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Moving in the Rhythm of Nature®

Harriet Beecher Stowe shaped her place in history when she courageously expanded a short story about the death of an old slave into a novel. Uncle Tom's Cabin, written in 1852 is considered one of the most influential books of modern history.

Later in her life, Harriet became Florida's first travel writer, exposing the people of the North to the wild nature of her winter home. "Oranges from Harriet Beecher Stowe, Mandarin, Florida" stamped on crates shipped north beckoned the adventurous.

*Come down here once,
and use your eyes,
and you will know
more than we can teach you.*



Harriet Beecher Stowe

Her Florida home was under one of the largest oaks looking down the broadest and straightest corridor of the St. Johns. In the rear clearing was a "great wild park" of oaks and an orange grove loading the air with the perfume of the fruit blossoms. A love affair between the land and this enterprising woman glowed in her letters. But what drew her into her soulful essays was the incredible wildness of the land. In the winter of 1872, she offered a series of essays to the Christian Union under the title of Palmetto Leaves. Vividly describing the land and people in her sketches, Harriet had created what is considered the first promotional travel writing for Florida. The Palmetto Leaves essays were published as a book in 1873.

Thank you Harriet Beecher Stowe for your ability to write about the human condition and the natural world with such detail and insight, causing readers to stop, take notice, and act.



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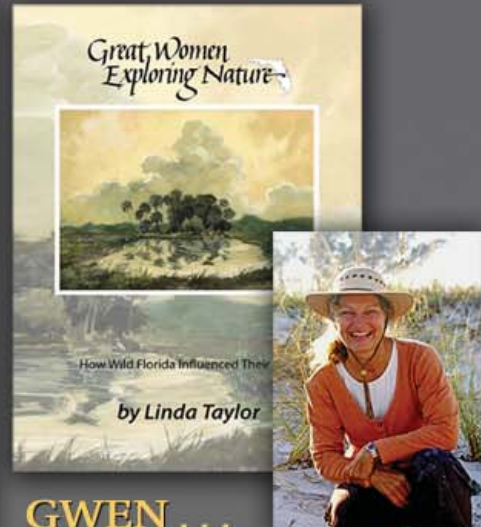
Festivals

Mount Dora Plant & Garden Show Mount Dora, FL	Saturday, November 7 Sunday, November 8	9 AM - 4 PM 9 AM - 3 PM
Tampa Garden Club Holiday Market Tampa, FL	Thursday, November 12	10 AM - 5 PM
Sarasota Naturally Downtown Sarasota	Saturday, November 14	8 AM - 4 PM
Third Friday Music Series Main Street, Safety Harbor	Friday, November 20	6 PM - 10 PM

Markets

Saturday Morning Market St. Petersburg, FL	Saturday, Nov. 14, 21, 28	9 AM - 2 PM www.saturdaymorningmarket.com
Sweetwater Organic Farm Market - Tampa, FL www.sweetwater-organic.org	Sunday, Nov. 1, 15, 29	Noon - 4 PM
Nature's Food Patch Clearwater, FL	Tuesdays - Clearwater	Noon - 3 PM www.naturesfoodpatch.com
Downtown Clearwater Farmer's Market	Wednesday, Nov. 4	9 AM - 2 PM
Oldsmar Farmer's Market	Wednesdays, Nov. 11 & 25	9 AM - 1 PM
Largo Farmer's Market	Thursdays, Nov. 5 & 19	9 AM - 2 PM
Dunedin Green Market	Fridays, 6, 13, & 27	8 AM - 2 PM
Downtown Tampa Market http:tampabaymarkets.ning.com	Friday, Nov. 20	10 AM - 2 PM
Crossroads Farmer's Market Curlew & Belcher	Sunday, Nov. 22	9 AM - 2 PM

Full Moon Walk ■ Monday, November 2
5:30 PM - 7:00 PM ■ North Clearwater Beach



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Great Women Exploring
Nature by Linda Taylor

Our next ION Full Moon Walk with T'ai Chi will be on Monday, November 2 on North Clearwater Beach – followed by the Full Moon on December 2.

We will also celebrate the Winter Solstice and the second (Blue Moon) of December on New Year's Eve.

Please respond to this e-mail if you would like more details.

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