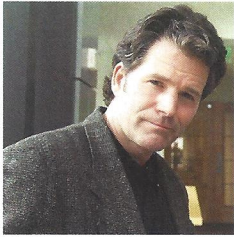




THE ENGLISH SPEAKING UNION of BOSTON

Will HONOR the AWARD WINNING and PROMINENT AUTHOR



ANDRES DUBUS III

as

AUTHOR OF THE YEAR

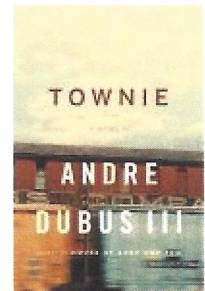
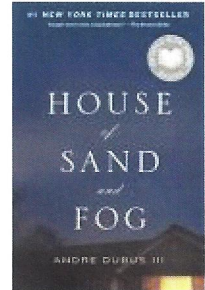
on

Wednesday, November 12, 6 o'clock

at

THE UNION CLUB

Eight Park Street, Boston



ESU recognizes writers with a distinct voice that when combined with extraordinary use of the English language produces writing that can be most memorable and profound, enlightening and entertaining and extremely worthy of a reader's concentrated attention. Such is the voice of our ESU Author of the Year Andre Dubus III.

With simple, unvarnished prose, Dubus finds the extraordinary in the ordinary lives of his unforgettable characters—the bank teller, the bartender, the exotic dancer, the immigrants, the tuned-out teenager—stopped in time within his richly rendered stories.

Andre Dubus III is the author of six books, including the New York Times' bestsellers *House of Sand and Fog*, *The Garden of Last Days*, and his memoir, *Townie*. His most recent book, *Dirty Love*, published in the fall of 2013, was a New York Times "Notable Book" selection, a New York Times "Editors' Choice", a 2013 Notable Fiction" choice from the Washington Post, and a Kirkus "Starred Best Book of 2013".

Tickets are \$25 for members and \$50 non-members, including hors d'oeuvres and a complimentary glass of wine. Cash bar. Please RSVP to **Catharine-Mary Donovan** ([cmd827ginger@yahoo.com](mailto:cmd827ginger@yahoo.com) or 617-266-2263). Checks should be sent in advance of the event and made out to ESU Boston, c/o Catharine Mary Donovan, 117 Beacon Street, Boston, MA 02116 By November 9<sup>th</sup>.

**The author will do a book signing following his presentation**

Please note the dress code for the Union Club is "Business Casual" (shirts with collar, dress slacks, and non-athletics shoes for men, and equivalent attire for women) although many male members will continue to appear in suit and tie