

An Evening of Harlem Renaissance Poetry

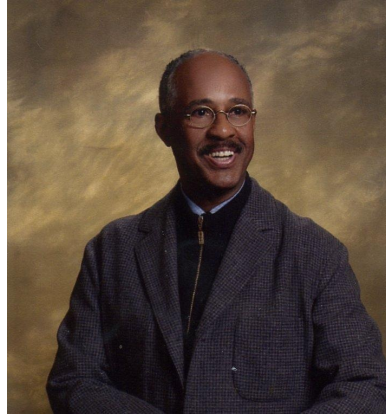
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Germano's presents ***An Evening of Harlem Renaissance Poetry*** performed by Rufus Tiéfung Stevenson and Sarah Margaret Jespersen, Sunday, February 27, 2011, at 7:00 PM. The poems are authored by Countee Cullen, Langston Hughes, Margaret Walker, Richard Wright, Robert Hayden, Sterling Brown, and James Weldon Johnson provide an anthology tracing the history of the African Americans from pre-captivity to the present time. The recitations are performed against the backdrop of music by such luminaries as ***Charlie "Bird" Parker, Duke Ellington, Jelly Roll Morton, Fats Waller, Billy Holiday, Ella Fitzgerald*** and ***Sarah Vaughan***.

Mr. Stevenson is a former United States Diplomat and a graduate of Morehouse College. He is an *Africanist* by training through The Paul H. Nitz School of Advanced International Studies, The Johns Hopkins University; and the curator and CEO of Jah Kente International, Inc.

Ms. Jespersen, who holds a Masters Degree in English, has studied in Jamaica, England and the United States. Her recent book of poetry is entitled ***Dedication de l'amour*** was published in 2009 by IUniverse. Enjoy this evening of eclectic poetry. Dining begins at 6:00 PM - Major Credit Card. The Performance begins at 7:00 PM. Cover charge \$10.00. Valet Service: \$10.00 Cash.