

We two sisters started *Glimmer Train Stories* because—while there were lots of literary magazines being published—we couldn't find enough literary fiction that was emotionally significant and memorable, and we wanted that. We read all story submissions ourselves, prepared to be moved, surprised, and changed, and even after twenty five years, we are never disappointed.

Our sincere appreciation goes to you, our thoughtful readers, and to the writers who stretch our imaginations and our hearts.

Linda & Susan