

# PORTER MEMORIAL LIBRARY 2017 MEET THE AUTHOR SERIES

March 8, 2017  
Time: 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Susan Samuels Drake will discuss her book, *Fields of Courage: Remembering Cesar Chavez & the People Whose Labor Feeds Us* (Many Names Press, 1999). Her poetic memoir, based on her 31-year-long friendship with the labor leader, follows her path from affluent Palo Alto to underserved communities in California's Central Valley. She served as Chávez' secretary for three of those years.



Susan says: “Whether publishing memoir, poetry or interviews, my writing is a cover for my insatiable curiosity about creatures two-legged, four-legged and how many legs do ants have?” Her essays, nostalgia, features, poetry and interviews have appeared in local magazines, newspapers, and international textbooks.

These programs are informal coffee hours where local authors discuss their works, answer questions, and autograph their books. They are free of charge and open to the public. Coffee will be provided by The Ugly Mug. For further information call 475-3326

We are located at 3050 Porter Street, Soquel. Parking is available behind the library. Enter from Soquel Drive into the Bagelry parking lot and drive through to the left.

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