Want to Know More!!!!

The Life Journeys Writing Workshop is a flexible Writing Workshop series, designed for your needs and location.

Questions?

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Monthly Gatherings / Workshops / Literary Projects and Events / Literary TherapySM, Productions, and more!

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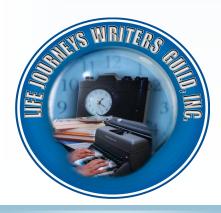
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Iission Statement

The Life Journeys Writers Club, also known as the Life Journeys Writers Guild (DBA), embraces, nurtures and recognizes its members as passionate readers and writers, and empowerment seekers through the Literary Arts—the written word rendered in all mediums.

The Life Journeys Writers Club dba Life Journeys Writers Guild seeks to use literary arts as an empowerment tool to help disenfranchised and underserved families, men, women, and youth engage in a creative process that incorporates academic, selfesteem, personal/social tolerance, and communication skills building. LJWC/LJWG's goal is to produce empowered families and individuals prepared to live productive and happy lives.

The *LJWC/LJWG* is an ever-growing diverse group of writers, eclectic in genre, professional backgrounds and experience. It welcomes professionals and amateurs, alike. It encourages, informs and promotes writers with the purpose of propelling their literary passions to the next desired levels of success. It also seeks to serve as an all-inclusive economic bridge to research, resource, literary opportunity as well as a vehicle to selfimprovement throughout the community.

Its members shall always abide by a civil code of honor, behavior and encouragement. Critiques and written material, while always creative, many times edgy, and honest, must neither be cruel nor overtly offensive. The *LJWC/LJWG*

reserves the right to reconsider and/or revoke membership if that code is violated or if a conflict of interest obstructs the progress, purpose and/or good of the nonprofit.



Literary Legacy in Motion!

Engage in the Wealth of Writing ... Explore Your Voice, Vibe and Validation!

— edgy, energizing and empowering!









Encouraging Active-Duty Service Members, Veterans, Military Families

Incarcerated Men/ Woman/Youth; Returning Citizens; Law Enforcement

Academia, Local/Federal Government, Organizations/ Businesses (staff), Faith-based Houses, etc.

> Everyone Has a Story ... What's Your Story? Explore Crafting Stories and Publishing Options Ideal for Adults *** Teens *** Children

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Build Strong Skills and Benefits

Benefit and Build from Medley's **Literary Therapy**SM via our Life Journeys Writing Workshops, utilizing media classics, participants' writings/discussion in nurturing instructional formats.

- *** Mental Health Therapy and Morale Building, and Consults
- ***The learning and practice of positive creative self-expression
- ***Conflict-resolution/mediation skills
- ***Communication skills (critical thinking, listening and speaking)
- ***Personal/social tolerance
- ***Relief from (as well as the proper/ effective handling of) every day cultural and personal stressors (H.A.L.T. [for men] and P.H.A.L.T. [for women])
- ***Self-validation and self-control
- ***Team building
- ***Forgiveness
- ***Creating a viable voice for victims/ survivors, and offenders, including those touched by Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) — originating from a variety of issues.
- * Suicide Prevention Love;

"<u>Writing</u> is perhaps the greatest of human inventions, binding together people who never knew each other, citizens of distant epochs. Books break the shackles of time. A book is proof that humans are capable of working magic." – Carl Sagan, Scientist and Best-selling Author

"One of the cornerstones of Literary TherapySM, designed to work for the enhancement of mental health and positive creative self-expression." – Yvonne J. Medley, Founder of Life Journeys Writers Guild, Inc.

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