Christine de Pizan was born in 1364 in Venice, Italy. She was the daughter of Thomas Pezano, a man well-known as a scholar and astrologer. When Christine de Pizan was four years old, she was brought to her father, a councillor in Venice, and remained with him until she was 14 years old. She then moved from Venice to France as a child prodigy and began writing and publishing her works.

Christine de Pizan is known for her pioneering works about women. She wrote lyric poetry and also prose and verse works on a great variety of philosophical, social, and political subjects. Her works were highly praised during her lifetime and continue to be studied and admired today.

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