



The Word Guild's Professional Directory

A hiring directory of professional members of The Word Guild

Introduction

Need the skills of a professional writer or editor?

Have a website? Run a business? Produce a newsletter or magazine? Want to publish a book? Hiring the services of a professional writer or editor can give your communications the polish you need to bring your business or product to the next level. Our writers and editors have a variety of skills and expertise, dealing in a wide variety of topics. Some are experts at copyediting, some are PR specialists, and others can help you polish your manuscript to diamond quality. All have been published and/or make their living as writers and editors. All are members of The Word Guild.

With this Professional Directory, you can find the individuals with the experience and skills most suited to your needs. More than 70 professionals from across Canada are listed.

How to use this directory:

Members are listed in alphabetical order by last name. The items in the boxes – Skills, Media, and Topics – are work for which the person has been paid. Other Interests and Related Skills are below. Each member has also prepared a Statement to give you a sense of who he or she is.

Items in the boxes are indexed. In the index at the back, you can look for Writers or Editors. Skills, Media, and Topics are listed below Writers and Editors. You can also search for writers and editors by city. Due to indexing constraints, the lists are not exhaustive. If you can't find what you're looking for, check under members' Related Skills or Other Interests. Members may or may not have worked professionally in these areas.

This directory serves as a starting point to help you identify professionals who have the unique skills and experience to help you reach your goals. Before contracting with a writer or editor, The Word Guild recommends that potential employers follow normal hiring procedures such as reviewing resumés and work samples, asking questions about the person's experience, and checking references. Rates for services are negotiated individually. Listing of members does not constitute endorsement by The Word Guild.

In this Web version, email addresses have been changed to avoid spammers. Email addresses substitute "space at space" or " at " for the @ symbol. Please insert the usual @ symbol without spaces when you email a writer or editor.

Who we are:

The Word Guild is an association of Canadian writers and editors who are Christian. We have more than 340 members across Canada. Professional members of The Word Guild are either employed full-time as writers or editors, have edited an ample amount of work or have produced a sufficient body of published work according to the designated criteria. More than 120 editors and writers have met the criteria to be professional members. Many denominations are represented among our members, but all affirm The Apostles' Creed.

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Skills	Media	Topics
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Devotionals/meditations * Interviews * Narrative – personal experience * Non-fiction – book length * Non-fiction - short * Opinions/columns * Reviews – books * Reviews – movies * Reviews – music 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Academic journals * Books * Magazines * Newspapers * Radio * Web Sites 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Arts * Biblical studies * Christian living * Church life * Family * Music * Prayer * Social justice issues * Theology * Worship/liturg

Other Interests: Music, Theological Studies, Raising Kids

Related skills: Speaker/teacher, College Instructor (music courses), Performer, Worship Leader, Retreat Facilitator

Statement: I have released two non-fiction books (spiritual memoirs) for Harvest House and Thomas Nelson. I have recorded 9 albums. I am a bi-monthly columnist for *Christianity Today* and enjoy writing for several other publications. My touring schedule allows me to explore God's grace with others through concerts and speaking engagements.

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Other Interests: Self-help, personal growth, stress management, goal-setting, professional development

Related skills: Professional keynote speaker, workshop leader, seminar presenter

Statement: I have written 7 bestselling adult non-fiction books (Harvest House and Pelican Publishing). I present workshops internationally on several topics including stress survival, called "Sanity Secrets for Stressed-Out Women," at women's conferences, retreats and churches.

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Skills	Media	Topics
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Other Interests: Health, education, Sunday School material, parody, humour, drama for children and youth in particular.

Related skills: Professional speaker, drama leader, teacher, market columnist for *Fellowscript* magazine; Ontario representative for Inscribe Christian Writer's Fellowship. Judge (children's writing).

Statement: Glynis has been writing for over 23 years, making her debut as a slice of life/humour columnist in three weekly newspapers. She soon discovered she also had a passion for children's writing. Glynis has published two books, over 1000 articles, Sunday school short stories, newspaper columns, plays and devotions.

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* Children's fiction * Devotionals/meditations * Fiction – book length * Fiction – short * Narrative – personal experience * Narrative – as told to * Non-fiction – short * Opinions/columns * Poetry * Profiles	* Books * Magazines * Newspapers * Radio	* Christian living * Church life * Dying/death * Faith and reason * Family * Ministry * Prayer * Pro-life issues * Relationships * Worship/liturgy

Other Interests: Evangelical attitudes, ecumenism, and current affairs. 55-plus ministry. Music; musical instruments, piano-tuning/maintenance.

Related skills: Readings /speaking (including English & Scottish accented presentation for cultural venues); vocal /instrumental, songwriting, original worship songs.

Statement: Regular inspirational columnist since 1996, *Watford Guide-Advocate*. Author, children's/family book, *Parables from the Pond* (Word Alive Press). Present readings of original short fiction, biographical and Bible character sketches, poetry, and vocal performance of worship songs. Hosted Christian radio program. Enjoyed trans-denominational involvements during thirty-four years of pastoral ministry.

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* Devotionals/meditations * Fiction – short * How-to * Interviews * Narrative – as told to ^ * Narrative – personal experience ^ * Profiles	* Books * Brochures * Newsletters * Magazines * Newspapers	* Christian living * Evangelism * Family * Finance ^ * Ministry * Missions * Prayer * Relationships * Women's issues

Other Interests: Bible studies for small groups, book-length fiction

Related skills: Speaker, Bible Study teacher

Statement: Rose McCormick Brandon writes personal essays, articles and devotionals. A 2008 finalist in the devotional and profile categories, she also co-authors finance articles with husband Douglas. Rose wrote a biography and contributed to two inspirational books. A graduate of Master's College, Rose speaks at churches, conferences and retreats.

