Mountain Writers Series



The Prose Poem a writing workshop with Annie Lighthart

June 13 & June 27, 2015 two Saturday sessions

10:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Multnomah Friends Meeting House 4312 S.E. Stark Street, Portland, OR

The Prose Poem. Come and try a taste of the prose poem, that strange and wonderful concoction of poetry and prose. In the first session of this two-part workshop, we'll sort through the elements of this fascinating form and read a selection of poems from writers old and new. As author David Young says, "The prose poem is a very special invention, like a chair that flies...." In the first session, we'll see what gives it wings. In the weeks between sessions, we'll write our own prose poems and then meet again in the second session to share them and talk about how we can continue to experiment with this remarkably rich, fun and feisty form of poetry. All levels of experience welcome.

Date & Time: 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM, Saturday, June 13 & Saturday, June 27, 2015

Cost: \$100 (two three-hour Saturday sessions)

Enrollment: Minimum 4; maximum 12

Place: Room 23, Multnomah Friends Meeting House, 4312 SE Stark, Portland OR

Register at www.mountainwriters.org or send check payable Mountain Writers to 2804 SE 27th, #2, Portland, OR 97202.

— Annie Lighthart is the author of *Iron String*, published by Airlie Press in 2013. She earned an MFA in Poetry from Vermont College of Fine Arts and has taught at Boston College, as a poet in the schools, and with community groups of all ages. Annie's poetry has been nominated for a Pushcart Prize and published in *Hunger Mountain*, *Cimarron Review*, *The Greensboro Review* and other journals. She writes and teaches in and around Portland, Oregon.



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