

WHY I WRITE

The reviews from my column have been coming in and they are most encouraging. It makes me think....maybe I should quit my day job. But then I think....no....I don't have a day job. Still, there is no cheaper form of therapy for me so I continue to scribble my thoughts on paper hoping that one of my ideas might catch on and make a wack of money for me. You never know. At least putting them down on paper gets them out of my head which can get pretty cluttered at times. I wonder if there is anyone or any group that simply buys ideas. That would be very cool. Sell a few ideas and retire in the Caribbean where I could come up with more ideas.

This might sound sacrilegious but I don't care to become a better writer. I am happy with my voice. It delights me when I find a typo in my work and other people's work as well. Imperfection is the main ingredient in the human condition and certainly mine. If the vibe is there.... the vibe is there. Punctuation is just a speed bump.