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^ Editing – copy editing ^ Editing – proofreading ^ Editing – substantive ^ * Interviews ^ * Journalism/reporting ^ * Non-fiction – short ^ * PR/promotions ^ * Profiles ^ * Reviews – books	^ * Brochures ^ * Fundraising materials ^ * Newsletters * Newspapers ^ * Radio ^ * Reports ^ * Web Sites	^ * Church life ^ * Evangelism ^ * Ministry ^ * Missions ^ * Prayer ^ * Women's issues

Other Interests: Christian living, fiction, home schooling, gardening, creative arts

Related skills: Photography

Statement: In my 26 years of writing professionally, I have published more than 100 articles. I write, edit and proof a wide variety of materials including newsletters, promotional literature, articles, radio spots, business correspondence and website material.

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Other Interests: Travel, women's issues, fiction,

Related skills: Professional speaker

Statement: I have written two collections of short fiction. (Books Collective). I offer workshops in Progoff Journaling and retreats on the spirituality of laughter.

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Other Interests: Sports, fiction

Related skills: Medicine, Professional speaker

Member: Professional member of The Word Guild

Statement: I have written four non-fiction books in the book series, *An MD Examines* (Cook Communications). They include *Is God Obsolete? Does God Still Do Miracles? Why Doesn't God Stop Evil? Why Does God Allow Suffering?*

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Other Interests: Travel, law, fiction, psychology, pastoral ministry, health, computers

Related skills: Professional speaker/teacher, pastoral counselor

Statement: I have co-written two non-fiction books on Christian dream interpretation, written one nonfiction book on God's fathering techniques, various teaching manuals, and many articles in various magazines/newspapers. I offer seminars internationally in dream interpretation, prayer ministry/inner healing, marriage, dissociation, human rights and law, eschatology, and other topics.

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Other Interests: Travel, reading both fiction and nonfiction, Jazz, Argentine Tango

Related skills: Professional speaker, photography

Statement: I have written an award-winning three-volume series *Discovering the Book of Common Prayer: A Hands-On Approach* and am Senior Editor of the *Anglican Planet*. I have offered workshops on various aspects of journalism as well as on prayer.

Member: The Canadian Association of Journalists

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* Fiction – book length * Non-fiction – short	* Books * Television * Radio * Newspapers * Magazines	* Christian living * Dying/death * Euthanasia * Faith and reason * Freedom of religion * Missions * Pro-life issues * Relationships * Sexuality * Social justice issues

Related skills: Professional speaker, photography, bicycle touring

Statement: Keith Clemons, a graduate of CSUF in English Literature, is the author of five award winning novels. His passion for communication has resulted in the publication of more than 100 articles. Keith also frequently appears on radio and television where he expounds trends that affect both the Church and society at large.

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Other Interests:

Related skills: Professional speaker, freelance editor

Statement: I have written one literary novel and two books of short stories (Mosaic Press, Oakville). I frequently offer workshops in the craft of fiction writing.

Member: The Writers' Union of Canada

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Other Interests: humour, fiction, cross-country skiing, golf, camping

Related skills: speaking, photography, layout and design

Statement: I have written one book, *Blooming, This Pilgrim's Progress*. I write feature articles for *Beacon Magazine*. Past Editor of *Home, Canada's House and Garden Magazine*.

Member: Steeltown Toastmasters (Steeltown Newcomer of the Year, 2009; Speaker of the Year, 2009)

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Skills	Media	Topics
* Children's fiction * Devotionals/meditations * Fiction – book length * How-to * Journalism/reporting * Opinions/columns * Profiles	* Books * Greeting cards * Magazines * Newspapers	* Christian living * Family

Other Interests: Travel, reading, swimming, motorcycle riding, taking pictures, work with Christian Motorcyclists Association Canada and USA

Related skills: Professional speaker, photography

Statement: I have written nine books: two adult fiction, three devotionals, two adult non-fiction, and two children's books. I worked for six years as a news reporter and human interest columnist. I speak to women's groups on a variety of topics and use my photography for inspirational cards (27 designs) and prints. I am currently assisting two other writers to get their work published.

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Skills	Media	Topics
* Devotionals/meditations ^ Editing – copy editing ^ Editing – proofreading ^ Editing – substantive ^ * Fiction – book length ^ * Fiction – short * Journalism/reporting * Non-fiction – short * Reviews – books	^ * Books * Magazines * Newsletters * Newspapers	* Christian living * Family * History

Other Interests: writing contemporary fiction, teaching

Related skills: speaker, teacher, ACB CL Toastmaster

Statement: I have written a trilogy of historical novels (Herald Press). I have presented readings from B.C. to Ontario and workshops at several writing conferences.

Member: His Imprint (Saskatoon), InScribe, The Word Guild, American Christian Fiction Writers.

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^ Editing – copy editing ^ Editing – proofreading ^ Editing – substantive ^ Fiction – book length ^ Narrative – personal experience ^ Non-fiction – book length ^ Non-fiction – short ^ Opinions/columns	^ Books ^ Magazines ^ Newsletters ^ Textbooks	^ Apologetics ^ Christian living ^ Dying/death ^ Environment ^ Faith and reason ^ Family ^ Finance ^ Health and fitness ^ Missions ^ Social justice issues

Related skills: Indexing, teaching writing workshops, manuscript critiquing

Statement: I have almost 35 years of editing experience in newspapers, magazines, and books, 11 of those as a self-employed editor. I have contributed some level of editorial work or indexing to almost 200 books. Several books I edited won awards.

