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## **For the Love of Donuts**

Young adult writer, Rachel Barnard, released the second novel in her young adult *For the Love of Donuts* series titled *Seize the Donut*, June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2017 (National Donut Day).

**Woodinville, WA, June, 2017** – Friendships should never be taken for granted.

The ups and downs of high school forged an unbreakable bond between Vanessa and Nichole. Summer's over and Vanessa is preparing for life at the local liberal arts college. Without her best friend by her side, Vanessa starts to chart her own path. Navigating new friendships and relationships proves easier said than done.

Nichole got kicked out of her mother's house, lives with strangers in a sketchy neighborhood and commutes across town for her job in retail. She doesn't always make the right choices and she has only herself to blame when things go wrong.

Something's gotta give. Who will make the first move - or will fate intervene to remind each of them of the importance of their bond.

## **What are people saying about *Seize the Donut*?**

"This gripping story is the second in the series. Nichole is Vanessa's support, and yet, in this tale, they both lose sight of keeping their path together. Donuts can be relied on for many things- an instant of pleasure and the reliability of tasting great! Well-paced, hard to put down, and the donuts described might've made me a little hungry. I'm looking forward to the next installment!." – Victoria Bastedo

## **About the Author**

Rachel Barnard lives in the Pacific Northwest, near Seattle. She has self-published several young adult novels, including *Ataxia and the Ravine of Lost Dreams* and *At One's Beast*. When she's not writing, reading, marketing, or editing, Rachel dances, writes reviews of Indie books, attempts funky challenges, and wishes she owned a Corgi.

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