



Bio: Valada Parker Flewellyn

Valada Parker Flewellyn is a writer, poet and storyteller. Occasionally she likes to tell her stories through documentary films and exhibits.

In addition to “A Pilot Lights the Way”, Ms. Flewellyn has also been curator for “Enter Colored Hats” inspired by her book African-Americans in Sanford. And “Enter Colored Hats: Poetry and Presence.”

Her documentaries co-produced with UCF professor Anthony Mayer, include “Goldsboro: An American Story” and “Jesse Leroy Brown: the first African-American Naval Fighter Pilot.”

Valada Flewellyn’s other books include Just Us, The Mosquito, and Yours Truly. She is co-author of Jack and Jill of America Incorporated: Into the Millennium --The story of the oldest African-American family organization.