



Karen Commins

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"A Vacation For Your Ears"



Highlights of Qualifications

- Charismatic storyteller who has a soundproof studio with a Studiobricks booth, Pro Tools, and Audio Technica 4047 mic
- Compelling narrator who is guided by an director on every production
- Committed producer with over 30 years of working in high-pressure, deadline-driven environments who delivers pristine, retail-ready audio on-time and within budget
- Authentic presenter of Information Technology texts due to detailed knowledge gained in 25+ years work in technical IT positions and MS in Computer Information Systems
- Atlanta native specializing in Southern accents; learn other accents as needed in service of the book

Audiobook Credits and Awards

Professionally narrated almost 80 titles from my studio for multiple publishers including Macmillan Audio, Rowman & Littlefield, Penguin Random House Audio, and Spectrum Audiobooks:

- Comedic cozy mysteries and legal thrillers
- Contemporary and classic fiction, including sweet romance
- Non-Fiction: biography, memoir, self-development, history, true crime, and business
- ★ NOMINEE Best Voiceover in Audiobook Biography, 2018 Voice Arts Awards
- ★ NOMINEE Classics, 2020 Independent Audiobook Awards

Highlights of reviews, including 3 from AudioFile Magazine praising my narrations of biography/memoir, are on my web site.

Education and Affiliations

Member, Audio Publishers Association 2002-present
Professional Audiobook Narrators Association 2021-present

Selected training:

Joel Fromkin Acting for Audio Intro and Advanced 15-week courses
Numerous audiobook performance masterclasses
Harvard CopyrightX

Beginning courses in Spanish, French, and German
MS Computer Information Systems, GA State University
BA Radio and TV Journalism, Magna Cum Laude, GA State University