

**Inspirational Writers Alive!**

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**Writers Alive! (IWA!) is a Christian interdenominational writers' club. IWA! promotes creative writing to glorify Christ by helping individuals advance their writing skills and find effective markets for their work.**

**We welcome writers at all levels.**

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SEPTEMBER is Month for

**NW Houston IWA!**

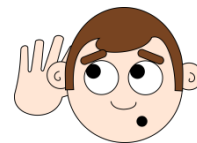
**We meet**

**Tuesday, September 11, 2018**

**Copperfield Church, 8350 Hwy 6 North, 7:00-9:00 p. m.**

**Check with front desk for Room Number**

**September 11, 2018 Meeting**



**Melanie Stiles Speaks**

**on**

**The Business of Writing.**

Most writers simply want to write. But EVERY successful writer knows that is only the beginning of the author story. Join Melanie as she discusses a checklist that all writers need to engage with as they pursue The Business of Writing.

Melanie is an award-winning author and life coach who has accumulated hundreds of bylines in various publications. Melanie believes we are better together and works to help others become the best they can be! Be sure to check out her website for more information: [www.MelanieStiles.com](http://www.MelanieStiles.com)



## **NW Houston IWA! 2018 Schedule**

October 9, 2018 – Nominate 2019 Officers  
& \*Critique Meeting

November 13, 2018 – Vote 2019 Officers  
&\*Critique Meeting

December 11, 2018 - Christmas Party  
Share  
Written Stories about Christmas

### **\*Critique Sessions**

**Critique Sessions:** On arrival, please sign the Critique Sheet for a critique of your manuscript.

**Guidelines for a critique:** We follow guidelines acceptable with most publishers, font New Times Roman 12 and double-spaced. We critique five pages maximum.

**Copies:** We are members of a writing organization. We need sufficient copies of manuscripts for critique or handouts for each person at the table. For this reason, we greatly appreciate members who let us know they'll be absent.

*We've been averaging six to eight at our meetings. We'll updatee*

*Numbers of Copies when needed.*

### **Publishing Opportunity**

**“The Scribe” is open for submissions!**

**Submission guidelines:** IWA! Mission Statement values, Times New Roman 12 font, maximum five pages, double space, subject to editing.

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15 He sendeth forth his commandment upon earth:  
His word runneth very swiftly.

16 He giveth snow like wool:  
He scattereth the hoarfrost like ashes.

17 He casteth forth his ice like morsels:  
Who can stand before his cold?

18 He sendeth out his word, and melteth them:  
he causeth his wind to blow, and the waters flow.

**Psalm 147:15-18 KJV**

**In IWA!**

We pray; He gives us commands  
And we receive his Word abundantly  
We feel the loveliness of the snow and  
The warmth of wool warms our hearts and we write.  
He sendeth forth ice; we shiver and we write for  
He scatters and feeds others His Word  
and melteth them.  
His word flows and runneth swiftly.  
We write for Him.

Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed,  
rightly dividing the word of truth. *2 Timothy 2:15 KJV*

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