

## 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> Century Poetry

### A Shake Library Guide

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This guide lists selected works of poetry by noted authors writing in the 20th and 21st centuries. A star (\*) denotes that the poet has a connection to Indiana or Illinois. These volumes of poetry and many others are located on the second floor of the library. Please ask a librarian if you need help locating one of these books or any other library material.

- Ai. *Vice: New and Selected Poems*. (811.54 A288v 2000)  
Ammons, A. R. *Coast of Trees*. (811.54 A521c 2002)  
Ammons, A. R. *Garbage*. (811.54 A521g 2002)  
Angelou, Maya. *And Still I Rise*. (811.54 A584a 1978)  
Angelou, Maya. *Complete Collected Poems of Maya Angelou*. (811.54 A584c)  
Baldwin, James. *Jimmy's Blues: Selected Poems*. (811.54 B181j)  
Berry, Wendell. *Given: Poems*. (811.54 B533g 2005)  
Berryman, John. *77 Dream Songs*. (811.54 B534s)  
Berryman, John. *Selected Poems*. (811.54 B534sp 2004)  
Bishop, Elizabeth. *Complete Poems: 1927-1979*. (811.54 B622c)  
Bly, Robert. *Light Around the Body*. (811.54 B661L)  
Bly, Robert. *My Sentence Was a Thousand Years of Joy: Poems*. (811.54 B661m 2005)  
Bogan, Louise. *The Blue Estuaries: Poems, 1923-1968*. (811.52 B674b)  
Carter, Jared. *After the Rain*. (811.54 C323a 1993)\*  
Clampitt, Amy. *Archaic Figure*. (811.54 C586)  
Clampitt, Amy. *Silence Open: Poems*. (811.54 C586s 1994)  
Cullen, Countee. *My soul's high song: the collected writings of Countee Cullen, voice of the Harlem Renaissance*. (811.52 C967m)  
Dickey, James. *The Whole Motion: Collected Poems, 1945-1992*. (811.54 D551w)  
Ciardi, John. *Person to Person: Poems*. (811.52 C566p)  
cumings, e. e. *100 Selected Poems*. (811.52 C971o)  
cumings, e. e. *Enormous Room*. (940.481 C971e)  
Eliot, T. S. *Old Possum's Book of Practical Cats*. (821.912 E42)  
Erdrich, Louise. *New and Selected Poems*. (811.54 E66)  
Erdrich, Louise. *Original Fire: New and Selected Poems*. (811.54 E66o 2003)  
Ferlinghetti, Lawrence. *These Are My Rivers: New & Selected Poems, 1955-1993*. (811.5 F357t)  
Forche, Carolyn. *Blue Hour*. (811.54 F698b 2003)  
Frost, Robert. *In the Clearing*. (811.52 F939i)  
Frost, Robert. *The Robert Frost Reader*. (811.52 F939p 2002)  
Gibran, Kahlil. *The Prophet*. (811.52 G447p)  
Ginsberg, Allen. *Collected Poems, 1947-1980*. (811.54 G493c)  
Ginsberg, Allen. *White Shroud: Poems, 1980-1985*. (811.54 G492w)  
Giovanni, Nikki. *Selected Poems of Nikki Giovanni*. (811.54 G512s)  
Hughes, Frieda. *Waxworks*. (821.914 H893w 2003)

Hughes, Langston. *Collected Poems of Langston Hughes*. (811.52 H893c)  
Jarrell, Randall. *Selected Poems*. (811.52 J37s)  
Kerouac, Jack. *Book of Haikus*. (811.54 K39b 2003).  
Kerouac, Jack. *Heaven and Other Poems*. (811.54 K39h)  
Komunyakaa, Yusef. *Neon Vernacular: New and Selected Poems*. (811.54 K81n 1993)\*  
Komunyakaa, Yusef. *Pleasure Dome: New and Collected Poems*. (811.54 K81p 2000)\*  
Kunitz, Stanley. *Collected Poems*. (811.52 K96c 2000)  
Lee, Li-Young. *Behind My Eyes*. (811.54 L478b 2008)  
Lowell, Robert. *Collected Poems*. (811.52 L916c 2003)  
Lowell, Robert. *For the Union Dead*. (811.52 L916f)  
Masters, Edgar Lee. *The Spoon River Anthology*. (811.5 M423s)\*  
McClatchy, J. D. *Mercury Dressing* (811.54 M126m 2009)  
Millay, Edna St. Vincent. *Collected Sonnets of Edna St. Vincent Millay*. (811.52 M645c 1988)  
Millay, Edna St. Vincent. *Early Poems*. (811.52 M645e 1998)  
Moore, Marianne. *Collected Poems*. (811.5 M823c)  
Moore, Marianne. *Poems of Marianne Moore*. (811.52 M823p 2003)  
Nash, Ogden. *Many Long Years Ago*. (817.5 N252m)  
Nash, Ogden. *You Can't Get Here from There*. (817.5 N252y)  
Plath, Sylvia. *Ariel: The Restored Edition*. (811.54 P716ar 2004)  
Plath, Sylvia. *Collected Poems*. (811.54 P716c)  
Pound, Ezra. *The Collected Poems of Ezra Pound*. (811 P876p)  
Olds, Sharon. *Blood, Tin, Straw*. (811.54 O44b 1999)  
Olds, Sharon. *The Dead and the Living*. (811.54 O44d 2000)  
Olds, Sharon. *Wellspring: Poems*. (811.54 O44w 1996)  
Oliver, Mary. *Why I Wake Early: New Poems*. (811.54 O48wh 2004)  
Oliver, Mary. *New and Selected Poems*. (811.54 O48n)  
Riley, James Whitcomb. *Rhymes of Childhood* (811 R573p)\*  
Roethke, Theodore. *Collected Poems of Theodore Roethke*. (811.54 R719c 1975)  
Sandburg, Carl. *American Songbag*. (SC 784 S213a)\*  
Sandburg, Carl. *Chicago Poems*. (811.52 S213ch) \*  
Sexton, Anne. *Complete Poems*. (811.54 S518c)  
Snyder, Gary. *No Nature: New and Selected Poems*. (811.54 S675n)  
Thomas, Dylan. *Poems of Dylan Thomas*. (821.912 T455p 2003)  
Walker, Alice. *Absolute Trust in the Goodness of the Earth*. (811.54 W177a 2003)  
Williams, William Carlos. *Collected Poems of William Carlos Williams*.  
(811.52 N223L)  
Wright, James. *Above the River: The Complete Poems*. (811.54 W951a)  
Yeats, William Butler. *Selected Poems of William Butler Yeats*. (821.8 Y41p 1994)  
Yeats, William Butler. *The Wild Swans at Coole*. (821.9 Y41w)