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PUBLICATIONS

Books

Dementia, My Darling, Red Hen Press, 2016 – (ISBN 978-1-59709-718-5)
Calamity Joe, Red Hen Press, 2012 – (ISBN: 13978-1-59709-176-3)
Birthday Girl with Possum, Write Bloody Publishing, 2011 – (ISBN: 978-1-935904-34-2)
Letters to Guns, Red Hen Press, 2009 – (ISBN: 1597091383)

Chapbooks

Bouncy Bounce, Blue Horse Press, 2018 - (ISBN 978-0-69282-096-4)
Employee of the Mo_th, Ain't Got No Press, 2014, Ltd. Ed.
Crimewave, ITWASADARKANDSTORMYNIGHT PRESS, 2007 Ltd. Ed.
Zombie Dovecote, ITWASADARKANDSTORMYNIGHT PRESS, 2004 Ltd. Ed.
One Matador, Inevitable Press, 2001 (ISBN 1-891281-78-X)
Dante's Casino, Cassowary Press, 1999 (ISBN 1-892687-95-X)
Return to Iknowexactlywhatyoumeansville, Inevitable Press, 1998 (ISBN 1-891281-89-5)
ANTENNA, Past Modern Press, 1997, Ltd. Ed.

Anthologies (partial listing)

Storm Brain, The Hippocrates Book of the Brain, Hippocrates Press, Winter 2021
Beyond Earth's Edge: The Poetry of Spaceflight, University of Arizona Press, 2020
A Decade of Sundays: Poets from the Second Sunday Poetry Series, December 2019
Children of Grass: A Portrait of American Poetry, Schaffner Press, Inc. September 2019
Bodies Built for Game, Prairie Schooner Anthology, Summer 2019
Best American Poetry 2018, Scribner, Fall 2018
1001 Nights: 20 Years of Redondo Poets, Redondo Poets Press, March 2018
Enchanting Verses, No. XXV, Enchanting Verses Poetry Press, Spring 2018
Get Lit Words Ignite, Literary Riot Press, 2017
San Diego Poetry Annual, Winter 2017
Spectrum, 140 So Cal Poets, Spectrum Publishing August 2015

Wide Awake: Poets of Los Angeles, Beyond Baroque Press March 2015
Ekphrastia Gone Wild: Poems Inspired by Art, Ain't Got No Press, 2013
VILLANELLES, Everyman's Library Anthology, Alfred A. Knopf, 2012
Don't Blame the Ugly Mug, Tebot Bach, 2011
Bright Wings: An Illustrated Anthology of Poems About Birds, Columbia Univ. Press, 2009
The Last American Valentine, Write Bloody Publishing, 2008
Carving in Bone, An Anthology of Orange County Poetry, Moon Tide Press, 2007
Blue Arc West: An Anthology of California Poets, Tebot Bach, 2006
Lounge Lit, Lit Rhap Press, 2005
Beyond the Valley of the Contemporary Poets, Valley Contemporary Press, 1996, 2004, 2008
Directions 97, 50th Anniversary Edition, Los Angeles Pierce College, 1997

Poetry Journals – Print & On Line (partial listing)

Washington Square Review, (Winter 2021-2022), *Forthcoming*
Terminus, Georgia Tech, (Spring 2022), *Forthcoming*
The Nation, (January 2022)
Plume, (No. 125 January 2022)
Red Eft Review, (Summer 2021)
Lescaux Review, (Summer 2021)
Catamaran, (Vol. 9 No. 3 Fall 2021)
Rattle, (Vol 73 No.3, Fall 2021
 Vol 23, No.4 Winter 2017
 Vol. 22, No. 2 Summer 2016
 Vol. 35, No. 2 Summer 2011
Radar Poetry, (Issue 30, Spring 2021)
Redshift, Arroyo Seco Press, (Fall 2020)
Hole in the Head Review, (Vol. 1 No. 4 November 2020)
What Rough Beast, Indolent Books, (August 2020, December 2020)
Poetry, (Vol 217 No. 2 November 2020)
Poetry Northwest, (Vol. 15, No. 1 'Summer & Fall 2020')
Pratik, (Winter/Spring 2020)
Copper Nickel, (No. 30, Winter 2020)
The American Journal of Poetry, (No. 9 Summer 2020
 No. 8, Winter 2019
 No. 2, Winter 2017)
Talking River (Issue 46, Summer 2019)
Poetry Daily, (June, 2019)
Tin House, (March 2019 – Vol. 20, No. 3)
Moria, (Issue 2, Nov. 2018)
Reservoir, (Issue 6, October 2018)
Academy of America Poets 'Poem A Day' (November 2015, January 2018)
Prairie Schooner, (Summer 2018, Winter 2015)
Driftwood Press, (Vol.4 No. 4 Fall 2017)
Rise Up Review (June, 2017)

