

“Shelley Adina hits a perfect balance. Her characters are strong Christians, and their faith is a big part of the story ... but she never really hits you over the head with it. It's just a part of their lives, just like shopping and cute boys are a part of their lives.”

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# All About Us

a six-book series for teens

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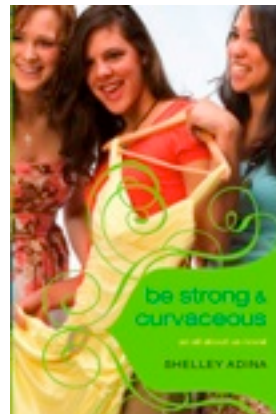
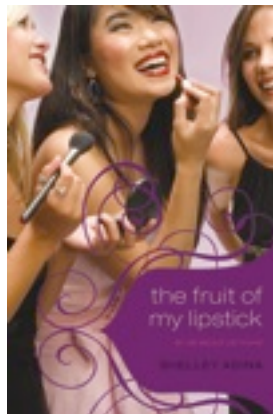
2009 Christy Award finalist Shelley Adina wrote her first teen novel when she was 13. It was rejected by the literary publisher to whom she sent it, but he did say she knew how to tell a story. That was enough to keep her going through the rest of her adolescence, a career, a move to another country, a B.A. in Literature, an M.A. in Writing Popular Fiction, and countless manuscript pages.

Shelley is a world traveler and pop culture junkie with an incurable addiction to designer handbags. She writes books about fun and faith--with a side of glamour. Between books, Shelley loves traveling, playing the piano and Celtic harp, watching movies, and making period costumes.



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God, girlfriends, and a great handbag.  
What else do you need to survive high school?



**it's all about us**  
**may 2008**  
**isbn 0-446-17798-9**

Lissa Mansfield is used to being in the "in" crowd--but being accepted by the popular girls at posh Spencer Academy boarding school in San Francisco is a lot harder than she thought. And then there's her New-York-loudmouth roommate, Gillian Chang, who's not just happy to be a Christian herself--she's determined to out Lissa, too. If Lissa can just keep her faith under wraps long enough to hook Callum McCloud, the hottest guy in school, she'll be golden. But when Callum pressures her to go all the way with him, Lissa has to decide how far is too far. How can she see that line when he's so gorgeous and popular and God seems so far away? Between that and shopping for a knockout dress and booking the hottest celeb for the Benefactor's Day Ball . . . who knew finding a place at Spencer Academy would be so complicated?

**the fruit of my lipstick (2009 Christy finalist)**  
**august 2008**  
**isbn 0-446-17797-0**

New Yorker Gillian Chang starts her second term at posh Spencer Academy boarding school in San Francisco prepared to focus on her studies, her faith, and her friends. She's totally prepared for everything--except love! She's falling hard for Lucas Hayes, who isn't even a senior yet and is already aiming at a

Ph.D. from Stanford. The problem is, she never seems to be able to measure up and be the girlfriend he wants. He's under a lot of pressure to achieve--maybe that's why he's short-tempered sometimes. But even Gillian can only take so much. With her heart on the line, she conceals more and more from her friends. So when she's accused of selling exam answer sheets, even her girlfriends, Lissa Mansfield and Carly Aragon, wonder if it can be true. Can Gillian hang onto her integrity--and her faith--when she loses her heart to Lucas?

**be strong and curvaceous**  
**january 2009**  
**isbn 0-446-17799-7**

After spending spring break in Mexico with her grandparents, Carly Aragon can't wait to get back to school at Spencer Academy in San Francisco. With Lissa Mansfield and Gillian Chang by her side, she's ready for anything ... except a new roommate. Lady Lindsay MacPhail, flamboyant daughter of the Earl of Strathcairn, quickly becomes Carly's worst nightmare. "Mac" not only swoops in and steals Carly's privacy, she's also stealing Brett Loyola--Carly's biggest crush! But when Mac starts receiving strange, threatening e-mails, she and Carly must come together to figure out who's behind them and why. In the end, the fate of one girl will lie in the other's hands. Will the two learn to trust one another and trust God?

**who made you a princess?**  
**may 2009**  
**isbn 0-446-17962-0**

It's senior year at last and Shani Hanna's life is on the fast track. She's planning on Harvard Business School and after that, a career in her dad's Fortune 500 company. But what she doesn't plan on is the new exchange student at Spencer Academy--who just happens to be a real-life handsome prince. With one look, Prince Rashid of Yasir makes up his mind that Shani is princess material. The trouble is, Shani has a crush on surfer Danyel Johnstone, one of Lissa Mansfield's friends and a solid Christian. Just how far can she go before she has to choose between them? Because there's more to the prince than his nine-figure net worth--and there's more to Danyel than his crazy hair and surfboard. How can Shani make a choice without choosing God first?

**tidings of great boys**  
**september 2009**  
**0-446-17963-9**

Finals week is approaching, and Mac is still undecided on where to spend the holidays. Normally she'd go home to Scotland, but spending two weeks alone in the castle with her dad isn't as appealing as it used to be. So she invites Carly, Lissa, Gillian, and Shani to join her for the holidays! Mac is determined to make this the best Christmas ever. She even decides to organize the traditional Hogmanay

dance for New Year's Eve. If she can get her mother involved, maybe her parents will finally get back together. But when Mac and the girls arrive, they are faced with bad news: The castle is falling apart and Mac's parents are struggling financially. Not only that, Shani is in big trouble with Prince Rashid's royal family. Can the girls find a way to celebrate the holidays, get Mac's parents back together, save the castle, and rescue Shani ... and will Mac believe it's all part of God's plan?

**the chic shall inherit the earth**  
**january 2010**  
**0-446-17964-7**

Lissa Mansfield has come a long way since transferring to Spencer Academy two years ago. She's made a great group of friends in Gillian, Carly, Mac, and Shani. She's strengthened and grown her relationship with God. She's even gotten over the Callum McCloud "incident" from her first term. Now she's set to graduate and experience college life! But with the girls about to separate and head in different directions, Lissa is faced with some of her biggest challenges yet in her last term at Spencer. Her archenemy, Vanessa Talbot, has a shocking secret--one that could destroy her reputation forever. Can Lissa reach out to her foe when Vanessa needs a friend the most? And with college on the horizon, will Lissa and Kaz finally come to terms with their feelings for each other? School may be ending, but the excitement is just beginning!