

Submissions for The Fruitful Hollow

Thank you for being open to sharing your writing with us. We are so grateful for your willingness to be part of this ministry! Here are our guidelines for submissions to the blog.

Submitting your blog post

1. Attach your submission to an email addressed to:

Director, Lauren (lauren@thefruitfulhollow.com),

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- 2. In the subject line, please write the title or topic of the blog post.
- 3. Send any photos you would like to suggest for inclusion in your blog post as an attachment to your submission email.
- 4. If this is your first time writing for The Fruitful Hollow, please include a short biography (approximately 100 words) and a photo of yourself to be featured in the list of writers on our website. If you would like your piece to be published anonymously, please let us know in your email. Alternatively, you are welcome to remain semi-anonymous by using just your first name, first name and initial, or a pen name. In this case, you may choose to send a photo which doesn't show your face. Take a look at our <u>About page</u> for examples.

Word count

An ideal length for a blog post at The Fruitful Hollow is between 500 and 1000 words. Please do not exceed 1200 words (this is about 2 full pages of text).

Deadlines

We publish a blog post every Wednesday. We will give you a submission deadline that is at least 10 days before the planned publication date in order to allow time for your piece to be edited, theologically edited, uploaded to the website and scheduled, and for our team to create social media content to promote it. If you realize that you are not going to be able to submit your piece on time, please let us know before the deadline comes around.

Social media

When we promote a blog post on social media, we are happy to tag you if you would like. Please let us know when you submit your piece whether you would like to be tagged on social media and what your account is called. We will never tag you on social media without your permission.