

MY FAVORITE GENRE TO
WRITE IS
1
FICTION

I dabble in poetry,

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especially
haikus
&
limericks.

*My main
characters are
usually girls.
They are usually
rule-benders and
make snarky
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**10 Things I
know about
myself as a
writer**

4 my PROTAGONISTS usually HAVE
a boy buddy WHO IS THE RULE-
FOLLOWER. i like THE
Juxtaposition of THE
GENDER ROLES you NORMALLY
find IN REAL LIFE.

5 My characters are usually in the 10-12 years old range. Again, we
write what we know.

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MY STRENGTH IN WRITING
HAS ALWAYS BEEN
GRAMMAR AND
PUNCTUATION. I'VE HAD
TO LEARN, AND
SOMETIMES CONSCIOUSLY
REMINDED MYSELF OF, THE
OTHER ASPECTS OF WHAT
MAKES WRITING GOOD.

I TEND
TO END
MY
CHAPTERS
ON
CLIFFHANGERS,
PROBABLY

THE RESULT
OF
WATCHING
TOO MANY
EPISODES
OF
"LOST."



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I like

to use a
lot of dialogue
in my writing. I read
somewhere once that
dialogue drives a
story.

Said isn't quite dead: I
9 follow little-known
author J.K. Rowling's
example for using said.
She uses it sparingly, but
when she does, she says
HOW it's being said
("Hermione said airily...")

When I really like
something I've
written, I try to fit it
into something else.
For example, the
antagonist in one
story I'm working on
is the **PRO**tagonist in
another.

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