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Billy Collins


Bestselling poet and U.S. Poet Laureate (2001-2003)

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B C  is an American phenomenon. No poet since Robert Frost has managed to combine high critical acclaim with such broad popular appeal. His work has appeared in a variety of periodicals including *The New Yorker*, *The Paris Review* and *The American Scholar*.

Collins has published twelve collections of poetry that have led to numerous awards including the Mark Twain Award for Humor in Poetry. He was named New York State Poet Laureate from 2004 to 2006 after serving as the Poet Laureate of the United States from 2001 to 2003.

His newest book, *Water, Water: Poems*, is being released in November.

UPCOMING EVENTS

