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### **Awards, Grants, and Residencies**

- Yale Younger Poets Prize 1965
- Shelley Memorial Prize, Poetry Society of America 1999
- National Book Award for Poetry 2004
- The Morton Dauwen Zabel Award 2006
- State Poet of New York for 2008-2010
- Wallace Stevens Award, Academy of American Poets 2009
  
- The Rockefeller Foundation, Fellowship
- The Bunting Institute, Fellowship
- The New York State Council on the Arts, Grant
- The Guggenheim Foundation, Fellowship
- The National Endowment for the Arts, Grant
- The Yaddo Colony, Residencies
- Cummington Community of the Arts, Residency
- The MacDowell Colony, Residencies
- UCross Foundation, Residency
- Lannon Foundation, Residency

### **Books**

- *Dream Barker and Other Poems* (Yale Series of Younger Poets, 1964)
- *Pilgrims* (Farrar, Straus & Giroux, 1969)
- *Ordinary Things* (Farrar, Straus & Giroux, 1974)
- *The Messenger* (Farrar, Straus & Giroux, 1979)
- *Home. Deep. Blue. New & Selected Poems* (Alice James, 1989)
- *The River at Wolf* (Alice James, 1992)
- *Growing Darkness, Growing Light* (Carnegie Mellon UP, 1997)

- *The Cradle of the Real Life* (Wesleyan UP, 2000)
- *Door in the Mountain, New & Collected Poems* (Wesleyan UP, 2004)
- *Little Boat* (Wesleyan UP, 2007)
- *Break the Glass* (Copper Canyon Press, 2010)
  
- *Lucy* (chapbook, Sarabande Books, 2009)
  
- *The Lighthouse Keeper: Essays on Eleanor Ross Taylor*, Editor (Hobart and William Smith CP 2001)

### **Teaching Experience**

1968–70 Swarthmore College Swarthmore, PA  
Professor—poetry writing workshops

1968, 70 Barnard College New York, NY  
Professor—poetry writing workshops

1969–70 City College of New York, SEEK Program New York, NY  
Professor—poetry writing workshops

1970, 72 Pierson College, Yale University New Haven, CT  
Professor—poetry writing workshops

1970–75 Hunter College New York, NY  
Professor—poetry and fiction writing workshops,  
and remedial composition courses

1974–2003 Sarah Lawrence College Bronxville, NY  
Professor—poetry writing workshops

1975–83, 1987–present 92nd St. Y New York, NY  
Professor—poetry writing workshops

1983 University of Cincinnati Cincinnati, OH  
Poet-in-Residence & Professor—poetry writing workshops

1989–2004 New York University, Graduate Writing Program  
New York, NY  
Professor—poetry writing workshops

1990 Bucknell University Lewisburg, PA  
Poet-in-Residence & Professor—poetry writing workshops

1990 American University Washington, DC  
Poet-in-Residence & Professor—poetry writing workshops

2003 Columbia University, Graduate Writing Program New York, NY  
Professor—poetry writing workshops

2003 University of Pittsburgh Pittsburgh, PA  
Professor—poetry writing workshops & American Literature lecture

2007, 2008 Vermont College Montpelier, VT  
Professor—poetry writing workshops

2007 University of Alabama Tuscaloosa, AL  
Professor—poetry writing workshops

2009–present Drew University Madison, NJ  
Poet-in-Residence & Professor—poetry writing workshops

## **Education**

Radcliffe College Cambridge, MA  
B.A., 1956