Member: EAC, IASC, Inscribe.

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Skills	Media	Topics
^ * Devotionals/meditations ^ Editing – copy editing ^ Editing – proofreading ^ * Fiction – short ^ * Narrative – personal experience ^ * Opinions/columns ^ * Poetry ^ * PR/promotions * Reviews – books ^ * Speech writing	^ * Books ^ * Brochures ^ * Fundraising materials * Magazines ^ * Newsletters * Newspapers * Radio ^ * Reports	^ * Aid and development ^ * Biblical studies ^ * Christian living ^ * Church life * Dying/death ^ * Ecumenism ^ * Evangelism * Family ^ * Leadership ^ * Sexuality ^ * Worship/liturgy

Other Interests: Academic Journals, Ministry, Nature, Prayer, Psychology, Relationships, Sociology, Social Justice, Spirituality, Stewardship, Theology, Women’s issues

Related skills: Experienced educator, presenter, retreat facilitator, creative displays, some illustrative photography, drama, humour

Member: Professional member of The Word Guild

Statement: As a free-lance professional writer *and* editor—in both cases, successful in several different *genres*—I cannot communicate this sufficiently within the space restrictions. See my “brag blog” for a clearer view of that which I have to offer as a clergyperson, editor, educator, facilitator, poet and writer, God helping.

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Skills	Media	Topics
* Devotionals/meditations * Fiction – short * Narrative – as told to * Narrative – personal experience * Non-fiction – book length * Poetry	* Books * Greeting cards	* Christian living * Dying/death * Family * Journaling * Prayer * Relationships

Other Interests: Travel, non-fiction

Related skills: Professional speaker

Statement: I have written two personal experience books, *Seven Angles for Seven Days* (Castle Quay Books, 2005) and *The Valley of Cancer* (republished: Word Alive Press, 2008). I have several published poems. I speak to various groups about Christian living. My favourite topics are “Grace in a Desert Place” and “Pathways to Healing.”

Member: Professional member of The Word Guild

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Devotionals/meditations * Fiction – book length * Fiction – short * How-to * Interviews * Journalism/reporting * Non-fiction – short * Opinions/columns * Reviews – books * Young adult writing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Books * Magazines * Newspapers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Christian living * Dying/death * Environment * Faith and reason * Family * History * Prayer * Pro-life issues * Relationships * Youth issues

Other Interests: Editing, children's fiction

Related skills: Professional speaker, college creative writing instructor, photography, award-winning singer.

Statement: Of my four novels (Word Alive Press and Awe-struck), one is a two-time award winner nationwide. I sing professionally. I speak at women's events. As a creative writing instructor for Fanshawe College, I offer one-day workshops in creative writing.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ^ * Devotionals/meditations ^ * Narrative – personal experience * Non-fiction – book length * Non-fiction – short ^ * Opinions/columns 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ^ * Books ^ * Magazines 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Biblical studies * Christian living * Family * Leadership * Relationships * Sexuality * Women's issues * Workplace

Other Interests: Professional women's groups, travel, spiritual formation, corporate team building

Related skills: Certified Personality Trainer, Spiritual Direction training, Upper CLASS Graduate, musician, edits and writes DVDs

Statement: I offer workshops and conferences in both secular corporations and faith based organizations. My focus is to inspire people to experience transformed relationships with God and each other. My first book, *A Woman and Her Relationships*, was a recipient of The Word Guild Award - 2008.

Member: AWSA, AACC and CLASS.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Children's non-fiction * Devotionals/meditations * How-to * Interviews * Narrative – personal experience * Non-fiction – book length * Non-fiction – short * Opinions/columns * Profiles * Young adult writing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Magazines 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Christian living * Family * Missions * Prayer * Relationships * Women's issues

Other Interests: Travel, leadership, social and justice; copy editing

Related skills: Professional speaker, national co-director of International Messengers Canada (leading volunteer teams to minister in Eastern Europe)

Statement: I have written hundreds of magazine articles and four non-fiction Christian living books (Harvest House). I speak at women's events internationally and across Canada for Girls Night Out (World Vision/FaithLife Financial). Have appeared on "100 Huntley Street" and "It's a New Day" multiple times.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ^ * Devotionals/meditations ^ Editing – substantive * How-to ^ * Interviews ^ * Narrative – as told to ^ * Narrative – personal experience ^ * Non-fiction – book length ^ * Non-fiction – short ^ * Opinions/columns ^ * Profiles 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Books ^ * Magazines ^ * Newsletters * Newspapers * Radio * Web Sites 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> * Christian living * Church life * Dying/death * Faith and reason * Family * Health and fitness * Journaling * Women's issues

Other interests: I've written and edited articles involving travel, wildlife, nature, the arts, writing, and social issues.

Related skills: Speaking, editing, photography

Statement: I'm a faith and life newspaper and online columnist, past magazine editor, freelance writer and broadcaster. I team-speak with my husband on topics related to my book, *West Nile Diary: One Couple's Triumph Over a Deadly Disease*. I speak/teach at women's conferences, writing conferences, and elsewhere.

