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ABOUT THE AUTHOR



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Short bio:

Chris Maday Schmidt is a self-professed princess and Publishers Weekly bestselling author who writes real-life fairytales brimming with hope,

humor & heart. She is a member of FHLCW, and her debut novel received a 5-star reader review in the 2024 Readers' Favorite Book Reviews and Award Contest. Chris is the author of two inspirational romances for Harlequin HarperCollins.

Long bio:

Publishers Weekly bestselling author and self-professed princess Chris Maday Schmidt believes it's *always the write time* for real-life fairytales brimming with hope for new beginnings, humor in the messy middle, & heart for happy endings. Originally from the Midwest, she relocated to the Southwest with her real-life hero, Bob and daughter, Bailey. Chris has a bachelor's degree in Literature, Writing & Film, and her past careers include administrative, editorial and substitute teaching. She's a member of Faith, Hope, & Love Christian Writers, and her debut Harlequin Love Inspired novel—*A FATHER'S VOW* (April 2024)—received a 5-star reader review in the 2024 Readers' Favorite Book Reviews and Award Contest.

As a freelance writer for more than a decade, Chris has sold stories to *Woman's World* magazine, *Chicken Soup for the Soul*, *Guideposts*, and assorted trade publications. She currently lives in Northern Arizona, where she writes clean & wholesome stories about family, friendship, and faith.