



Bernadette Pace

SATURDAY, MAY 13, 8:00 p.m. - Storytime Cabaret with Bernadette Pace and Bruce Sweet. Two Original Stories Presented in a Theatrical Setting.

Bernadette Pace has studied writing and drawing, and holds a degree from New York State College at Buffalo (1979). With interest in symbols, myth and pattern, her writing and artwork reflects a search for balance, spirituality and precision. For this program she will present her first book, *Sadie's Sojourn*, a magical story which leads us in and out of realities in search of truth. The reading will be accompanied by dancers Mary M. Doi, Alenia Sammy and Rachel Chalmers.

Bruce Sweet, writer, actor, director, and educator, conducts workshops in playwriting, poetry, short story and acting. A staged reading of his latest play, "Grant's Tomb" was recently presented at the Village Gate Art Center. A Ph. D. in Theatre from New York University, Sweet has acted in and/or directed over 200 plays in 11 states and in Stratford-on-Avon, England. His poems, short stories and articles have appeared in many publications and he was an award-winner in the 1988 Rochester Literary Competition. This evening Dr. Sweet will present his new story, "Melinda Has to Sing", about a would-be opera star. A performance by seven voices.

A book signing of *Sadie's Sojourn* and a reception for all follows the performances.
- **\$3.00/\$2.00 for members/children under 12 free**