

robert wilder
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Robert Wilder is the author of *Daddy Needs a Drink*, a book of comedic essays that, *People* magazine says, “Go[es] down like a gin and tonic on a hot summer afternoon.” *Daddy Needs a Drink* has been called “hilarious,” “sharply written,” and an “idiosyncratic charmer” by *Publishers Weekly*. Watson Pond Productions has optioned *Daddy Needs a Drink* and is currently developing a sitcom based on the book. Wilder has published fiction and nonfiction in *Newsweek*, *Salon*, *Parenting*, *Creative Nonfiction*, *The Colorado Review* and elsewhere. He has been a commentator for NPR’s “Morning Edition” and “On Point” and other national and regional radio programs. His column “Daddy Needs a Drink” is published monthly in the *Santa Fe Reporter*. He lives in Santa Fe, NM, with his wife, Lala, and their two children, Poppy and London.

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