Iron Horse Review (Winter 2017)
Artillery, (Winter 2017, Spring 2018)
Animal, (Winter 2017)
Public Pool, (January 2017)
Chautauqua, (Issue 13, Summer 2016)
Smartish Pace, (Issue 23, 2016)
LUX (Vol. 3, 2016)
Easy Street, (Fall 2015)
Edgar Allan Poe, (Issue #3 2015)
Blueshift Journal, (Winter/Spring 2015)
Virginia Quarterly Review, (Summer 2015)
Drunk in A Midnight Choir, (Sumer 2015)
Muzzle, (May 2015)
Wherewithall, (Vol. 1 January 2015)
Redheaded Stepchild, (Winter 2014)
Salamander, (Winter 2014)
Hotel Amerika, (Vol. 12 Winter 2014)
Bombay Gin, "A Taste of Gin," (December 2013)
Voices [of Hellenism] (Vol. 1, #2, Spring 2014)
Frying Pan News, (September, 2013)
Ghost Town, (Issue 4.1, Winter/Spring 2013)
Artifact, (Winter 2012-2013)
Abyss & Apex (October 2012)
Poetry Daily (September 2012)
ZYZZYVA, (No. 95, Fall 2012)
Beloit Poetry Journal, (Vol. 63 #1 Fall 2012)
DASH, (Vol. 5, Spring 2012)
Coachella Review (February 2012)
Pilgrimage, (Vol 36 Issues 2/3, January 2012)
Poemeleon, (Vol. 5, Issue 2, Summer/Fall 2011)
Fogged Clarity, (August 2011)
The Pinch, (Issue 31.2, September 2011)
FIELD, (Fall, 2011)
PANK, (Winter 2010-2011)
Booth, (Vol 3., Issue 2, 2011 – October 2014)
Verse Wisconsin, (Winter 2010-2011)
2River View, (Vol. 15.1, Fall 2010)
Redivider, Emerson College Boston (Fall, 2010)
Ploughshares (Vol. 36, No 4 Winter 2010/2011 –
 Vol. 30/4, Winter 2004/2005)
Bicycle Review (August 2010)
Malpais Review (Fall 2010)
Ducts.org, (No. 25, Winter 2010)
Askew Poetry (Issue #7, Fall/Win 2009-
 Issue #9, Fall/Win 2011-
 Issue #11, Fall/Win 2012)
Chaparral, (Fall/Winter 2009)
LUVINA, Universidad de Guadalajara, (Fall 2009)

Boxcar Poetry Review, (Issue 20, Spring 2009)
Mosaic, University of California Riverside (Spring 2009)
Ninth Letter, University of Illinois Urbana Champaign (Spring 2009)
In Focus, Pen Cyprus (December 2008)
Spot Lit (Vol. 1, Spring 2007/Vol. 1 No. 2 Fall 2007)
The Los Angeles Review (Vol. 4, Fall 2007)
Speechless, The Magazine (Spring 2007)
RUNES, A Review of Poetry (December 2006)
The Brickbat Review (Vol. 2, Spring 2006)
Abalone Moon (Winter 2005/2006 Winter 2004/2005 Winter 2003/2004)
The Cortland Review (May 2005 – May 2014)
Odyssey (Dec/Jan 2004/2005)
Muse Apprentice Guild (Winter 2003/2002)
Poetry Super Highway (November 2002, November 2013)
The Redondo Poets Sampler (Summer 2002)
The Cider Press Review (Vol. 1/1, 2000)
Blue Satellite (Vol. 3/1, 2000; Vol. 3/2 1997; Vol. 4/1, 1997; Vol. 6/2, 1996)
Maytag Heights (Little Red Book Series #16 1999)
ArtLife (Vol. 19/1, 1999)
Fexploitation (Vol. 0/0 June 1997)
51% Magazine (Vol. 2/1, 1999;
 Vol. 2/2, 1998;
 Vol. 3, 1997;
 Vol. 4, 1996)
Freedom Isn't Free (Vol. 5, 1996)

