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*Sexy, smart, and literate, Best Women's Erotica 2005
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Edited by Marcy Sheiner

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About the editor:

In addition to the *Best Women's Erotica* series, Marcy Sheiner is the editor of *The Oy of Sex: Jewish Women Write Erotica*, *Ripe Fruit: Erotica for Well-Seasoned Lovers*, and *Herotica 4, 5, and 6*. She is the author of *Sex for the Clueless* and *Perfectly Normal: A Mother's Memoir*. Her fiction and essays have been published in numerous anthologies, most recently *The Essential Hip Mama: Writing from the Cutting Edge of Parenting*. Her erotic fiction has appeared in *Playboy*, *Penthouse*, and *Libido*. She lives in Oakland, CA.

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