

An Inklings Weekend

Friday evening March 31 – Sunday noon April 2, 2022

Join us in the Misty Mountains (locally known by the elves as the Smoky Mountains) at Rivendell (known locally as Montreat College) near Black Mountain, NC as we consider

“The Legacy of J. R. R. Tolkien Fifty Years after His Death”

When J. R. R. Tolkien died on September 2, 1973, his magisterial tales of hobbits, elves, and Middle-earth had become legendary in themselves on college campuses around the world. Somehow Tolkien, who always belonged to an earlier century than the twentieth, managed to touch a smoldering ember of the imaginations of young people who would never have listened to him lecture about all that he saw wrong with the modern world. When we gather in Montreat, we will discuss why.

Featuring music, worship, food, and good conversation with . . .

Nigel Goodwin began a ministry to people in all the arts all around the world just as *The Lord of the Rings* was catching on. He lived with Francis Schaeffer who challenged him to take up this ministry. Fifty years later, we can honestly say that the active presence of so many Christians in the arts can be traced back in one way or another to Nigel Goodwin.

Dennis Beets is a co-founder of the C. S. Lewis Society of Memphis. A frequent presenter at the Christianity in the Academy Conference, Dennis had spoken to the Inklings Fellowship on many occasions over the years in Montreat and Oxford.

Don King has just published *Inklings, Historian, Soldier, and Brother: A Life of Warren Hamilton Lewis*. He has also written a number of books about C. S. Lewis, Joy Davidman, and Ruth Pitter, including *C. S. Lewis, Poet: The Legacy of His Poetic Impulse*, *Hunting the Unicorn: A Critical Biography of Ruth Pitter*, and *Yet One More Spring: A Critical Study of Joy Davidman*.

Hal Poe has just finished a three-volume biography of the C. S. Lewis which is published by Crossway. He is the author of twenty books that deal with how the gospel intersect culture; including *C. S. Lewis Remembered* and *The Inklings of Oxford*.

REGISTRATION FEE - \$75, students \$25

Includes banquet on Saturday night

Meals may be taken in Black Mountain or at Montreat College

Lodging – Participants may make reservations at a local hotel of your choice in Black Mountain.

For further details, consult www.inklingsfellowship.org or call 731-661-5404 or e-mail hpoe@uu.edu

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REGISTRATION DEADLINE – March 27, 2023

Registration fee \$75, students \$25

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