

AUTHORIAN QUEST

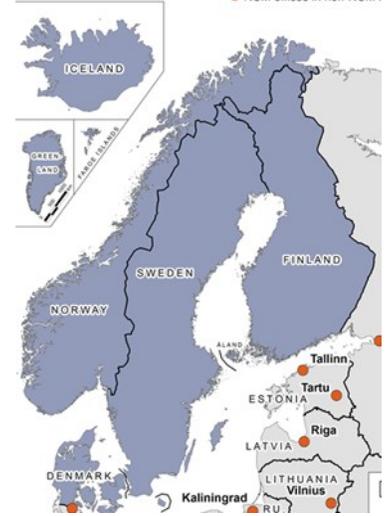
FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS



UNDER THE LOCATIONS TOPIC, WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY "NORDIC"?

The Nordic region consists of Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway, Sweden and the Åland Islands, the Faroe Islands, and Greenland. (As seen on the right).

(PLEASE NOTE: all quests regarding location are bound by what is listed here. Other sources may define a location/region differently, but for the purposes of this Reading Challenge it is defined here and is not open for debate.)



WHAT DO YOU MEAN BY "MORE THAN ONE CO-AUTHOR"?

[QUEST UNDER INITIALS/NAMES]

This means they have published books with more than one person getting credit as a co-author. This does not mean a group of people publishing a book together, nor does it have to be multiple co-authors for one book.

HOW DO I TELL WHAT GENRE AN AUTHOR WRITES IN AND HOW DO I KNOW THEY WRITE IN MORE THAN ONE?

For the Challenge, genres refer to how the authors are cataloged in our library. If you can find an author in the Mystery section and in the Science Fiction, then they qualify for this quest.

WHAT IS MEANT BY "FROM ALABAMA" UNDER LOCATIONS?

For this quest the author must live in Alabama or claim Alabama as home. A good place to start your search is the Alabama Writers Forum's [website](#).

WHAT'S A HOLLYWOOD INSIDER?

To qualify for this quest, a book **MUST** be the **Autobiography** of someone in Entertainment industry or a professional Athlete. Think of someone who writes a tell-all book giving the inside scoop.

THE APPALACHIANS STRETCH PRETTY FAR SO THIS SEEMS TO BE A PRETTY BROAD QUEST.

The Appalachian Region



For this quest we are referring to the Appalachian region not the entire mountain chain. We are using the official definition of the [Appalachian Regional Commission](#). (As seen on the left.)

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WHAT KIND OF BOOKS CAN I READ?

All books should come from the Decatur Public Library collection (Decatur, AL). Any kind of adult (or young adult) fiction or non-fiction, in any available format (print, eBook, audio book, eAudioBook) will count, as long as it is checked out from DPL.

Inter-Library Loans (ILL) obtained through our ILL librarian Wanda **will** count. Just keep your receipt and it will count towards your challenge!

NOTE: Books catalogued as J (for Juvenile) will not count.

NOTE: Books checked out from Eva Public Library WILL NOT COUNT in the challenge.

NOTE: You may count ONE book from outside the collection.

This can be:

- A book checked out from another area library
- A book from your personal library

You may take advantage of this extra credit at any point during the challenge period, by notifying Steph-Rhonda at the time of validation.