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DAYTON, Ohio, October 29, 1982 — The University of Dayton Arts Series announces an additional event on their 1982-83 schedule. On November 8, at 8 p.m., in the UD Chapel, Margaret Walker Alexander will read from her poetry.

Alexander is a poet, novelist, and professor of English at Jackson State University in Mississippi. She is also director of the Institute for the Study of History, Life, and Culture of Black People. She holds a bachelor's degree from Northwestern University and master's and doctorate degrees from the University of Iowa.

Her published work includes For My People, a volume of verse in its eighth printing; Jubilee, a Civil War novel which has been translated into seven languages and is in its forty-third printing; Prophets for a New Day, a volume of poems concerning the Civil Rights movement; and her most recent book, A Poetic Equation: Conversations Between Nikki Giovanni and Margaret Walker.

Alexander received the Yale Award for Younger Poets in 1942 and the Rosenwald Fellowship in 1944, was a Ford Fellow at Yale University in 1953 and 1954, and earned a Houghton Mifflin Literary Fellowship in 1966. She was appointed a Fulbright Hayes Fellow to Norway in 1971 and won a Senior Fellowship from the National Endowment for the Humanities in 1972.

For information on tickets for Alexander's poetry reading or other UD Arts Series events, call 229-2347.

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