

A Voice for Memory, Music, and Justice: Poet Chyrel J. Jackson Releases Powerful New Collection *Unsung Canaan Ballads*

New Poetry Collection Celebrates Black Culture, Faith, and Resilience

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/EINPresswire.com/ -- Prolific Pulse Press proudly announces the release of "[Unsung Canaan Ballads](#)," a stirring and deeply resonant poetry collection by acclaimed writer and cultural voice Chyrel J. Jackson.

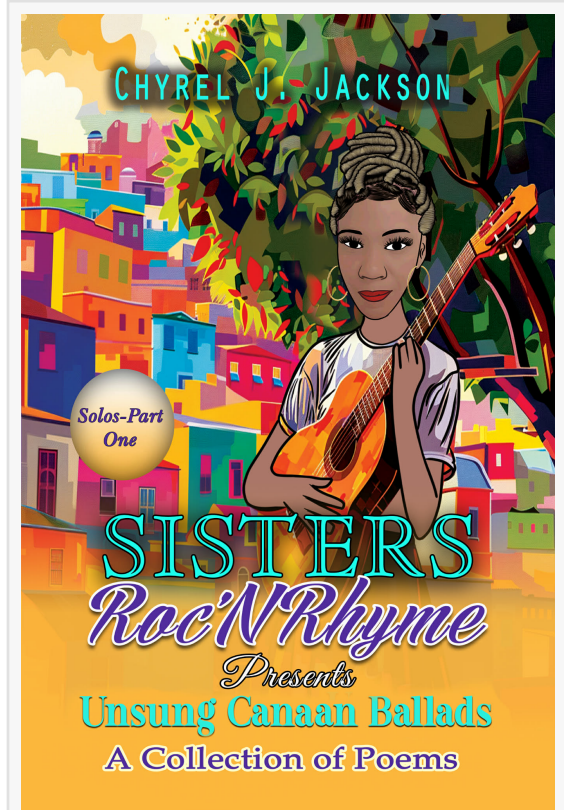
Rooted in heritage, memory, and truth, *Unsung Canaan Ballads* offers readers a powerful literary experience that explores Black history, faith, generational resilience, and the healing power of storytelling. Through evocative verse and emotional honesty, Jackson captures the rhythms of community, the echoes of ancestry, and the enduring spirit of a people who continue to create beauty in an imperfect world.

This moving collection stands as a love letter to Black culture and the collective voice of Black poets and writers. Within its pages, readers will find poems that comfort the grieving, inspire the weary, and encourage those searching for hope. Jackson's work reminds us that healing often arrives through the simple yet profound gifts of life—music, art, nature, books, poetry, and family.

From reflections on loss and survival to celebrations of cultural identity and faith, *Unsung Canaan Ballads* invites readers to slow down, pour a favorite beverage, and settle into something that feels like home.

Early Praise for *Unsung Canaan Ballads*

Author Juntu Ahjee writes:



Unsung Canaan Ballads: A Collection of Poems
SistersRoc'N'Rhyme Solos-Part One

“WOW! *Unsung Canaan Ballads* is a revelation—a masterful blueprint of storytelling about Black culture. Reading it felt like wandering through a mahogany museum filled with hidden treasures. Every poem reveals another layer of brilliance.

Pieces like *N’awlins Jazz Piping*, *Evolution of the Blues*, and *Harold’s Chicken with a Side of Black Culture* are jaw-dropping and thought-provoking. Spiritual passages such as *Walking as Servants* and *A Joyful People* leave an eternal imprint on the soul.

Chyrel Jackson proves once again why she is a premier modern-day poet. Her work—alongside her collaborations with sister Lyris—will surely become a collector’s series for serious poetry enthusiasts.”

Internationally recognized poet Zaneta V. Johns writes:

Unsung Canaan Ballads is a monumental and unwavering account of inconvenient truths—good, bad, and painful. Jackson ventures deep inside the soul where the music lives and emerges resolute, pen in hand, demanding that her voice be acknowledged.

Filled with anthems of reckoning and resilience, this is one of the most stirring poetry collections of our time. Through vulnerability and courage, Jackson demonstrates poetry’s power to heal, liberate, and celebrate.

Munmun Samanta (Sam), author of *Yellow Chrysanthemum* (India), writes:

What distinguishes *Unsung Canaan Ballads* is its emotional honesty and cultural rootedness. The poet confronts generational trauma, racial violence, motherhood, faith, and survival without softening the truth.

Even in grief, there is tenderness. Even in anger, there is love. Poems such as *Weeping Willow*, *Americana Was My Grandmother’s Glory*, *Lift Her Up*, and *Open Your Eyes* stand as personal laments and collective testimonies.

About the Author

Chyrel J. Jackson is a 2025 Poet Laureate and #1 Amazon Best-Selling Author whose work draws deeply from African American literary traditions and cultural history.

Raised in the South Suburbs outside Chicago, Jackson’s writing is influenced by generations of



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Black literary voices and the musical traditions of the Black diaspora.

Her growing list of literary accomplishments includes a Pushcart Prize nomination for her poem Love Unspoken, published in Heart Beats Anthology. She was also a contributing writer to the #1 bestselling anthology Not Just Anybody Can Be Dad.

Together with her sister Lyriss D. Wallace, Jackson forms the creative duo SistersRoc'N'Rhyme, authors of:

Poems in the Key of Life

Mirrored Images

Different Sides of the Same Coin

Their work appears in numerous anthologies, literary journals, and international publications, continuing their mission to build a lasting literary legacy.

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