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BOOK LAUNCH

THURSDAY, 16 AUGUST 2018

6:30pm

at the Brunswick Street Bookstore
305 Brunswick St, Fitzroy



“When you are a writer and a sore little piece of yourself breaks off and crystallises, you name it and you write a world for it and it becomes a story...”

Please join us as Maria Tumarkin launches Emma Marie Jones’s first book. In 2005, Emma’s family lost her beloved younger sister. In *Something to Be Tiptoed Around*, Emma draws on Ovid’s *Metamorphoses* and the feminist writings of Judith Butler, Hélène Cixous and Julia Kristeva, as well as on Tumarkin’s writing on trauma, to create a powerfully multi-layered exploration of the fate of human love after death.

Emma Marie Jones is a Melbourne-based poet and writer. Her short fiction, poems and essays have appeared in *Seizure*, *The Lifted Brow*, *Scum*, *Meanjin*, *Spook* and others. *Something to Be Tiptoed Around* is an experimental work of autobiography. In 2015, it was shortlisted for the Scribe Nonfiction Prize for Young Writers. Emma is a PhD candidate and teacher of creative writing at the University of Melbourne.

