



## Personal Biography

Peta-Gaye Nash wrote her first children's story after she moved to Canada and her five year old daughter forgot her stuffed tiger Raja at school and lost him. Peta-Gaye wanted other children to learn from this experience. Other stories about family life, school, road safety, and being yourself followed. Her first four books are dedicated to each of her four children who have inspired her. Her blog on <http://www.petagayenash.com> chronicles her life as a mom and the challenges of raising a family, having a full-time day job and writing.

Peta-Gaye also writes for adults and in 2015 she won the Marty Awards for Emerging Literary Art.

She was born in Kingston, Jamaica but has made Canada home for twenty years. Her work has appeared in several anthologies and she teaches English as a Second Language in Mississauga, Ontario, where she lives with her husband and children.

