October 2021 –Scribblers Christian Writers Group -Lilburn GA In Person Meeting – Tuesday October 19, 2021 at 6:00 PM - At Rustico Mexican Restaurant

 851 Oak Road Suite 5 Lawrenceville 770-609-8094 6:00-8:00

“Large variety menu, reasonable prices Bring your significant other for a fun evening of food, friendship and chatting about our writings!”

(Normal Meeting Location is the Five Forks Library that is not available this month. )

Agenda

1. **Meet and Greet** – Introduction of each attending member - Please do register on the WebSite ([www.scribblersweb.com](http://www.scribblersweb.com)) that you are attending.
2. **Business Items**:
3. [www.scribblersweb.com](http://www.scribblersweb.com) site

Scribblers Christian Writers Book Store Report:

  - We had one sale from the Scribblers Book Store in October. Donna Barron sold one copy of her book, “The Man Who Carved Stone Mountain”. The sale occurred during the “Art in Park” festival and I suspect it came from all of the brochures we passed out that day, although I do not know for sure. (They did not use the 10% coupon code that was on the brochure.)

Currently : 27 authors with 74 Books are currently in the book store.

1. Amazon Books Sold For Scribblers Press for July 2021

   - We had 2 Units sold - 1 Paperbacks, 1-Digital

   - Geri Mehta – Paperback – Princess Party Manners

* Marlene Buchanan – Digital- A Place With A Past

Both Geri and Marlene appear to be some of the most consistent sales on Amazon.

The checks for all royalty/commissions were mailed on Monday October 4, 2021. Please be sure to cash your checks. I have a number of folks with outstanding Royalty Checks that have not been deposited yet.

1. Marketing Report
	* Marketing is with out doubt the single largest need and expense authors have. The following are some of the marketing opportunities that Scribblers Christian Writers Group have been or will be involved in.
		1. 2021 Art In The Park – Saturday, September 18- Sunday September 19 – 7 Authors attended and most of us did well. It is definitely a show I am planning to return to next year.
		2. The Town of Gillsville -2021 Annual Pottery Day – Saturday October 2 8:00am-4:00pm This was the first year for this festival and a few authors went and the report was good, so this appears to be another one to consider attending.

iii. Marlene Buchanan has a list of all potential shows we could attend. Please review and let us know which ones you have interest in.

iv. Distribution of flyer that five authors put together. I am interested in doing additional flyers. Currently Geri Mehta has expressed her interest. We need 4 more authors to commit at $150 for 1000 flyers for each author. Are you interested?

1. **November 2021 Scribblers Meetings** – Face to Face Meetings, One ZOOM Meeting

October 2021 is a normal month with:

