

IA Mullin Author Media Information Kit

This media kit contains information about IA Mullin for the purpose of sharing in media or social articles. Included herein are:

- ✓ Author biographies in lengths of 752 words, 468 words, 242 words, 107 words, 54 words, and 127 characters.
- ✓ 5 Fun Facts about IA Mullin
- ✓ Available Books and Upcoming Releases
- ✓ Contact Information

Author Biographies

Greetings from the Author (752 words)

Welcome and thank you for reading. I'm sure you are here to learn more about the author. That's me! Let me tell you something important. I AM I.A. Mullin. I am who I am, and nothing anyone says is going to change that. That does not mean that I will not listen to the opinions of others. On the contrary, the opinions of others helps me know who people see me as, and that is just as important to know as who I am in my heart. I learned a long time ago, back in my high school days, that I have to know my heart before others can know me. If I don't know me, then how can other people really know me? The answer is they can't. And if they don't really know me, then the things they say about me are not true. I want you to know me, at least a little, so that you can say true things about me.

When I was graduating high school, I gave a speech about following your dreams. I was adamant that if you want it bad enough and work hard enough, then you can achieve your goals. My dream was to go to college, become a veterinarian or a veterinary technician, meet the right guy, have a family, and help animals the rest of my life. I went to Colorado State University, met my totally amazing other half and married him, and graduated with a bachelor's degree in Zoology. Then life happened. I was not accepted into vet school or a master's program. Ok, that's alright, I just needed experience and then I could try again. I enrolled at Front Range Community College. Earned my Associate's Degree in Veterinary Technology and passed my exams to become a Certified Vet Tech. I had worked in various vet offices and related businesses. I got hired at a local vet clinic. Gave birth to my first child. Everything was looking good.

Guess what? Life happened again. It has a way of changing the best laid plans. My boss decided that I was not a good fit for the position after having worked there for four years. I had a six month old baby and some hard choices to make. I could find a new job as a vet tech, go back to school, or lose a dream I had held my whole life. Let me tell you a vet tech in Colorado does not make enough money to pay for professional child care. I made the choice to let go of my vet dreams and take care of my family. I became a stay at home mom. And it was the best choice I have ever made. I have raised my two sons in a loving home where they get to see mommy all the time. We have a very strong bond, and I wouldn't go back on that decision, ever.

There was also opportunity in my choice to stay home with my children. I had a secret. I had been writing a book in my spare time ever since my freshman year of high school. Very few people knew what I was working on, not even my parents or family. My husband did know, and he encouraged me with this endeavor. I wrote my manuscript and began to talk to an editor. The story was so long, that I agreed to divide it into three books. In early 2016, I made a life changing choice to attend a writer conference. I learned that I had a lot to learn about the industry and business of being an author. I made changes in my plan again. I took the steps to

found Avio Publishing, LLC and became an independent publisher. I had let go of one dream and found a path for another. That is the truth of life. Dreams can change, but they are still worth pursuing.

Now it is up to you, my readers. I have written and will continue to write the best books I can from my love of telling stories and my vivid imagination. I have taken the steps to make those books available to the market and get the word out about them. But the best part of being an author is finding readers who really enjoy sharing my works. I am sharing them with you, and ask you to please share them with others who might also enjoy them.

Thank you, and happy reading!

IA Mullin

Long Author Bio (468 words)

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IA Mullin Bio (242 words)

IA Mullin grew up on a farm in rural Colorado. She helped raise crops and cattle. She learned the value of hard work and fostered a love of animals. She went to Colorado State University to further her interests in animals and science. She graduated with a Bachelor's degree in Zoology. Next, she attended Front Range Community College and attained the status of Certified Veterinary Technician with an Associate's degree in Veterinary Technology. She has worked as a kennel cleaner, vet assistant, and vet tech, with various veterinary offices, the Larimer Humane Society, and volunteered with the Rocky Mountain Raptor Program, a rehabilitation center. She has raised cattle and pygmy goats. She loves all kinds of pets as well as nature and the outdoors.

In 2010, she chose to leave the veterinary field in order to raise her family. She began to write in earnest at that time. She had started her first manuscript as a freshman in high school, but had only written in her spare time as a hobby. Now as a mother of two active boys, she has founded Avio Publishing, LLC and is very excited to have entered the ranks of independent publishers and authors.

"It's been a long journey to this point, but I don't regret any step of it. It has lead me to understand that imagination is the substance of creation. If I can imagine it, I can create it, at least on paper." ~IA Mullin

IA Mullin Bio (107 words)

IA Mullin is a native Colorado author. She attended Colorado State University and Front Range Community College, obtaining her Bachelor's degree in Zoology and her associate's degree in Veterinary Technology. She loves working with all kinds of animals, especially birds. In addition to reading and writing, her favorite pastimes include crochet, needle work, camping, and bird watching. In 2010, she left the veterinary field to raise her family. She began to write in earnest and finished her first manuscript, which she started in high school, 19 years earlier. She has since founded Avio Publishing, LLC and is excited to enter the ranks of independent publishers and authors.

IA Bio (54 words)

IA Mullin is a native Colorado author, farm girl, wife, and mother. She gave up her career as a veterinary technician in order to raise her children and pursue her writing. Now, she is proud to have founded Avio Publishing, LLC and published *Mystillion*, the first book of her fantasy novel series *Redsands*.

