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### **Company Overview**

Headquarters: Denver, Colorado  
Date Founded: May 2006  
Co-Founders: Deborah E. Hamilton and Jamie L. Andrules  
Key Executive: Meg Hamilton, Business Manager  
Products: Children's Books and Merchandise

Dreams Due Media Group is a boutique publisher of children's books. *Why Are You My Mother?*, authored by Deborah Hamilton and illustrated by Jamie Andrules, is the first in the company's repertoire of read-aloud adoption and foster care storybooks, aimed at young children who are in foster care and those who have been adopted out of the foster care system. Future books include children's poetry collections and travel adventure stories. Dreams Due Media Group also develops and markets its own merchandise.

### **Deborah E. Hamilton, Author**

- Nearly 15 Years of Marketing, Public Relations and Writing Experience
- President of Marketing and Public Relations Firm MediaMonde, Inc. (Est. 2002)
- Current Foster and Adoptive Parent through the State of Colorado
- Member of the National Foster Parent Association
- Member of the North American Council on Adoptable Children
- Member of the Colorado State Foster Parent Association
- Member of the Colorado Coalition of Adoptive Families

### **Jamie L. Andrules, Illustrator**

- Talented Artist, Illustrator, Muralist, Graphic Designer and Web Site Developer
- Managing Partner of Communications Agency Andrules+Fries Design, Inc. (Est. 2001)
- Recipient of Several Prestigious Fine Art and Graphic Design Awards
- Studied at the Milwaukee Institute of Art and Design and Northwestern University

### **Reviews and Reactions**

"*Why Are You My Mother?* is a flat-spined picturebook that follows a mother's answers to the questions of a daughter adopted at a young age, yet old enough to wonder why she has a change of family. The simple illustrations are a pastiche of solid colors and add the perfect touch to this heartwarming, read-aloud storybook. Highly recommended." (James A. Cox, The Midwest Book Review)

"... express my gratitude for Ms. Hamilton's commitment to not only her child but all children. I enjoyed reading her work." (Bunny Nicholson, Nicholson & Associates)

"*Why Are You My Mother?* is a poignant book about an adoptive mother letting her daughter know she will love her and be her mother forever. It is a heartfelt sentiment drawn from the personal experience of the author, Deborah Hamilton." (Catholic Charities, Archdiocese of Denver)

"Therapeutic!" (Jennifer Winkelmann, MA, LPC, NCC)