

# AMANDA DIEDRICK

## BIOGRAPHY

Amanda Diedrick is the author of *Those Who Stayed: The Tale of the Hardy Few Who Built Green Turtle Cay*. Her articles and photographs have appeared in *Abaco Life*, the *Abaconian* and the *Nassau Tribune*.

On her blog, *LittleHousebytheFerry.com*, Amanda writes about Abaco history and documents the restoration of Fish Hooks, her ancestral home in Green Turtle Cay, Bahamas, a project she and her husband, Canadian journalist Tom Walters, began in 2014.



A ninth-generation Bahamian who counts Loyalist Wyannie Malone and pirate Matthew Lowe among her ancestors, Amanda has a background in public relations and corporate communications.

She enjoys researching her tangled Bahamian and Jamaican roots, collecting historic books and papers about the Bahamas, and volunteering with Green Turtle Cay's Albert Lowe Museum. Her goals include visiting every inhabited Bahamian island and perfecting her guava duff recipe.

When not at Fish Hooks, Amanda, Tom and their dog Wrigley live in Los Angeles.