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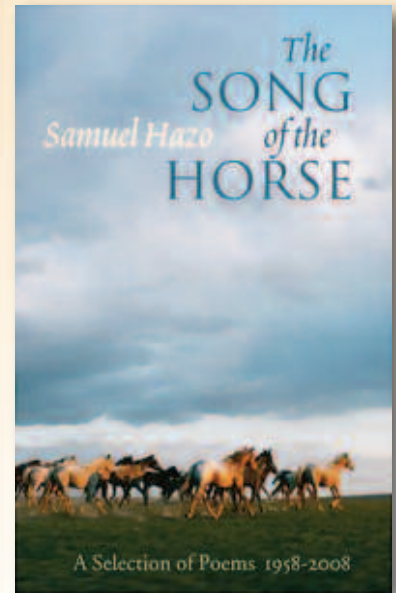
AN EVENING WITH Samuel Hazo

Wednesday, March 24, 2010
7 – 8:30 p.m.

HELFAER HALL, MOUNT MARY COLLEGE

FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC, *RESERVATIONS REQUIRED* *

A limited number of copies of his newest book,
The Song of the Horse will be available for purchase and signing.



Samuel Hazo is the author of poetry, fiction, essays, various works of translation and four plays. From his first book, through the National Book Award finalist *Once for the Last Bandit*, to his newest poems, he explores themes of mortality and love, passion and art, courage and grace in a style that is unmistakably his own. He writes with equal feeling and clarity about political and artistic figures and the complex synchronicity between life and art. He is extremely interested in the wonderment and discovery that emerge in the act of writing, in the movement toward wisdom that results from the expression of feeling. Samuel Hazo is the founder and director of the International Poetry Forum in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. His book of poems, *Just Once*, received the Maurice English Poetry Award. Hazo was chosen the first State Poet of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and was honored with the Griffin Award for Creative Writing from the University of Notre Dame, his alma mater.

Sponsored by the Mount Mary College Master of Arts in English Program. For more information about Samuel Hazo, go to www.samuelhazoauthor.com or visit www.mtmary.edu for program details.

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