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Other Interests: Podcasting, Website development, fundraising for African orphanage

Related skills: Professional speaker, radio host

Statement: A national speaker, I have written four non-fiction books primarily for women related to family issues. I also speak at women's retreats, marriage conferences, and parenting seminars.

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Other Interests: Fiction/women's issues/short crime fiction

Related skills: writing teacher/speaker

Statement: I have written 15 adult novels (Thomas Nelson, Evangel Press, Multnomah Publishing, WaterBrook Press, Harlequin/Love Inspired) and a number of anthologized short stories.

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Other Interests: All matters of putting Christian faith into action in everyday life.

Related skills: Professional speaker

Statement: I have written or co-authored 10 non-fiction books and many prize-winning articles. I speak widely throughout Canada and internationally, and am a frequent media commentator on matters of faith. I was awarded the Leslie K. Tarr Award (1990) and the Leading Women Award in Communication and Media (2004).

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Other Interests: Historical and contemporary Canadians, Commonwealth of nations, politics, parliamentary government, poverty and justice, architecture, home design, city planning, alternative energy and sustainable development

Related skills: Online and archival research, historical research, creative non-fiction

Statement: I have written articles for more than a dozen Canadian publications. My Canadian Heritage column appears regularly in *The Christian Herald*. My books include *Stars Appearing: The Galt's Vision of Canada* (Volumes Publishing 2006). *Eugenics and The Firewall* (working title) is slated for publication in 2010 (J. Gordon Shillingford Publishing Inc.)

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Other Interests: adult/young-adult fiction, children's fiction, sports, language/linguistics, missions, résumés, nonprofit organizations, international development, history/humanities, devotionals/meditations

Related skills: formatting PowerPoint presentations

Statement: I offer editing, proofreading, and writing services. Writing experience includes three published health-related articles, website copy, and a quarterly sales newsletter. Editorial work includes work in the medical and academic fields, as well as experience working with ESL/EFL clients. All services are provided in a professional manner.

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Other Interests: Travel, music, literacy, heritage, photography as a hobby

Related skills: Professional speaker

Statement: I have written four non-fiction books (Nimbus Publishing) and three self-published books. I offer writing workshops for adults and children and have participated in Writers in the Schools programs throughout the Maritime Provinces.

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Other Interests: Research, prose writing, teaching grammar and punctuation (through a writing-clinic column), mentoring writers and those interested in editing.

Statement: I am the assistant editor for *What's Up Yukon, How's Business Yukon and How Ya Feeling Yukon* (www.whatsupyukon.com). I have also edited for *Yukon, North of Ordinary*, Yukon Territorial Government and the Vuntut Gwich'in First Nation, as well as editing two book-length manuscripts and shorter works of fiction.

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Other Interests: Music, Family, Social Issues

Related skills: Photography, Publishing, Graphic Design, Stage Design, Software

Statement: I am the managing editor of *Christian Life in London* newspaper (distribution: 50,000 copies per issue). I am happy to help writers find their voice and write well. I have experience in all elements of newspaper publishing, including design, organizing, advertising, editing, layout, printing and distribution. Write on!

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Other Interests: environmentalism, social justice, organic foods and skincare

Related skills: photography

Statement: I have written one adult novel (Frontlist Publishing). I write profiles of seniors and/or valley pioneers for *The Columbia Valley Pioneer*, as well as other human interest articles for *Kootenay Life - East* magazine.

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Other Interests: spiritual disciplines

Related skills: Professional speaker

Statement: I edit *The Link & Visitor*, Canada's original magazine for women, and direct communications for Baptist Women of Ontario and Quebec. I offer training workshops on how to improve an organization's communications ministry. I speak at women's groups and events on such topics as spiritual disciplines, communications and worship.

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Other Interests: Poetry, youth-related issues, heritage/generational & historical stories, profiles, television reporting & script writing, voice overs, column writing

Related skills: Speaker, photography

Statement: Communicating the unique identity of individuals and teams is my speciality. I have a broadcaster's voice, capturing the attention of listeners and conveying the meaning behind every word. As a freelance reporter, I have had several articles published. I am also an honours graduate from Humber College's Journalism Program.

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Member: Manitoba Christian Writers Association; Professional member of The Word Guild; Inscribe Christian Writers Fellowship of Canada

Statement: I have written eight contemporary Christian romance novels (Crew Publishing and First Choice Books). The ninth and tenth novels in my series will be released in 2009.

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^ * Children's fiction * Fiction – book length * Script writing ^ * Speech writing	* Books * Radio * Television	^ * Biblical studies ^ * Christian living ^ * Church life ^ * Prayer * Worship/liturgy

Other Interests: Travel, drama, fiction, gardening

Related skills: Professional speaker, Bible dramatization, teaching

Statement: I am an ordained minister with the Foursquare Gospel Church. Most of my writing springs directly from my dramatizations of God's word. I have written two award winning books and my third book will be released in 2009.

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Other Interests: Music, Travel, fiction

Related skills: Public speaking, writing workshops

Statement: I have worked in public relations for more than 20 years, doing speechwriting, magazine and web writing and other communications. Much of my work has been focused on international issues. I have written two children's books and have three others being published in 2010.

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Other Interests: literature, arts

Related skills: Speaker, workshop leader, preacher, storyteller

Statement: I am a writer and editor who understands that my role is to present information that inspires activity that brings glory to God. I am a careful listener and a lifelong learner with good writing, teaching and storytelling skills.

