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BELIEVING IN WRITING: POETRY, PROSE, AND PRAYER Kennedy-King College

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that Professor Martha Modena Vertreace-Doody, Kennedy-King College, was one of twelve poets-in-residence at the Collegeville Institute of the University of Minnesota, participating in Believing in Writing: Poetry, Prose, and Prayer, July 11 - 17, 2010.

that **Believing in Writing: Poetry, Prose, and Prayer** is a creative writing workshop designed for writers who are exploring religious themes in their work. The workshop makes it possible for writers with a variety of vocational pursuits and literary interests to work both individually and communally. Poets, dramatists, novelists, essayists and others were gifted with extended periods of time to write, as well as ample opportunities for interchange, mentoring, critical evaluation, and mutual support.

that participants had a long, unbroken stretch of time to write every day. In the mid-afternoons they gathered to talk about their individual projects. The Collegeville Institute, through a generous grant from the Lilly Endowment, Inc., covered travel expenses to and from the workshop, as well as room and board.

Respectfully submitted,

Cheryl L. Hyman Chancellor