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The glory in a fossil: new poems and old favourites

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Author: Burles, Gordon

Publisher: Banff: Gordon Burles

Published Date: 2008 Physical Description: 16p

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Notes: Contents: Incident for Katherine (p. 3); A portrait for Mariko and Natsuko

(p.3); Tableau for Annalee Westheim (p.4); Portrait for Garrison Upham (p.5); Portrait for Kristelle Dejeune (p. 6); Noctuary for Lazenby Horton (p. 6); Penultimate Tableau for Kristelle (p. 7); Poem dedicated to Helen Wells (p.7); Tableau for Etherspear Wugbyson (p.10); Noctuary for Lousandra Ellerton (p. 10); Nocturne for Amanda (reprint) (p. 11); At the Tea House (reprint) (p.12); Portrait for Leonora (reprint) (p.13); Letter to Wallace (reprint) (p. 14); Another portrait for Maria (reprint) (p.15);

Summer carnival (reprint) (p. 16)

Cover: photograph by author in 1979 of fossil coral (Lithostrotionella)

near summit of Mount Stoney Squaw

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The adoration of reality: new poems

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Author: Burles, Gordon

Publisher: Banff: Gordon Burles

Published Date: 2014 Physical Description: 8p

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Notes: Contents: Portrait for Lucinda (p.2); Recollection in June (p.3); Vision for

Nigel (p.4); Memoir for Denise (p.5); Tableau for Erin (p.6); Toward the

adoration of reality (p.7); Memoir for Laetitia (p.8)

Cover: photograph of (left to right) Bill Ward, Annie Ward, and Kay Ward (the author's mother) on the summit ridge of Sulphur Mountain about 1920; weather station in background; object above weather station is dirt

on photo

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All the universe of sight: more poems by Gordon Burles

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Author: Burles, Gordon

Publisher: Banff: Gordon Burles

Published Date: 2006 Physical Description: 30p

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Notes: Contents: (one copy signed by author); Portrait of old age (revision of

poem previously titled "Portrait for Sandra) (p.1); I'll call the surveyor tomorrow (revision)(p.2); Noctuary for Helena Saddington (revision) (p.3); August at the Cemetery Tea House (p.4); After the holiday(for Jenna) (p.5); A portrait for Victoria (p.5); Noctuary for Jacobson Penner (p.6); Metropolis (for Leanna)(p.6); Noctuary for Lathom Crittenden (p.7); Noctuary for Lathom Srigley (p.7); Tableau for Nigel Dunn (p.8); Esplanade of divinity (for Gisela) (p.8); Daydream (for Kathleen)(p.9); Ode to Natalie (p.9); Story for Etherspear Ghently (p.10); Noctuary for Hermione Grafton (p.11); Otter Street (for Miranda)(p.11); A lament in March (p.12); The Saturday adventure (p.13); Ode to a sunny day (p.14); Penultimate letter to Kezia Upton (p.14); An incident in early June (p.15);

One vernal portrait for Mary (p.16); One more portrait for Bridget Hawthorne (p.17); Another memoir for Nathan (p.18); A noctuary for Andzia (p.19); One portrait for Nigel Westfall (p.19); A portrait for Nigel Westlock (p.20); That old Tyrolean dream (p.21); Carrot Creek (for Jane) (p.22); Tableau in the desert (p.23); Portrait of July for Wallace (p.23); The warning (for Astrid)(p.24); The great trash dump(p.25); Ah, when I was young (p.26); The things that are no more (revision)(p.26); Another noctuary in memory of her (revision)(p.27); Tableau for Jessop Dunn-Easton (p.28); Experience in November (for Kazimiera)(p.28); Last narrative for Lilia (p.29); Autumn vision (for Nathaniel)(p.29); Not long

Cover: photograph by author looking south from Mount Thompson in evening in 1979; Mount Hector in distance on left; Margo McTaggart

standing on other peak of Thompson on right

after her funeral (p.30)

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An ammonite amid flowers : new poems and old favourites

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Author: Burles, Gordon

Publisher: Banff: Gordon Burles

Published Date: 2009 Physical Description: 12p

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Notes: Contents: End of a love affair (p.3); Poem in spring for Lucinda Mayhope

