



## **RULES FOR FRA ANGELICO ART FOUNDATION WRITING CONTEST**

Each contest will have three categories: ages 12 through 17; 18 through 44; 45 through senior citizens 65 and over. Each category award will be \$50.00 for first place, 40.00 for second place and 25.00 for third place. A print of Fr. Angelo Zarlenga's *Canticle of Creatures* will be awarded to individuals receiving honorary mention in each category.

1. An entry must be an original work of the participant submitting it and must not have been previously published or accepted for publication, although it may have been submitted for publication.
2. The subject matter is to be writing inspired by one of three original paintings by Indiana artist, Connie Kassal, two-time winner of Fra Angelico Art Foundation's annual art competition. These original works of art can be viewed at the Fra Angelico Art Foundation located at 30 East Avenue, Riverside, IL 60546.
3. The entry must conform to standards of general good taste as determined by the judges.
4. Fiction submitted may be in the form of a short story, 500 words but no longer than 1000.
5. Poetry entries must be between ten and thirty lines long, but may consist of one or more poems.
6. Essays submitted must be at least 300 - 500 words long.
7. All entries must be typed on white paper on one side of the page.  
Poetry may be single-spaced, but prose must be double-spaced.
8. A cover sheet, with the participant's name, address, city, state, zip, and phone number, must be included with the entry.
9. Winners will be notified by mail. Awards will be made at an Awards Dinner at a restaurant yet to be determined.
10. **No manuscripts will be returned.**  
All manuscripts will be kept by Fra Angelico Art Foundation for possible publication, unless the participant attaches a note requesting that the manuscript not be printed by the foundation.
11. The deadline for submitting entries to Fra Angelico Art Foundation is January 25, 2004.

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