

Benicia's Everlovin' Nationally Recognized
Love Poetry Contest
is back in 2024!

"I think ..if it is true that there are as many minds as there are heads, then there are as many kinds of love as there are hearts"

Leo Tolstoy from Anna Karenina



Submit up to two original unpublished Love Poems

Submissions due **5 p.m. April 1, 2024**

Emailed to benicialovepoetry@gmail.com

Guidelines can be found on benicialibrary.org and benicialiteraryarts.org

Prizes 1st Prize: \$100

plus Poet's name inscribed on the Loving Cup

2nd Prize: \$75 3rd Prize: \$50



Love Poetry Celebration & Awards



June 2, 2024

**2-4 p.m. PDT
via Zoom**



Prize Winning Poems and Honorable Mentions
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