2020 KENTUCKY BOOK FESTIVAL: VIRTUAL EDITION



FEATURED SPEAKERS

Below is a list of the authors who participated in the 2020 Kentucky Book Festival, which was broadcast online between September-November. Watch 2020 videos here: kybookfestival.org/schedule/. For any of the authors below, click their book title to be redirected to the Joseph-Beth Bookseller's website, where you can read more about the book, see similar titles, and make purchases.

NONFICTION

Matthew Algeo, All This Beautiful Potential: Robert Kennedy's 1968 Tour of Appalachia

David W. Blight, Frederick Douglass: Prophet of Freedom

Casey Cep, Furious Hours: Murder, Fraud, and the Last Trial of Harper Lee

Clint Edwards, Father-Ish: Laugh-Out-Loud Tales From a Dad Trying Not to Ruin His Kids' Lives

Eric Eyre, Death in Mud Lick: A Coal Country Fight Against the Drug Companies That Delivered the Opioid Epidemic

Melanie Beals Goan, A Simple Justice: Kentucky Women Fight for the Vote

Chris Hamby, Soul Full of Coal Dust: A Fight for Breath and Justice in Appalachia

Jim Host, Changing the Game: My Career in Collegiate Sports Marketing

Martha S. Jones, Vanguard: How Black Women Broke Barriers, Won the Vote, and Insisted on Equality for All

Nicholas D. Kristof, Tightrope: Americans Reaching for Hope

Courtney Maum, Before and After the Book Deal: A Writer's Guide to Finishing Publishing Promoting and Surviving Your First Book

Michele Morrone, Ailing in Place: Environmental Inequalities and Health Disparities in Appalachia Samantha NeCamp, Literacy in the Mountains: Community, Newspapers, and Writing in Appalachia Peggy Noe Stevens & Susan Reigler, Which Fork Do I Use With My Bourbon?: Setting the Table for Tastings, Food Pairings, Dinners, and Cocktail Parties

Elaine Weiss, The Woman's Hour: The Great Fight to Win the Vote

Ben Westhoff, Fentanyl Inc: How Rogue Chemists Are Creating the Deadliest Wave of the Opioid Epidemic Jeff Young, Appalachian Fall: Dispatches from Coal Country on What's Ailing America

FICTION

Beverly Bell, The Murder of Marion Miley

David Bell, The Request

Ashley Blooms, Every Bone a Prayer

Terry Brooks, The Last Druid (Fall of Shannara #4)

Meg Cabot, No Offense

Annette Saunooke Clapsaddle, Even as We Breathe

Christine Feehan, Leopard's Rage

Rea Frey, Until I Find You

Robert Gipe, Weedeater: An Illustrated Novel

John Grisham, A Time for Mercy

Silas House, The Coal Tattoo

Alix E. Harrow, The Once and Future Witches

Bobbie Ann Mason, Dear Ann

Kimmery Martin, The Antidote to Everything

Karen Salyer McElmurray, Wanting Radiance: A Novel

Colleen Oakley, You Were There Too

Dana Ridenour, Below the Radar

Roxana Robinson, Dawson's Fall

Margaret Verble, Cherokee America

J. R. Ward, A Warm Heart in Winter: A Caldwell Christmas

Andrew Welsh-Huggins, Columbus Noir

Sheila Williams, The Secret Women

POETRY

Reginald Dwayne Betts, Felon

Nikky Finney, Love Child's Hotbed of Occasional Poetry: Poems and Artifacts

Leatha Kendrick, And Luckier

Nana Lampton, The Turtle with Seven Eyes

Jeremy D. Paden, Under the Ocelot Sun

Frank X Walker, Black Box: Poems

Caroline Randall Williams, Lucy Negro, Redux: The Bard, a Book, and a Ballet

CHILDREN'S/JUVENILE/YOUNG ADULT

Will Hillenbrand, Snow Friends

Greg Howard, Middle School's A Drag, You Better Werk!

Rita Lorraine Hubbard, The Oldest Student: How Mary Walker Learned to Read

Jason R. Lady, Monster Problems

Mariama J. Lockington, For Black Girls Like Me

George Ella Lyon, Voices of Justice: Poems about People Working for a Better World

Carmen Oliver, Bears Make the Best Writing Buddies

Shawn Pryor, Nat Turner's Rebellion

Kristin O'Donnell Tubb, Zeus: Dog of Chaos

Ismée Williams, This Train is Being Held

S. G. Wilson, Me VS. The Multiverse: Pleased to Meet Me

Jessica Young, A Wish is a Seed