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NORMAN MAILER

Christopher Lehmann-Haupt Will Introduce

Norman Mailer, one of the most important and prolific writers in America today, was educated at Harvard University and the Sorbonne. He served with the Army during World War II, and wrote, at the age of 25, his first novel, The Naked and the Dead, now a classic. His other works of fiction and non-fiction include Barbary Shore, The Deer Park, Advertisements for Myself, The Presidential Papers, An American Dream, Cannibals and Christians, Why Are We in Viet Nam, Miami and the Siege of Chicago, Of a Fire on the Moon, Existential Errands, as well as The Armies of the Night, for which he was awarded the Pulitzer Prize and the National Book Award for 1969. His most recent volume is Genius and Lust: A Journey Through the Major Writings of Henry Miller. Mr. Mailer has produced and directed three films, written scores of articles for magazines and newspapers and was once a candidate for Mayor of New York City.

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