

My Why

QUESTION AND ANSWER

MY WRITING WHY

- WHY DO YOU LIKE WRITING?
- WHY DID YOU START WRITING?
- WHAT EXCITES YOU THE MOST ABOUT WRITING?
- WHAT MOTIVATES YOUR WRITING?
- WHAT DO YOU LOVE IN THE STORIES YOU READ?
- WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE THING IN THE MOVIES OR TV SHOWS YOU WATCH?
- DO YOU HAVE A WRITING GOAL OR DREAM?
- WHAT WILL IT TAKE TO GET TO YOUR GOAL OR DREAM? DO YOU HAVE A PLAN OF ACTION?
- WHAT DO YOU WANT TO GIVE PEOPLE WITH YOUR WRITING?
- WHAT DRAWS YOU INTO A STORY AND KEEPS YOU THERE?
- WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF YOU DIDN'T WRITE?
- WHY DO YOU STRUGGLE WITH WRITING? WHAT CAN YOU DO TO STOP THIS?
- WHAT STOPS YOU FROM WRITING? WHAT CAN YOU DO TO CHANGE THAT?
- WHAT DO YOU DO WHEN WRITING IS HARD?
- WHERE IS WRITING ON YOUR PRIORITY LIST? WHY IS IT IN THAT POSITION?
- SO NOW WHAT IS YOUR WHY? WHY DO YOU DO THIS?

My Story Why

THIS STORY

What draws you to this particular story? Why?

Why this genre?

What is the length (short story, novella, novel) Why did you chose that?

What do you want the reader to get out of this story? Why will this story accomplish that?

Do you have side stories going a long with your main one? Why did you chose those? Why do they add to the story?

Why did you choose the ending? Why is it the right one?

Why should you be the one to write this story? What can you bring that is unique because you are you?

Why should you spend countless hours on this particular story?

THIS CHARACTER

Why does this story match this main character?

Why will the reader care about them?

Why couldn't the story be about someone else?

How will they grow as a person?

What do they want and why do they want it so bad?

What do they need and why do they need it?

What will they struggle against? Why will the reader care?

At what point in the story will the reader begin to root for them? Why there?

What will struggling to get what they want cost them? What do you want the reader to feel about that? Why?