

CRUSH AND OTHER LOVE POEMS FOR GIRLS

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FINALLY!!! POETRY FOR ADOLESCENT GIRLS THEY WILL WANT TO READ!!!

Description: Release of poetry book for girls entitled Crush and Other Love Poems for Girls.

DAVENPORT, IA – Jodie Toohey has announced publication of her innovative first book, Crush and Other Love Poems for Girls. As a girl herself, Jodie understands how isolating feelings of love and pain of rejection can be for young girls. Friends seem much more interested in the "who loves who" and the identity of many crushes remain a secret. Family members either seem to adopt the "isn't that cute" stance or tease. But, these feelings are real and significantly shape lives, teaching a great deal about self, life dreams and qualities needed in a lifetime mate. Countless pre-teen and teen girls can benefit from this wholesome, uplifting book of love poetry; the first of its kind directed specifically to them.

Several book signings have been planned so far including a signing at the Camanche Public Library from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. on Saturday, April 19th; Davenport Public Library at Fairmount from 10 a.m. to Noon on Saturday, May 24th; Borders on 53rd Street in Davenport starting at 2:00 p.m. on Saturday, May 31st; and at Midwest Writing Center at the Bucktown Center for the Arts in downtown Davenport on Saturday, July 12th starting at 1:30 p.m.. Books will be available for purchase at these events. For more information and excerpts, visit www.jodiet.com.

The book, Crush and Other Love Poems for Girls, is published by Outskirts Press, Denver, Colorado. It is available for purchase through Ingram, Baker & Taylor, Books-In-Print, BarnesandNoble.com, Amazon.com and www.outskirtspress.com/JToohey ISBN: 978-1-4327-1842-8; Retail Price: \$12.95.

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