Essays and reviews (partial listing):

Poets & Writers, pw.org, Writer in Residence, September 2012, (blog)
 The Bi-Coastal Review, Online Radio Book Review Program, 2008 (Broadcast)
 Valley of The Wasp Woman, The Underground Guide to Los Angeles,
 Manic D Press, 1999 (essay)
Next...Magazine, 1998 - 1999, (reviews)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2011 — Present, Curator Literary Programs, Craft Contemporary Museum,
 Los Angeles, CA

2012 — 2014, Professor in Adjunct, Antioch University Los Angeles,
 Bachelors Program Poetry/Creative Writing, Los Angeles, CA

2009 — 2015, Poet in Residence, Writers in the Schools, Red Hen Press
 2013-2014, Culver Park Continuation, Culver City, CA
 2012, Pacoima Charter Elementary, Pacoima, CA
 2011, Cleveland Elementary School, Pasadena, CA
 2009 - 2010, Camino Nuevo Charter Academy, Los Angeles, CA

2009 — Present

- Poet in Residence/Educator, The Art of Elysium
Los Angeles, CA
- 2009 — Present
Facilitator/Educator, Alzheimer's Poetry Project,
Los Angeles, CA
- 2009 — 2015
Assistant Curator, Beyond Baroque Foundation,
Los Angeles, CA
- 2009 — 2011
Poet in Residence/Educator, Loyola Marymount University, (Extension)
Los Angeles, CA
- 2004 — Present
Educator, The Windward School, Los Angeles, CA
- 2000 — Present
2001 – 2013, 2018, 2019, 2021 Facilitator, Lecturer Summer Poetry Adult
Program
2003 - Present Educator, Industrial Poetry, Youth Poetry Program
2005 - Present, Educator, Junior Arts Program
Idyllwild Arts Academy, Idyllwild, CA
- 2002 — 2005
Poet in Residence, Pen Center USA West, PEN in the Classroom project
2003 - 2004, Downtown Magnet High School, Los Angeles, CA
2002 - 2003, Venice High School, Venice CA
- 2000 — 2003
Poet in Residence, Los Angeles County Museum of Art,
Family Days Program, Los Angeles, CA
- 1995 — 2002
Co-Director, Valley Contemporary Poets series, Sherman Oaks, CA

EDITORIAL EXPERIENCE

- Never Have I Ever*, Windward School Anthology, Editor 2021
The Ultimate Travel Essentials Guide, Windward School Anthology, Editor 2020
Why am I Here?, Windward School Anthology, Editor 2018
Inkview, Windward School Anthology, Editor 2016
Just A Little Taste, Windward School Anthology, Editor 2014
EAT YO' RICE!, Idyllwild Arts Children's Center Anthology, Editor 2013
The Writers Cult, Idyllwild Arts Children's Center Anthology, Editor 2012

Nowhere In Particular, Windward School Student Anthology, Editor 2012
SNAPSHOT, Windward School Anthology, Editor 2011
TIME, Windward School Anthology, Editor 2010
FRESH BAKED, Windward School Anthology, Editor 2009
I Got Something!, Idyllwild Arts Children's Center Anthology, Editor 2008
Don't Worry, Little Space Boy, Idyllwild Arts Youth Poetry Anthology, Editor, 2008
Spilt Milk, Windward School Anthology, Editor 2008
Your Face, Idyllwild Arts Children's Center Anthology, Editor 2007
They Feed They Poem, Idyllwild Arts Youth Poetry Anthology, Editor, 2007
The Book, Idyllwild Arts Children's Center Anthology, Edition 2006
It's Hard Out Here for A Poet, Idyllwild Arts Youth Poetry Anthology, Editor, 2006
WYRDZ, Idyllwild Arts Youth Poetry Anthology, Editor, 2005
My World, Downtown Magnet High School anthology, Editor, 2004
Walking on the Sky, Venice Beach High School anthology, Editor 2003
Beyond the Valley of the Contemporary Poets, Co-editor, 2001, 2000, 1999, 1998, 1997, 1996, 1995
Drink Me, Poems by Amelie Frank & Matthew Niblock, Co-editor, 1997

