

MAY SARTON

May Sarton, born in Belgium, nurtured in Cambridge, Massachusetts, now living in York, Maine, you have enjoyed a distinguished career as poet, novelist, essayist, and journalist. As a teacher and lecturer you have shared your talent with students at colleges and universities throughout America. As a writer, you have taught us much about friendship and love and about the loneliness of being ourselves. Your work has been applauded with prizes, fellowships, and honorary degrees. Bowdoin is honored to add its voice to the chorus that sings in praise of one who has indeed created "a world of light."

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