(p.3); Meditation in spring (p.4); Incident in late May (p.5); We are etched upon darkness (p.6); A Banff moment (p.7); Memoir for Kathleen and Mary (reprint) (p.8); Some kind of Saturday (reprint) (p.9); Another portrait for Pat (reprint) (p.10); Nocturne for Kathleen (reprint) (p.11); Noctuary for

Kathleen (reprint) (p.12)

Cover: photograph by author of Triassic ammonite in flower bed at home

of Kenneth Bunn in Banff

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An avenue without end: more poems by Gordon Burles

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Author: Burles, Gordon

Publisher: Banff: Gordon Burles

Published Date: 2005 Physical Description: 32p

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Notes: Contents: (one copy signed by author); Incident for Jennifer Weston (p.3);

A portrait in June (p.4); One portrait for Basil Roehampton-Northrup (p.5); Adventure for Natalia Von Humboldt (p.6); Sermon for Leander Oldstone (p.7); Tableau for Natalie Westbrook-Wassermann (p.7); Noctuary for Wyndham Saddington (p.8); Portrait of summer for Adrian (p.8); Portrait for Elmira Bracebridge (p.9); Tableau for Littleton Sundergaard (p.10); Portrait for Halliwell Dunn (p.10); Letter to Eleanor de Vavenarches (p.11); Noctuary for Ada Westfall (p.12); Portrait of a June morning (p.12); The elderly alpinist (p.13); Tableau for Ilya Gunning (p.14); Poem for householder (p.14); Memoir for Lathom Dunn (p.15); September dialogue (revision)(p.15); Tableau for Sandeman Westbrook (p.16); Another reckoning (p.16); One portrait for Lorna (revision)(p.17); The Cave and Basin (p.18); Long ago (for John) (p.18); Darkling meditation (p.19); One more narrative for Pelagia Sunderland (p.19); Larch Valley (for Judd) (p.20); Valencian interlude (p.21); Walter Phillips' last dream (p.22); Life in three-quarter time (p.23); Noctuary for Alma Tidswell (p.24); Noctuary for Melinda Dunn (p.25); Tableau for Jackson Weston-Murtha (p.25); Plato's last night-dream (p.26); Memoir for Jacob Boulton-Smith (p.26); Crossing that pass (p.27); Stewart Canyon adventure (p.28); Another portrait for Eva (revision) (p.29); Tableau for Jason, Greg and Wellington

Miyuki (p.32)

Cover: photograph by author of lane joining Otter street and Muskrat St. in

(p.30); Tableau for Jack Dunn-Bridgeman (p.31); The second portrait for

100 block; looking west from Otter street

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Call Number: 05.1 B92 2005 Oct PAM

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Banff's first museum

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue11380

Author: Burles, Gordon

Published Date: 1992 Physical Description: 3 p

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Subjects: Banff Park Museum National Historic Site

Buildings

MacLeod, George

Restaurants

Accession Number: 7285

Call Number: 08.3 B22b Pam - TRANSFERRED to M196

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https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue9693

Author: Burles, Gordon

Physical Description: p.5-11

Medium: Library - Periodical

Notes: In Alberta History, vol.24, no.1, winter 1976

Call Number: P

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The closing of many doors: more poems by Gordon Burles

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Author: Burles, Gordon

Publisher: Banff: Gordon Burles

Published Date: 2006 Physical Description: 28p

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Notes: Contents: (both copies signed by author); Penultimate tableau for Nathan

Ostgaard (p.3); Tableau for Exeter Sentance (p.3); Noctuary for Tanya Everson (p.4); Tableau for Muriel Eastmonde (p.5); The second portrait for Miyuki Sato (revision)(p.6); Meditation for Eli Braunshweig (p.7); Letter to Latimer Sansonby (p.7); Noctuary for Louis Sexton (p.8); Tableau for Nigel Wakelyn (p.9); Tableau for Jim and Kay Burles (p.9); Penultimate Noctuary for Hermione Fenton (revision of poem previously titled "Noctuary for Hermione Fenton)(p.10); Letter to Audrey Cawthorne (p.11); A drop of rain is the truth (p.12); Another portrait for Nigel Upton (p.12); One portrait for Annabelle Luscar (p.13); Another September adventure (p.14); September entreaty (for Louise) (p.14); Tableau for Vincent (p.15); Another portrait of October (p.15); One more narrative for Barrymore Hamilton (p.16); Yes, rejoice—we conquer!

