

## To whom it may concern:

Marta Lane wrote freelance stories for me for several years while she lived in Hawaii. Culinary items are her specialty but she branched off and handled several general-purpose stories.

Since she no longer lives there, I'm sad that I can no longer use her for Kauai items, but I hope to work with her on other projects.

Marta meets (and often beats) her deadlines. She communicates well: If she's unsure about something, she calls ahead to ask if she's on the right track (to my chagrin, not every writer does this). I've never needed an entire rewrite from her, but on the few occasions where I've sought clarification or additional material, she has supplied it quickly, efficiently, and without complaint.

Marta's writing is clear and easy to read. Several editors ultimately see each story here and there are never any grammatical or stylistic issues. She is also rarely, if ever, overruled by our fact-checkers.

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