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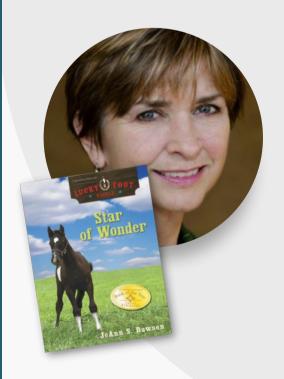
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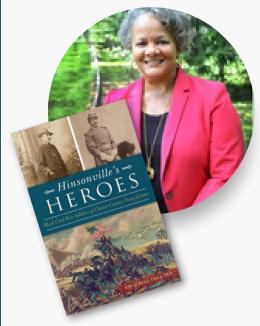
Sharon Brubaker

Sharon grew up in central Pennsylvania, surrounded by the beautiful mountains in Blair County, Pennsylvania. Writing has been a lifelong passion for Sharon since childhood, scribbling stories since second grade. Her Green Man series was influenced by a prose piece written many years ago. Tides of Blue is influenced by wandering beaches, searching for sea glass, and daydreaming. For Sharon, writing is like breathing. She says she has more stories in her head to write down than lifetimes to live. Sharon is an avid novelist, a national award-winning Librarian, and the author of several educational publications. She is also an avid gardener, jewelry artist, and artist.



John S. Nawson

JoAnn S. Dawson grew up on a dairy farm in Newark, Delaware and has been a full time horse stable owner since 1983. She currently owns and operates Fairwinds Farm & Stables in North East, Maryland with husband Ted, offering riding lessons, summer camp, trail rides, horse-drawn carriages, pony rides, hayrides, local honey, birthday parties, weddings, and a bed & breakfast.





Cheryl Renee Gooch, PhD

Cheryl Renée Gooch is an academic leader and published scholar with a passion for cultural history and uncovering aspects of African American history that are lost or forgotten. She is the author of On Africa's Lands: The Forgotten Stories of Two Lincoln Educated Missionaries in Liberia (Lincoln University Press, 2014), which chronicles the experiences of James Ralston Amos and Thomas Henry Amos, former Hinsonville residents. She is a lifetime member of the Association for the Study of African American Life and History, where she serves on the Executive Council.



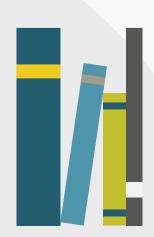
Susan W. Green

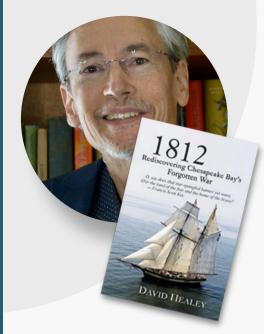
Susan W. Green writes Contemporary Romance novels using lighthearted stories with strong female leads, showing how they overcome challenges and find true happiness. Loving a good cup of coffee, don't be surprised to find coffee mentioned in each of her books.



Karin Harrison

Karin Harrison was born in Germany and moved to the United States in 1960. After nearly twentythree years of working as an optician, she decided to pursue her lifelong dream of becoming a writer. At age sixty-three she left her job and returned to school to study creative writing and literature.





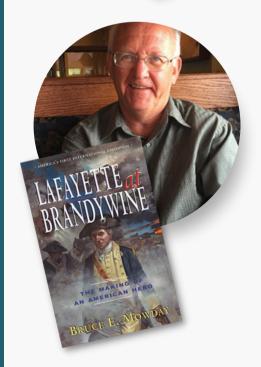
David Healey

David Healey's novels and nonfiction books have been published by Jove Books (Penguin Putnam), the Agatha Award-winning Bella Rosa Books, and The History Press. He worked for 21 years as a newspaper reporter and editor, and won awards in feature writing and editorial writing from the Maryland-Delaware-D.C. Press Association and Suburban Newspaper Association.



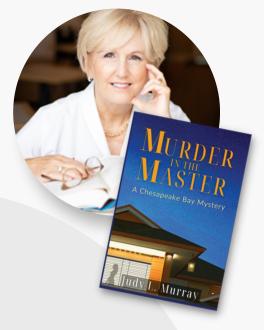
I L Jackola

JL Jackola is a fantasy romance writer who loves escaping to other worlds and sharing them with readers. She is a mother of three, an avid reader, and a runner. All things that keep her busy and inspire her creativity.



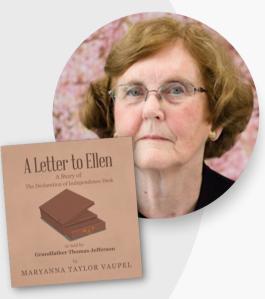
Bruce F. Mowday

Bruce is an award-winning author and newspaper reporter. He has authored more than 20 books on history, sports, business and true crime. He is a frequent speaker at various civic and historical groups. The Congress of Civil War Round Tables has named Bruce a "5-Star" speaker. Mowday has hosted his own radio shows, has been editor of magazines and was chairman of the Chester County Historical Society and president of the Brandywine Battlefield Park Associates.



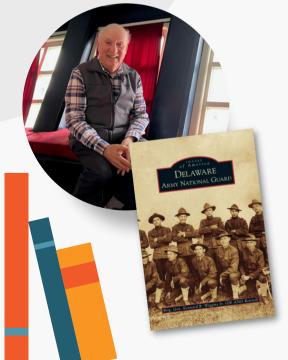
Judy L Murray

A Philadelphia real estate broker and restoration addict, Judy Murray has worked with enough delusional sellers, jittery buyers, testy contractors, and diva agents to fill her head with back-office insight and gossip. Judy lives atop a cliff on the Chesapeake Bay where she writes long after sunset. She is buffeted by winds in winter and invaded by family and dogs in summer.



Maryama Taylor Vaupel

The author was a teacher and librarian as well as a program coordinator for a state geography alliance. She continues to be a life-long learner and relishes delving into history via original documents. What started as a graduate course assignment in 1963 has finally found its way to the printing press as a senior's bucket-list item. (Perseverance has always been her modus operandi.)



Kennard R. Wiggins

The author is a retired military officer (Brig. Gen. Delaware Air National Guard, Retired) a native of Newark, Delaware, a third generation Delaware Guardsman, and a career Air Force veteran.

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