



## Exhibition Opens at Nevada Humanities Program Gallery in Las Vegas on February 6, 2020

### *Margaret, Are You Grieving*

*Exhibition on Display February 6 through March 25, 2020*

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**January 16, 2020—LAS VEGAS, NV**— As part of the [Nevada Humanities Exhibition Series](#), a new exhibition, [Margaret, Are You Grieving](#), opens on February 6, 2020, at the Nevada Humanities Program Gallery, which is located in the Art Square Garden Courtyard at 1017 South First Street, #190 in Las Vegas. Nevada Humanities also will host an opening reception for *Margaret, Are You Grieving* on Thursday, February 6, 2020, from 6:00 - 9:00 pm, with a curator's talk at 7:00 pm at the Nevada Humanities Program Gallery in Las Vegas. The opening reception is free and open to the public. **The exhibition will be on display February 6 through March 25, 2020.**

Inspired by Gerard Manley Hopkins' poem, [Spring and Fall: To A Young Child](#), this exhibition is curated by Angela M. Brommel, who invited artists and writers to share work representative of the many kinds of grief that exist, how grief appears within their work, and in some cases how a loss or anticipatory grief transforms the content and form of their art. Featured in *Margaret, Are You Grieving* are writers: Gayle Brandeis, Angela M. Brommel, Nathan Elliott, Shaun T. Griffin, Heather Lang-Cassera, Claire McCully, Paul Michelsen, Vogue M. Robinson, and Erica Vital-Lazare. Featured visual artists include: Montana Black, Myranda Bair, Sapira Cheuk, Fawn Douglas, Nancy Good, Antonio Gomez, Bobbie Ann Howell, Gemma Marmalade, Melissa Russell, Lance Smith, and United Catalysts, an artistic team consisting of Kim Garrison Means and Steve Radosevich.

Grief is experienced in many ways and recent events that have brought communities together in grief has been an element that has touched and changed the people of Las Vegas, as well as people across the country. The humanities have long had a role in how we document, commemorate, remember, heal, and grow beyond our grief. *Margaret, Are You Grieving* continues the conversation of dealing with grief and how each of us may find a way forward.

"Reflecting on grief in all its manifestations, including its magnitude and its inevitability, is part of what makes us human," notes Nevada Humanities Executive Director Christina Barr. "By connecting with these deeper feelings through art and the written word included this exhibition, we hope to strengthen our personal well-being while also finding solace as a community."

*Margaret, Are You Grieving* will be on display from February 6 – March 25, 2020, at the Nevada Humanities Program Gallery in Las Vegas. The Nevada Humanities Program Gallery is open Monday through Friday, from 1:00 - 5:00 pm and until 9:00 pm on Preview Thursdays, and the first Friday of each month.

**About Nevada Humanities:** Nevada Humanities is one of 56 independent, nonprofit state and territorial humanities councils affiliated with the National Endowment for the Humanities. With offices in Reno and Las Vegas, Nevada Humanities creates public programs and supports public projects statewide that define the

Nevada experience and facilitate the exploration of issues that matter to the people of Nevada and their communities. For more information about Nevada Humanities visit [nevadahumanities.org](http://nevadahumanities.org).

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