



After being diagnosed with Retinitis Pigmentosa, a hereditary eye disease resulting in blindness, international teacher and globetrotter, Amy Bovaird, manages to continue teaching overseas. Then her father's final illness brings her back home for good. The eye disease manifests itself in ways she had not anticipated. Friends and acquaintances notice that she doesn't recognize them. Insensitive students ridicule her in the classroom. Unwilling to accept that she is truly losing her eyesight, Amy has to face reality when the Bureau of Blindness schedules a mobility specialist to begin training her to use a white cane—yes, the kind that alerts onlookers and screams, "I am a blind person." How can such an independent world traveler suddenly admit that she even needs a cane to see the path ahead of her? Will her faith prove strong enough to move her forward?

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writes about coming to terms with her vision loss. Through her insights and optimism, she offers hope to others facing vision loss and blindness. A former teacher of English as a Second Language, Bovaird has lived in six countries and traveled to thirty-three others in her career. Amy now channels her teaching through speaking forums. She also educates and entertains through her blog.



REVIEWS

"The strength of Mobility Matters is the ability of Ms. Bovaird to be transparent with her readers."

— John Trotter, vision-impaired missionary to Nepal

"Bovaird is gifted at writing personal experiences, keeping the mood warm but the action fast paced."

— Kimberly Rae, bestselling author of multiple books

"Mobility Matters does a miraculous thing. It traces the heart-breaking progression of vision and hearing loss in a way that ultimately feels hopeful."

— Beckie Hortor, journalist, Christian blogger, and editor for Proverbs 31 Ministry

"Beautifully-written and inspiring to any of us facing life's problems."

— Vickie Fisher, author of the *Hello God* series