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### Writing (anyone) Checklist No. 3 Accountability

 Name: \_\_\_\_\_

 Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you take full responsibility for meeting your writing goals? Yes or No \_\_\_\_.

When was the last time you wrote? Approximate date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Consider what you just jotted down, now decide if this disappoints or satisfies you. Notes:

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Do you have an accountability buddy? Yes or No. \_\_\_\_\_. He or she does not have to be an author, just someone who reminds you or help measure your writing progress. Do you think it will beneficial? Yes or No. \_\_\_\_\_ List them here (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you written at least your first two chapters? Yes or No \_\_\_\_\_. This measure depends on the writer. Some authors have 20 short chapters, others have 6-8 long chapters which comprise their complete manuscript. Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

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Will you try to write today? Yes or No \_\_\_\_\_. For what reason will you write or not write today? \_\_\_\_\_

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What or who inspires you to write? (It is ok if it is no one external of yourself). \_\_\_\_\_

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More likely you have met with doubt, what steps have you taken to quell the whispers of doubt or naysayers who speak against your writing goals? \_\_\_\_\_

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Can you see the end of your first short story, novella, or complete book manuscript? Yes or No? \_\_\_\_\_. If not, here's your chance to make a plan or envision crossing the finishing line. Notes: \_\_\_\_\_

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