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Wildfire Magazine & Writing Community



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"too young" for
breast cancer.



WILDFIRE is the only **magazine** specifically designed with the young breast cancer survivor and fighter in mind. It is filled with real stories from those diagnosed under 50 (all stages), on topics that are hard to discuss with your healthcare team, friends and family. Like sex and body image, fertility, and life after diagnosis. Begin as a reader, become a writer. Print & digital; shipped worldwide.



The Burn is a **podcast** about telling cancer stories like you've never heard before. We go way deeper than the medical to the transformation of survivorship, and in the process, we talk about the healing power of writing. The goal is to inspire you to write the stories in you that need to be shared. Come for the stories, stay to discover how to write your way back to yourself. New episodes each Wednesday.



Writing is a powerful tool for finding, processing, and owning your story. A prompt-style 6-week **writing workshop** series is just the thing to help you enter the page and guide your thoughts under the direction of our founder, April - in a community of others just like you. Aren't sure yet? Try one of our free monthly pop-up workshops focused on a different theme each month.



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