



2012 American Christian Fiction Writers Carol Award Entry Form

Postmark Deadline: March 10, 2012

Entry Fee: ACFW Member: \$40 per book (check/money order, PayPal or credit card)

Non-Member: \$115 per book (If you join ACFW as you enter the contest, then your entry fee will be \$40 per book once your membership has been processed)

Requirements:

- Eligible books must have a 2011 copyright date
- Title entered may NOT have been entered previously in an ACFW Book of the Year or Carol Award contest
- Entry must adhere to all the guidelines specified in the "Rules and Guidelines"

BOOK TITLE: _____

NAME/PSEUDONYM: _____

ISBN#: _____

PUBLISHER: _____

EDITOR: _____

WORD COUNT FOR YOUR ENTRY: _____

CATEGORY

____ NOVELLA

(between 15K and 39,999)

____ SHORT CONTEMP. SUSPENSE

(45K-74,999)

____ DEBUT NOVEL (at least 50K)

____ SHORT HISTORICAL ROMANCE

(40K-74,999)

____ LONG CONTEMPORARY (75k+)

____ LONG CONTEMP. ROMANCE

(75K+)

____ SPECULATIVE FICTION (at least

40K) (includes science fiction, fantasy, allegory, etc.)

____ LONG HISTORICAL (75K+)

____ SUSPENSE/THRILLER (at least 40K)

____ LONG HISTORICAL ROMANCE

(75K+)

____ ROMANTIC SUSPENSE (at least

40K) (**excluding series/category suspense unless series word count exceeds 75K**)

____ MYSTERY (at least 40K)

(judged in Suspense if fewer than 7 entries)

____ WOMEN'S FICTION (at least 40K)

____ SHORT CONTEMPORARY

(includes series/category, 40K-74,999)

____ YOUNG ADULT (at least 30K)



ENTRANT INFORMATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Telephone: Home: _____ Cell: _____ Email: _____

Local Newspaper Name: _____

Local Newspaper - Contact Name (person to contact for press release)

Local Newspaper Contact's Email:

This information is being collected from all entrants in the event of a semi-final or final in the Carol Award. Press releases will be sent by the contest coordinator as long as all information submitted for the local newspaper is complete and accurate. If information is incorrect, the press release will be sent only to the semi-finalist or finalist, and the responsibility to submit the press release to their local newspaper will be solely the entrant's.

I have read and understand the official rules of ACFW's Carol Award. I realize and accept that judging is subjective and agree to abide by the decision of any judges and/or contest officials and shall hold harmless ACFW, its contest personnel and/or judges for any and all disputes arising from contest rulings or decisions, and/or disputes arising from circumstances beyond the control of contest officials.

SIGNATURE _____

Date _____

Direct questions to Mindy: carolawards@acfw.com

Mail Books, entry form, and payment (if a check) to :

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Carol Awards Coordinator
4169 Hallmont Dr.
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