Tennessee Writers Alliance
Writers Workshop

Poetry Workshop
with Bill Brown

Saturday, March 6, 2004

Trinity Presbyterian Church
McFadden Hall
145 Hannings Lane, Martin, Tennessee
(Southeast corner of the
University of Tennessee at Martin)

Program Participants

Bill Brown, workshop leader, is a writer and teacher. After twenty years as director of the writing program at Hume-Fogg Academic High School in Nashville, Brown is an instructor in the Peabody College of Vanderbilt University. Brown is a frequent workshop leader for the Tennessee Writers Alliance and in adjoining states. He lives and writes in Robertson County, Tennessee.

Bill Ahlschwede, workshop coordinator, is a Director of the Tennessee Writers Alliance, and Instructor of first-year Composition at the University of Tennessee at Martin.

About the Tennessee Writers Alliance

The Tennessee Writers Alliance is a state-wide network of writers and those interested in writing. The Alliance publishes four newsletters each year, sponsors writing workshops, sponsors writing contests, and plays a role in the Southern Festival of Books each fall in Nashville. Through the newsletters, the Alliance informs members of calls for manuscripts, writing contests, and writing activities. Membership information will be available at the workshop.

Membership, programs, and activities of the Tennessee Writers Alliance are open to all, regardless of race, color, national origin, disability, age, religion, and sex.
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9:00-9:30 AM Registration, coffee

9:30-11:59 AM Poetry Workshop with Bill Brown

- Starting poems—strategies, models, writing, discussing, sharing drafts
- Crafting poems—creating tension, shaping, lyric or narrative, form or free verse
- Publishing poetry—submission, rejection, acceptance, what specific editors seek

Noon Lunch

1:00-2:00 PM How Bill Brown works

Bill Brown reads Bill Brown

2:00 PM Evaluation of Workshop

Workshop Sponsor

The workshop is sponsored by the Tennessee Writers Alliance, in cooperation with the Department of English and the West Tennessee Writing Project, University of Tennessee at Martin. CEUs are available upon request.

Registration Information

Registration is $30; TWA members, $25; Students, $15. Registration includes morning coffee and lunch.

Make checks payable to TWA Writing Workshop.

Registration deadline is February 27.

Please call for information about space availability after February 27.

To register, send name, address and fee to:
TWA Writing Workshop; 131 H Humanities;
University of Tennessee at Martin; Martin, TN 38238

For More Information

Contact Bill Ahlschwede at 131 H Humanities,
UT Martin, Martin, TN 38238; e-mail at billahls@utm.edu or phone 731-587-7300.

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