

Debora M. Coty

Author Bio

Debora M. Coty is a seasoned raconteur (storyteller), raquetteer (tennis player), and racketician (loud laughter). Also a freelance writer and newspaper columnist, she's had over eighty works published in international magazines, newspapers, trade journals, and anthologies.



Billowing Sails, the sequel to VRPublishing's 2007 best-selling inspirational young adult historical novel, *The Distant Shore*, was released 12/08. Debora's humorous inspirational women's book, *Mom Needs Chocolate: Hugs, Humor and Hope for Surviving Motherhood* (Regal, 3/09) her devotional, *Everyday Hope* (Barbour, 8/09) will be carried in bookstores everywhere. She has also contributed to *Heavenly Humor for the Woman's Soul* (Barbour, 6/08), *Grit for the Oyster: 250 Pearls of Wisdom for Aspiring Writers* (Vintage Spirit, 8/08), *365 Daily Whispers of Wisdom for Busy Women* (Barbour, 12/08), *365 Daily Whispers of Wisdom for Girls* (Barbour, 3/09), and *365 Daily Whispers of Wisdom for Wives* (Barbour, 4/09).

When she's not slaving over a hot computer, Debora works as an occupational therapist treating orthopedic hand injuries and adores swatting a little ball around a tennis court. A lifelong resident of Florida and retired piano teacher, Debora has two grown children and one husband who will never grow up. They live, love and laugh in central Florida with their desperately wicked Red Sox pooch, Fenway.

