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Summary:

(April 1, 2005)-The Briggs Library Associates welcomes noted regional author and poet, Freya Manfred, to Morris for the Third Annual Meeting of the friends of the UMM library. Manfred has won much recent acclaim for the memoir of her father, "Frederick Manfred: A Daughter Remembers." Minnesota author, Robert Bly says Freya's work is "unusual and powerful." Philip Roth calls it "rare notable for its sensitivity, generosity and gratitude." Manfred's newest book of poems, *My Only Home*, follows five earlier books of poetry, one half-hour poem for PBS, several screenplays, children's stories, and novels. Manfred will read from her work and comment on the process of writing. She will also be working with UMM students on campus during her visit.

The annual meeting of the Briggs Library Associates, at which Freya Manfred will be the key-note speaker, will be held on Monday, April 11, at 7:30 p.m., in the UMM Library, lower level. Ms. The meeting place is handicapped accessible there is free parking in any UMM lot in the evening. The meeting is open and members of the public are cordially welcomed to attend the meeting is free, refreshments will be served.

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