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Other Interests: music, children's feelings in stories, bringing hope and encouragement to others

Related skills: I am an Early Childhood Education graduate

Member: Professional member of The Word Guild

Statement: I am an author of two grade one vowel books (The Perfection Learning Corporation). I have written poetry for *Alive Now* (The Upper Room), my Anglican church newsletter *Good Tidings*, and for *Glad Tidings*, a Presbyterian Missionary magazine.

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Other Interests: Fiction

Related skills: Professional speaker

Statement: I have written two meditation books: *Prayer Companion* (ABC Publishing, Toronto); *Glorious Autumn Days* (self-published); I have short stories published in four *Wordscape Anthologies* (CAA Publications); poetry and articles in anthologies and magazines across Canada. I offer talks on prayer including “Women and the Labyrinth” and “Claiming Your Miracle.”

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Other Interests: Travel, Photography

Related skills: Professional speaker

Statement: I am a winner of the Best New Canadian Christian Author Award (2006), teacher of writing workshops, speaker for women’s retreats. My work has appeared in print in magazines, books, anthologies and newsletters as well as on the Web and on national radio. I have edited several books now in print.

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Other Interests: current events, prayer ministry, professional development, psychology/sociology

Related skills: Certified Proofreader, communications consulting, concept development, speaking/teaching, writing coach, stylistic editing, research, manuscript evaluations, manuals

Member: The Editors Association of Canada (past board member); The Word Guild

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Other Interests: creativity, leadership, discipleship, parenting, changing the way we see “church,” supporting Canadian Christian writers, writing mainstream mysteries

Related skills: Professional speaker for women, couples, leaders, teens, etc. Also teach writing (fiction, personal experiences, columns, profiles, basics, publishing).

Statement: I speak to varied groups across Canada and the U.S. I edited and published *Hot Apple Cider*. I also have two adult mysteries and eight books for teens in print.

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Other Interests: Travel, conflict studies.

Related skills: photography

Statement: I have written four books in the faith/political field, including one on the current prime minister, *Stephen Harper: The Case for Collaborative Governance* (ECW Press). Editor-at-large, Christian Info Society; Editor emeritus, *ChristianWeek Ontario*; Life member, Canadian Church Press; Leslie K. Tarr award, 2006.

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Other Interests: Youth issues, women's leadership issues, fiction, non fiction, history

Related skills: Professional speaker, workshop leader, musician/song writer

Statement: I have three books published (Memoir, Grief [Self-Help], YA novel). I offer a workshop "How to Tell Your Story—or someone else's" at women's retreats, writer's workshops and Genealogy meetings.

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* Interviews * Journalism/reporting ^ * Poetry * Reviews – books * Reviews – music	* Academic journals * Books * Magazines * Newspapers * Radio * Web Sites	* Arts * Music * Poetry

Other Interests: music, fiction, art, teaching, Christian faith, and anything to do with poetry

Related skills: Professional speaker, poetry editor, music critic, full-time teacher.

Statement: I have two award-winning poetry collections: *So The Moon Would Not Be Swallowed* (Rubicon Press, 2007) and *Poema* (Wipf & Stock 2008). I am available for readings, poetry workshops, classroom visits or church services. I am the Music Critic for *ChristianWeek*, and have written extensively about poetry.

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Other Interests: Devotionals

Related skills: *Teacher's Certificate*; former political organizer; budget preparation; basic website design; publish an e-newsletter; convention and trade show organization; strategic planning; and template design.

Member: Professional member of The Word Guild

Statement: My company, *Warner McAfee Inc.*, creates and implements strategies for living and working in priority sequence. Since 1996, I've specialized in the Canadian airport industry. The experience I've gained is transferable to most businesses. I enjoy developing content for a particular audience and encouraging others.

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Other interests: Personality, business communications

Related skills: Professional speaker, workshop facilitator, personality dimensions

Statement: I am a college professor and corporate trainer at Conestoga College. I have written two textbooks on applied ethics. I offer fun and informative workshops in interpersonal relationships and teambuilding, suitable for businesses, boards/councils, and men and women's retreats, as well as corporate training in business ethics and business communications.

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Other Interests: Recovery from child sexual abuse. Also issues surrounding alcohol addiction, residential school syndrome, foster care (especially First Nations children). Window into First Nations culture, current issues, from a Christian perspective.

Related skills: Teach and mentor novice writers, and also do workshops and classes for both adults and children.

Statement: I am the author of two children's books, a young-adult book and two adult books (most recently, *The Little Ones* by Word Alive Press). I also do a lot of teaching and mentoring of authors and have published seven anthologies and a reference book (*Meet Manitoba Children's Authors*). I am a part-time instructor at University College of the North.

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Other Interests: Parenting all ages, developing communication

Related skills: Professional speaker, photography

Member: Professional Member of The Word Guild, Inscribe

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Other Interests: Spoken-word performance, art, creativity, humour.

Related skills: Professional speaker, humourist.

Member: Federation of British Columbia Writers; Society of Composers, Authors and Music Publishers of Canada (SOCAN).

Statement: I am a former communications manager (FaithLife Financial) who now focuses on writing and presenting mostly humorous material, and encouraging creativity. I've earned numerous awards for short stories, essays, and song lyrics (e.g., I am principal lyricist for children's entertainer/educator RONNO's CDs www.ronnosong.com). I seldom write on specifically Christian topics.

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Other Interests: Writing & publishing industry, spiritual memoirs, postmodern culture, emergent church, women in leadership, Christians in the arts, fiction, music.