ADDITIONAL APPOINTMENTS

Awful Good Writers, Los Angeles, Workshop Leader, 2020 to present
 Aphasia Book Club, Echo Park Branch Library, Workshop Leader, 2017 to present
 California State University, Bakersfield - Walter Stiern Library Writer in Residence 2017
 Walter Reed Hospital, Bethesda, MD, Workshop Leader 2017, 2016, 2015, 2014
 University of So. California, Los Angeles, CA, Lecturer, 2016, 2015, 2011, 2010, 2009
 Wild Light Contest, Los Angeles Review, Los Angeles CA, Judge 2015
 Benevilla Adult Day Care, Surprise, AZ, Workshop Leader, 2014
 Cheremoya Elementary School, Los Angeles, CA Workshop Leader 2014
 Culver Park Continuation School, Culver City, CA Workshop Leader 2013, 2014
 Hillcrest Youth Services Ctr. (correctional facility), San Mateo, CA Workshop Leader, 2011, 2012
 Golden Valley Health Center, Merced, CA, Workshop Leader, 2012
 Tulare County Library, Visalia, CA, Workshop Leader, 2012
 Tehachapi Branch Library, Tehachapi, CA, Workshop Leader, 2012
 Antioch University, Los Angeles, CA, Lecturer, 2011
 California State University Fullerton, Fullerton, CA, Lecturer, 2011, 2010
 Sunrise, Assisted Living, Beverly Hills, CA, Workshop Leader, 2010
 Hillside, Foster Care Center, Pasadena, CA, Workshop Leader, 2011, 2010, 2009
 Moorpark College, Moorpark, CA, Workshop Leader, 2010, 2009, 2008, 2007
 Whittier College, Whittier, CA Visiting Writer, Workshop Leader, 2010, 2009
 The Pilgrim School, Los Angeles, CA Visiting Writer, 2011, 2010, 2009,
 Santa Margarita Catholic High School, Rancho Santa Margarita, CA, Lecturer, 2008
 Beyond Baroque, Weekly poetry workshop, Workshop Leader, 2007-2009 / On-line 2020-2021

Orange County Rescue Mission Men's Shelter, Workshop Leader, 2006
Tebot Bach Poetry Series, Guest Workshop Leader, Spring 2005
Mt. San Antonio College, Visiting Writer, 2010, 2009, 2003, 2002, 2001
Santa Monica High School, Visiting Writer, 2003
Westwood Charter School, Visiting Writer, 2002

SELECTED READINGS (partial listing)

