



Award-Winning Poet Kim Addonizio to Give Public Reading at Stockton Oct. 2

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Galloway Township, NJ- Kim Addonizio, who has been called “one of our nation’s most provocative and edgy poets,” will give a reading on **Wednesday, Oct. 2** at 8 p.m. in the Alton Auditorium, second floor of the A-Wing on the college’s main campus.

Addonizio’s latest books include *Lucifer at the Starlite*, a finalist for the \$3000 Poets’ Prize, awarded annually by a committee of about 20 American poets, and the Northern California Book Award, awarded by a group of book reviewers, book review editors and others who write about reading. She also authored *Ordinary Genius: A Guide to the Poet Within*.

Her many honors include a Guggenheim Fellowship, two National Endowment for the Arts Fellowships and Pushcart Prizes (Best of the Small Presses) for both poetry and essay. She has also published two novels from Simon & Schuster: *Little Beauties* and *My Dreams Out in the Street*.

Addonizio often incorporates her love of blues harmonica into her readings, according to her biography.

A donation is requested, ranging from \$3 for students with identification, to \$5 for seniors with ID, \$10 general admission, or larger contributions to the college’s Visiting Writer Series from \$25-\$500 if a donor chooses.

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