Author's Bio

Kathryn Conti Salamone lived within a few miles of Paterson, New Jersey, her entire life. A graduate of Seton Hall University and Duquesne University, her professional life as a writer in the private sector and later in the health care sector bracketed her years as a freelance writer/editor while raising her family in the 1990s. After residing in Delaware for six years, Kathy returned to New Jersey in 2022. Her lasting and loving memories of her Italian upbringing in Paterson come alive in her memoirs, *Sown in Silk City: A Life Rooted in Paterson, New Jersey*.