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**Hannah Reynolds, High Point Christian Academy instructor,
has Historical-Fiction Short Story Published**

Ms. Hannah Reynolds was recently notified that her historical-fiction short story is going to be published in *South Carolina's Emerging Writers: An Anthology of Fiction*. This piece is an excerpt from a novel she is working on set during the 1940's.

For this particular publication, *South Carolina's Emerging Writers: An Anthology of Fiction*, writers are generally invited to submit. In this case, one of the editors read some of Ms. Reynolds work that had been published in *The Mountain Laurel*, the literary magazine of her alma mater North Greenville University (Tigerville, SC). The anthology features many new writers. Having this story published, even in an anthology for a fairly new publishing company, is taking her writing a little farther than it's ever gone before.

"I have loved writing and stories since I was a little girl. I've been writing stories since I was about five years old, and I've never really stopped," states Ms. Reynolds. "My passion and love for writing make me a better reader and a better teacher. I am so thankful for the opportunity to teach literature to my high schoolers. I think that my passion for writing helps me to dig deeper into texts that I read, which in turn helps me guide my students to engage with the text on a deeper level. I also try to incorporate creative writing components into my English classes to give my students the opportunity to do something different and express themselves in unique ways."

Hannah Reynolds is in a second year of teacher at HPCA. She teaches English 1 Honors, English 1 College Prep, and English 2 College Prep. Ms. Reynolds is the HPCA middle/high school yearbook adviser. She also sponsors a weekly Creative Writing Club for middle and high school students who are interested in writing. High Point Christian Academy is extremely proud and grateful for Ms. Reynolds talents!

About South Carolina's Emerging Writers: An Anthology of Fiction

Our Emerging Writers publications are part of an experimental series designed to match readers looking for new voices with up-and-coming authors looking to widen their reader base. We like to refer to publications in this series as "sampler platters" of writers and genres, such that readers can quickly and efficiently discover talented authors they may otherwise have never heard of as well as compelling genres they may never have given a shot before.

In South Carolina's Emerging Writers: An Anthology of Fiction, South Carolina's most promising up-and-coming authors have the chance to share their own words. Covering a wide array of genres ranging from literary fiction to satire, mystery, comedy, science fiction, and more, these young talents will amaze you. Containing one story per writer, this anthology is a compelling introduction to the great wordsmiths of tomorrow.

About High Point Christian Academy

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