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# AUTHOR LESLIE B. NEUSTADT

Saturday, October 18th, 1:00 PM

Local author and visual artist Leslie B. Neustadt will discuss and read from her new book, *Bearing Fruit: A Poetic Journey* (available now at The Open Door Bookstore). Following the reading and book signing, Neustadt will lead a group writing exercise. No prior writing experience is necessary.

*“an autobiography in poetry...  
raw and real and fearless.”*



Leslie B. Neustadt  
(Photo Credit: Joan Heffler)

*Neustadt's writing is illuminated by her Jewish upbringing and expresses her experiences as a woman, daughter, wife, mother, cancer patient and incest survivor. Proceeds from her book, *Bearing Fruit*, are donated by the author to nonprofit organizations that benefit cancer patients, aid children who have been abused, or use expressive arts as a healing modality. Learn more about the author at [www.LeslieNeustadt.com](http://www.LeslieNeustadt.com).*



Program is free and open to the public

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