

Press Bio for Marion Marchetto

Historical fiction/romance author Marion Marchetto is a native of Connecticut's Naugatuck Valley. She spent her childhood years along the banks of the Housatonic River. It is this area, so rich in history, that is the inspiration for many of her stories.

Ms. Marchetto credits her parents for teaching her the art of storytelling; she recalls countless evenings when her parents told her of their own family histories. A young Marion also turned to the books on her mother's bookshelf. It was a book from the 1920s on manners and etiquette in entertaining that she often turned to when other reading material was lacking.

Marchetto Marchetto has been a freelance writer since the 1990s. Her publishing credits include several interactive murder-mystery games, a monthly news column, ten novels, and several short stories. She regularly posts reviews of books on her blog, *Moonlight Musings*, along with interviews of other authors as well as her general life observations.

Ms. Marchetto attended the University of Bridgeport as well as Southern Connecticut State College (both in Connecticut) where she followed a Liberal Arts program. Formally trained in public speaking, she has been an invited speaker at several Florida middle schools during Literacy Week. Most recently Ms. Marchetto has mentored two fledgling writers as they made their literary debut and she co-facilitates a writing class. She is a member of the Romance Writers of America (RWA) and the Florida Writer's Association.

Her popular series, *The Bridgewater Chronicles* – a five book family saga – has been called “America's Downton” and has a large following. She is currently working on two new series – *Second Chance At Love* series and the *Follow The Sun Mysteries*.

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