

Name: Cheryl Cates

One sentence that describes me and my writing: My mission is for children, predominantly PB, to give them a boost into the challenges that may be ahead of them.

Brief bio: Cheryl Cates loves children and writes to them to help them deal with life as it sends curves their way. She has 5.5 grandchildren that live local to her. She loves the outdoors so many stories take place outside with wildlife and nature.

Why I write: I believe God has messages for me to share with the world. Life experienced knowledge is something to share for others to learn from and move forward.

I write:

Fiction: ___short stories _x_ books

Genres:

Nonfiction: _x_ articles _x_ personal experience stories ___devotions _x_ books

Genres:

Other: ___poetry ___scripts

My audience _x_ Christians _x_ general public ___x_ women _x_ men ___teens _x_ children

I'm currently working on: Picture Books for young children.

My greatest joy and/or struggle in writing is: I used to like to write at night but the electronics interferes with my sleep afterwards so have had to rearrange the order in which I do things. Greatest joy is the feedback I get after my stories are read.

I'd like to meet writers who: are also working on picture books, but also like to meet up with those doing articles as my current critique group only focuses on children's writing.

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

_x_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