Related skills: Speaker, teacher, communications consultant, commentator, photographer. Strategic thinking, project management, quality control, event planning. Manuscript critiques.

Member: Professional member, The Word Guild.

Statement: Award-winning journalist, writer & editor. Wide-ranging experience in corporate, not-for-profit & publishing sectors. Co-founder, The Word Guild (2002). Directed national writers' association, awards programs & writers' conferences (Write! Canada). Editor, *Hot Apple Cider* anthology. Recipient, Leading Women Award for Excellence in Communications & Media (2006). MA, Communications, high honour, Wheaton College, Illinois.

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Other Interests: Children's science/nature non-fiction books, ghost writing.

Related skills: Teaching, photography

Statement: I have been published in children's magazines, Sunday School papers, websites and books. Graduated from Institute of Children's Literature course. Have published two books of poems (*Calendar* and *Family Reunion*) and write regular poetry columns for *FellowScript* and *utmostchristianwriters.com*.

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Other Interests: mainstream fiction

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Other Interests: News, travel

Related skills: Photography, news, television producer, media relations, news releases

Statement: For more than two decades I have worked in media, and am comfortable writing and editing for Christian and mainstream audiences via print, broadcast or on the Web. Key clients include World Vision Canada, Listen Up TV. I delight to help organizations communicate with their various publics clearly and effectively.

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Other Interests: fiction, writing for the Web, children's non-fiction, business, copy editing, humour

Related skills: Professional speaker

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Skills	Media	Topics
* Devotionals/meditations ^ Editing – copy editing ^ Editing – proofreading ^ Editing – substantive ^ Fiction – book length ^ Fiction – short ^ * Non-fiction – short ^ * Poetry ^ * Reviews – books	* Academic journals ^ * Books * Magazines	^ * Arts * Christian living * Dying/death * History * Prayer * Saints * Theology * Women's issues * Worship/liturg

Other Interests: consulting on the use of poetry in worship and concerts

Related skills: writing, editing, reviewing, and performing poetry; consulting with worship teams; working with various publishers; facilitating writing workshops.

Statement: I write poems which communicate the story of Christ to the general public. Published by Sono Nis, I have performed my poems on CBC, in cathedrals, churches, city hall, art galleries, cafés, pubs, libraries, universities, nursing homes, and concert auditoriums. I offer lively poetry readings, imaginative workshops, and precise editing.

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Other Interests: spiritual warfare, science fiction, “horror,” music, worship, homeschooling

Related skills: speaker, worship leader (music)

Statement: My first novel, *Christianus Sum*, won in three categories at the 2009 Canadian Christian Writing Awards (Best Historical, Best Suspense and Best Romance). I am currently working on the sequel (*What Rough Beast*), and am looking for a home for my new novel, a spiritual warfare suspense thriller entitled *Angel*.

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Other Interests: Parenting issues, editing textbooks

Related skills: speaker and trainer, former high school teacher (English, Music, Special Education), stylistic and developmental editing; creating CDs, downloadable material, and curriculum companion pieces (games, posters, stories, pictures, maps).

Statement: Whether I am writing, editing, or developing custom training, my goal is excellence. I attend to detail and strive to meet expectations. My conscientious approach earns me the trust of my clients.

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^ Editing – substantive ^ * Interviews ^ * Journalism/reporting ^ * Narrative – personal experience ^ * Non-fiction – short ^ * PR/promotions ^ * Profiles * Script writing	^ * Brochures ^ * Fundraising materials * Magazines ^ * Newsletters * Newspapers ^ * Reports * Television ^ * Web Sites	* Arts ^ * Aid and development ^ * Christian living ^ * Evangelism * Family ^ * Ministry ^ * Missions ^ * Relationships ^ * Social justice issues ^ * Women's issues

Other Interests: Environment, Social Enterprise, Screenwriting, Drama

Related skills: Project management, communication strategy development, media relations

Statement: I help nonprofits and businesses effectively communicate to their target markets to raise funds, recruit volunteers, or sell products and services.

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Skills	Media	Topics
* Devotionals/meditations * Narrative – personal experience * Non-fiction – book length * Opinions/columns	* Books * Radio * Television	* Apologetics * Faith and reason * Ministry * Theology

Other Interests: Meaning of freedom, faith, love. Personal memoirs.

Related skills: Speaker, leader for retreats, etc.

Statement: Published two award-winning books. *Reading the Bible for the Love of God* (Brazos), General Readership award, The Word Guild (2004). *A Troubled Faith* (Word Alive), Apologetics/Evangelism and General Readership awards, The Word Guild (2007). Experience with radio and TV, newspaper and magazine articles.

Member: Professional member of The Word Guild

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Skills	Media	Topics
^ * Devotionals/meditations ^ Editing – copy editing ^ Editing – substantive * How-to * Interviews * Narrative – as told to * Narrative – personal experience * Non-fiction – book length * Opinions/columns * PR/promotions * Script writing	^ * Books ^ * Brochures ^ * Fundraising materials ^ * Magazines ^ * Newsletters * Newspapers ^ * Television ^ * Web Sites	^ * Christian living * Church life * Faith and reason ^ * Family ^ * History * Journaling ^ * Missions * Relationships * Women's issues ^ Youth issues

Related skills: Graphic design, professional speaker

Statement: I am a former television host and award-winning author of over 20 books. Through my design company, I produce books and print materials for clients. Currently, I design and produce the *Crossroads Compass* for 100 Huntley Street and am Director of Communications for Winning Kids Inc. and RomTrain Ministries.

