

JILL MEYER



AUTHOR AND SPEAKER

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MEET JILL

*"We write to taste life twice,
in the moment and
in retrospect."*

~ Anais Nin

Jill Meyer grew up in New Jersey but has spent most of her adult life as a "wash-ashore" on Cape Cod, where she and her husband devoted sixteen years to owning and managing a AAA Four Diamond inn. She has also lived in California, Pennsylvania, Boston, and Colorado. Before her days as a twenty-something nomad, she earned a marketing and entrepreneurial studies degree at Babson College. Shortly thereafter, she married her high school sweetheart, and they traveled to 49 states and 4 continents together.

Jill is currently a novelist as well as a wedding officiant, helping couples write personal vows, wedding speeches, and customized ceremonies. She and her husband have five children, including twins as the grand finale. Adoption has a special place in Jill's heart as her middle child and only son was adopted from Ethiopia. Her next dream is to one day take her family there to see her son's roots first-hand. She also hopes to vacation in Alaska, the only state she has yet to visit.

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WHY INTERVIEW JILL

Jill is an author, blogger, wedding officiant, mother of five and speaker. She engages audiences with topics surrounding motherhood, her former career as an innkeeper, and the inspiration she found to become an author.



SUGGESTED DISCUSSION TOPICS

- From Innkeeper to Writer: Navigating Creative Transitions.

SUGGESTED DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- Transitioning from owning and managing an Inn to becoming a creative writer is quite a shift. Can you share how your background in the hospitality industry has impacted your writing?
- Your bio mentions that you and your husband traveled to 49 states and 4 continents. To what extent do your own travel and life experiences mirror or inspire the settings and journeys of your fictional characters and writing in general?
- Adoption holds a special place in your heart, as your middle child was adopted from Ethiopia. How does this personal connection influence the themes of family and identity explored in your texts?
- Your forthcoming novel highlights the enduring power of family bonds. Are there specific family structures or relationships that you found particularly intriguing or challenging to explore in your writing?

- Your creative outlets vary as a wedding officiant and a novelist. How did you transition from writing personal wedding vows and speeches to fiction?
- In your experience as both a mother of five and a wedding officiant, what are some valuable lessons you've learned about love, family dynamics, and the journey of marriage that you often share with your audience?
- Your blog covers a wide array of topics. Could you tell us about a post or series that resonated deeply with your readers and what inspired you to write about it?
- Balancing writing, blogging, public speaking, and family life can be challenging. How do you manage your time effectively, and what advice do you have for others who are juggling multiple roles and passions?
- Your content is known for its rich and diverse topics. Can you walk us through your creative process when developing new ideas or exploring different themes to share with your audience?

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A hand-drawn signature in teal ink that reads "Jill Meyer". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style. Above the letter "i" in "Meyer", there is a small, simple line drawing of a hand holding a pen, as if in the act of writing.