

# Ekphrastic Event!

Saturday  
March 21, 6-8 pm

*“What a poet-writer writes while observing a piece of art.”*

**HQ Gallery: 333 First St. Suite D, Benicia**

*Poetry will be read with the artists holding their work.  
Spring Artworks from all artists available to see at the  
gallery March 5-18. Hours: Thursday-Sunday  
12-6PM. Prints! Paintings! Mixed media! Photography!  
Needlework! Questions? Please text or call me with  
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## **YOU ARE INVITED TO AN EKPHRASTIC POETRY AND PROSE READING AT THE HQ GALLERY IN BENICIA!**

Dear Poets and Writers,

You are invited to participate in an Ekphrastic Reading on Saturday, March 21st, at the HQ Gallery in Benicia. This event is hosted by the HQ Gallery, and is co-sponsored by Benicia Literary Arts and the Benicia First Tuesday Poets. **YOU DO NOT HAVE TO BE A MEMBER OF ANY GROUP TO PARTICIPATE! ALL POETS AND WRITERS FROM BENICIA, VALLEJO, AND THE SURROUNDING BAY AREA ARE WELCOME!** Ekphrastic poetry or prose is writing inspired by a piece of art. The theme of the gallery show is **Spring Inspiration**. Here are the important dates:

**March 5th-** The show opens

**March 14th-** HQ Gallery has their reception, 2-5 pm. Please attend if you can.

**March 21st-** Ekphrastic Poetry Event at the gallery, 6-8pm

**Gallery hours are 12-6 pm, Thursdays through Sundays.**

The gallery has 25 participating artists!

If you have any questions about the poetry or prose, you can email me, Johanna: [poetrylover1953@gmail.com](mailto:poetrylover1953@gmail.com)

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Best wishes,

Johanna Ely, *Benicia Literary Arts Board Member* and Tom Stanton, *Benicia Poet Laureate*

