

New Picture Book Highlights Unique Bond between Mothers and Daughters

Take a peek into the love shared among six generations of Italian women



MEET THE AUTHOR
Lorraine Haddock



*Bella Figlia
Della Mamma*
Mamma's
Beautiful
Daughter

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Los Angeles, Mar 25, 2019 ([Issuewire.com](http://www.Issuewire.com)) - American-born author Lorraine Haddock, a new voice in children's literature, is set to participate at the [Los Angeles Times Festival of Books](http://www.losangelestimesfestivalofbooks.com) with her captivating book, "[Bella Figlia della Mamma, Mamma's Beautiful Daughter.](http://www.bellafigliadellamamma.com)"

The 48-page bilingual book, illustrated with muted pastel watercolour paintings, is an inspirational story celebrating the bond between mothers and daughters. Very proud of her Italian heritage, the author hopes to promote the language and culture of Italy by publishing this true story for readers of all ages.

This heartwarming tale, originally written as a poem for her granddaughter Alexis, bridges the past to the present. The author begins by taking readers to the origins of her saga — the picturesque medieval

city of Ascoli Piceno, Italy. Sharing treasured memories of growing up in a loving Italian family, she emphasizes the culture and traditions carried from Italy to America by Italian women. Her delicate narration in poetic tones will capture the hearts of mothers and daughters everywhere.

Haddock will be having a meet-and-greet session at the Los Angeles Times Festival of Books to be held at the University of Southern California this coming April 13 to 14, 2019. She will be signing copies of her books at Authors Press' booth number 937. Festival goers and readers from all ages will get a chance to learn more about the author as she talks about her work and inspiration in person. To get the latest update on authors, like and follow Authors Press on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#).

[Bella Figlia della Mamma, Mamma's Beautiful Daughter](#)

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