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## Poetry Reading from New Book by Local Artists

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Janet McMillan Rives of Oro Valley and nearby Mountain Shadows Presbyterian Church is co-author with Kim McNealy Sosin of a new chapbook of poetry and photo-art. '*Reflections of France: Images and Poems*' was born when Janet and Kim reminisced over the poems and photographs they had separately accumulated from visits to France. As a child, Janet lived in Paris with her family for a year, spent her junior year in college studying in Paris and one additional year as a young economics professor in Dijon. Kim also loves France and has been accumulating photos from various trips. As they recalled French delights, they felt a strong nostalgia for the sights and sounds of the city and countryside. From these memories, their book was born. Each opened page features one of Janet's poems facing one of Kim's photographs, some with an artistic impressionist appearance. Each page expresses a treasured memory of France.

Janet will be reading poems from the book at the meeting of TAPS AT 3:30 P.M. on Saturday, January 24 at the Historic Y, located at 738 N. 5th Avenue, in Tucson.

'*Reflections of France: Images and Poems*', published in December 2025 by Uncollected Press, is available from the publisher, from Amazon, and from the author. Links for ordering can be found at the author's website at [janetmrives.com](http://janetmrives.com). For more information, email the author at [janetrives@gmail.com](mailto:janetrives@gmail.com).

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