

Tracy Krauss – Author/Speaker CV

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Personal Profile: Tracy Krauss is a multi-published author, artist, playwright and speaker. She is also credentialed for ministry with the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada and has been a secondary school teacher for many years, living and teaching in five different territories and provinces, most notably in Canada’s far north.

Speaking Engagements:

- September 28, 2018: Words North Conference, Dawson Creek, BC – Workshop presenter: “Working With Agents”; public reading – Dawson Creek Art Gallery.
- September 22, 2018: InScribe Fall Conference, Wetaskiwin, AB - Workshop presenter. “Acting Up – Using Improv to Enhance Your Writing”.
- May 13, 2017: InScribe ‘WorDshop’, Fort St. John, BC – workshop presenter: “Platform Building”; panel discussion moderator
- April 1, 2017: InScribe ‘WorDshop’, Blackfalds, AB – workshop presenter: “Blogging”.
- March 25, 2017: InScribe ‘WorDshop’, Regina, SK – panel discussion: “Time Management”; Q & A.
- March 18, 2017: InScribe ‘WorDshop’, Steinbach, MB – keynote and workshop presenter: Theme: “Write Words”; “Platform Building”.
- Sept 23, 2016: InScribe Fall Conference, Edmonton, AB - Workshop presenter. “Platform Building Brick by Brick”
- May 14, 2016: InScribe Spring ‘WorDshop’, Taylor, BC – Keynote speaker and workshop presenter.
- April 2, 2016: InScribe Spring ‘WorDshop’, Saskatoon, SK – Workshop presenter. “Sorting Through Publishing Options”.
- February 26 – 28, 2016: AGC Women’s Annual Retreat, Dallas Valley Ranch Camp, SK – Keynote speaker: Theme “For Such a Time As This”. (Esther)
- August 2014 to May 2016: Assistant Interim Pastor at New Life Assembly (PAOC), Tumbler Ridge, BC – multiple preaching opportunities
- September 25 – 26, 2015: InScribe Christian Writers Fellowship (ICWF) Annual Conference, Edmonton, AB – Workshop presenter: “Blogging Best Practices”; “Writing Scripts for Theatre”
- October, 2014 and April 22, 2014: School District 59 Professional Development Days, Dawson Creek, BC – Workshop presenter: “Incorporating Drama In the Classroom”.
- September 27 – 28, 2013: InScribe Christian Writers Fellowship Annual Conference, Wetaskiwin, AB – Workshop presenter: “Blogging”.
- September 21 – 23, 2012: Northern Baptist Women’s Retreat, Camp Sagitawa, BC – Keynote: Theme: “The Road of Life” (Luke 24: 13 – 35)
- March 9, 2012: Women’s Day Event – Tumbler Ridge, BC – Keynote speaker: “How I Found My Passion”.
- July 20, 2011: Assiniboia Public Library - Author reading, discussion, Q & A

- March 24, 2011: Beaverlodge Public Library – Author reading, and Q & A
- March 5, 2011: Women’s Day Event, Tumbler Ridge, BC – Workshop presenter: “So You Want to Write a Book?”; “Laughter Is the Best Medicine”
- July 28, 2010: Mossbank Public Library - Author reading, discussion, Q & A
- July 12, 2011: McNally Robinson, Saskatoon, SK - Author reading and Q & A
- Speaking/presenting at various other women’s events in the Yukon, NWT, Saskatchewan, Alberta, and Manitoba over a twenty year span. (mid 80s – 2000s)

Education:

- University of Saskatchewan – B. Ed major in Art; minors in English & History
- Yukon College – Aboriginal Studies

Publications:

Books: Novels, Novellas, Non-Fiction, Children’s books, short stories

- *Three Strand Cord* (Fictitious Ink, 2018)
- *Keeping Up With the Neighbours Series 2- Volumes 1 – 7 and Complete Series* (Fictitious Ink, 2017)
- *Thirty Days of Targeted Prayer* (Fictitious Ink, 2016)
- *Neighbours Series 1- Volume 1 – 9 and Complete Series* (Fictitious Ink, 2016 – 2nd edition; Helping Hands Press, 2014 – 1st edition)
- *Colony Zero Series 1, 2, 0* – co-author (Helping Hands Press, 2014, 2015)
- *Lone Wolf* (Astraea Press, 2014)
- *The Sleepytown Express* – illustrator (Fictitious Ink, 2014)
- *Life is a Highway: Advice and Reflections On Navigating the Road of Life* (Fictitious Ink, 2014)
- *The Best Blue Christmas* (Helping Hands Press, 2014)
- *Wind Over Marshdale* (Astraea Press, 2012)
- *Play it Again* (Fictitious Ink 2017; Strategic Book, 2011)
- *My Mother the Man-Eater* (Eloquent Books, 2010)
- *Conspiracy of Bones: And The Beat Goes On* (Fictitious Ink 2017; Strategic Book, 2009)

Anthologies:

