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**Claremont Heritage Announces JOHNSON'S PASTURE: LIVING PLACE, LIVING TIME
Featuring DR. KENDALL JOHNSON
Saturday, April 7, 2018, 5:00pm – 8:00pm**

Johnson's Pasture:
Living Place, Living Time



Kendall Johnson

Claremont Heritage will unveil its collaborative book project and art exhibition with Dr. Kendall Johnson on Saturday, April 7, 2018 from 5:00pm until 8:00pm. This program will highlight the newly published *Johnson's Pasture: Living Place, Living Time*, a memoir, family history, and collection of artwork and poetry influenced by Johnson's Pasture and Claremont's foothill wilderness. Author, Kendall Johnson's personal memories of Johnson's Pasture, coupled with his art and poetry, weave together a rich tapestry that relays a deep spiritual connection of sense and place. Johnson's great-grandfather and Claremont pioneer, C.C. Johnson, purchased the 185 acres of hillside land north of Claremont, which remained in his family for over 50 years. While the land has since been added to Claremont's Wilderness Park, Johnson was fortunate to be able to grow up in this setting and his visual memories capture the tranquility and beauty of Claremont's natural spaces. It is our hope that through this book and exhibition, individuals will find inspiration that evokes their own memoirs of their own experiences and interactions with the natural environment.

The program will take place in the Ginger Elliot Conference and Exhibition Center, located just behind the Garner House in Memorial Park. Kendall Johnson will lead a book talk and presentation, followed by a book signing from 5:00pm – 6:00pm. Copies of the book will be available for purchase for \$25. Following the book talk, Johnson's artwork, poetry, and reflective writings inspired by Johnson's Pasture will be exhibited and showcased from 6:00pm – 8:00pm. Libations and hors d'oeuvres will accompany the exhibition. This event is free and open to the public. For more information about Claremont Heritage and *Johnson's Pasture: Living Place Living Time* please email info@claremontheritage.org, visit our website at www.claremontheritage.org, or call (909) 621-0848.

