

Alice J. Wisler



[Alice J. Wisler](#) has been an advocate for writing through grief since the cancer death of her four-year-old son Daniel in 1997. She's sold articles, stories, and devotionals to the *Upper Room*, *Today's Christian Woman*, *Standard Publishing*, *David C. Cook*, the *Canadian Writers Journal*, *Sydney's Child*, *Byline* magazine, *Blue Mountain Arts*, and *Chicken Soup for the Soul*.

In 1999, she founded Daniel's House Publications, an organization to help fellow bereaved parents. Under Daniel's House she published three print cookbooks in memory of children who have died too soon, an e-book on journaling, developed a line of bereavement cards, and created [Writing the Heartache](#) workshops and [Writing the Psalms](#) workshops. She offers her workshops online and at conferences across the country. The workshops stress the value and benefits of writing from pain and loss for healing, health, and hope.

In 2012, she and her husband started a business, [Carved By Heart](#), where they carve memorial plaques/remembrances, house number signs, bird feeders, rustic clocks, and other home décor. Carl does the carving and painting and Alice promotes via social media sites.

Alice has authored four novels published by Bethany House: [Rain Song](#) (Christy Finalist), [How Sweet It Is](#) (Christy Finalist), [Hatteras Girl](#) and [A Wedding Invitation](#), and [Still Life in Shadows](#) by River North/Moody. Her devotional, [Getting out of Bed in the Morning: Reflections of Comfort in Heartache](#) (Leafwood), covers the many losses we face and how God sustains us through each one. Her next novel, ***Under the Silk Hibiscus***, will be released by Lighthouse Publishing of the Carolinas in November 2014.

Alice has been a contributing writer for *Eastern North Carolina Woman*, *Writers Weekly*, *Writing for Dollars*, *Open to Hope*, *The Grief Toolbox*, and *Christian Work at Home Moms*.

Listen to Alice's heartwarming interview by Ron Harder on the [Hope, Healing & Help Radio Program](#) (KFIA Sacramento 710 AM 8/23/14).

Although Alice grew up as missionary kid in Japan, and traveled the world, she's now settled with her husband, three kids, two dogs, and computer in Durham, NC.

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