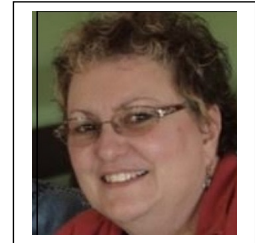


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Name: Joan Mariotti



One sentence that describes me and my writing:

As a fan of crime dramas, I like to write suspense fiction with a sprinkle of romance.

Brief bio: As a retired regulatory compliance manager, my experience in technical writing was a springboard into writing for pleasure. Most of my time is spent reading, writing, and tending to my gardens. I live in Bucks County, PA. with two cats, both of whom help me take breaks that reduce tunnel vision. I also enjoy water aerobics at the local Y.

Why I write: The stories that pop into my head develop scene by scene as I imagine them. If I don't write them down, they repeat and often invade my dreams. They are like to-do lists, by writing them down, I get them out of my head, which leaves room for more.

I write:

Fiction: short stories books X

Genres:

Nonfiction: articles X personal experience stories devotions books

Genres:

Other: poetry scripts

My audience Christians general public women men teens children

I'm currently working on: one romance novel, two crime stories, and one inspirational story; all are faith-based novels.

My greatest joy and/or struggle in writing is: Keeping the chronology straight is probably my biggest challenge. As I think of things to add, I have to go back into the story and try to keep the timeline correct.

I'd like to meet writers who: inspire me. There are too many to list. I am blessed to attend workshops with talented writers who give me valuable feedback.

I belong to a writers' group that is open to new members.

I would like to find a writers' group.

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I'm not yet published I've been published in periodicals

I have published one or more books

See Book Gallery for my latest book. (my first book was published July 11, 2024. I don't know if it was in time for the gallery.)

Title and genre: Ailsa, faith-based suspense.