

# The Past Wesleyan Poetry Series: A Literary Legacy



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The Wesleyan Poetry Series is one of the most prestigious and influential poetry series in the world. Founded in 1959, the series has published over 1,000 books of poetry, including works by some of the most celebrated poets of the 20th and 21st centuries. The series has been honored with numerous awards, including the Pulitzer Prize, the National Book Award, and the Griffin Poetry Prize.

The Wesleyan Poetry Series was founded by Wesleyan University professor and poet Richard Wilbur. Wilbur's vision for the series was to publish the best contemporary poetry, regardless of genre or style. The series has remained true to this vision, publishing a wide range of poets, from established masters to emerging voices.

Some of the most notable poets who have published with the Wesleyan Poetry Series include W.H. Auden, John Ashbery, Elizabeth Bishop,

Gwendolyn Brooks, Robert Frost, Allen Ginsberg, Seamus Heaney, Louise Glück, and A.E. Housman. The series has also published important works by younger poets, such as Claudia Rankine, Tracy K. Smith, and Ocean Vuong.

The Wesleyan Poetry Series has had a profound impact on the literary landscape. The series has helped to launch the careers of some of the most important poets of our time. It has also helped to shape the way we think about poetry and its role in society.

The Wesleyan Poetry Series continues to be a vital force in the world of poetry. The series continues to publish new and innovative works by both established and emerging poets. The series also hosts a number of events, including readings, workshops, and conferences. These events help to foster a community of poets and readers.

The Wesleyan Poetry Series is a treasure trove of literary excellence. The series has published some of the most important and influential poetry of the past century. The series continues to play a vital role in the world of poetry today.



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