* 1. Monday November 15, 2021 – 6:00 PM – Summerfield FL and Orlando FL chapters at Charles de Andrade home – 9741 SE 174th Place Road, Summerfield, FL, 34491
		1. 772-584-1578 (Please register to attend so I can tell gate you are coming)
	2. Tuesday November 16, 2021 – 6:00 PM - Macon, GA Chapter – meeting at Fountain of Juice- [4123 Forsyth Rd, Macon, GA 31210](https://www.bing.com/local?lid=YN873x13925479311552249406&id=YN873x13925479311552249406&q=Fountain+of+Juice&name=Fountain+of+Juice&cp=32.86613464355469%7e-83.69255065917969&ppois=32.86613464355469_-83.69255065917969_Fountain+of+Juice) (478) 755-5000 (Charles de Andrade is chapter leader – 772-584-1578)
	3. Tuesday November 16, 2021 – 6:00 PM – Lilburn, GA Chapter – meeting at Five Forks Library -2780 Five Forks Trickum Road, [**Lawrenceville**](https://librarytechnology.org/libraries/search.pl?City=Lawrenceville&State=Georgia), [**Georgia**](https://librarytechnology.org/libraries/search.pl?State=Georgia), 30044-5865 770-978-5600 ( Mike Owens is chapter leader – 225-315-0851) [ The site may need to change because of a conflict at the library for October]
	4. Wednesday November 17, 2021 -6:00 PM – Tucker/Norcross Chapter –The Crossings Restaurant, [40 S Peachtree St, Norcross, GA 30071](https://www.bing.com/local?lid=YN873x5416872444476787267&id=YN873x5416872444476787267&q=The+Crossing+Steakhouse&name=The+Crossing+Steakhouse&cp=33.942115783691406%7e-84.21343231201172&ppois=33.942115783691406_-84.21343231201172_The+Crossing+Steakhouse) (678) 280-9081 (Charles de Andrade is chapter leader – 772-584-1578)
	5. Thursday November 17 ,2021 - 6:00 PM – Snellville, GA Chapter – meeting at Main Street Restaurant, [1142 Athens Hwy Ste 115, Grayson, GA 30017](https://www.bing.com/local?lid=YN203x4451012&id=YN203x4451012&q=Main+Street+Restaurant&name=Main+Street+Restaurant&cp=33.862892150878906%7e-83.96463012695312&ppois=33.862892150878906_-83.96463012695312_Main+Street+Restaurant) (770) 985-9985 (Marlene Buchanan is chapter leader -470-451-7921
	6. ZOOM Meeting – Monday November 22, 2021 – 6:00PM  <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82146932794>

You are welcome to come to any of the meetings you wish to attend. The ZOOM meeting are for anyone unable to attend one of the in person meetings so you can stay engaged. We will have one ZOOM meeting every month to allow people not in the area to also attend.

Please do register for the meeting you wish to attend, so that the chapter leaders know you are coming. Register on www.scribblersweb.com

1. **Newsletter Update** – Mike Owens
	1. Thank you to Mike who is pulling together the Newsletter. The October 2021 Newsletter is going out this week (Week of October 11) . Please let us know if you did not see the Newsletter.
	2. Questions:
		1. How to be listed as author of the month
		2. How to get your new releases listed
		3. Other questions
2. **Resource Review :**
	1. This month we are having Waking Girl Design presenting what you get from our website when you join Scribblers Christian Writers Group. Two levels of service: $100 – gives you a simple web site attached to the Web Site $500 – gives you a stand alone web site that you own
	2. Have you used any of the resources to this point and what is your experience?
		1. Resource Available – From Web Site:

## EDITING

## [The Writer's High](https://www.scribblersweb.com/resources-for-writers/the-writers-high-editing-services)[M.K. Editing](https://www.scribblersweb.com/resources-for-writers/mk-editing-editing-services)[Michele Pollock Dalton](https://www.scribblersweb.com/resources-for-writers/editing-services-near-me)

## AUDIO

## [Rick Barr](https://www.scribblersweb.com/resources-for-writers/rick-barr)[VoiceOver Pam Audiobooks](https://pamwoodmarketing.activehosted.com/index.php?action=social&c=187&m=21)[Goodwill Rights Management Corp​](https://www.scribblersweb.com/resources-for-writers/goodwill-rights-management-corp)

## PRINTERS

## [Trinity Press](https://www.scribblersweb.com/resources-for-writers/trinity-press)

## MARKETING

## [Waking Girl Web Design](https://www.renowakinggirl.com/)

## OTHER

## [Jim Wall Coaching](https://www.scribblersweb.com/resources-for-writers/jim-wall-coaching)

## What other resources would be beneficial for you?

Next Month – OPEN at this point for Resource Review

7)The Critics Corner aka “The Inklings Moment” : Every month one or two of our authors will review something they are working on. The intent of this period is to give the author the opportunity to have other authors read, hear, and comment on what the author is writing. This is meant as a period of encouragement, and of constructive review. What did you like about what the author wrote? What did you learn from what was written? What could be improved upon? This also give the author the opportunity to discuss what is behind what is written. If you would like to be included in next month’s review, please contact your chapter leader and provide up to 4 pages of content.

This Month’s Review – Open