(p.17);

Memoir for Lucinda, Nigel, and Helen (p.17); Memoir for Lathom Dunn (p.18); On Cascade Mountain (p.19); Another adventure in August (p.20); One more portrait for Nathaniel Von Ostmark(p.20); Portrait for Gertrude Morstein (p.21); Experience near Banff (p.21); Melancholy moments (p.22); A wind-song (p.22); The honeysuckle (p.23); Banff, 1900 (p.24); The cherry tree (p.24); Yearnings in springtime(p.25); Portrait for springtime (p.26); Tableau for Nathaniel Dunstan (p.27); Episode in spring (for Kathleen)(p.27); A letter to Katharine (p.28)

Cover: photograph by author of Kay and Jim Burles on horseback along Carrot Creek circa 1990; buttress of Mount Peechee in background

Accession Number: 7637 (2 copies)

Call Number: 05.1 B92 2006 May PAM

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Crossing the pass: new poems from Banff

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Author: Burles, Gordon
Responsibility: Gordon Burles
Publisher: Gordon Burles

Published Date: 1986

Physical Description: 55 pages

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Subjects: Poetry

Art

Banff National Park

Abstract: Pertains to the works of Gordon Burles, a poet of the Canadian Rocky

Mountains. The poet includes works exclusively from the Banff area and

covers topics pertaining to nature, places and people.

Notes: Annotated – the author has signed the inside front page with the

following, "Best wishes Liz and Ron, from Gordon Burles"

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URL Notes: The URL is linked to Gordon Burles archival fonds held at the Whyte

Museum of the Canadian Rockies

Websites

http://archives.whyte.org/dbtw-wpd/exec/dbtwpub.dll &



Crossing the pass: new poems from Banff

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue4216

Author: Burles, Gordon

Published Date: 1986 Physical Description: 55p

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Subjects: Boom Lake

Cascade Mountain

Johnson Lake
Kain, Conrad
Phillips, Walter J
Wheeler, Clara
Wilcox, Walter J

Notes: Contents: Crossing the pass (p.1); Mt. Rundle twilight (p.2); The old trail

(p.3); In the winter forest(p.4); Twilight (p.5); The meeting (p.6); Night-time parting (p.7); Mrs. Lewthwaite's summer (p.8); Walter Wilcox in Paradise Valley (p.9); September hike (p.10); The night road (p.11); A July walk (p. 12); Exhortation (p.13); Banff dawn (p.14); The meadow (p.15); Elegy (p.16); Autumn at Johnson's Lake (p.17); The aspens (p.18); Burial (p.19); The unknown woman (p.20); Reflection (p.21); Dusk (p.22); Lost love (p.23); The crocuses (p.24); At the zoo (p.25); Walking home (p.26); Fossil-hunting (p.27); Musings from Mt. Cascade (p.28); Two birches (p.29); Autumn requital (p.30); Manifestation (p.31); Two lovers in spring (p.32); Walter Phillips' last dream (p.33); Near Boom Lake (p.34); Hypocrisy (p.34); Husband and wife (p.35); Avant-garde artist (p.36);

Night adventure (p.37); For Conrad Kain (p.38);

Darkling meditation (p.39); To Edward Thomas (p.40); On the road to Sundance Canyon (p.41); The death of the deer (p.42); Alone (p.43); Summer dusk (p.44); The stream (p.45); Famous thinker (p.46);

Menthenuena (p.47); Autumn dawn (p.48); First love (p.49); The mining camp (p.50); For Katherine Mansfield (p.51); Stewart Canyon (p.52); Inglismaldie Creek (p.53); Old Miss Hastings and the Rockies (p.54);

Mrs. Wheeler's garden (revision)(p.55)

Cover: drawing by Wesley Watts, a Banff-born artist

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