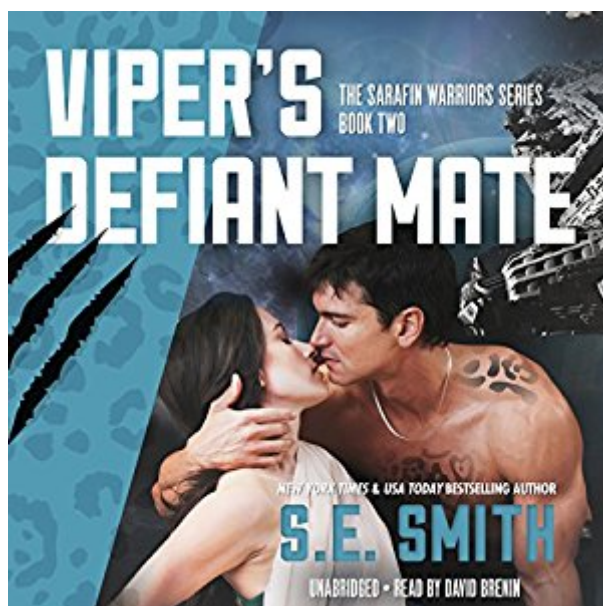


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# Viper's Defiant Mate: Sarafin Warriors, Book 2



## Synopsis

New York Times and USA Today best-selling author of science fiction, urban fantasy, and paranormal romance brings another action-, adventure-, and suspense-filled story to transport listeners out of this world. Prince Viper d'Rojah, a warrior from the Sarafin cat shifter species, is not happy when he is sent on a special mission by his older brother, Vox, King of the Sarafin. The mission is to deliver important documents to the human authorities before kidnapping the sister and grandmother of Vox's mate, Riley. He has handled tougher assignments in his sleep and just wants to get back to finding the traitors trying to kill him and his family! Tina St. Claire was finally happy with her life until her big sister, Riley, suddenly disappeared. Even Grandma Pearl suspected that Riley's ex-employer was hiding something. Determined to find Riley, Tina's research unwittingly leads the danger to her and Grandma Pearl. The unexpected arrival of a strange man causes things to go from bad to worse when he gives her and Grandma Pearl a packet of material he claims is from Riley. Riley had warned Viper that neither her sister nor Grandma Pearl would willingly come with him. Viper couldn't care less whether the females wanted to come or not; he had never failed a mission and wasn't about to start now. Viper soon discovers this mission has turned into the most important one of his life when both he and his cat recognize that Tina is their mate. Now, he has to keep Tina and her gun-toting grandmother alive. The question is, who is going to save him when both women discover his plans to kidnap them?

## Book Information

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## Customer Reviews

Con: holy cow, there are a lot of really elementary mistakes here. After quotes, words like she replied, etc, she would not be capitalized. This was really annoying, and a very amateur mistake. Then, we have missing words, wrong tense, there, their and they're mistaken... S.E. Smith is hitting all of my worst pet peeves. These mistakes are so unprofessional and completely avoidable. The consistent past grammar... Our heroines have crossed the line to abusive. Viper, in the beginning, absolutely deserved the rock salt, even the poisoning is relatively mild, but it just continues to an unacceptable level. If the roles were reversed, this book would be considered abusive. It started funny, and developed to the point where I thoroughly disliked Pearl and Tina at times. This double standard of abuse isn't playing with alpha culture in a humorous fashion.... honestly, I liked Riley in her book. Her reactions were funny without crossing boundaries. Her acting out, standing up for herself with pepper spray, etc, was done well. Also, the romance had an odd pacing. I struggle to remember one scene that attributed to their character development as a couple. Pros: I have not been a fan of S.E. Smith's recent releases. Several I deleted without finishing. This book, some of the charm was back. I was glad to see an end to the flashbacks so predominant in her books lately. The book is pretty interesting in how many new, imperfect characters are introduced. Tiny was a wonderful addition to the plot. Would I recommend this book? I honestly don't know. If you liked Riley's book, this is reminiscent of its tone, though it lacks the sexual tension or chemistry between characters (this fate decides they're meant to be kind of thing, no other build up needed).

Title: Viper's Defiant Mate  
Series: Sarafin Warriors  
Designation: Book Two of Series, Standalone, NO Cliffhanger  
Author: S.E. Smith  
My Rating: FIVE DELIGHTFULLY ENTERTAINING STARS\*\*\*\*\*  
Wow! Another winner from S.E. Smith! I'm a little late to the party for this release but I finally made it and so glad I did! After reading a few of the reviews, I admit I was a little hesitant about purchasing this book but I'm so glad I ignored the bad reviews. I realize that everyone is entitled to their opinion, as am I, but I failed to see any merit to the criticisms made by several reviewers. I am not a professional reviewer but I am an avid reader and have been for the last 60 years. I know what I like, what I love and most definitely, what I don't and I LOVED this book! I've read every single release in the Dragon Lords of Valdier, Dragonlings of Valdier, Curizan Warriors, Sarafin Warriors and Magic New Mexico Series and have loved them all. This is an exciting, imaginative, humorous, heartwarming, well crafted and well written book. The dialogue is well executed, flows beautifully and at times, laugh out loud funny. Yes, this book has a great plot but it's the magnificent characters that totally stole my heart. They are captivating, intriguing, endearing, well developed, larger than life, sexy as sin and outrageously funny. They literally explode from the pages and capture your

heart. I snickered, snorted, giggled and guffawed throughout the majority of the book but I also shed a few tears as well. But then, all of Smith's books have that effect on me and this one was no exception. If an author can tug on my heartstrings and make me cry while simultaneously warming my heart with healing love and laughter, she has most certainly succeeded in delivering an entertaining read.

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