

HOW TO – #SapphicsWithTheBanned Posts

How to Use the Canva Templates for Author Graphics

These templates were created to help authors amplify sapphic stories, support the right to read and write freely, and show solidarity across our community. These designs offer a consistent and powerful visual message.

We are only inviting authors or publishers to use these graphics, as we want to protect all authors' writing and integrity and not share their attachment to this project without full permissions.

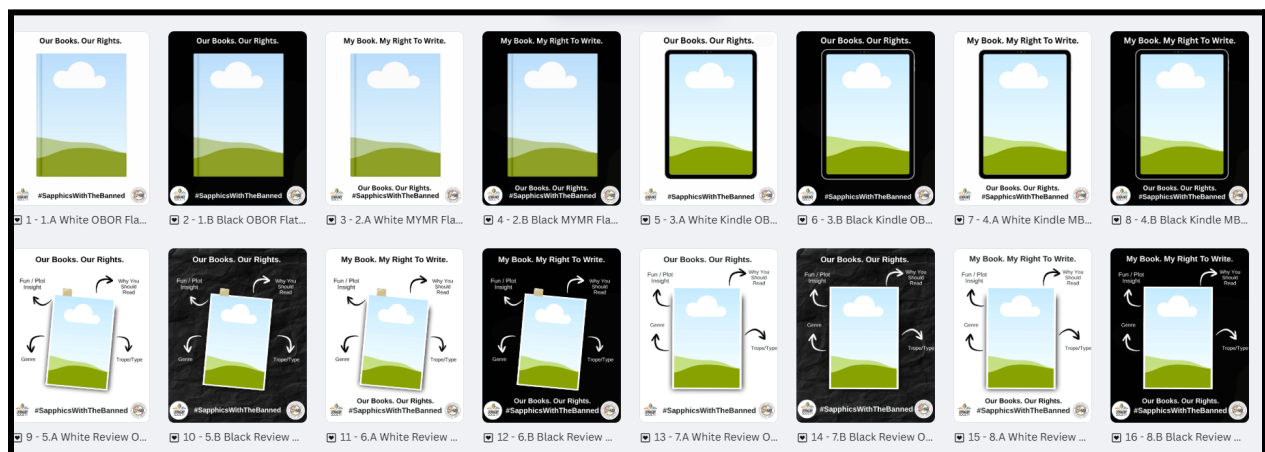
OPTION 1 – Get Your Own Canva Templates

We have images/templates available to you. To protect each author and publisher, graphics are provided at the request level.

If you'd like **access to your own set of Canva templates**:

- Email Becks Quirk at rebecca.quirk@goldencrown.org
- Deadline: **Sunday, Oct. 5, 2025 at 2pm EST**
- Becks will send you your own personal Canva link to edit graphics with your titles/work.
 - Becks is on standby for support, as well. Email back any questions you have throughout the process. She is working to create a “How To Video” this week and will have it available no later than Friday, Oct. 3, 2025

We have over 18 Templates To Choose From



OPTION 2 – Request Graphics to Be Made for You

You may request up to **three (3) graphics total**.

To request graphics:

1. Review Templates

Go to [this Canva link](#) and look through all templates. Choose up to three.



2. Email Becks

Send your request to rebecca.quirk@goldencrown.org by **Sunday, Oct. 5 at 2pm EST** to receive images by Wednesday or by **Tuesday, Oct. 7 at 2pm EST** to receive images by Friday.

- Email Title: Your Name + (# of) Graphic Mockup Request
- Email Body:
 - Which graphics you'd like (e.g., Page 17 or "9.A Scripted in Sapphic")
 - Your book cover (attach in email)
 - If text edits are needed, list your replacements for each field (e.g., "Why You Should Read" → XYZ, "Favorite Part" → ABC).

Compliance Reminder

To protect 501(c)(3) nonprofit status, GCLS and SASS must remain politically separate. Please avoid using these graphics in political endorsements or campaigns.

Thank You

By using these designs, you are helping ensure sapphic stories remain visible, valued, and accessible. Your voice and your stories matter.