



About the Author

Shelley LeBlanc was born in Antigonish, Nova Scotia, in 1973. She grew up in a small francophone community on Isle Madame, Cape Breton, until she was old enough to attend University of Moncton. After graduating with a Bachelor of Education in 1996, her teaching career finally took her to Halifax, Nova Scotia. Shelley faced the death of both of her parents at a young age. Combining her experiences with Annie's story, her inspirational book sheds a light on life, death and faith and fate. She hopes to inspire you to take a bold, daring, exhilarating leap of faith today and make your life everything you have dreamed it to be.

Shelley currently occupies her time between teaching French, traveling, and real estate hunting. She shares her life with her loving husband Julian, her family, her friends, and two cats, Jack and Dan.

She says, “It is very strange to write one’s biography. In reality the most important things in life cannot be stuffed into a paragraph or two. This book is simply another “achievement” I can add to the list of things I have set out to accomplish during my short life on this Earth. My most significant achievement will never be my writing, my investments, nor my career but the life and love I share with family and friends. It’s such a cliché, but so true. When everything you love is taken away by a fatal accident or sudden illness — no amount of money or ‘stuff ’ will ever replace our loved ones. *Faith, fate and Friendships* ... check mark. Next project please.”