

An Evening with

Deborah Wiles



Deborah Wiles. High-res photo credit: Sonya Sonies

Deborah Wiles is a Southerner who grew up in Jasper County, Mississippi and in the Air Force. Today she writes with great love and humor about her Mississippi kin and her childhood. She is the author of picture books and novels for readers young and old, including the beloved **Love, Ruby Lavender** and **Each Little Bird That Sings**, a 2005 National Book Award finalist.

She is the pioneer of the documentary novel in a trilogy about the 1960s. Book 1 is **Countdown**. Book 2, **Revolution**, is a 2014 National Book Award finalist.

Deborah teaches writing in schools and workshops around the country, and writes from Atlanta, Georgia.

Tuesday, August 29th * 6:00 pm

Books for sale thanks to Friends of the Hernando Library.

Ms. Wiles will be happy to sign any of her books, even if they are not purchased at the event.



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