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A pirate's life is full of exciting and dangerous adventures!

Captain Blue Beard and his band of treacherous misfits know this all too well!

A whimsical tale of a journey on the high seas to discover a life of redemption, harmony and to escape the gates of hell.

*"A wonderful children's book for young readers to venture to the seas of adventure! Loved it!" Karen, IndieBook reviewer*

## ABOUT THE AUTHOR

I am a self-taught author with a passion for books, and writing has always been a joy for me since a young age... but it has always been for my eyes only!

I wrote this book for my baby boy so I could share the joy with him and I am so happy and proud that my first published book is the one that I have written for my son.

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## A CONVERSATION WITH THE AUTHOR

### WHY DID YOU WRITE 'CAPTAIN BLUE BEARD'? WHAT WERE YOUR INSPIRATIONS?

*I got the inspiration for this book from my son Mack. He was only two when I wrote the book and I wrote it for him first and foremost, the fact that it is going to get published is a great bonus. I had a few concepts for books I was working on but they weren't quite right. Then one day we needed a jumper for Mack and we pulled out a hand me down that was a hoodie with Captain Blue Beard on it. I did some research about Blue Beard and decided that was great inspiration for a children's picture book for Mack.*

### WHEN DID YOU FIRST REALISE YOU WANTED TO WRITE?

*When I was a kid I started writing. I actually just found the first book I ever wrote in storage. It was great to look back at where it all started for me. It was a book about a guy who loves to eat lolly gobble bliss bombs but he falls asleep and when he wakes up they are trying to eat him. Crazy stuff and yummy at the same time!*

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