



# Zarate Creations



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## November Newsletter

Happy Thanksgiving!

As is often the case, November has proven to be one hectic month. After InkTober concluded, the yearly challenge of November started. A new book is underway with challenges both on and off the page. Yikes! 😊

This November, the story is

possible for the madness that is NaNoWriMo, I am still enjoying getting to know these characters again. The thought of continuing their adventures in another series has crossed my mind, although some of my main characters may not survive the end of the series. (Shhh... don't tell them!)

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the conclusion to The Orb trilogy. What? You didn't know it was a trilogy? The first book came out a decade ago and the second... Oh, right. The second is awaiting an edit, polish and publication. I also intend to revise, illustrate and re-release the first book in 2019. I guess it is understandable. Regardless, the book is shaping up well and although a rough draft is all that is

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## Fave Posts



My FB Fave this month is another "why". At some point, I think I will post all the questions answered with this beginning and see how often they appear as well as how many different ways I respond to the various questions asking about the inner mechanics of creatives. Must I keep answering these questions? Well... yes. 😊

Question: How and why did you start writing?

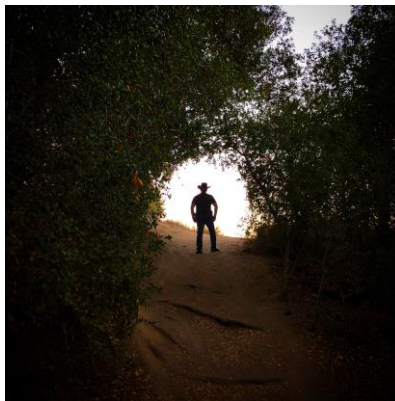
My Answer: I had to. I loved reading and exploring the worlds just waiting for me at the library. Soon after, I started to imagine my own stories. They made me excited to daydream and sit for hours at lunch, on rainy days and while riding the bus. It didn't seem fair to keep those stories to myself so I began to write. 😊

## Previously:

### What's going on?

I have been surprised by how many followers have come to my Instagram and IGTV feed. Every day I post my images, providing a final thought for the day and every week I turn one of the posts into a video short, making the thoughts and images I've shared into a mantra of hope I say to myself and to the world. Receiving likes is never the goal, but to have followers is a wonderful feeling. It is a good thing to share the passions we have with others and I look forward to continuing the trend every wonderful day. Onwards! 😊

My Instagram fave this month caught my eye when I realized the way we choose to interact with one another is a form of gatekeeping. Our life choices direct every day, leading us to the life we lead, the friends we make and the memories we make. What better way to illustrate the life we have and the one we are building towards with each passing day. Onwards!



Never forget, we are the creators of our lives. The ultimate gatekeepers and rule makers. Choose your path, live your dreams and conquer your world. Onwards! +

This month's comic vlog was a re-post for NaNoWriMo from last year. Ah, time. Always scarce when we get overloaded with tasks. 😊



As I mentioned earlier, I continue to post my IGTV shorts every week now. It is a great process that has prompted me to discover the art of video editing. This led me to working on trailers for my books. Isn't it amazing how some things just fall into place as we work on our dreams?

I hope everyone had a terrific Thanksgiving. I hope we have even more to be thankful for in the coming year. May we all find our passions and walk the path to make our dreams come true. Onwards!

### Where am I?

Feel free to check out my various social media outlets. I am always happy to share and look forward to every new set of eyes I find. 😊

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