

Corey Finkle

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Back when I was in college, I was reading a story to my two-year-old cousin when he pointed at an illustration of the northern lights and asked me (in a voice that still wasn't clearly pronouncing words yet): "Is that the Aurora Borealis?"

The fact that such a young mind had retained such an advanced piece of information blew me away, and affirmed forever my faith in the power of books. That was the day I knew I wanted to become an author for kids.

I wrote my first book as a senior project, spent ten years tinkering with and pitching it, and finally put it aside after I realized it wasn't actually very good at all. These days, I would never let anyone read it. (If asked, though, I MIGHT let them look at some of the lyrics for the musical adaptation I wrote). *

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**Yes, I really did that.*

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