

Tompaul Wheeler is a writer, photographer, and filmmaker. He loves Pathfinders, media, and Jesus (not necessarily in that order).

Tompaul wrote the youth and young adult devotionals God Space (Sin Miedo al Fracaso) and Things They Never Taught Me. He's served as editor for numerous projects, including the Youth Bible (Safeliz, 2018). The author of hundreds of articles, he especially loves writing for Guide, the Adventist church's magazine for middle schoolers, including "The Factory"—AKA all the fun facts on the back.

An award-winning photojournalist and independent filmmaker, Tompaul earned an M.Div. from Andrews University and an MFA in Film from Lipscomb University. His film work has taken him everywhere from Australia to Zambia to Papua New Guinea and includes the feature-length documentary Leap of Faith: The Ultimate Workout Story.

Tompaul has worked in marketing and as an adjunct professor of communications. His scriptwriting includes multiple episodes of the audio drama Discovery Mountain, including the six-part story "Under Siege."

Tompaul loves Tex-Mex food and peanut butter M&Ms. He lives in Nashville with his brilliant wife, Lisa, their three spirited children, one curious canine named Silas, and Bluey, a pretty chill Betta fish.

Tompaul is proud to support the Franklin, Tennessee Knights Pathfinder club. This will be his sixth International Camporee, having previously served on both the souvenir video and daily newspaper staffs. If you have any Australia pins, make him an offer.