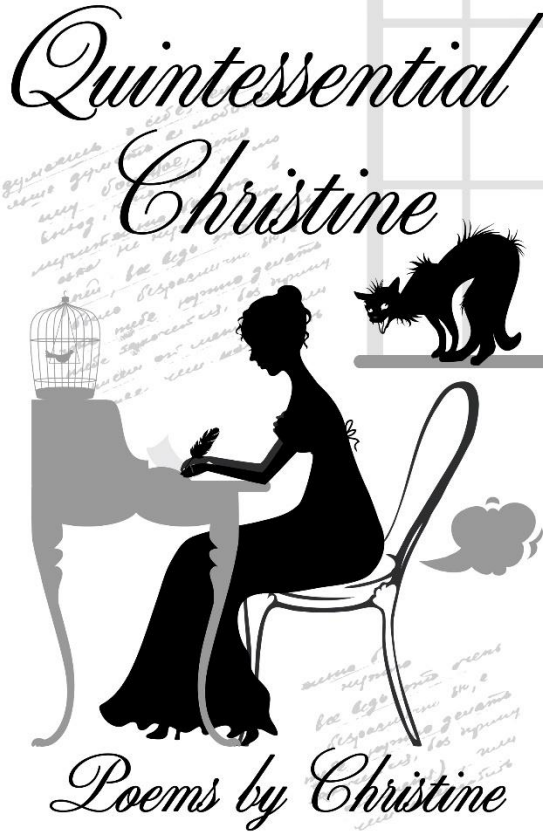


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ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Christine is seventy years old, married and has three children and six grandchildren. All are the delights of her life. Christine is also a Registered Nurse of 52 years still ongoing, enjoys keeping fit, reading, writing, gardening and enjoying life as it comes.

Christine has been writing poetry for many years and her poetry is usually spontaneous and based on life events. She writes in many styles, ranging from serious to quite humorous, philosophical, and at times a little cynical.

Christine enjoys writing a well metered rhyming poem, usually with a story attached but has also explored free style at times. She believes her poetry is honest and written for other's enjoyment and is thrilled to present her first book of poetry. Christine wishes to thank her readers for their

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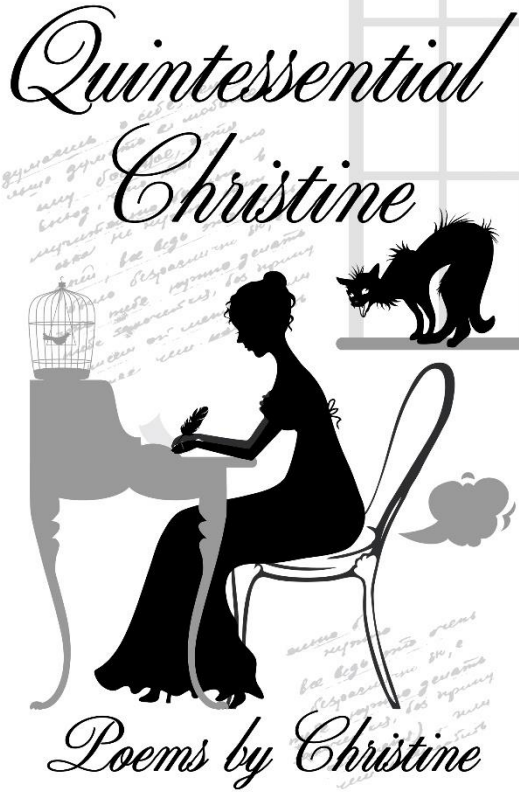


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A CONVERSATION WITH THE AUTHOR

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I take part in a FanStory poetry site for writers, where the other members read and review my work. They have given me many pointers and support over the past six years since joining this site. Many have been published so it is great to have their support also.

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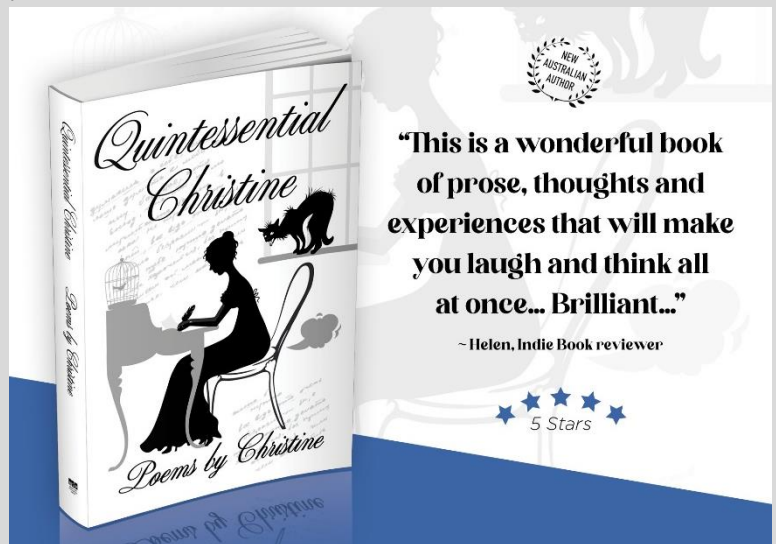
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