IA Bio (127 characters)

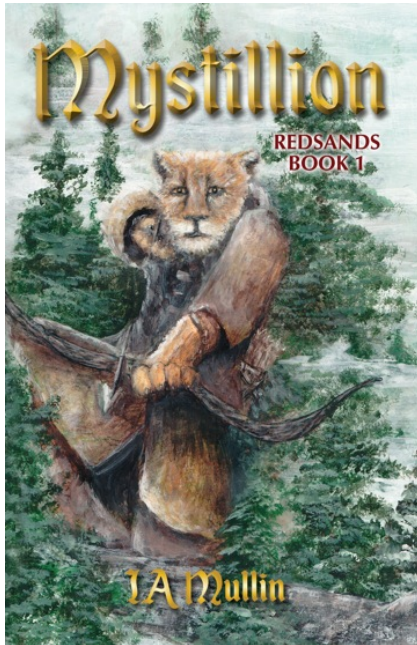
IA Mullin is a Colorado fantasy author and independent Publisher. She loves animals and spending time with her family outdoors.

5 Fun Facts About IA Mullin

Everyone has fun facts to share, and IA is no exception.

1. Her favorite piece of art is Queen of Owls by the romantic fantasy artist Nene Thomas.
2. Her favorite composer is Howard Shore, who composed the soundtrack for the Lord of the Rings films.
3. The first concert she remembers attending was the Nitty Gritty Dirt Band in Greeley, Colorado.
4. Her least favorite subject in school was English because she is not the best at spelling, but still loves to write—the dictionary is her most used writing tool.
5. And now for the biggest shocker of all—IA Mullin does not drink coffee or alcohol, *gasp.*

Books by IA Mullin available from Avio Publishing, LLC



Mystillion

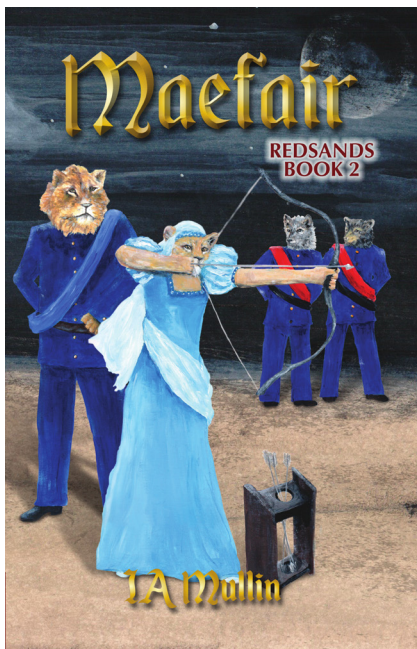
Could you decide to hunt outlaws to protect those who treat you like dirt?

Would you choose to help someone who you knew was not who they claimed to be?

Can you keep a secret with death lurking ever closer?

Not only does Marilana make her choices with confidence, but she is still in her youth, not yet considered an adult. A young lioness, fiercely devoted to her path as a bandit hunter, a student, a servant, and a healer, Marilana lives a lonely life. With few friends and a desolate future, she is suspicious of the new lion in her class. When Marquiese forces his way into Marilana's path, lives change. Marquiese is living a lie. His life depends on his secret remaining hidden. When he lets his curiosity drive him close to Marilana, he risks everything. Is trusting her the biggest mistake of his life . . . or the only way he can survive?

Come, enter *Mystillion* and the Kingdom of Redsands and let the journey of Marilana and Marquiese lead you to fantastic places. You may even learn a little about yourself along the way.



Maefair

Marquiese is a young lion, proud of his duty, but his future is being challenged by a devious enemy. He knows that he survived his stay in *Mystillion* only by the skill of his friend, the Bandit Hunter, Marilana. He left the Southern Tip and his friends in order to return home to his true life in the royal city, Maefair. Now he must confront his enemies and counter their carefully hidden plans. By the time Marquiese contacts his friends, Marilana's reputation and Earek's social standing have taken some drastic turns. Marilana and Earek are willing to stay true to their friendship, but their own futures are far from secure.

Can Marilana and Earek come to terms with Marquiese's secret identity?

Can they overcome Marquiese's enemies with their friendships intact?

What future will Marilana, Marquiese, and Earek choose: friendship or duty?

Come, return to the Kingdom of Redsands and follow Marilana and Marquiese through the next stage of their adventures. Learn of their fiendish enemy in *Maefair*, Redsands Book 2.

Upcoming Release by IA Mullin

Redsands

The Kingdom of Redsands stands on the precipice of disaster. Outside forces are aiming to eliminate the royal family and throw the kingdom into chaos. Marilana, intelligent and deadly, has chosen the path to defend her homeland, her family, and her friends. Unfortunately her enemies are aware of her intentions and plan to render her skills useless. In order to survive, Marilana will need Marquiese and Earek more than ever before. Marquiese, however, is entangled in his own feelings of betrayal and loss. If the friends are to save the kingdom and themselves, they will have to push the bounds of skill, compassion, patience, and trust.

Can Marquiese sort out his feelings before all is lost?

Can the friends overcome the greatest threats they have yet faced?

Will they face the future together or fail in the last steps?

Find out how the story ends in *Redsands*, Redsands Book 3.

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