



American Association of University Women
Albuquerque Branch
Albuquerque, New Mexico

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Laura Gilpin
409 Camino del Monte Sol
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Laura Gilpin:

The Albuquerque Branch of the American Association of University Women wishes to invite you to a dinner at the New Mexico Union, University of New Mexico, on March 7, 1967, at 7 p.m. We are inviting a representative group of New Mexico authors and publishers to tell us, in ten to fifteen minutes, of some of their experiences. The benefits from our ticket sale are given to the AAUW Fellowship Fund which makes it possible each year for over one hundred women from the United States and foreign countries to continue their graduate studies. This year we have one of these recipients studying at UNM. We would want you to meet her that evening.

Since we are a women's organization we would like to have a woman author participate. The article in the November 27 New Mexican stimulated our interest to hope that you could accept our invitation. Many of our members are like myself, relative newcomers to this state (ten years or less) and we are eager to meet and know more about its authors.

As we have done for the past two years we would cover the expenses of your dinner, a night's lodging and breakfast.

That we may begin our state and local publicity soon after the first of the year may we hear from you as soon as possible after the Holidays?

Very sincerely,

Mrs. A. H. Schlichterberg
Chairman, Fellowships Committee