

CB1 Poetry

'Everything about this poet is good...Wear him, think him, read him, know him.' – Jeanette Winterson

'One of the most ferociously talented of all British poets.' – Catherine Lockerbie

'If you are wondering whether great poems are still being written, you ought to read Don Paterson's' – Charles Simic



Don Paterson is a writer, editor, teacher, jazz guitarist and, since 2008, an OBE. He has published five collections with Faber, two books of aphorisms and edited two contemporary anthologies. His first collection won the Forward prize for Best First Collection, and was described by Paul Muldoon as 'one of the finest first books I've read for ages'. The only poet to have won the esteemed T.S. Eliot prize twice, Don also received the Whitbread Award for 'Landing Light' and the 2008 Forward Prize for best individual poem. A former jazz musician, Don is a superb reader of his lyrical work as well as one of our most respected living poets. £5/£3 concessions.

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Tuesday 27th January 2009

Winstanley Lecture Theatre Trinity College, 8pm

