

ABOUT DR. MELISSA CAUDLE



***“If reincarnation is real, in my next life I want to come back as Stephen Hawking.”* Dr. Melissa Caudle**



Dr. Melissa Caudle, AKA Dr. Mel, is an American author of more than a dozen books, both fiction and non-fiction and numerous articles in magazines as a freelance writer. She is also the Senior Editor at Absolute Author Publishing House and has helped hundreds of authors reach their publishing dreams. She is best known for the novel *The Keystroke Killer: Transcendence* and *A.D.A.M.*

Another best seller for Dr. Mel is her book series for screenwriters. The series includes quick guidebooks for screenwriters on how to develop and use a beat sheet, write a logline, synopsis and create a one pager for screenplays. She also has published two books for filmmakers and reality show creators to raise funds for their projects.

As an artist, Dr. Mel illustrated six adult coloring books in her series *Abstract Faces* which include several her favorite art creations. She describes her style of art as a mixture between Picasso and Salvador Dali. She uses professional markers, acrylic paints and water colors. Take a look for yourself below. Dr. Mel also sells original art pieces on her website.



Another side to Dr. Mel is her love for music. At the age of eight, she began taking viola lessons and played in her school's orchestra. Soon after, she learned the cello and the violin. As an adult, she taught herself to play the piano. Her love for music inspired her to compose songs. She has five albums under the name *Mystic Towers* and has composed original scores for independent films and dozens of book trailers.

In the summer of 2017, Dr. Mel met Liz Ashe Havrilla, author of *One Step at a Time*. After hearing her story of surviving Hurricane Katrina in 2005, she helped Liz by editing her book and writing the introduction. “It is a special book with power to heal with God’s grace.”

Because of *One Step at a Time*, Dr. Mel is writing the companion book, *The Golden Needle and Thread*, a devotional for healing which will be published in the summer of 2019. Both books are based from real-life experiences and show the power of faith and hope. One Step at a time is available on Amazon.com.



Dr. Mel's hobbies include drawing, composing music, and collecting marbles, both antique and contemporary. Her original art and her marble collection of more than 30,000 are on display at Family Tree Antiques & Treasures in Bay St. Louis, MS. And, yes, this is the antique store that Jackie and Margarete visited in *Never Stop Running*. You can have that experience too. If you travel to the area, be sure to stop and visit.



Dr. Mel lives in New Orleans, LA with her husband and two cats. She is the mother of three daughters and has seven grandsons and one granddaughter. When she is not writing or drawing, she loves to go to the New Orleans Saints games, ballroom dance, swim, camping and spend time with her family. Her goal is to keep living life to the fullest and cherish every moment.

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