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Cavalier's Adventure is Norwood's story, based on his own account published in his lifetime, retold in modern English... -- The Star Democrat, Easton MD, January 19, 2001
About the Author Sharon Himes is an experienced artist and writer with a special interest in the history and nature of the Eastern Shore of Maryland and Virginia. Her paintings in watercolor and illustrations in pen and ink celebrate the heritage of the region. Himes writes about art, nature and history for off and online publications.