# Media Lit The Secret Ley of Pythagorum

# Michele Angello - Long Author Bio

Though this book is the first work of fiction for Michele Angello, it doesn't represent her first writing efforts. She began writing and taking photos for the Faith Academy High School newspaper in Manila, Philippines. After discovering an ability for scriptwriting when running a video production company, she dove into a full-time writing career in copywriting and later, résumé writing. Her resumes are published in eight résumé books. Writing stories comes from her unconventional upbringing, a complete obsession with creativity in many different forms, exciting and adventurous dreams that make her want to fall back to sleep, and a love of mysteries and strange history.

### Short Author Bio

"The Secret Key of Pythagorum" is the first work of fiction for Michele Angello. To support her creative endeavors, she has made a living as a gift basket maker, script writer, copywriter, travel writer, home stager, and résumé writer. She lives in the Denver metro area with her husband, Tony.

#### About The Secret Ley of Mythagorum, Short

A boy unexpectedly finds that he has the gift of invisibility and finds himself on an unexpected adventure to find "the keys to the kingdom" and save it from destruction. Along the way his determination, ingenuity and strength are all tested as he follows clues on an ancient map to find his way across the Middle Kingdom of fifth century England. This fast-paced magical fantasy book uses a clever mix of shadowy heroes from fiction and actual historical objects and places—leaving the reader questioning the boundaries between fantasy and reality.

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#### About The Secret Ley of Mythagorum, Long

Morgan James's release, The Secret Key of Pythagorum by Michele Angello, takes readers on a whirlwind fantasy through fifth century England. Readers will be intrigued by the whimsy and fantasy painted by Angello, as well as the actual historical icons, locations and characters that are integrated into the story. The Secret Key of Pythagorum is packed with mystery, intrigue, danger, and folklore, all animated by a cast of colorfully written characters sure to draw readers into the story.

When the protagonist Savaric discovers his birth was surrounded by unusual circumstances, he wonders what this means for him. Is he a warlock? Is he cursed? As he searches for answers, he discovers that he has a gift: he can turn invisible whenever he wants. However, what starts as a fun trick quickly turns into something more serious when his gift leads him to discover a map written in a mysterious language, and a golden key unlike anything he's ever seen.

The Secret Key of Pythagorum follows Savaric on his journey through uncharted territory as he tries to solve the mystery that has fallen into his lap. Along his way he meets new friends, dangerous enemies, kings, queens, and even fairies. He soon finds that as his strength, skills, and courage are tested, that the fate of the English kingdom is also in his hands, and that his own fate could be grim. With themes of loyalty, bravery, resilience, and curiosity, The Secret Key of Pythagorum will leave adventurers of all ages just as inspired as they are entertained. The book is a playful mix of the magic and adventure of the Harry Potter series and is woven with real places and mysterious historical objects favored in Dan Brown's work. This fast-paced book is sure to be a book that parents will enjoy as they read it to younger kids, as well as appeal to middle grade and young adult readers.

#### Blurbs/Testimonials

"...All the more impressive when considering that "The Secret Key of Pythagorum" is author Michele Angello's debut as a fantasy fiction writer for young readers, this imaginative and deftly crafted novel will prove to be an immediate and enduringly popular addition to both school and community library collections. It should be noted for the personal reading lists of dedicated fantasy fans that "The Secret Key of Pythagorum" is also available in a digital book format ... " - Midwest Book Review http://www.midwestbookreview.com/cbw/jun\_18.htm

#### Readers have said:

"Masterfully told with intricate plot, rich imaginary world, and superb characters," - #1 Bestselling Author Marcia Reece, ★ ★ ★ ★

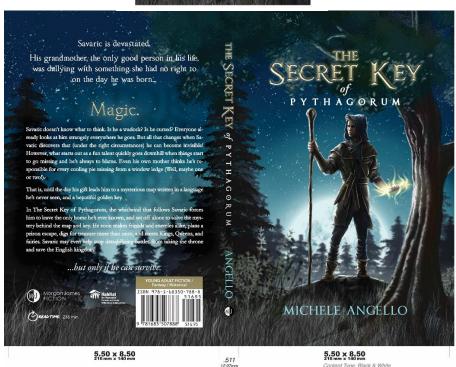
"I have found my new book crush in The Secret Key of Pythagorum!!! I simply cannot put this book down. And now my children are enjoying it too!" - Jacquelyn Vallardes,  $\bigstar \bigstar \bigstar \bigstar$ 

"Secrets abound and Angello's ending does not disappoint. This a well-crafted first novel. I give it 5 stars." - Betty Arca, former owner of the Wizard's Chest

Other reviews (all 5 stars) can be viewed on Amazon and Goodreads.

# Book Covers





# Representative Interior Illustrations





# Interview Questions

How did you come up with the idea for this book?

How long did it take to write?

When you develop characters, do you already know who they are before you begin writing, or do you let them develop as you go?

How did you break into publishing?

What do you like to do when you aren't writing?

What do you think makes a good story?