O Salon, Los Angeles, CA - 2021, 2019, 2017, 2015
BackStory, Victory Theater, Burbank, CA 2021, 2018, 2015
Middle Ridge Gallery, Idyllwild CA - 2021
Vroman's Bookstore, Pasadena, CA - 2020
826 LA, Cultural Center – 2020, 2019, 2018, 2017
Sunday Chatter, Albuquerque NM, 2020, 2016, 2014, 2013, 2011
Beyond Baroque Literary Arts Center, Venice CA, 2020 (*at least one event per year since 1996*)
Second Sundays Series, Studio Theater, Los Angeles CA 2019
Torrance Public Library, Torrance CA 2019
Silver Park Arts, Los Angeles CA, 2019
San Jose Poetry Festival, San Jose CA 2019
The Broad Stage, Santa Monica CA 2019, 2017
L.A. Times Books Fest., Los Angeles CA 2019, 2016, 2015, 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010, 2009
The New School, New York NY 2018
The Holland Project, Reno NV 2018
The Broad Museum, Los Angeles CA 2018
The Attic at Rock Bros, Tampa FL 2018
West Hollywood Public Library, Los Angeles CA 2019, 2018, 2017
Second City Hollywood, Hollywood CA 2017
Southern California Poetry Festival, Long Beach CA 2017, 2016
LA Art Share, Los Angeles CA 2018, 2017, 2016
The Hatchery, Los Angeles CA 2016
The Narrow Chimney, Flagstaff AZ 2016
{9} Gallery, Phoenix AZ 2016
Chevalier's Books, Los Angeles CA 2019, 2018, 2017, 2016, 2015
Book Soup, Los Angeles CA 2016, 2015, 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010, 2009
Slam Free or Die, Manchester NH 2016, 2014
Boston Poetry Slam Boston MA 2016, 2014
Northampton Poetry, Northampton MA 2016, 2014
Lovecraft Bar New York NY 2016
BookCourt, Brooklyn NY 2016
The Monday Echo, Dublin IRELAND 2015
Ó Bhéal, Cork IRELAND 2015
On the Nail, Limerick IRELAND 2015
The World Stage, Los Angeles CA 2014, 2010, 2000, 1999
Sarah Lawrence College Poetry Festival, Bronxville NY, 2015
Dodge Poetry Festival, Newark NJ 2014
Georgia Center for the Book, Atlanta GA 2014
Eclipse Coffee & Books, Montevallo AL, 2014

Word Connections, New Orleans LA, 2014
Changing Hands Bookstore, Tempe AZ 2014
Glendale Community College, Glendale AZ 2014
Border Voices Poetry Fair, San Diego CA 2014
Gatsby Books, Long Beach CA 2014, 2015
Poets House, New York NY 2013, 2010
Bowery Poetry Club, New York NY 2017, 2013, 2011, 2010, 2009
Orange County Poetry Festival, Costa Mesa, CA, 2017, 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010, 2009,
2004, 2003
Long Beach Poetry Festival, Long Beach, CA 2013
West Hollywood Book Fair, West Hollywood, CA 2013, 2012, 2011, 2011, 2009, 2008
The Players Club, New York, NY 2012
Cal State Fullerton, Fullerton, CA 2015, 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010
LitFest Pasadena, Pasadena, CA 2014, 2012
Carnegie Art Museum, Oxnard, CA 2012
Walt Whitman Birthplace Assoc., Huntington, LI, 2012
KGB, New York, NY 2012
Cal State Long Beach, Long Beach CA 2013, 2011
The Make Out Room, San Francisco, CA 2011
Center Literary Café, Healdsburg, CA 2012, 2011
The Monkey Nest, Austin TX 2011
Broadway Books, Portland OR 2011
The Church of Beethoven, Albuquerque, NM 2011
The Outpost, Albuquerque, NM 2011
Blackbird Buvette, Albuquerque, NM 2011
Collected Works Bookstore, Sante Fe NM, 2011
Geffen Playhouse, Los Angeles, CA 2011, 2010
California Writers Coalition, Sherman Oaks, CA 2010
Indelible Ink, Pasadena CA 2010
Cornelia Street Café, New York, NY 2010, 2009
Ventura Artists Union & AUG Gallery, Ventura CA 2010
Pasadena Museum of California Art, Pasadena CA 2010
Porter Square Books, Cambridge, MA 2010
Jones Library, Amherst, MA 2010
Amherst College, Amherst, MA 2010
The Poetry Barn, Huntington, LI 2010
Fashion Institute of Technology, New York, NY, 2010, 2012
Sarah Lawrence College, Bronxville, NY, 2010, 2012
The Gypsy Den, Long Beach, CA, 2010, 2002, 2001, 2000
Rhapsodomancy, The Good Luck Bar, Los Angeles, CA 2010, 2004
The LightBulb Mouth Radio Hour, Basement Lounge, Long Beach, CA 2010
Honor Fraser Gallery, Los Angeles, CA 2010
Hotel Cafe, Hollywood 2014, 2012, 2010, 2008
Loyolla Marymount College, Los Angeles CA, 2010, 2009, 2008, 2006
The Found Theater, Long Beach CA, 2010, 2009, 2008, 2007, 2006
LA ArtCore Union Center for the Arts, Los Angeles, CA 2009
Grace Cathedral, San Francisco, CA 2009
Los Angeles Central Library, Los Angeles, CA 2016, 2015, 2009, 2003, 1997

