollars, and he took the lead in crafting an early-retirement program to reduce government expenses. An even better target in cutting expenses would be the public schools, a long-time patronage reservoir, which have added more than 5,000 workers over the past several decades, even as enrollment fell 7 percent. Described by political scientist Don Norris as "an unprecedented attempt to rethink Baltimore," it introduces transparency and accountability into a city notoriously unfamiliar with either. Every two weeks, the mayor and his cabinet bring agency managers before them to answer for what the latest round of numbers reveals. At the CitiStat session we attended, deputy mayor Michael Enright began by grilling the sanitation commissioner on why he had exceeded his overtime allotment. His response, something previously unheard of in Baltimore, was to fire some of the offending employees. The knottiest problems involved inter-agency

jurisdictional confusions. The rat-abatement program, for example, was languishing because of a dispute between the sanitation and housing departments. In the meantime, its inception has found a warm welcome from state political leaders who worry about wasteful administration of a city budget that relies on huge sums from Annapolis. Casper Taylor, speaker of the Maryland House of Delegates, recently sat in on a CitiStat session and remarked afterward, "This is going to make a big difference in how Annapolis looks at Baltimore. Baltimore is increasingly seen as a cheaper, more livable alternative to the high rents, horrible congestion, and antiseptic environment of tech-booming Northern Virginia, a mere 40 miles south on I Some waterfront areas like Canton, where there has been a fourfold increase in property values, are blossoming. Penny Lewandowski, then the just-hired executive director of the newly formed Greater Baltimore Technology Council, complained that "nobody has a clue that this community is growing and thriving right here in the city. In a state where 7. Recent venture-capital trends reflect this shift. A trademark of the new knowledge-based economy is the idea that companies can locate anywhere. But, Basu points out, technology firms tend to cluster in metropolitan areas with large pools of talented workersâ€”where the workers go, firms follow. Still, there are large question marks. Will the old body eventually reject the new implant?"

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