# WRITING YOUR PAST INTO YOUR FICTION

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## **WHAT HISTORY?**

## **OUR PERSONALITY**

Meyer's Briggs. Carl Jung

### **The Four Preferences In More Detail**

## Where, primarily, do you prefer to direct your energy?

<u>Extraver</u>t- If you prefer to direct your energy to deal with people, things, situations, or "the outer world", then your preference is for **Extraversion**. This is denoted by the letter "E". <u>Introvert</u> - If you prefer to direct your energy to deal with ideas, information, explanations or beliefs, or "the inner world", then your preference is for **Introversion**. This is denoted by the letter "I".

#### How do you prefer to process information?

<u>Senser</u> - If you prefer to deal with facts, what you know, to have clarity, or to describe what you see, then your preference is for **Sensing**. This is denoted by the letter "S". <u>INtuition</u>- If you prefer to deal with ideas, look into the unknown, to generate new possibilities or to anticipate what isn't obvious, then your preference is for **Intuition**. This is denoted by the letter "N" (the letter I has already been used for Introversion).

#### How do you prefer to make decisions?

<u>Thinker</u> - If you prefer to decide on the basis of objective logic, using an analytic and detached approach, then your preference is for **Thinking**. This is denoted by the letter "T". <u>Feeler</u> - If you prefer to decide using values and/or personal beliefs, on the basis of what you believe is important or what you or others care about, then your preference is for **Feeling**. This is denoted by the letter "F".

#### How do you prefer to organise your life?

<u>Judger</u> - If you prefer your life to be planned, stable and organised then your preference is for **Judging**(not to be confused with 'Judgmental', which is quite different). This is denoted by the letter "J".

<u>Perceiver</u> - If you prefer to go with the flow, to maintain flexibility and respond to things as they arise, then your preference is for **Perception**. This is denoted by the letter "P". <u>http://www.teamtechnology.co.uk/tt/t-articl/mb-simpl.htm</u>

ISTJ	ISFJ	INFJ	INTJ
"DOING WHAT SHOULD BE DONE"	"A HIGH SENSE OF DUTY"	"AN INSPIRATION TO OTHERS"	"EVERYTHING HAS ROOM FOR IMPROVEMENT"
Organizer • Compulsive Private • Trustworthy Rules 'n Regs • Practical	Amiable • Works Behind the Scenes Ready to Sacrifice • Accountable Prefers "Doing"	Reflective/Introspective Quietly Caring • Creative Linguistically Gifted • Psychic	Theory Based • Skeptical • "My Way" High Need for Competency Sees World as Chessboard
MOST RESPONSIBLE	MOST LOYAL	MOST CONTEMPLATIVE	MOST INDEPENDENT
ISTP	ISFP	INFP	INTP
"READY TO TRY ANYTHING ONCE"	"SEES MUCH BUT SHARES LITTLE"	"PERFORMING NOBLE SERVICE TO AID SOCIETY"	"A LOVE OF PROBLEM SOLVING"
Very Observant • Cool and Aloof Hands-on Practicality • Unpretentious Ready for what Happens	Warm and Sensitive • Unassuming Short Range Planner • Good Team Member In Touch with Self and Nature	Strict Personal Values Seeks Inner Order/Peace Creative • Non-Directive • Reserved	Challenges others to Think Absent-minded Professor Competency Needs • Socially Cautiou
MOST PRAGMATIC	MOST ARTISTIC	MOST IDEALISTIC	MOST CONCEPTUAL
ESTP	ESFP	ENFP	ENTP
"THE ULTIMATE REALIST"	"YOU ONLY GO AROUND ONCE IN LIFE"	"GIVING LIFE AN EXTRA SQUEEZE"	"ONE EXCITING CHALLENGE AFTER ANOTHER"
Unconventional Approach • Fun Gregarious • Lives for Here and Now Good at Problem Solving	Sociable • Spontaneous Loves Surprises • Cuts Red Tape Juggles Multiple Projects/Events Quip Master	People Oriented • Creative Seeks Harmony • Life of Party More Starts than Finishes	Argues Both Sides of a Point to Learn Brinksmanship • Tests the Limits Enthusiastic • New Ideas
MOST SPONTANEOUS	MOST GENEROUS	MOST OPTIMISTIC	MOST INVENTIVE
ESTJ	ESFJ	ENFJ	ENTJ
"LIFE"S ADMINISTRATORS"	"HOST AND HOSTESSES	"SMOOTH TALKING PERSUADER"	"LIFE'S NATURAL LEADERS"
Order and Structure • Sociable Opinionated • Results Driven Producer • Traditional	OF THE WORLD" Gracious • Good Interpersonal Skills Thoughtful • Appropriate Eager to Please	Charismatic • Compassionate Possibilities for People Ignores the Unpleasant • Idealistic	Visionary • Gregarious • Argumentative Systems Planners • Take Charge Low Tolerance for Incompetency

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Our spiritual journey and lessons learned

The stories of people around us:

The Unconscious Leaking into Fiction

CAUTIONS