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Humanities Nebraska speaker to appear

Kearney, Neb. – Speaker Bob Ferguson will present the program “U.S. Stamps Tell A Story; A Few Have More Than One” on Friday, March 20 at 7:00pm at The Archway. The program is free and open to the public.

This presentation is made possible by Humanities Nebraska, the Nebraska Cultural Endowment, and The Archway as part of the HN Speakers Bureau.

With the aid of a large-screen TV display of high-resolution stamp images, Ferguson describes milestones in postal service history depicted on stamps; discusses and illustrates innovations in stamp design and production from 1847 to today; explains how subjects are chosen for stamps; and exhibits the first stamps depicting women and various ethnic groups. For general audiences – stamp collectors may also be interested.

“U.S. Stamps Tell A Story; A Few Have More Than One” is one of approximately 300 programs offered through the Humanities Nebraska Speakers Bureau. The more than 165 available speakers include acclaimed scholars, writers, musicians, storytellers and folklorists on topics ranging from pioneer heritage to ethics and law to international and multicultural issues, making it the largest humanities speakers bureau in the nation.

For information detailing the available speakers and guidelines for booking them, please access Humanities Nebraska’s website at www.humanitiesnebraska.org or contact Humanities Nebraska at 215 Centennial Mall South, Suite 330, Lincoln, NE 68508, call at (402) 474-2131 or email info@humanitiesnebraska.org.

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