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Skills	Media	Topics
* Journalism/reporting * Narrative – as told to * Narrative – personal experience * Opinions/columns * Reviews – books	* Magazines * Newspapers	* Christian living * Family * Ministry * Women's issues

Other Interests: adult fiction writing, children's fiction writing, heritage, women in midlife, music, reading, humour

Related skills: professional speaker, workshop leader

Statement: Denise is an award-winning writer who believes that we all have a story to share and that we should write them down so they will live on. She loves speaking, leading workshops, and bringing joy and laughter to her audiences. She is also half of the singing duo "Praise of Two".

Member: Managing Director of The Word Guild; Graduate of The Institute of Children's Literature

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Skills	Media	Topics
* Fiction – book length * Fiction – short * Narrative – personal experience * Non-fiction – short * Poetry	* Books * Magazines	

Other Interests: Travel, story telling, missions, disaster relief.

Related skills: Professional speaker, ministry of encouragement, counselling.

Statement: Writing and story-telling have been a part of my life since childhood. My passion is to leave my readers with a consciousness of God. I hold a BA in Bible and Theology and a Masters in Counselling. I enjoy speaking, women's ministries, retreats, conferences.

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Skills	Media	Topics
^ Editing – copy editing ^ Editing – proofreading ^ Editing – substantive ^ How-to ^ Interviews ^ * PR/promotions ^ * Profiles ^ * Reviews – books ^ * Reviews – movies ^ * Young adult writing	^ * Magazines ^ * Newsletters ^ * Web Sites	^ * Apologetics ^ Computers and information technology ^ * Evangelism ^ * Youth issues

Other Interests: Reaching a non-churched audience, evangelistic movie reviews www.midnightoil.squarespace.com, French as a second language, French editing, churchplanting experience, Quebec, emerging church

Related skills: Webzine editing, ministry integration using social networking, cross cultural missions specialization, basic photo editing, project management

Statement: I have been an editor and a senior editor for an online publication for several years. My work has involved cross-cultural and indigenization issues, new media, social networking and youth. My area of expertise consists of evangelistic outreach and disciple building amongst people of the emerging generations, with a particular focus on Quebec.

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Skills	Media	Topics
^ * Curriculum ^ Editing – copy editing ^ Editing – proofreading ^ Editing – substantive ^ * How-to ^ * Interviews ^ * Non-fiction – short	* Academic journals ^ * Brochures ^ * Newsletters ^ * Reports	^ * Arts ^ * Business ^ Christian living ^ Church life ^ * Environment ^ Evangelism * Family ^ Ministry * Relationships ^ Theology

Other Interests: Technical documentation, fiction writing, education, humour, science and technology, poetry, journalling

Related skills: Adult education teacher/trainer, project manager, workshop facilitator

Statement: I specialize in untangling the complex. My philosophy is that my material should be clear to a person reading it at 2:00 a.m. Loosely translated, I respect my reader's time and intelligence. Using my technical and project management background, I shepherd the details toward a satisfying outcome.

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Skills	Media	Topics
* Fiction – book length	* Books	

Other Interests: Church conflict, humour, preaching

Related skills: Leading seminars (writing, Christianity), public speaking

Statement: I have written three mystery novels (AVALON Books) and am working on a manuscript on church conflict. I have authored/published a number of humorous stories, monthly articles, and blogs. I am a public speaker and Christian pastor/counsellor and have both chaired and participated in seminars and panels.

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Other Interests: Philanthropy

Related skills: Facilitator, professional speaker, host of call in radio

Statement: I wrote *Why Families?* with my husband (The Salvation Army). I received The Word Guild 2009 Award of Merit for my story in *Hot Apple Cider* (That's Life! Communications). I was an ordained Salvation Army clergy for 30 years. My regular columns appeared in three publications, with articles published in several countries.

Member: Professional member of The Word Guild

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Other Interests: Travel, wilderness, recycling crafts, music, marketing.

Related skills: Professional Speaker; Business Management, Project Management, Staging Consultant; College Teacher; Photographer; Recording artist; Concert soloist; Musician Instructor/Coach for presentation skills, vocalists, musicians, worship teams, creative ministries, puppetry, writing.

Statement: Adele's myriad skills and interests make her a *Renaissance* woman. She has writing/editing credits and several awards in television, radio, stage, newspaper, magazines and books. Her careers in business management, mental health counseling and teaching ground her projects in wisdom, while her creative touch sparkles in every venture tackled.

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Other Interests: Middle East, Islam, Africa, South Asia, Bullying, Sexual-assault, Developing Nations, Youth, reviewing movies

Related skills: Radio documentary, radio-style podcast, professional speaker, youth speaker, photography

Statement: I am an established journalist with a strong background in interviewing, editing and reporting. I have worked and travelled abroad extensively covering missionary and development projects. My first novel was published in 2009. *If Only You Knew* is a funny and honest young adult book about love, betrayal and faith.

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* Curriculum ^ Editing – copy editing ^ Editing – proofreading ^ Editing – substantive ^ * Interviews * Opinions/columns * Profiles	^ Academic journals ^ Books ^ * Brochures ^ * Newsletters ^ * Newspapers ^ * Web Sites	^ * Arts * History * Journaling * Missions ^ * Music * Relationships * Women's issues

Other Interests: Travel, women's and oral history, songwriting, church life, higher education

Related skills: Singer-songwriter, photography

Statement: I have edited/published three books (one for senior citizens and two for children), copy-edited two, and contributed to two. I am a singer-songwriter who gives inspirational concerts; I have released two original CDs with songs on others. I also offer workshops in journaling, creative writing, songwriting, women's issues, and oral history.