A Different Light Books, San Francisco, CA 2009
 The Hive, Silver Lake, CA 2009
 Moe's Books, Berkeley, CA 2009
 The Annenberg Beach House, Santa Monica, CA 2009
 The NyeHaus Gallery, New York, NY 2009
 Bar 13, New York, NY 2012, 2009
 The Norwood Club, New York, NY 2009
 Avenue 50 Gallery, Highland Park 2008
 The Ojai Foundation, Ojai 2008
 ReadBooks, Eagle Rock 2008
 Works of Art Salon, Hollywood 2008
 Cafe Bolivar, Los Angeles 2008
 Vermont College of Fine Arts, VT 2008
 "Inspired By" (Blog Talk Radio) 2007
 Moorpark College, Moorpark CA, 2006
 Poetry Lounge, San Jose CA, 2006
 Museum of Contemporary Art, Los Angeles, CA 2005, 1999
 Hotel Krim, Bled, Slovenia 2005
 The Parlour Club, Los Angeles, 2005, 2003
 The Palm Springs Festival of Books, 2005
 The Book Connection, Long beach, CA 2004
 "Poet's Café" (KPFK/Pacifica Radio), 2019, 2018, 2017, 2011, 2010, 2009, 2007, 2004
 Theater of Note, Annual Performance Marathon, Los Angeles, CA 2004, 2003
 The Loft, Redlands, CA, 2004, 2003, 2002
 Eagle Rock Community Cultural Center, Los Angeles, CA 2006, 2003
 Thee Word Thing, The LiquidDen, Costa Mesa, CA, 2003
 The Nova Express, Los Angeles, CA 2003
 Venice Beach Public Library, Venice, CA 2003, 2001
 Long Beach Poetry Festival, Long beach, CA 2016, 2015, 2014, 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010, 2009, 2008, 2007, 2006, 2005, 2004, 2003
 Cobalt Café, Los Angeles, CA 2011, 2010, 2009, 2007, 2006, 2005, 2004, 2003, 2002, 2001, 1999, 1998, 1997, 1996, 1995
 "Inspiration House" (KPFK/Pacifica Radio), 2003
 The Colony Café, Woodstock, NY, 2003
 Skylight Books, Los Angeles, 2009, 2007, 2005, 2002, 1997
 UNESCO World Poetry Days, La Fondation des Etats Unis, Paris, France, 2003
 Laguna Poets, Laguna Beach, CA, 2016, 2015, 2014, 2013, 2012, 2011, 2010, 2009, 2008, 2007, 2006, 2003, 2002, 2000, 1998
 Barnes & Noble Booksellers, locations statewide, 2004, 2003, 2002, 2001, 2000, 1999
 Borders Books & Music, statewide 2004, 2003, 2002, 2001, 2000, 1999 1998, 1997, 1996
 Tebot Bach, Huntington Beach, CA, 2004, 2002
 "Echo in the Sense" (Radio KXLU) 2002
 Exile Books and Music, Los Angeles, CA 2002, 2001, 2000
 The Redondo Poets, Redondo Beach, CA, 2004, 2003, 2002, 2001
 Schilleroper Club, Hamburg, Germany, 2000
 Hamberg Poetry Slam, Hamburg, Germany, 2000
 The Winston Hotel, Amsterdam, Netherlands, 2000
 The Irish Pub, The Hague, Netherlands, 2000

Scharfichterhaus Club, Passau, Germany 2000
Substanz, Munich, Germany, 2000
The Trubador, London, England, 2000
Duttons Brentwood Bookstore, Los Angeles, CA 2007, 2001
Highland Grounds, Hollywood, CA, 1999, 1998, 1997
HyperPoets at the Rose Cafe, Los Angeles, CA 1999, 1998
The Green Mill, Chicago, IL, 1999
National Poetry Slam, Chicago, IL, 1999
Paradise Lounge, San Francisco, CA 1998
Riverside Public Library, Riverside, CA, 1998
Upchurch Brown Books, Laguna Beach, CA, 1997, 1996