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## **Adult Creative Writing Contest 2019 Winners**

### **Children's Fiction**

#### **1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE**

**Janice Kuharski**

"The Oak and the Linden"

#### **2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE**

**Tammra Radford**

"Fred and Frank Kept Kicking"

#### **HONORABLE MENTION**

**Nelda J. Lane**

"Watermelon Thieves"

#### **HONORABLE MENTION**

**Tommy Reeves**

"The Queen's New Hairdo"

#### **HONORABLE MENTION**

**Robert Lowell Walker**

"Cowboy Bob's Tall Tall Christmas Tale"

### **Poetry**

#### **1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE**

**Jane E. Gibson**

"Squall Line"

#### **2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE**

**Tama VanHorn**

"Sliding Children"

#### **HONORABLE MENTION**

**Randy Bostic**

"Say, 'Fukushima.'"

#### **HONORABLE MENTION**

**Alexandra Mahaffey**

"Melting Colors"

#### **HONORABLE MENTION**

**Sue Storts**

"Myths of Times in Retirement"

### **Informal Essay**

#### **1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE**

**Ryan Bradley**

"Ten Years Later"

#### **2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE**

**Tim Landes**

"My Mom is Homeless"

#### **HONORABLE MENTION**

**Doris Degner-Foster**

"Really, I'm Not Making This Up"

#### **HONORABLE MENTION**

**Lisa Jackson Tresch**

"Me and Her"

### **Short Story**

#### **1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE**

**Jennifer Sneed**

"Call Me Martha"

#### **2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE**

**Renee LaViness**

"Blessings of an Honorable Woman"

#### **HONORABLE MENTION**

**Calvin Anderson**

"A Cold, Cold Heart"

#### **HONORABLE MENTION**

**Helen Patterson**

"King Rat"

#### **HONORABLE MENTION**

**Tammra Radford**

"Moonlight Adventure"