

**Georgia Poetry Society 2017 Youth Contest Winners**

<b>Contest Name &amp; Prize</b>	<b>Title of Poem</b>	<b>Student Name</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Age</b>	<b>Teacher Name</b>	<b>School</b>	<b>City</b>
<b>Margery Carlson 1-5</b>							
1 <sup>st</sup> place--\$30	I'm Gonna Climb Mt. Everest	Kaitlin Lawrence	4	10	Christina Badowski	New Mt. Hill	Fortson
2 <sup>nd</sup> place--\$20	The Sky	Lydia Baldizon	5	11	Brittany Smith	Carrollton Middle	Carrollton
3 <sup>rd</sup> place--\$10	Swimming	Emma Staudigl	4	9	Connie Ross	Bowdon Elementary	Bowdon
1 <sup>st</sup> Honorable Mention	Beginning of Spring	Noah Colby	3	9	Tanya Ansley	Lake Oconee Academy	Greensboro
2 <sup>nd</sup> Honorable Mention	I Painted a Rhinoceros	Saniya Mathis	4	10	Christina Badowski	New Mt. Hill	Fortson
3 <sup>rd</sup> Honorable Mention	Ariella	Ariella Thomas	1	6	Hailey Kildrease	Lee County Primary	Leesburg
<b>Marel Brown 6-7-8</b>							
1 <sup>st</sup> Place--\$50	Greed	Stephen Scott	8	14	Elizabeth Newsome	Heritage Middle	Ringgold
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place--\$40	Books	Savannah Moon	8	13	Sasha Baker	Clarke Middle	Athens
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place--\$30	Gray Morning	Ashlin Yeo	8	14	Kathleen Barkley	Taylor Road Middle	Johns Creek
1 <sup>st</sup> Honorable Mention	Masterpiece in Paris	Anissa Antoine	8	13	Don Mobley	Washington Middle	Cairo
2 <sup>nd</sup> Honorable Mention	Subconscious	Amelia Baer	6	12	M. Vecchio-Weinmeister	Clarke Middle	Athens
3 <sup>rd</sup> Honorable Mention	Snow	Abigail Wilks	7	12	Amy DeVane	Monroe County Middle	Forsyth
<b>Marel Brown 9-12</b>							
1 <sup>st</sup> Place--\$70	White Paper	Hannah Chisholm	12	17	Jo Taylor	George Walton Academy	Monroe
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place--\$60	Skulls of Lovely Ladies	Amy Rees	12	17	Jo Taylor	George Walton Academy	Monroe
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place--\$50	The Pure Blossom	Maddie Willingham	12	17	Bakahai Litman	Carrollton High	Carrollton
1 <sup>st</sup> honorable mention	Quiet Animosity	Emily Minnick	12	18	Cathy Murphy	Sequovah High	Canton
2 <sup>nd</sup> honorable mention	Patriots Rally	Christian Young	12	19?	Abigail Jackson	Creekview High	Canton