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Skills	Media	Topics
* Interviews * Journalism/reporting * Narrative – as told to * Narrative – personal experience * Opinions/columns * Non-fiction – short * PR/promotions * Profiles	* Books * Brochures * Fundraising materials * Magazines * Newsletters * Newspapers * Reports ^ * Web Sites	* Aid and development * AIDS * Christian living * Church life * Environment * Ministry * Missions * Pro-life issues * Social justice issues

Other Interests: Cross cultural travel, social advocacy, disasters

Related skills: photography, social networking tools

Statement: I have worked in communications (10 years); written articles for magazines and newspapers; and contributed to an anthology (Cascade Press). I hold a Masters degree in international and intercultural communication, and have interviewed interesting people in developing countries around the world.

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Skills	Media	Topics
* Fiction – short * Interviews * Non-fiction – short * Profiles	* Magazines * Newsletters	* Christian living

Other Interests: Devotionals, adult and children's fiction

Related skills: Storytelling, speaking, humour

Statement: Shirley's articles and humour have been published in periodicals. She has been a guest speaker as "Aunt Shirley" at churches in Ontario and Mexico, retreats, and retirement and nursing homes teaching by using her stories of hope and encouragement for ages eight to senior citizens.

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Other Interests: Word puzzles and activities, Sunday School curriculum, high school Social Science curriculum

Statement: I have written several children's Bible activity books for Warner Press, and my middle grade mystery *Terrific Tuesday* was released by Gumbo Press in October 2009.

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ^ * Devotionals/meditations ^ * Editing – substantive ^ * Interviews ^ * Journalism/reporting ^ Non-fiction – book length ^ * Non-fiction – short ^ * Opinions/columns ^ * Profiles ^ * Reviews – books ^ * Reviews – movies 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ^ * Books ^ * Brochures ^ * Fundraising materials ^ * Magazines ^ * Newsletters ^ * Newspapers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ^ * Biblical studies ^ * Evangelism ^ * History ^ * Men's issues ^ * Ministry ^ * Missions ^ * Politics ^ * Social justice issues ^ * Theology

Other Interests: Messianic Judaism, Jewish and Christian relations, ministry to Jewish people, Israel, the Arts, fiction, poetry

Related skills: Professional speaker

Statement: I have published internationally in numerous publications and edited three books for Messianic Jewish Resources. My niche area is Israel and Messianic Judaism, although I have written extensively on many topics. I also continue to speak widely. A professional overview is available at zoominfo.com.

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Other Interests: Family & Men's issues, Relationships, Leadership, Reviews – Technology

Related skills: Professional speaker, Computer and Network Security Professional, marketing

Statement: As a network security professional, my experience includes publication of several articles in technical journals and conference proceedings. In the area of Christian living my current focus is in exploring the impact that words we embrace have on our ability to live in the freedom of Christ.

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Other Interests: Writing for children, natural gardening, memoir and family stories, and music

Related skills: Writer, Speaker, Storyteller

Member: Toastmasters; Professional member of The Word Guild, member of Editors' Association of Canada

Statement: I work with clients to increase clarity, consistency and relevance in their business copy, website content, and promotional materials. I also work with authors on their fiction and non-fiction manuscripts, and biblical study material. I have achieved leadership and advanced communication designations from Toastmasters International.

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Other Interests: Travel, fiction, memoir writing

Related skills: Professional speaker. Workshop leader and facilitator

Member: The Writers Union of Canada; Society of American Travel Writers; Catholic Press Association; Professional member of The Word Guild

Statement: Three books published by royalty publishers. Give workshops in Memoir Writing. Published hundreds of articles in travel and other areas mentioned above. Honorable Mention, Short Story, The Word Guild Awards

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Other Interests: Devotionals and meditations, travel, fiction, photography

Related skills: Workshop leader (*Write Your Life Story, Writing Non-Fiction, Writing to Sell*), speaker, PR/promotions,

Statement: I am a writer and editor with experience in newspapers and magazines, and a current focus in the non-fiction book industry. I have authored or co-authored more than 30 non-fiction titles on topics including trivia, history, and true crime. I also have experience in curriculum writing and writing for radio.

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Other Interests: Travel, missions, Muslim world events, nature, reading

Related skills: Small group leader, teacher, preacher

Statement: I am the editor of the *Fellowship LINK* magazine. I have seven published books including *Revolutionary Forgiveness* (Evangelical Press), *Down a Country Road* (Day One Publishers) and the Word Guild's 2007 double-award winning suspense novel, *The Lightning File*. I offer workshops in issues about forgiveness, spiritual gifts, writing devotionals about nature and Islamics.

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Other Interests: Family, men's issues, photography, pro-life issues, sacraments, saints, theology

Related skills: Indexing, proofreading, songwriting, editorial consulting, public speaking

Statement: A full-time editor and writer since 1999. Credits include *Church & Faith Trends*, the *Africa Bible Commentary*, and numerous projects presenting orthodox Christian perspectives on homosexuality.

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Other Interests: Travel, ecumenism in a multi denominational congregation, attitudes towards women, politics, local history

Related skills: Photography, library cataloguing courses

Statement: I am a secretary of a political group, keep an email list for a women's group.

Member: Petawawa Heritage Society. Currently taking creative writing courses at Algonquin College.

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