- *Christmas: Stories and More* – contributing author (Inscribe Press, 2017)
- *7 Essential Habits of Christian Writers* – contributing author (Inscribe Press, 2015)
- *Uplifting Devotionals III* – contributing author (Helping Hands Press, 2014)
- *Taste and See, Volumes 1 & 2* – contributing author (compiled and edited by Lorilyn Roberts, 2012; 2013)
- *25 years In the Rearview Mirror* – contributing author (compiled and edited by Stacy Juba, 2012)

Stage Plays:

- *King William Travels the World* – (Big dog Plays, 2018)
- *Mutiny on Mount Olympus* – (Big Dog Plays, 2015)

- *Ali and the Magic Lamp* – (JAC Publishing, 2014)
- *Hook's Nemesis* – (JAC Publishing, 2013)
- *Dorothy's Road Trip* – (JAC Publishing, 2012)
- *Little Red In the Hood* – (JAC Publishing, 2012)
- *The Western Tale* – (JAC Publishing, 2012)
- *A Midterm Eve's Phantasm* – (Big Dog Plays, 2012)
- *Ebenezer's Christmas Carol* – (Pioneer Drama, 2010)

Magazine Articles:

- *FellowScript Magazine*: Ongoing from October 2018 “President’s Column”; Fall Supplement 2018 “Fall Conference Highlights”; May 2018 “The Golden Ticket” (p. 19); Fall 2017 “A Call to Obedience (p.10); Spring 2017 “navigating the New World of Authorpreneurship” (p. 25); Fall 2016 “Stage Write: Wielding Dialogue” and “Nailing Networking”; August 2016 “Stage Write: Do Your Research” (p.17); May 2016 “Stage Write: Adaptations the Ultimate In Recycling” (p.19); Winter 2016 “Stage Write: Not a Movie” (p.10); Fall 2015 “Know Your Audience” (p.16); August 2015 “Devotional: Let God Speak” (p.4); May 2015 “Formatting Your Ebook For Kindle”; August 2014 “Casting the Net In Networking” (p.18); Aug. 2011 “Thoughts From a Nano Survivor” (p.13)
- *Bookfun Magazine*, August 2014 – “A Pivotal Point In Time” (p. 163); July 2014 – “Road Trips” (p. 95); June 2014 – “Learning to Be Myself” (p. 101); May 2014 – “One Purpose” (p. 101); April 2014 – “Backstage Drama” (p. 111)

Related Memberships:

- Inscribe Christian Writers Fellowship (ICWF) – current President; on executive since 2013
- The Word Guild (TWG) – professional member
- American Christian Fiction Writers (ACFW)
- Playwrights Guild of Canada

Awards/ Achievements:

- Grace Awards 2012 – winner in the Romantic Suspense/Thriller Category – *Wind Over Marshdale*
- *Play It Again* – Amazon’s best sellers’ list March, 2012
- National Indie Excellence Awards finalist 2011 – Religious Fiction: *And the Beat Goes On*; and *My Mother the Man-Eater*
- *My Mother the Man-Eater* – Amazon’s best sellers’ list Feb. 2011
- stage plays have been performed throughout N.A. including in Chicago, San Francisco and New York. For a sample production history go to: <https://www.pioneerdrama.com/SearchDetail.asp?pc=EBENEZERSC&id=4&qa=1#nb> and click on ‘Past productions’.

Radio, TV, and Podcast Appearances:

- Hope Stream Radio – August 2017; September 24, 2015

- The 'G-Zone' – May 19, 2015; Dec. 18, 2014; Nov. 25, 2014; Oct. 9, 2014; Sept. 23, 2014; Aug. 28, 2014; July 21, 2014; June 19, 2014; May 7, 2014; Aug. 6, 2013; Dec. 11, 2011
- 'It Matters' with Monica Brinkman – Dec. 6, 2013
- 'Author's Corner' with Elaine Chaco Race - Oct. 2012
- 'Author Chat' with Lynda D. Brown – Oct. 2012; Sept. 2011
- The Kevin Zimmerman Show – Artist First Radio Network – Sept. 13, 2012
- CJDC TV – 'Peace Country Presents' aired Sept. 8, 2011
- CBC radio 'Northbeat' with Carolina DeRyk – June 2011; Nov. 1, 2011

Other Related Events and Activities:

- Multiple book signings: Coles, Grande Prairie, AB; Coles, Fort St. John, BC; Kurios Books, Fort St. John, BC; McNally Robinson, Saskatoon, SK.
- Grace Awards lead judge in the speculative category for six years
- Blue pencil editor at ICWF annual conference.
- Blog moderator for 'Inscribe Writers Online'
- Contributing blog author: *Inscribe Writers Online; Canadian Writers Who Are Christian; ICWF Professional Blog*

Author Platform/ Social Media Presence:

Amazon – <http://amazon.com/author/tracykrauss>
 Website – <http://tracykrauss.com>
 Facebook Page – <https://www.facebook.com/tracykraussauthor/>
 Twitter – <http://twitter.com/TracyKrauss>
 Pinterest - <https://www.pinterest.com/tracykrauss/>
 LinkedIn - <https://www.linkedin.com/in/tracy-krauss-b3897722>
 Goodreads http://www.goodreads.com/author/show/3492473.Tracy_Krauss
 Youtube - <https://www.youtube.com/user/TracyKrauss>