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SUGGESTED INTERVIEW QUESTIONS

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Author of Romancing the Holidays Collection, Burning the Bacon and True Loaf

- 1. You've accomplished your dream of publishing at a very young age. What advice do you have for other aspiring writers?
- 2. You have contemporary romance novels out in addition to a fantasy short story. Why those particular genres and do you plan to write in other genres as well?
- 3. In addition to your novels, you have an award-winning poetry collection out called Burning the Bacon. What drew you to poetry?
- 4. What do you hope readers take away from your novels and poetry?
- 5. As an award-winning poet, what does the rise of poetry in our society today, especially on social media platforms like Instagram, mean to you?
- 6. In college you were diagnosed with several conditions that are referred to as invisible illnesses (e.g. Crohns, migraines, fibromyalgia, insomnia). How does living with those illnesses affect you as a young adult and as a writer?
- 7. What is your advice for other young people with similar invisible illnesses?
- 8. As COVID continues to impact society, what has been your experience with its impact on the disabled community?
- 9. How and where can readers purchase your books?
- 10. Is there anything else you'd like to tell us about your books or your life as a writer?