



## How to enter

**This competition is organised by the Association of Christian Writers and is run jointly with Street Pastors and its governing body, Ascension Trust.**

Entries to this competition may be fiction or non-fiction, but must focus on the competition theme:  
*Putting the Christian ethos into practical action – Today's Good Samaritans.*

Entries must not exceed **1,000 (one thousand) words** (excluding the title).

Your story will be typed and in English. Please use a plain font, such as Arial or Times New Roman, and present your work double-lined spaced and with wide margins. Pages must be numbered in the footer and the word count stated at the end. Please save your work in Word format (.doc or docx). Story typescripts should be anonymous with no identifying marks.

Non-fiction writers must obtain permission from any real people, organisations or venues before naming, or otherwise identifying them, in your work.

Please also send:

- a separate cover sheet (not part of the document containing your story) stating your full name and contact details and your PayPal payment number (see below).
- your entrance fee. This is £3 for the first entry and £2 for every subsequent entry. Please make payment through the PayPal link on the ACW website (<http://www.christianwriters.org.uk/>) and state your PayPal payment number on your cover sheet (above).

## Deadline

All entries must be received by the Competitions Manager at [competitions@christianwriters.org.uk](mailto:competitions@christianwriters.org.uk) by **Sunday, 31 July 2016**.

## Judging

The judges' decision is final. Judging will be completed by **Monday, 5 September 2016** and all winners informed shortly afterwards. The winning entry may be published in the Winter edition of *Christian Writer* (subject to the approval of the editor). Prizes

Amazon Gift Vouchers will be awarded to the entrants awarded first place (£20), second place (£15) and third place (£10). The winners will also receive a Street Pastors mug. *Happy writing!*