

## Bloody Brainwork



### Marvin Bell

Flannery O'Connor Professor of Letters, Emeritus  
Iowa Writers' Workshop (1965-2005)

First Poet Laureate of Iowa

Collaborator with writers, musicians, composers,  
photographers and dancers

4:00 pm

Thursday, November 5, 2020

Please join us on Zoom:

<https://uiowa.zoom.us/j/95849751869?pwd=amYyVhtaUDdyeE9jVmV2OE4zTjZxUT09>



Described as “an insider who thinks like an outsider,” Mr. Bell will speak to the character of thinking, learning and some teaching, starting from an enigmatic past experience and other personal matters, and ending in how the “dead man poems” operate in the book *Incarnate: The Collected Dead Man Poems*. It is not necessary to have the book. Q&A to follow.

Above: cover photo of Marvin Bell from *Incarnate* (photo by Sam Roxas-Chua)

Left: photo of longtime collaborators IWP Director Christopher Merrill and Marvin Bell, taken years ago in Jackson Hole, Wyoming.

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