

VOICES ISRAEL ANTHOLOGY – REQUEST FOR SUBMISSIONS

Submissions are accepted from Voices members and non-members alike. There is no fee for submitting poems to the Anthology. Paid up members of Voices Israel will receive a copy of the anthology once it comes out, whether they are published or not, shipping fees included. Non-members may order copies for NIS50 (US\$ 25) each shipping inclusive.

GUIDELINES

Submissions for the Anthology are accepted from December 15 to March 15 of each year. Poems will then be sent to the editorial board, reviewed, selected, and notices sent out to contributors. The Anthology will be printed by October 1st or earlier and distributed to paid-up Voices Israel members and others who have ordered and paid for copies. Copyright for individual poems is retained by the author of each poem. Copyright for the Anthology belongs to Voices Israel Group of Poets in English.

HOW TO SUBMIT

Poems must be submitted using the Voices Israel Online Submission Manager, powered by Submittable. *This is the only way to submit your poems.* Email submissions to any of our team will not be considered.

There is no fee for submitting poems for publication in our Anthology.

THE SUBMISSION PERIOD OPENS ON DECEMBER 15TH. PLEASE FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS BELOW TO SUBMIT.

- o We have streamlined and partially automated the submission and judging procedure. Therefore, even if you are a long-time contributor, you **MUST** read the full Guidelines at the top of the submission form on the Submittable page.
- o Submit a maximum of 3 poems on any subject. Poems should not exceed 40 lines including stanza breaks but not including title.
- o **Important!** Please note that ***poems must be submitted one by one on Submittable, each poem in a separate submission. Please do not try to submit 2 or 3 poems at once.***
- o Poems *must* be submitted by typing or copying them into the space provided in the online form. **We do not accept uploaded files.**
- o Poems should be previously unpublished. Poems that have been included in the monthly Voices Israel Poetry Page attached to the newsletter or were written at

Voices workshops and published in the resulting chapbook of the workshop and/or on the Voices website are considered unpublished.

- o Translations of living poets' poems are acceptable as long as the translations have not been previously published. The translator must have the permission of the poet if it is not the same person.
- o Fancy or unconventional formatting is not encouraged.
- o Judging is anonymous and the poems will be forwarded to the editorial board without names.
- o No revisions of poems will be accepted after submission!

Please click the **Submit** button on the [Submitting to the Anthology page](#) of our website www.voicesisrael.com. This will take you to the Voices Israel Submittable page and start the submissions process. (Note: the Submit button will only appear on that page when submissions are open, i.e. from December 15th through March 15th of the following year).